

## **LEGAL NOTICE**

### **TOTALLY DISABLED EXEMPTION**

Persons who are totally disabled in the Town of Redding and who meet the qualifications must file the prescribed form in the Assessor's Office by October 1, 2023 in accordance with Connecticut General Statute 12-81(55).

### **BLIND EXEMPTION**

Certain persons who are blind in the Town of Redding and who meet the qualifications must file the prescribed form in the Assessor's Office by October 1, 2023 in accordance with Connecticut General Statute 12-81(17).

### **NOTICE OF FILING OF DECLARATION OF PERSONAL PROPERTY**

Per Connecticut General Statutes 12-42 and 12-43, notice is hereby given that Declaration of Personal Property filing is required on or before November 1, 2023.

The annual declaration of the tangible personal property owned by such person on the assessment date of October 1 shall include, but is not limited to the following property: business offices run out of the home, machinery used in mills and factories, cables, wires, poles, underground mains, conduits, pipes and other fixtures of water, gas, electric, and heating companies, leasehold improvements classified as other than real property, and furniture and fixtures of stores, offices, hotels, restaurants, taverns, halls, factories, and manufacturers. Commercial or financial information in any declaration filed under this section shall not be open for public inspection.

Any person who failed to file a declaration of personal property on or before the 1st day of November, 2023 shall be subject to a penalty equal to twenty-five percent of the assessment of such property; any person who files a declaration of personal property in a timely manner but has omitted property, as defined in CGS 12-53, shall be subject to a penalty equal to twenty-five percent of the assessment of such omitted property. Mail received after the due date with a United States Post-Mark of November 1, 2023 will be accepted.

### **FARM, FOREST, AND OPEN SPACE CLASSIFICATION**

Consistent with the programs of CGS 12-107c, all filing residents are reminded that the filing period for the application of Farm, Forest, and Open Space Classifications run from September 1, 2023 through October 31, 2023. A certified Foresters Report accompanying a Forestland application must be signed by a qualified Forester by October 1, 2023. Applications for these classifications are available at the Assessor's Office, and the CAAO website: [www.cao.com](http://www.cao.com)

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