



TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH HACKENSACK

227 PHILLIPS AVENUE
SOUTH HACKENSACK, NEW JERSEY 07606
BERGEN COUNTY

August 4, 2026

«Owner»
«Street»
«CSZ»

Block: «Block»
Lot: «Lot»
Qual: «Qual»
Location: «Location»

Dear Property Owner:

The Bergen County Board of Taxation and the New Jersey Division of Taxation has authorized the Township of South Hackensack to perform a reassessment for the 2027 tax year as part of the reassessment program that has been implemented within the Township. This program will ensure uniform and equitable assessments throughout the municipality, account for the recent changes in the real estate market and significantly reduce the costly tax appeals experienced in the past. The Township has contracted Appraisal Systems, Inc. to assist in conducting the Reassessment Program.

As a requirement of the reassessment program, 25% of all properties within the Township need to be inspected each year. In accordance with this requirement your property is scheduled to be inspected in the near future. Even though your property may have been inspected as part of the previous reassessment program conducted, this inspection is still required as part of a new reassessment cycle this year. The purpose of this inspection is to maintain accurate and current data regarding your property. Appraisal Systems, Inc. will be supplied with all current Property Record Cards (PRC's) maintained by the Assessor's Office and any recent construction permits issued by the Building Department. Appraisal Systems, Inc. representatives will carry photo identification, and their names will be registered with the Police Department and the Township Clerk's office. **Please do not allow anyone to enter your home without proper identification.** You will be requested to sign the field form used by the representative to acknowledge when an interior inspection is made. Please advise the occupants of any rental units you may own so they are prepared for the inspection.

Contactless interior inspections using a video conference will be available at the request of the property owner.

Regardless of when a property is visited during this program, the new 2027 property values will be determined based on their estimated market value as of October 1, 2026 (the statutory date required by law). **It is important to note that while only 25% of properties are being inspected each year; all properties in town will be valued.** All property owners will be notified by mail of their proposed assessed values and will have an opportunity to question/contest the values.

Any inquiries with respect to the inspection and/or valuation procedure should be directed to Appraisal Systems, Inc. at (201) 493-8530 or southhackensack@asinj.com. General information about the process including the **Reassessment PowerPoint Presentation** can be found at www.asinj.com by clicking on "Current revaluation information" on the homepage and following the South Hackensack link.

Sincerely,
TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH HACKENSACK

Angela Mattiace, CTA
Tax Assessor

APPRAISAL SYSTEMS, INC.

Ernest Del Guercio
President