

PETITION FOR ABATEMENT OR REFUND OF TAXES

23-20

County Name HUERFANO

Date Received 8-7-2023
Use Assessor's or Commissioners Date Stamp

Section I: Petitioner: please complete Section I only

Date: August 3 2023
Month DAY Year

Petitioner's Name: Robert P & Geraldine A Benesky
Petitioner's mailing address: P.O. Box 510
Walsenburg Colo 81089
City or Town State Zip Code

SCHEDULE OR PARCEL NUMBER(S) 225875- 474758
PROPERTY ADDRESS OR LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY 6327 County Road 521
Walsenburg, Co 81089

Petitioner requests an abatement or refund of the appropriate taxes and states that the taxes assessed against the property for the property tax year(s) 2021 and 2022 are incorrect for the following reasons: (Briefly describe why the taxes have been levied erroneously or illegally, whether due to erroneous valuation, irregularity in levying, clerical error, or overvaluation. Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

Removed Garage, double assessed.

Petitioner's estimate of value \$ _____ (_____) and \$ _____ (_____)
Value Year Value Year

I declare, under penalty of perjury in the second degree, that this petition, together with any accompany exhibits or statements, has been prepared or examined by me, and to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, is true, correct and complete.

Geraldine A Benesky
Petitioner's Signature

Daytime Phone Number 720-281-5709
Email GABSVIEW@GMAIL.COM

BY _____
Agent's Signature *

Daytime Phone Number _____
Email _____

*Letter of agency must be attached when petition is submitted by an agent.

If the Board of County Commissioners, pursuant to § 39-10-114(1), C.R.S., or the Property Tax Administrator, pursuant to § 39-2-116, C.R.S., denies the petition for refund or abatement of taxes in whole or in part, the Petitioner may appeal to the Board of Assessment Appeals pursuant to the provisions of § 39-2-125, C.R.S., within thirty days of the entry of any such decision, § 39-10-114.5(1), C.R.S.

Section II:		Assessor's Recommendation (For Assessor's Use Only)					
		Tax Year <u>2021</u>			Tax Year <u>2022</u>		
	Actual	Assessed	Tax	Actual	Assessed	Tax	
Original	<u>261144</u>	<u>24639</u>	<u>1381.81</u>	<u>261144</u>	<u>23461</u>	<u>1236.38</u>	
Corrected	<u>182805</u>	<u>18321</u>	<u>1160.55</u>	<u>182805</u>	<u>18016</u>	<u>1032.53</u>	
Abate/Refund	<u>78339</u>	<u>5601</u>	<u>221.28</u>	<u>78339</u>	<u>5445</u>	<u>203.85</u>	

Assessor recommends approval as outlined above

If the request for abatement is based upon the grounds of overvaluation, no abatement or refund of taxes shall be made if an objection or protest to such valuation has been filed and a Notice of Determination has been mailed to the taxpayer, § 39-10-114(1)(a)(I)(D), C.R.S.

Tax year: ___ Protest? ___ No ___ Yes (if a protest was filed, please attach a copy of NOD.)
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Assessor recommends denial for the following reason(s):

Elisha Meadows
Assessor's or Deputy Assessor's Signature

FOR ASSESSORS AND COUNTY COMMISSIONERS USE ONLY

(Section III or Section IV must be completed)

Every petition for abatement or refund filed pursuant to § 39-10-114 shall be acted upon pursuant to the provisions of this section by the board of county commissioners or the assessor, as appropriate, within six months of the date of filing such petition, §39-1-113(1.7), C.R.S.

Section III: Written Mutual Agreement of Assessor and Petitioner
(Only for abatements up to \$10,000)

The commissioners of _____ County authorize the Assessor by Resolution No. _____ to review petitions for abatement or refund and to settle by written mutual agreement any such petition for abatement or refund in an amount of one thousand dollars or less per tract, parcel, or lot of land or per schedule of personal property, in accordance with *39-1-113(1.5), C.R.S.

Tax Year _____	Tax Year _____
<u>Actual</u> <u>Assessed</u> <u>Tax</u>	<u>Actual</u> <u>Assessed</u> <u>Tax</u>
Original _____	_____
Corrected _____	_____
Abate/Refund _____	_____

Note: The total tax amount does not include accrued interest, penalties, and fees associated with late and/or delinquent tax payments, if applicable. Please contact the county treasurer for full payment information

Petitioner's Signature

Date

Assessor's or Deputy Assessor's Signature

Date

Section IV: Decision of the County Commissioners
(must be completed if Section III does not apply)

WHEREAS, The County Commissioners of Huerfano County, State of Colorado, at a duly and lawfully called regular meeting held on 9 12 2023, at which meeting there were present the following members:
Month Day Year
John Galusha, Arica Andreatta, Karl Sporleder

with notice of such meeting and an opportunity to be present having been given to the taxpayer and the Assessor of said County and ~~Assessor~~ Treasurer - Debra Reynolds (**being present--not present**) and Robert P. & Name
petitioner Geraldine A. Benesky (**being present--not present**), and WHEREAS, The said County Commissioners have carefully considered the within application, and are fully advised in relation thereto NOW BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board (**agrees--does not agree**) with the recommendation of the assessor and the petition be (**approved--approved in part--denied**) with an abatement/refund as follows:

<u>2021</u>	<u>18321</u>	<u>221.28</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>18016</u>	<u>203.85</u>
Year	Assessed Value	Taxes Abate/Refund	Year	Assessed Value	Taxes Abate/Refund

Chairperson of the Board of County Commissioners Signature
Erica Vigil County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners
in and for the aforementioned county, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing order is truly copied from the record of the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said County this 26th day of September, 2023
Month Year

County Clerk's or Deputy County Clerk's Signature

Note: Abatements greater than \$10,000 per schedule, per year, must be submitted in duplicate to the Property Tax Administrator for review.

Section V: Action of the Property Tax Administrator
(For all abatements greater than \$10,000)

The Action of the Board of County commissioners, relative to the within petition, is hereby
___ Approved; ___ Approved in part \$ _____; ___ Denied for the following reason(s): _____

Secretary's Signature

Property Tax Administrator's Signature