



**FINAL ADMINISTRATIVE DECISION
ILLINOIS PROPERTY TAX APPEAL BOARD**

APPELLANT: Richard & Barbara Newman
DOCKET NO.: 13-04632.001-R-1
PARCEL NO.: 13-12-403-025

The parties of record before the Property Tax Appeal Board are Richard & Barbara Newman, the appellants, by attorney Robert J. Masini, of Diver, Grach, Quade & Masini, LLP in Waukegan; and the Lake County Board of Review.

The record in this appeal contains valuation information submitted by the appellants. The record also contains documentation submitted by the board of review indicating that the board agrees to a lower assessment amount than requested by the appellants.¹

After considering the evidence and reviewing the record, the Property Tax Appeal Board finds that it has jurisdiction over the parties and the subject matter of this appeal. The Board further finds that the assessment proposed by the board of review is correct and that a reduction in the assessed valuation of the subject property is appropriate.

Based on the facts and exhibits presented, the Property Tax Appeal Board hereby finds a reduction in the assessment of the property as established by the **Lake** County Board of Review is warranted. The correct assessed valuation of the property is:

LAND: \$66,713
IMPR.: \$203,946

¹ The Property Tax Appeal Board takes notice that it issued a decision on Docket No. 12-02808.001-R-1 reducing the subject's 2012 assessment to \$274,725. (86 Ill.Admin.Code 1910.50(i)). The record further indicates that the subject property is an owner occupied dwelling and that 2012 and 2013 are within the same general assessment period. The record contains no evidence indicating the subject property sold in an arm's length transaction subsequent to the Board's decision for the 2012 tax year or that the Property Tax Appeal Board's decision for the 2012 tax year was reversed or modified upon review. For these reasons the Property Tax Appeal Board finds that a reduction in the subject's assessment is warranted to reflect the Board's prior year's decision plus the application of 0.9852 equalization factor for Cuba Township.

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TOTAL: \$270,659

Subject only to the State multiplier as applicable.

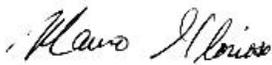
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This is a final administrative decision of the Property Tax Appeal Board which is subject to review in the Circuit Court or Appellate Court under the provisions of the Administrative Review Law (735 ILCS 5/3-101 et seq.) and section 16-195 of the Property Tax Code.

Chairman



Member



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Member



Member

DISSENTING: _____

C E R T I F I C A T I O N

As Clerk of the Illinois Property Tax Appeal Board and the keeper of the Records thereof, I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, full and complete Final Administrative Decision of the Illinois Property Tax Appeal Board issued this date in the above entitled appeal, now of record in this said office.

Date: May 22, 2015



Clerk of the Property Tax Appeal Board

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Section 16-185 of the Property Tax Code provides in part:

"If the Property Tax Appeal Board renders a decision lowering the assessment of a particular parcel after the deadline for filing complaints with the Board of Review or after adjournment of the session of the Board of Review at which assessments for the subsequent year are being considered, the taxpayer may, within 30 days after the date of written notice of the Property Tax Appeal Board's decision, appeal the assessment for the subsequent year directly to the Property Tax Appeal Board."

In order to comply with the above provision, YOU MUST FILE A PETITION AND EVIDENCE WITH THE PROPERTY TAX APPEAL BOARD WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THE ENCLOSED DECISION IN ORDER TO APPEAL THE ASSESSMENT OF THE PROPERTY FOR THE SUBSEQUENT YEAR.

Based upon the issuance of a lowered assessment by the Property Tax Appeal Board, the refund of paid property taxes is the responsibility of your County Treasurer. Please contact that office with any questions you may have regarding the refund of paid property taxes.