

TOWN OF SHUTESBURY MEANS-TESTED REAL ESTATE EXEMPTIONAPPLICATION

GENERAL COURT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
CHAPTER 259 OF THE ACTS OF 2022

EXEMPTION CREDIT: 50% to 200% of MA Circuit Breaker Credit

Percentage is determined annually by the Select Board and is dependent on the number of applicants.

THIS APPLICATION IS NOT OPEN TO PUBLIC INSPECTION

REQUIREMENTS:

AGE: Sixty-Five or older (Co-Owner must be sixty or older).

RESIDENCY: Must have been a resident and home-owner of Shutesbury for the previous ten consecutive years.

INCOME: Must qualify for the Massachusetts state income tax Circuit Breaker Credit.

ASSETS: Maximum of \$250,000 excluding primary residence. See list on back of application.

<u>APPLICANTS SHOULD SUBMIT ALL DOCUMENTATION NEEDED —</u>

- 1. Proof of Age.
- 2. Completed, dated and signed application.
- 3. Copy of previous calendar year MA Income Tax return including Schedule CB.
- 4. Complete list of <u>all</u> of applicant's assets' valuations on the 2^{nd} page of the application.
- 5. Property trust documentation with all schedules.

TO THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS:

- 1. Mail to: Board of Assessors, PO Box 264, Shutesbury MA 01072, or
- 2. <u>Deposit in</u>: Brown locked metal box at the convergence of the sidewalk and front driveway of Town Hall, in a sealed envelope, clearly marked for the Board of Assessors, or
- 3. <u>Hand-deliver</u>: To the Assessors' Office (call 413.259.3790 to confirm the office is open).