



**Hertford County Tax Assessor's Office**  
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**Important Upcoming Dates/ Programs**  
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Listing period January 2, 2024, through February 2, 2024, each year in late December, abstract listings are sent to all taxpayers that had a listing for the prior year. All personal property subject to annual listing must be listed during the month of January to avoid a 10% late listing penalty as mandated by State law. Because Hertford County utilizes a permanent listing system for real estate, real property does not have to be listed unless a change in home or value has occurred. Persons listing real or personal property for the first time should contact the Tax Assessor's Office for listing information or sign and return the 2024 Individual Personal Property Listing Form. The Tax Assessor's primary responsibility is to appraise, list and assess all taxable real and personal property each year and furnish tax base figures to the County, Municipalities and Fire Departments for budget purposes.

**Tax Relief Programs for Seniors, Permanent Disability, and Disabled Veterans**

North Carolina General Statutes provide several programs to provide tax relief for Senior Citizens, Individuals with Permanent Disabilities, and for Disabled Veterans or their surviving spouse. All these programs use a common application, and some individuals may qualify for more than one program. Additional forms are required for certification of disability along with the common application.

The programs have different requirements and provide differing levels of relief. Individuals qualifying for more than one of these programs will be placed in the one which provides the greatest level of tax relief. Some programs require only a one-time application, while others require an annual application. One of the programs defers taxes which may have to be repaid if disqualified, while the others do not.

North Carolina residents who are at least 65 years of age OR who are certified as totally and permanently disabled, AND whose income does not exceed \$36,700. (Income limit for 2024 -- limit is adjusted annually based on any cost-of-living adjustments to Social Security Benefits)

**Disabled Veterans Exclusion**

North Carolina excludes from property taxes \$45,000 of the appraised value of a permanent residence owned and occupied by a qualifying owner, if you are an Honorably Discharged Veteran with a 100% total and permanent "service connected" disability, or the unmarried surviving spouse. Applicants must file Form AV-9 (Application for Property Tax Relief) as well as Form NCDVA-9 (Certification of Veteran Disability) to qualify. This is a one-time application and must be filed with the Tax Assessor's Office by June 1 of the year.

**Thank you and Happy Holidays from the Office of Tax Assessor**