

**AMENDMENT NO. 6 TO ORDINANCE NO. 78-5  
EXEMPTION OF PROPERTY TAX FOR  
ELDERLY AND HANDICAPPED PERSONS OF  
WYTHE COUNTY, VIRGINIA**

A public hearing was held on June 27, 2000, at 9:15 a .m. in the Board Room of the Wythe County Office Building 275 South Fourth Street to consider amending Ordinance No. 78-5, "Exemption of Property Tax for Elderly and Handicapped Persons of Wythe County, Virginia", as follows:

**Amend Section 8.3 and 8.4 to read as follows:**

- 8.3 The gross combined income of the owner(s) during the year immediately preceding the taxable year shall be determined by the Commissioner of the Revenue in an amount not to exceed \$20,000 (twenty thousand dollars) for a family unit.
- 8.4 The total combine financial worth of the owner(s) as of December 31 of the year immediately preceding the taxable year shall be determined by the Commissioner of the Revenue in an amount not to exceed \$60,000 (sixty thousand dollars). Total financial worth shall include the value of all assets, including equitable interests, of the owners(s) and the owner(s)' relatives, but shall exclude the fair market value of the dwelling and the land on which it is situated, not exceeding one acre, for which exemption is claimed.

**Amend Section 10 to read as follows:**

- 10.1 Amount of Exemption. The person or persons qualifying for and claiming exemption shall be relieved of that portion of real estate tax levied on the qualifying dwelling and land in the amount of \$200 (two hundred dollars) per tax year beginning in tax year 2001; however, the amount of exemption for tax year 2000 shall be \$180 (one hundred and eighty dollars).

Supervisor Crockett-Stark made a motion to approve the foregoing amendment. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Crigger and the roll call vote is as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>AGAINST</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Charles S. Dix	X		
Danny C. McDaniel			X
Wythe B. Sharitz		X	
Howard W. Manley	X		
Anne B. Crockett-Stark	X		

