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Village Board of Trustees Work Session Agenda

May 6, 2024
6:00 PM

Meeting Information

A special meeting of the Scarsdale Village Board of Trustees is scheduled for 6:00 PM on Monday, May 6, 2024. The meeting will be held in the Trustees Room located on the 2nd floor in Village Hall.

Agenda

- Resolution Adopting a Home Rule Request for The Enactment and Adoption by The New York State Assembly of Bill A9946 and By the New York State Senate of Bill S9202 Providing for The Refund of Penalties Accrued on Certain Real Property Taxes in The Town of Scarsdale, County of Westchester



Date: Monday, May 6, 2024

Re: Resolution Adopting a Home Rule Request for The Enactment and Adoption by The New York State Assembly of Bill A9946 and By the New York State Senate of Bill S9202 Providing for The Refund of Penalties Accrued on Certain Real Property Taxes in The Town of Scarsdale, County of Westchester

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ATTACHMENT(S):

- [Resolution](#)

TOWN OF SCARSDALE
TOWN BOARD

RESOLUTION ADOPTING A HOME RULE REQUEST FOR THE
ENACTMENT AND ADOPTION BY THE NEW YORK STATE ASSEMBLY OF
BILL A9946 AND BY THE NEW YORK STATE SENATE OF BILL S9202
PROVIDING FOR THE REFUND OF PENALTIES ACCRUED ON CERTAIN
REAL PROPERTY TAXES IN THE TOWN OF SCARSDALE, COUNTY OF
WESTCHESTER

WHEREAS, Scarsdale is a coterminous town/village in the county of Westchester being responsible for real property taxation within its jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, certain 2023/2024 real property tax bills were not delivered by the United States Postal Service and the Town of Scarsdale cannot provide relief from late penalties stemming from late payment of such bills without State Legislative approval; and

WHEREAS, Assembly Bill A9946 and Senate Bill S9202 have been introduced into the New York State Assembly and the New York State Senate, respectively each entitled “AN ACT in relation to refunding penalties accrued on certain real property taxes in the Town of Scarsdale, County of Westchester”; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the proposed legislation is to provide the refund of certain penalties accrued on 2023-2024 real property taxes due to the specific failure of the United States Postal Services to deliver said real property tax bills to owners in the Town of Scarsdale, County of Westchester; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board believes that such relief would be in the best interests of the residents and real property tax payors of Scarsdale; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Town Board of the Town of Scarsdale, County of Westchester, does hereby respectfully make a Home Rule Request pursuant to the New York State Home Rule Law that the New York State Assembly enact Bill A9946 and the New York State Senate enact Bill S9202, copies of which are attached hereto, to authorize the Town of Scarsdale to waive penalties for late payment of 2023-2024 real property taxes due to the failure of the United States Postal Services to deliver said real property tax bills to certain owners in the Town of Scarsdale, County of Westchester.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Town Clerk is hereby authorized to certify this Resolution and directed to forward the appropriate number of copies of this Resolution and the Home Rule Request form with the appropriate transmittal letters to each House of the New York State Legislature.