Property Tax/Rent Rebate Program

The Property Tax/Rent Rebate Program is supported by the Pennsylvania Lottery and provides rebates on property tax or rent paid the previous year. This program benefits eligible Pennsylvanians age 65 and older; widows and widowers age 50 and older; and people with disabilities age 18 and older. The income limit is \$35,000 a year for homeowners (half of Social Security income is excluded) and \$15,000 annually for renters (half of Social Security income is excluded). Spouses, personal representatives or estates may also file rebate claims on behalf of claimants who lived at least one day in 2020 and meet all other eligibility criteria.

The maximum standard rebate is \$650, but supplemental rebates for qualifying homeowners can boost rebates to \$975.

The application deadline is December 31, 2021.

More information and the Property Tax/Rent Rebate application forms are available from the Department of Revenue at www.revenue.state.pa.us.

Assistance is available by calling 888-222-9190. Help is also available at the Lancaster County Office of the Aging (717-299-7979) and Representative Brett Miller's office (717-295-5050).