

HOLMES TOWNSHIP

RESOLUTION NO. 02-05-2025

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POVERTY EXEMPTION

WHEREAS, the Township of Holmes Menominee County, Michigan is aware that according to PA104 of 2003, effective January 1, 2004, a Poverty Exemption is available to an individual homeowner for his/hers "principal residence" as used in Michigan statute MCL 211.7u. Poverty to be determined by the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) as updated and published on January 18 of the current calendar, and,

WHEREAS, the Township of Holmes is aware that the individual must provide the necessary information to be eligible for the Poverty Exemption; and follow the Holmes Township Guidelines & Asset Test for Poverty Exemption Claims (attached).

Now, therefore, be it Resolved: The Township of Holmes give the Board of Review the right to determine if said individual is eligible according to all guidance herein. Any resolution, resolution section, policy or directive in conflict with this Resolution No. 02-05-2025 is repealed or amended to reflect the purposes stated herein.

The forgoing resolution offered by Board Member Dena Kempf

And supported by Board Member Samantha Foxsparrow

Upon roll call vote, the following voted	Y	N
Supervisor	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Clerk	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Treasurer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trustee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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The Supervisor declared the resolution adopted by a vote of Y5 N .

Dena Kempf
Holmes Township Clerk

I Dena Kempf, the duly elected and acting Clerk of Holmes Township, hereby certify at a regular meeting of the Township Board held on February 05, 2025, at which a quorum was present, by a roll call vote of said members as hereinto before set forth; the said resolution was ordered to take immediate effect.

Dena Kempf, Clerk

Holmes Township Guidelines & Asset Test for Poverty Exemption Claims

The Board of Review shall follow the guidelines as set forth. The guidelines shall include the specific income and asset levels of the claimant and all persons residing in the household as expressed below.

To be eligible, a person shall do all the following on an annual basis:

1. Be an owner of and occupy as a homestead the property for which an exemption is requested.
2. File a claim with all documentation required as of the date of the Board of Review session which is being applied to. Such documentation shall be filed with the supervisor or Board of Review, accompanied by federal and state income tax returns for all persons residing in the homestead, including any property tax credit returns filed in the current or immediately preceding year.
3. Produce a valid driver's license or other form of identification.
4. Produce a deed, land contract, or other evidence of ownership of the property for which an exemption is requested.
5. Meet the federal poverty income level as defined and determined annually by the United States Office of Management and Budget.
6. Meet additional eligibility requirements such as the value of all assets not exceeding \$8,000. Such assets include non-agricultural property, a second car, recreational and sports equipment, stocks, bonds, or other investments and any other similar assets.
7. Follow provisions of MCL 211.7u of the General Property Tax Act.

All claimants who meet the guidelines as specified receive a poverty exemption of 100%.

Adopted

2-5-25