

**Los Gatos-Saratoga Joint Union High School District
Senior Citizen Parcel Tax Exemption Application**

**For Tax Year 2019-2020
(July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020)**

APPLICATION DUE ON OR BEFORE JUNE 15, 2019

Mail the signed, completed application to:
Los Gatos – Saratoga Joint Union High School District
Attn. Business Services Dept. – Claire L.
17421 Farley Road West
Los Gatos, CA 95030

Or email to: clinstrom@lgsuhd.org Fax: (408) 354-7875

Instructions are on back/other side of this form.

Please Print

Owner's Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Co-Owner's Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Parcel Number (See Property Tax bill): _____

Property Address: _____

Mailing Address: (if different) _____

Phone Number: _____

I wish to claim the Senior Citizen Exemption from the parcel tax.

Measure A - Los Gatos – Saratoga Joint Union High School District - \$49 per year.

Please attach a copy of one of the following legal documents indicating that you will be at least 65 years of age by June 30, 2019:

___ Driver's License; ___ California ID Card; ___ Passport; ___ Medic-Cal Card (not Medicare)

___ Hospital Birth Record; ___ Birth Certificate; ___ Other Proof of Age (MUST SHOW BIRTH DATE)

I certify that the property for which I am claiming the Senior Citizen Exemption is my principal place of residence and that the information above is true and correct.

Owner's Signature

Date

Co-Owner's Signature

Date

Optional:

I wish to support the Los Gatos – Saratoga Joint Union High School District and decline to claim the Senior Citizen Parcel Tax Exemption (check box at right)

LOS GATOS – SARATOGA JOINT UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

2019-2020 PARCEL TAX Senior Citizen Exemption Form Instructions

This parcel tax exemption is for one or more property owners who are over 65 years of age or older on June 30, 2019.

1. **This parcel tax exemption is for your principal place of residence only**, and applies to one parcel only.
2. The Measure A parcel tax requires a one-time application by June 15 to claim an exemption that becomes effective July 1st of that year and remains in effect until the basis for the exemption no longer applies. Once the exemption has been approved, you will need to notify the school district if you no longer qualify for the exemption, i.e., if you no longer own the property or if it is no longer your primary place of residence.
3. The parcel tax applies to parcels with land value. If your parcel is taxed for improvement value only (as in some mobile home parks), the parcel tax will not be assessed on your parcel, and you do not need to fill out this application.
4. To find your Parcel Number, look for the 8 digit number (XXX-XX-XXX) on your property tax bill, or call the County Assessor at 408-299-5500 for Santa Clara County. The Parcel Number for Santa Cruz County is listed as XXXXXXXX and the Santa Cruz County Assessor's telephone number is: 831-454-2510.

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6. **Return by JUNE 15, 2019.**
7. Receipts will be mailed to all of this year's applicants who qualify.
8. If you have questions, please contact the Los Gatos – Saratoga Joint Union High School District Business Office at (408) 402-6307.