

BOROUGH OF WOODLAND PARK  
PASSAIC COUNTY, NEW JERSEY  
RESOLUTION R14-120

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE APPROVAL OF A SURVIVING  
SPOUSE OF A DISABLED VETERAN PARTIAL TAX EXEMPTION AND TAX  
CREDIT TO MRS. CAREN DASILVA FOR THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT  
72 ROSE PLACE IN BLOCK 61 ON LOT 15

**WHEREAS**, Mrs. Caren DaSilva is the owner of the property located at 72 Rose Place in Block 61 on Lot 15 as set forth on the official tax map of the Borough of Woodland Park, and who had filed an application for a Surviving Spouse of a Disabled Veteran Tax Exemption which was approved by the Tax Assessor on April 10, 2014 effective as of March 18, 2014; and

**WHEREAS**, the home at 72 Rose Place is a two family dwelling, so the applicant is only entitled to the tax exemption on the portion of the dwelling they occupy and as a result the tax exemption was approved for 60% of the property or a total of \$166,000 of the total assessment of \$276,700 with the remaining 40% or \$110,700 of assessment to remain as taxable; and

**WHEREAS**, since the Tax Assessor has approved the tax exemption as of March 18, 2014, and Mrs. DaSilva paid her tax payment due on February 1<sup>st</sup> she is due a credit in taxes of \$530.49 which represents the overpayment for the period from March 18, 2014 through April 30, 2014 on the exempt portion of the assessment; and

**WHEREAS**, the governing body authorizes the Tax Collector to adjust the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter payment of \$1,771.33 that is due on May 1<sup>st</sup> to \$178.18 which reflects the adjustments made to the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter payment due to the partial tax exemption and also includes the credit for the overpayment for the period of March 18, 2014 through April 30, 2014; and

**WHEREAS**, the governing body will also have to authorize the Tax Collector to adjust the 2014 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> quarter tax payments and going forward to reflect the tax exempt portion of the assessment.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Borough Council of the Borough of Woodland Park in the County of Passaic and State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. Mrs. DaSilva shall be given a credit of \$530.49 to reflect the taxes that have been paid on the portion of the assessment deemed to be tax exempt for the period of March 18, 2014 through April 30, 2014.

2. The Borough Tax Collector is hereby authorized to adjust the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter tax payment based on the information set forth in this resolution, to a new total of \$178.18 and is also authorized to adjust the 2014 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> quarter tax payments and going forward.

3. This Resolution shall take effect immediately or as otherwise provided by law.

Record of Mayor and Council Vote on Passage

	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent		AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent
Spinelli					Kallert				
DeCesare					Pascrell				
Gatti					Mayor Kazmark				
Holloway									

This resolution was approved by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Woodland Park at a regular scheduled meeting held on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2014. Signed and sealed before me.

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Kevin Galland, Municipal Clerk

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April 16, 2014  
Dated

I, Bernadette Lawler, Tax Collector, for the Borough of Woodland Park do hereby authorizes the property tax credit of \$1,593.15 for the overpayment in taxes for a property tax exemption as a surviving spouse of a disabled veteran.

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Bernadette Lawler, Tax Collector

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Dated R14-120

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