# 2020 ONLINE CONFENCE

**MEDIA PACKET** 



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### **Important dates**

In Compliance with KRS 133.045, Jefferson County PVA, Colleen Younger announces the 2020 Jefferson County Real Property Assessment Roll will officially open for public inspection July 6– July 20, 2020. Younger is increasing the conferencing time beyond the statutory 13 days to better accommodate the people of Jefferson County. The 2020 conference schedule will open at Noon on June 26, 2020 and run through close of business at 4:00 pm EDT on July 20, 2020. This gives property owners who wish to appeal their property value an additional 10 days to complete the PVA conference. The Jefferson County PVA Office will also be open for conferencing Saturday July 11 and July 18 from 9a.m-1 p.m. EDT.

### **2020 Reassessment Information**

Approximately 25,000 reassessment notices for commercial and residential notices will be mailed for these categories: new construction, 2019 sales, permits for improvement and combined parcels. For combined parcels, property owners previously received multiple notices for contiguous parcels that form a single property. In the coming years, we will continue combining parcels for additional areas of the county to streamline and simplify the assessment process for property owners. The total taxable value for all property in Jefferson County is \$68,030,271,373. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, all areas previously scheduled for reassessment in 2020 have now been moved to 2021.

### How to File an Appeal

Any property owner who wishes to appeal their property assessment must first conference with the Jefferson County Property Valuation Administrator online at <a href="https://www.jeffersonpva.ky.gov">www.jeffersonpva.ky.gov</a>. Property Owners who disagree with their property assessment must provide documentation to support their opinion of value.

All 2020 PVA Conferencing will now be done through our online tool on the PVA website www.jeffersonpva.ky.gov or by teleconference. Appointments for teleconferences can be made by calling the PVA office at 502-574-6224.

### **Sales Comparables**

The PVA premium service website, including the neighborhood sales research tool is available free of charge during the COVID-19 State of Emergency through the end of conferencing at <a href="www.jeffersonpva.ky.gov">www.jeffersonpva.ky.gov</a>. The PVA premium service website is available free of charge year round at all Louisville Free Public Libraries and at the PVA office.

### **Helpful Resources**

Conference Helpline: 502-574-6224

**Website**: Assessment and Online Conference/Appeals information can be found at <a href="https://jeffersonpva.ky.gov/property-assessment/conference/">https://jeffersonpva.ky.gov/property-assessment/conference/</a>.

**PDF Resources**: You'll find simple, printable, emailable resources from our You Have a Right to Appeal outreach campaign here <a href="www.jeffersonpva.ky.gov/resources">www.jeffersonpva.ky.gov/resources</a>.

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### **HOW OFTEN IS PROPERTY REASSESSED?**

The PVA operates on a quadrennial calendar, reassessing properties on a rolling four-year basis, per Kentucky State Law. In some cases, a portion of the county may be inspected at a different time due to trending sales.





### WHEN WILL I BE REASSESSED?

Due to the impact of Covid-19, the reassessment planned for 2020 is now delayed until 2021. The 2020 reassessment now encompasses **new** construction, recent sales and renovated properties.

MLS areas 2, 3, 5, & 7 will be reassessed in 2021.

Check the map at www.jeffersonpva.ky.gov to search for your address.

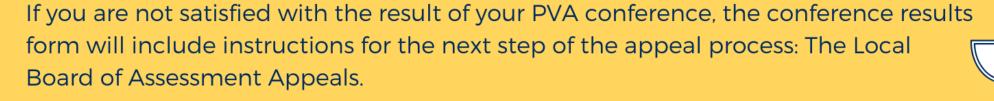
### WHAT HAS CHANGED ABOUT THE 2020 REASSESSMENT?

Due to Governor Beshear's Executive order, conferencing was delayed 60 days. The Jefferson County PVA will extend the conferencing period beyond the statutory 13 days. PVA conferencing will open on June 26 and close on July 20th.



### YOU HAVE A RIGHT TO APPEAL

2020 assessment notices will be mailed on June 26. If you disagree with the assessed value of your property, the required first step of the appeal process is the PVA Online Conference, available at www.jeffersonpva.ky.gov starting 12:00 pm EDT on June 26, 2020 and ending 4:00 pm EDT on July 20, 2020.





## **TELE-CONFERENCE ASSISTANCE**



If you require assistance with your online appeal, you will be able to schedule a telephone conference with one of our team members starting June 17th. Call (502) 574-6224 or visit www.jeffersonpva.ky.gov during our office hours to schedule a conference via Chat.

These telephone conferences will take place during the conferencing period, June 26 -July 20 on weekdays, and Saturday July 11th and July 18th from 9a.m.- 1p.m. EDT.

The Jefferson County PVA adheres to Kentucky Revised Statutes and IAAO Standards in property assessment.

Section 172 of the KY Constitution requires Section 172 of the Kentucky Constitution requires the PVA to assess all property at 100% Fair Cash Value, as of the assessment date January 1st, unless specifically exempted. Fair Cash Value, or fair market value, is defined as the price a property would bring at a fair and voluntary sale between a willing buyer and a willing seller, with neither party under duress, given a reasonable amount of time on the market. The PVA does not set market value. Our task is to analyze the market and insure that assessments of unsold properties follow the market determined by buyers and sellers.