What is a Tax Work Off Program?

At special town meeting on December 9th, 2023, the Town of Conway accepted Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 59 Section 5K and 5N.

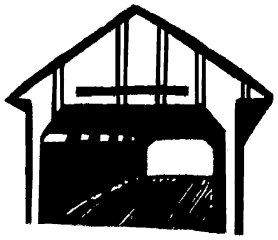
The provisions of these laws allow the town to aid seniors and veterans with their real estate tax bills by providing job opportunities with the town and using the time worked as a way to earn a deduction on real estate taxes for the following year.

If you have any questions about how the program works, please contact the town administrator at:

townadmin@conwayma.gov

or by phone at:

(413) 369-4235 extension 3



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TOWN OF CONWAY

Senior & Veteran's Tax Work Off Program

Who May Apply?

Conway residents who have owned and lived in their own home for a least one year and;

- Are 60 or older; or are
- a Veteran residing in Conway,

and have an income of $46,000 single or $52,550 married with certain asset level limits, outlined in the application.

What Will I Recieve?

Eligible applicants will have the opportunity to work for up to $1,500 by performing work for the town. This amount will then be deducted from your real estate tax bill for the fiscal year following the year in which you worked for the town.

Participants may work up to 100 hours and will receive $15 per hour, the State's minimum wage in January of 2027.

How Does it Work?

There are five openings for eligible applicants. Applicants skill sets must match with available jobs. Those who are eligible under all these guidelines will then be entered into a lottery to choose the 5 participants.

Job Opportunities Are:

- Filing and organizing documents for the Planning Board
- Filing and organizing documents for the Conservation Commission

When Does it Start?

Applications are available at the Town Hall and Town Offices, as well as online.

The deadline to apply is Friday, December 28th, 2026 for the program beginning January 4, 2027. All applications must be received at the Town Administrator's office by that date, either by hand, email or mail.

Applicants will be matched with jobs the following week. Once chosen, the eligible work period is from January 2nd, 2027 through September 30th, 2027.

Contact:

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