

VETERANS EXEMPTION

In 2013 the State updated Legislation to allow for the Exemption for property taxes for qualified disabled Veterans or the Surviving Spouse of the disabled Veteran. For the purpose of the exemption, MCL 211.7b defines “Disabled Veteran” who is a resident of the State who meets **one** of the following criteria and can provide documentation to the effect:

1. Has been determined by the United State Department of Veteran Affairs to be permanently and totally disable as a result of military service and entitled to veterans benefits at the 100% rate.
2. Has a certificate from the United States Department of Veterans Affairs certifying that the Veteran is receiving or has received pecuniary assistance due to disability for specially adapted housing.
3. Has been rated by the United State Department of Veterans Affairs as individually unemployable.

If you feel you might qualify or have questions, feel free to contact the Assessor’s Office.