

APPLICATION FOR RESIDENTIAL HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION INSTRUCTIONS

You may only apply for residence homestead exemptions on one property in a tax year. Fill out the other side of this application completely. To qualify for homestead exemptions, you must own and reside in your home on January 1 of the tax year. If you temporarily move away from your home, you still can qualify for an exemption if you don't establish another principal residence and you intend to return. If you have trouble filling out this form, call the appraisal district. A list of taxing units and the exemptions the offered is listed below or attached to this application.

Over-65 Exemptions. You may receive the over-65 homestead exemptions immediately upon qualification for the exemption(s). You must apply before the first anniversary of your qualification date to receive the exemption(s) in that tax year. For example, if you turn 65 on June 1 of the current year, you have until May 31 of the next year to apply for the current tax year's over-65 exemption(s). This special provision only applies to the over-65 exemptions and not to other exemptions for which you may apply.

Filing Deadlines. File this application between January 1 and April 30. You may file a late homestead exemption application if you file it no later than one year after the date you paid your taxes on the homestead or the taxes became delinquent, whichever comes first. See the over-65 exemption section above for more on late filing.

Re-filing. If the chief appraiser grants the exemptions, you do not need to reapply annually. You must reapply, however, if the chief appraiser requires you to do so by sending you a new application asking you to reapply. You must notify the chief appraiser in writing if and when your right to any exemption ends or your qualifications change. You must reapply if you qualify for additional exemptions bases on age or disability in the future.

Step 1. Owner's name and address.

Enter the following information:

- Name of the owner completing this application.
- Driver's license number, personal identification number, or Social Security number of this owner.
- This owner's current mailing address and phone number.
- Percentage of ownership by this owner.
- This owner's birth date.
- Names of other owners and their percentage of ownership. Attach additional sheets if needed.

Step 2. Describe the property.

Enter the information requested. Attach the mobile home title if a mobile home.

Enter, if you wish, the number of acres used for residential purposes.

Step 3. Check exemptions that apply to you.

Complete by checking the boxes that apply. If you check the disability exemption, attach documents verifying your disability. If a surviving spouse age 55 or older, enter the information requested. The appraisal district may request documents on date of spouse's death.

Step 4. Answer if applies.

If the property is cooperative housing, complete Step 4.

Step 5. Check if late.

If you were eligible for an exemption last year, check the box in Step 5 for late filing and enter the prior tax year.

Step 6. Sign and date the application.

Making false statements on your exemption application is a criminal offense.

(Appraisal District: list here the homestead exemptions offered by taxing units in the district or attach a page listing those exemptions.)

	HS	OVER-65	DISABLED		HS	OVER-65	DISABLED
LIBERTY COUNTY	\$0	\$25,000	\$10,000	DEVERS	\$0	\$20,000	\$20,000
NAVIGATION	20% OR \$5,000	20% OR \$60,000	20% OR \$60,000	HARDIN	\$0	\$0	\$0
ISD'S				LIBERTY	\$0	\$10,000	\$0
CLEVELAND	\$15,000	\$13,000	\$10,000	SPECIAL DISTRICTS			
DAYTON	\$15,000	\$16,000	\$10,000	DR1	\$0	\$25,000	\$10,000
DEVERS	\$15,000	\$24,300	\$10,000	DR2	\$0	\$25,000	\$10,000
HARDIN	\$15,000	\$20,000	\$10,000	DR4	\$0	\$25,000	\$10,000
HULL-DAISETTA	\$15,000	\$10,000	\$10,000	FD2	\$0	\$0	\$10,000
LIBERTY	\$15,000	\$10,000	\$10,000	FD3	\$0	\$25,000	\$10,000
TARKINGTON	\$15,000	\$10,000	\$10,000	FD4	\$0	\$25,000	\$10,000
				FD7	\$0	\$0	\$0
CITY OF:				WD1	\$0	\$25,000	\$10,000
AMES	\$0	\$25,000	\$25,000	WD5	\$0	\$25,000	\$10,000
CLEVELAND	\$5,000	\$10,000	\$5,000	WD6	\$0	\$25,000	\$10,000
DAISETTA	\$0	\$10,000	\$0	WDH	\$0	\$0	\$0
DAYTON	\$0	\$25,000	\$10,000				
DAYTON LAKES	\$0	\$500	\$0				