# PROPERTY TAX CALENDAR

# TERRA COASTAL —— ESCROW, INC. ——

# January 1

Taxes become a lien on all taxable property at 12:01 a.m. First day to file affidavits, claims for exemptions for real property and application for "decline-in-value" reassessment (Proposition 8).

# **February 1**

SECOND INSTALLMENT\* OF REAL ESTATE TAXES IS DUE (DELINQUENT after 5:00 p.m. on April 10<sup>th</sup>).

# February 15

Deadline for timely filing of affidavits and claims for exemptions (late after 5:00 p.m.; a postmark before midnight is considered timely) for real property, including Veterans and Disabled Veterans. Last day to file for the Homeowners' Exemption claim (late after 5:00 p.m.; a postmark before midnight is considered timely) to receive the maximum exemption (\$7,000 of assessed value).

# **April 10**

SECOND INSTALLMENT\* OF REAL ESTATE TAXES BECOMES DELINQUENT AFTER 5:00 p.m. (a postmark before midnight is considered timely).

# May 15 - December 10

Period for filing affidavit and claim for property tax postponement with State Controller.

#### June 1

Mailing of delinquent tax bills for current year and supplementals.

#### June 30

Last day of the property tax year (fiscal year).

# July 1

First day of the property tax year (fiscal year). First day affidavit and claim for homeowner or renters assistance may be filed with the State Franchise Tax Board.

# October 1

Beginning day of annual secured tax bill mailing (by Treasurer and Tax Collector).

#### October 15

Last day affidavit and claim for homeowner or renters assistance may be filed (late after 5:00 p.m.) with the State Franchise Tax Board.

# October 31

Last day of annual secured tax bill mailing (by Treasurer and Tax Collector).

# November 1

THE FIRST INSTALLMENT\* OF REAL ESTATE TAXES IS DUE (DELINQUENT after 5:00 p.m. on December 10<sup>th</sup>).

# December 10

FIRST INSTALLMENT\* OF REAL ESTATE TAXES BECOMES DELINQUENT AFTER 5:00 p.m. (a postmark before midnight is considered timely). Last day to file late Homeowners' Exemption to receive 80% of the exemption, late Veterans' Exemption to receive 80% of the exemption, late Disabled Veterans' Exemption to receive 90% of the exemption and to terminate Homeowners', Veterans', and Disabled Veterans' exemptions.

# **December 31**

Last day to file application for "decline-in-value" reassessment (Proposition 8) with the tax assessors' office. This should be done if you feel the market value of your property is below your Proposition 13 value.

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 $<sup>^{\</sup>star}$  The property tax year (fiscal year) runs from July  $1^{\rm st}$  to June  $30^{\rm th}$ . Property is taxed as of January  $1^{\rm st}$  for payment in the following fiscal year.