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Ak# \_\_\_\_\_ Tax Roll Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Property Owner:

Your homestead exemption is the last thing that you are thinking about during this hard time. We are incredibly sorry for your loss. If you are a Widow or Widower and have not remarried, you may be eligible for a \$5,000 exemption. This provides a tax savings of approximately \$100 annually. In order to receive the exemption for the upcoming Tax Year, a Death Certificate is required indicating your spouse passed away prior to January 1 of the year filing.

If you are currently receiving a Homestead exemption, please complete the required information on the bottom of this form including your signature and the date. Attach and mail a clear "**COPY**" of your spouse's Death Certificate to our office listed above prior to March 1 of the year filing. Information submitted after March 1 will be considered for the following Tax Year.

## Florida Statute 196.202 (1)

"Property of widows, widowers, blind persons, and persons totally and permanently disabled. Property to the value of \$5,000 of every widow, widower, blind person, or totally and permanently disabled person who is a bona fide resident of this state is exempt from taxation."

If you have any questions or require further assistance, you may contact our Customer Service Department at 352-341-6600.

Sincerely, Customer Service Department Representing Cregg E. Dalton Citrus County Property Appraiser

Signature:		Date:
Address:		
Phone:	<mark>E-mail:</mark>	