

COUNTY JUDGE

Fort Bend County, Texas

Robert E. Hebert County Judge

May 30, 2018

(281) 341-8608 Fax (281) 341-8609

Kathryn Williams 17722 Hayward Hill Dr. Richmond, TX 77407

Reference:

Account Number: 1001-18-001-0300-907

Tax Year 2017, Precinct 4

Dear Mrs. Williams:

The County has received your request to waive penalty and interest on Fort Bend County property taxes. Fort Bend County is also authorized to act on behalf of Fort Bend Independent School District and Fort Bend Mud 134C which represents a total amount of \$803.41 for penalties assessed on the referenced account for tax year 2017. The Tax Assessor's Office has conducted research on your account; a copy of the research is enclosed with this letter, and has also been provided to the Commissioners Court.

The information you provided, along with the Tax Office research, has been placed on the Agenda, becoming part of public record, for the Commissioners Court meeting on Tuesday, June 12, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. Commissioners Court is located at the Historic Courthouse, 401 Jackson Street, 2nd Floor, in Richmond, Texas.

You are not required to appear in order for the Court to consider your request. Action by the Court is governed by guidelines under Texas Tax Code, Chapter 33, Section 33.011*, Commissioners Court cannot waive penalty, interest and/or collection fees unless there is evidence of an error by the appraisal district or the County. However, if you have any new information showing proof of an error that was not researched by the Tax Assessor and wish to discuss, please contact your Commissioner, James Patterson, prior to June 12, 2018, at telephone 281-980-2235 or by email at james.patterson@fortbendcountytx.gov, to discuss any additional documentation you may wish to provide to the Court when they consider your request.

Sincerely,

Robert E. Hebert

Enclosure

Copy:

Commissioner James Patterson, Precinct No. 4

*Section 33.011(a)(1) of the Texas Tax Code states, "The governing body of a taxing unit: shall waive penalties and may provide for the waiver of interest on a delinquent tax if an act or omission of an officer, employee, or agent of the taxing unit or the appraisal district in which the taxing unit participates caused or resulted in the taxpayer's failure to pay the tax before delinquency."



COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR / COLLECTOR

Fort Bend County, Texas

Patsy Schultz, PCC
County Tax Assessor/Collector
1317 Eugene Heimann Circle
Richmond, TX 77469-3623

(281) 341-3710 Fax (281) 341-9267 Email: patsy.schultz@fortbendcountytx.gov www.fortbendcountytx.gov

DATE:

May 23, 2018

TO:

County Judge Robert E. Hebert Commissioner Vincent Morales Commissioner Grady Prestage Commissioner Andy Meyers Commissioner James Patterson Roy Cordes, County Attorney

FROM:

Tammy Staton 7.5. Chief of Property Taxes

Re: Waiver of Penalty and Interest – Kathryn Williams: Account # 1001-18-001-0300-907, 2017 Tax Year; Legal Description: Aliana Sec 18, Block 1, Lot 30; Mailing Address: 17722 Hayward Hill Dr, Richmond, TX 77407-2819

Precinct 4

Kathryn N Williams is requesting a waiver of penalty and interest for the 2017 tax year, stating they did not receive a bill.

Tax Office Records Indicate:

- November 22, 2017 The 2017 Tax Statement was emailed to <u>Scott-will@att.net</u> per taxpayer request.
- January 31, 2018 A 2017 online statement was created.
- February 1, 2018 Taxpayer called in regards to getting penalty and interest removed, the process for filing Waiver of penalty and interest was discussed. Taxpayer will pay 2017 taxes online and then file for Waiver.
- February 1, 2018 Kathryn N Williams went online and made a payment of \$12,280.78 (including February penalty and interest) and payment posted on February 5, 2018.
- There is no evidence of an error by the Fort Bend County Tax Office or Fort Bend Central Appraisal District.
- Fort Bend ISD and Fort Bend Mud 134 C has authorized Fort Bend County Tax Office to handle the processing of the waiver of penalty and interest and allow the Fort Bend

County Commissioners Court to make the determination based on 33.011 of the State Property Tax Code.

Breakdown of Taxes Paid:

Account 1001-18-001-0300-907:

2017 Tax Year

Tax Unit	Base	Penalty & Interest	Total Waiver Request		
Fort Bend ISD	\$4,891.00	\$342.37	\$342.37		
Fort Bend Mud 134C	\$5,102.34	\$357.16	\$357.16		
FBC	\$1,484.03	\$103.88	\$103.88		
Total	\$11,477.37	\$803.41	\$803.41		

Total Penalty and Interest: \$803.41

I <u>do not</u> recommend waiver of penalty and interest for **2017**. Property Tax Code Section 33.011 (a) (1). "The governing body of a taxing unit: shall waive penalties and may provide for the waiver of interest on a delinquent tax if an act or omission of an officer, employee, or agent of the taxing unit or the appraisal district in which the taxing unit participates caused or resulted in the taxpayer's failure to pay the tax before delinquency..."

