



## 2026 Application - Senior Real Estate Tax Credit

### Vernon County, MO

#### Applicant Information ☐ NO CHANGES FOR 2026 Tax Year

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ (Renewals Only)

Individual: ☐ Other Entity: ☐ [\*If other entity is selected, please attach trust agreement, operating agreement, etc.]

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Property Information \*\*MUST PROVIDE PAID RECEIPT\*\*

Address of Primary Residence/Homestead (physical location of property):  
\_\_\_\_\_

Parcel Identification Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Does Property include only your residence ("Homestead")? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Is the current homestead assessment under appeal? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Are taxes on this property paid through the current tax year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

#### Required Documents

1. **Proof of Vernon County Residency.** An applicant must provide proof of their Vernon County residency. *A minimum of two documents are required:*

☐ Driver License

☐ Voter Registration Card

☐ State Issued Identification Card

☐ Personal Property Tax Receipt

☐ Utility Bill

- ☐ Bank Statement
- ☐ Government Check or Paycheck
- ☐ Homeowner's Insurance Policy
- ☐ Motor Vehicle Renewal

2. **Proof of Ownership.** A copy of the **RECORDED DEED** identifying Applicant as owner of the Property, or a written instrument showing Applicant has legal or equitable interest in the Property.
3. **Proof of Identity and Age.** Driver's License, Birth Certificate or Passport. (minimum of one)

## **CERTIFICATION**

1. I have read the statements and questions included in this Application and understand them and represent that all responses are true and accurate.

2. I have the authority to act on behalf of the other owners and occupants of the Property, and I have not claimed more than one primary residence as a homestead for purposes of a property tax credit in Missouri or elsewhere.

3. I understand that Vernon County will rely on the information provided by Applicant in this Application and this Certification is a material representation in evaluating this Application for property tax credit under RSMO137.1050/SB756 and SB190.

4. Knowingly providing false information on the application is a CLASS B MISDEMEANOR as stated in RSMO 575.060.

### **I specifically certify the following:**

- a. I am a legal resident of Vernon County and the State of Missouri.
- b. I am an owner of record of the homestead for which I am seeking a property tax credit or have legal or equitable interest in such property by written instrument.
- c. I am over the age of 62 or will turn the age of 62 during the current tax year.
- d. I am liable for the payment of real property taxes on such homestead.
- e. I occupy the homestead as my primary residence for which I am seeking the Vernon County Senior Real Estate Tax Relief Credit.

I hereby declare under penalties of perjury that the information submitted in this Applicant is true and correct and that I am not aware of any information that would prohibit or disqualify me from receiving the tax credit for the homestead identified in this Application.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION

Approved ☐ Denied ☐ Reason for denial: \_\_\_\_\_