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Property Tax Assessment Appeal Seminar for Maine Township

Park Ridge, IL-- Cook County Board of Review Commissioner Dan Patlak will be holding a property tax assessment appeal seminar Wednesday, September 11, 2014, at the Park Ridge City Hall for taxpayers seeking to appeal their 2014 property tax assessments.

The seminar is co-hosted by Cook County Commissioner Peter Silvestri, and State Representative Michael McAuliffe. The hour long session will educate taxpayers on how to file a successful tax appeal, provide information on property tax exemptions, and address why property taxes go up when the value of your home goes down.

The seminar includes a presentation by **Commissioner Dan Patlak** explaining the appeal procedure at the Board of Review. Before the end of the evening, taxpayers will have an opportunity to work with staff from the Board of Review to address their specific questions and concerns.

This event is free to the public, and there is no fee to appeal. Taxpayers are asked to bring a copy of their most recent tax bill.

The seminar will be held:

Thursday, September 11, 2014

Park Ridge City Hall
505 Butler Place, Council Chambers
Park Ridge, IL 60068
6:30 p.m.

Appeal forms also may be picked up at the Board of Review located at 118 N. Clark Street-Room 601 in Chicago or at the Skokie Satellite Office located at 5600 Old Orchard Rd., Room 155, Skokie, IL. 847-470-7522. Taxpayers may also file an appeal online by visiting the Board of Review website at www.cookcountyboardofreview.com.

The Cook County Board of Review is a quasi-judicial elected office responsible for adjudicating assessment appeals for all property in Cook County. Commissioner Dan Patlak represents the 1st District of the Board of Review, which encompasses 90% of Suburban Cook County and part of the 19th and 41st & 45th Wards of Chicago.

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