February 4, 2018

County Judge Received

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County Judge Robert E. Hebert 401 Jackson Richmond, TX 77469-3110

RE: Account No: 1001-18-001-0300-907 Scott M & Kathryn N Williams 17722 Hayward Hill Dr. Richmond, TX 77407-2819

Dear Judge Hebert,

I am writing this letter to request a waiver of penalty on my 2017 Property Tax.

I did make my payment the morning of 2/1/18 after speaking with one of the representatives at the Tax Office. Payment of \$12,280.78 was made which included the 7% penalty. I did not receive the billing – although the address is correct – however, we have had a lot of problems with misdelivered mail in our neighborhood. I would not have ignored the bill, however that is not the reason I am requesting consideration of waiving the penalty.

My husband (Scott M) passed away unexpectedly this past year and he handled all our financial matters. I was not aware that our property tax was not escrowed – and did not know when property taxes were due. I immediately called and made payment when I became aware – a few hours after the deadline. I am also 65 years of age and noted that there are circumstances that may entitle postponement of payment – and didn't know if that would be a factor in waiving the penalty.

I've enclosed my proof of payment and a copy of my husband's death certificate.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Kalhryn Williams

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Kathryn Williams

From:

Kathryn <knwill@att.net>

Sent:

Sunday, February 04, 2018 12:07 PM

To:

Kathryn Williams

Subject:

FW: Your payment was submitted

From: Epaymentnotification@FortBend.PropertyTaxOffice.org [mailto:Epaymentnotification@FortBend.PropertyTaxOffice.org]

Sent: Thursday, February 1, 2018 8:58 AM

To: knwill@att.net

Subject: Your payment was submitted

This email is for your records. Please do not reply directly to this system-generated email. Contact the Tax Office directly if you have any questions.



Your payment was submitted to the tax office and will be submitted for approval to your financial institution. Please print this page for your records.

PROPERTY PAYMENT INFORMATION

1001180010300907

Tax Payment Amount:

\$12,280.78

WILLIAMS SCOTT M & KATHRYN N 17722 HAYWARD HILL DR RICHMOND, TX 77407-2819

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Reference ID:

Payment Method:

E-Check

Payment Date:

February 01, 2018 08:57 AM

Total Payment:

\$12,280.78

BANK ACCOUNT INFORMATION

Routing Number:

Account Number:

CONTACT INFORMATION

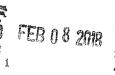
Name:

Kathryn N Williams

Street:

Kathryn N 17722 Hayward Hill Dr

City:



State: TX Zipcode: 77407

EMail: Phone:



DUPLICATE TAX RECEIPT



PATSY SCHULTZ, PCC FORT BEND COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR/ COLLECTOR 1317 EUGENE HEIMANN CIRCLE **RICHMOND, TEXAS 77469-3623**

Certified Owner:

WILLIAMS SCOTT M & KATHRYN N 17722 HAYWARD HILL DR RICHMOND, TX 77407-2819

Legal Description:

ALIANA SEC 18, BLOCK 1, LOT 30

Parcel Address: 17722 HAYWARD HILL DR

Legal Acres:

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Remit Seg No: 37658559 Receipt Date: 02/01/2018 Deposit Date: 02/05/2018

Print Date: 04/26/2018 09:37 AM

Printed By: LORIMA

Deposit No:

EK180205

Validation No:

Account No:

1001-18-001-0300-907

Operator Code:

VEGA

Year Tax Unit Name	Rec Type	Tax Value	Tax Rate	Levy Paid	P&I	Coll Fee Paid	Total
2017 Fort Bend Isd	TL	370,530	1.320000	4,891.00	342.37	0.00	5,233.37
2017 Ft Bend Mud 134c	TL	395,530	1.290000	5,102.34	357.16	0.00	5,459.50
2017 Fort Bend Co Drainage	TL	316,424	0.016000	50.63	3.54	0.00	54.17
2017 Fort Bend Co Gen Fnd	TL	316,424	0.453000	1,433.40	100.34	0.00	1,533.74
				\$11,477.37	\$803.41	\$0.00	\$12,280.78

Check Number(s):

PAYMENT TYPE:

Credit Card Authorization No:

Credit Cards:

\$12,280.78

Exemptions on this property:

HOMESTEAD

Total Applied:

\$12,280.78

Change Paid:

\$0.00

PAYER:

KATHRYN N WILLIAMS 17722 HAYWARD HILL DR. RICHMOND, TX 77407

ACCOUNT PAID IN FULL

(281) 341-3710

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