DATE: Aug 1, 2018

TO: Property Tax Assessment Stakeholders

SUBJECT: August 14th Meeting in Gaylord

Thank you for your interest in Senate Bill 1025 and House Bill 6049. One of our goals for this summer was to hear directly from those impacted by these bills, including local government officials, assessors, businesses, taxpayers, and other stakeholders. The purpose of these meetings is to hear directly from local stakeholders regarding their concerns with the proposal and the overall assessment quality in Michigan, as well as present an opportunity for stakeholders to share their ideas to improve the bills. Our hope is that this meeting will include both an opportunity to voice concerns as well as a productive dialogue on this issue. To that end, we are asking you to work with your membership ahead of this meeting to organize comments in order to avoid repetition and allow for a productive discussion while still allowing individuals to share their specific perspectives.

Gaylord Meeting Details:
Date: August 14th
Time: 10 a.m.- Noon
Location: City Council Chambers, City of Gaylord, 305 East Main Street, Gaylord MI 49735

As a reminder, we also plan to hold two similar meetings at the end of the month. One of these will likely be held in southeast Michigan, another in west Michigan. We will be sharing additional details regarding these meetings in the near future. Once again, thank you for your interest in this quality assessment reform proposal, we look forward to hearing your concerns and discussing the proposal in additional detail.

Senator Jim Stamas
36th District

Representative James Lower
70th House District

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