

OSWEGO CITY RESIDENTS

EXEMPTION FOR REAL PROPERTY OF AGED PERSONS

File with the Department of Assessment at Third Floor, City Hall. **Applications** will be **accepted** until **March 1** each year.

1. **Proof of age** (birth certificate, driver’s license, passport) 65 or older by March 1st.
2. **Proof of ownership** (deed)
3. **Proof of income** (income tax return for the previous calendar year) see sliding scale below. Income includes, but is not limited to, social security, salary, bonuses, interest, dividends, rents, retirement/pension, disability payments and worker’s compensation.
4. All owners must **sign the application**.

A **new application** must be **filed each year**. This is necessary because conditions upon which the exemption depend can change each year. However, once proof of age and ownership are established, it will not be necessary to submit such proof in later years unless specifically requested by the assessor. Once your application is approved, we will automatically send you a renewal form each April/May. Inquiries – call 342-8101.

GRADUATED INCOME SCALE FOR CITY, SCHOOL & WATER

ANNUAL INCOME FOR CITY, SCHOOL & WATER	% FOR CITY & SCHOOL	% FOR WATER
Up to \$17,500	50%	75%
\$17,501 to \$18,500.	45%	70%
\$18,501 to \$19,500.	40%	65%
\$19,501 to \$20,500.	35%	60%
\$20,501 to \$21,400.	30%	55%
\$21,401 to \$22,300.	25%	50%
\$22,301 to \$23,200.	20%	45%
\$23,201 to \$24,100.	15%	40%
\$24,101 to \$25,000.	10%	35%

GRADUATED INCOME SCALE FOR OSWEGO COUNTY TAX BILLS

ANNUAL INCOME

% FOR COUNTY

Less than \$16,025	50%
\$16,026 to \$17,025	45%
\$17,026 to \$18,025	40%
\$18,026 to \$19,025	35%
\$19,026 to \$19,925	30%
\$19,926 to \$20,825	25%
\$20,826 to \$21,725	20%
\$21,726 to \$22,625	15%
\$22,626 to \$23,525	10%
\$23,526 to \$24,425	5%

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