

Tax Administrator

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March 30, 2021

ADMINISTRATION

The Salt Lake County Council 2001 South State, N2200 Salt Lake City, Utah 84190-1010

Attn: Steve DeBry, Chair

RE: Request by St Anna Greek Orthodox Church of Utah, Inc to grant a property tax exemption as a religious organization for the 2019 tax year on parcel 28-04-353-004 (Recommend grant)

## Council Members:

The Property Tax Committee, at a meeting on March 18, 2021, considered a request to apply a property tax exemption as a religious organization for the 2019 tax year on the above-mentioned parcel. The committee recommends the request be granted.

In October 2020 the District Attorney's office recommended the approval of the exemption from October 31, 2019 to December 31, 2019, and the entire 2020 tax year. In October 2020, the Board of Equalization granted a tax exemption for the 2020 tax year and referred the request for the 2019 tax year to the Property Tax Committee for consideration.

Based on the available evidence, the Committee recommends the Claimant's request be granted for a 16.99% prorated religious exemption for the 2019 tax year. A refund of \$5,433.31 is applicable with any necessary adjustments for penalty and/or interest paid or accrued with the Treasurer's office to determine the final amount to be refunded.

Sincerely,

Brad Neff, Chair

Property Tax Committee

cc St Anna Greek Orthodox Church

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cc Treasurer's Office

Terrie Sherbon-Auditor's Office