



Press Release

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Changes to Board of Appeal and Equalization Meetings

Due to concerns over the health and safety of Norman County property owners and employees, the Norman County Assessor's Office, in conjunction with township board and city councils, will not be holding in-person Local Board of Appeal and Equalization meetings that were scheduled to take place throughout the county. Instead, those meetings are moving to a conference call. Employees from the Norman County Assessor's Office, as well as the Local Board, will be on the call to assist in the process.

Jurisdictions holding Local Board include Townships of Bear Park, Green Meadow, Mary, Rockwell, Spring Creek, and Sundal; Cities of Hendrum and Twin Valley.

Those who want to appeal their property value can still do so through this alternative format by calling the Norman County Assessor Office at the originally schedule date and time for their township or city, shown on each property owner's valuation notice.

All other jurisdictions will hold Open Book meetings, and those appeals can be made by working directly with the Norman County Assessor's Office. Staff is available to assist property owners in understanding their Notice of Valuation and Classification and to address any concerns.

Property owners are encouraged to first contact the Assessor's Office in advance of Local Boards and Open Book meetings. The Norman County courthouse is currently closed to the public in response to the expanding COVID-19 pandemic. Contact the Assessor's Office by phone 218.784.5487 / fax 218.784.3441 / email assessor@co.norman.mn.us / in-writing Norman County Assessor, 16 3rd Ave E, Ste 103, Ada, MN 56510.

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