Emergency Ordinance to Extend Deadline to Apply for Tax Exemption

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## The Emergency Ordinance

- Extends the deadline to apply for the tax exemption for the elderly and disabled from April 1 to May 16 and changes other April 1 references to May 16
- The extension accommodates the current social isolation strategy arising from the COVID-19 virus
- An emergency ordinance may be adopted without public notice, but is valid only for up to 60 days
- If the emergency ordinance is adopted, the extension will expire on May 16 unless it is superseded by a non-emergency ordinance before then