Senior Tax Assistance Programs

Property Tax Relief



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CITY OF PEABODY TAX RELIEF PROGRAMS Fiscal Year 2026					
Program Name	Surviving Spouses or Minors with Limited Assets– CL 17D	Limited Income and Limited Assets CL 41C	Limited Income CL 41A	Qualifying Veterans CL 22	Legally Blind CL 37A
Assistance Type	Reduces local property tax liability.	Reduces local property tax liability.	Defers payment of local property tax owned by a senior.	Reduces local property tax liability.	Reduces local property tax liability.
Eligibility Age	Over age 70; widow/ widower of any age; or qualified minor who has a deceased parent	Over age 65	Over age 65	None	None
Income Limit	None	\$28,867 single \$35,378 married	\$49,000	None	None
Asset Limit	\$70,421	\$47,295 single \$52,816 married	None	None	None
Assistance Amount	\$175—\$350.00	\$500—\$1000	Qualifiers determine amount they wish to defer annually	\$400—\$800	\$500—\$1000
Special Requirements	Applicants over 70 must have owned property for at least 5 years	Must have lived in MA for 10 years and owned property in MA for 5 years	Taxes and 8% interest must be paid to the city	1. Service connected disability of 10% or more-or- 2. Been awarded the Purple Heart-or- 3. Have served in the Spanish War, Philippine Insurrection, or Chinese Relief Expedition-or- 4. Parents or spouses of soldiers/sailors who died in wartime service 5. Resided in MA for 5 Yrs	Must have annual certification from the Commission of the Blind