

Tax Administrator

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March 21, 2019

The Salt Lake County Council 2001 South State, N 2200 Salt Lake City, Utah 84190-1010

Attn:

Richard Snelgrove, Chair

Re:

Reconsideration of 2018 Veteran Exemption After the Sale of the Property or Other Change in

Ownership After the Lien Date for Neil H. Olsen, Parcel # 22-01-308-002

## Council Members:

The Property Tax Committee, at a meeting on March 21, 2019, reconsidered an application for 2018 Veteran Exemption due to the sale of the property or other change in ownership, after the lien date. The Committee recommends that the following relief be granted:

Action	Type of Relief
Deny	Veteran Exemption

The refund formula for Veteran's Exemption tax relief may be found in Utah Code 59-2-1105. A county granting an abatement, credit, or exemption to a claimant shall refund to that claimant an amount equal to the amount by which the claimant's property taxes paid exceed the claimant's property taxes due if that amount is \$1 or more. Utah Code 59-2-1104 states that property taxes paid is an amount equal to the sum of the amount of the property taxes the claimant paid for the calendar year for which the claimant is applying for an exemption, and the exemption the county grants for the calendar year. State Tax Commission appeal #17-2022 further defines a claimant's property taxes paid as not including amounts paid by a third party such as a buyer. If the claimant feels the County has improperly processed their request for Veterans Exemption tax relief, they may appeal to the Utah State Tax Commission within 30 days of this notification. Appeals must be submitted to Council-Tax Administration. Appeal forms are available from Council-Tax Administration.

Sincerely,

Brad Neff, Chair

Property Tax Committee

cc:

Treasurer

Treasurer - Abatement Office

Neil H Olsen