



TOWN OF LEE
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To the Residents of Lee,

Due to the economic impacts of COVID-19, the Board of Selectmen voted unanimously to defer late fees and interest on tax bills that were issued **AFTER March 10, 2020**. Should you find it necessary to defer your tax payment due to the current economic situation, please know that the Town is willing to work with you. However, all payments must be made **PRIOR TO June 30** in order to avoid any fees and/or penalties.

For example, Real Estate and Personal Property tax bills are due on May 1, 2020. If you pay your bill on June 29, all interest and penalties are waived. If you pay your bill on June 30 or after, interest and penalties accrue back to due date of **May 1** per the Governor's bill "An Act to Address Challenges Faced by Municipalities and State Authorities Resulting from COVID-19".

Please note that this deferral applies **ONLY** to Real Estate, Personal Property and Excise taxes with a due date **ON OR AFTER March 10, 2020** where payment is made **AFTER** its respective due date but **BEFORE June 30, 2020**. The deferral does not apply to any unpaid balances which were due **BEFORE March 10, 2020**.

We hope this temporary relief will be helpful during this difficult time. Please stay safe and healthy.

Sincerely,

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