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SUFFOLK, VA (March 9, 2012) The Office of the Real Estate Assessor advises some formatting and typographical errors have been discovered on some of the Assessment Notices recently distributed from that office.

An incorrect deadline was listed on Assessment Notices. Informal hearings are currently being held and will continue through April 15, 2012. All applications to the Board of Equalization are due no later than 5 p.m. on May 1, 2012.

Also, a computer formatting error resulted in values listed under *Market Land Value* and *Agricultural Use Value* sections to be delineated without even numbers. This error resulted in what appears to be mathematical errors on the notices; however, the Assessor advises that the *Total Assessed Value on notices are correct*.

Most importantly, the Assessor's Office wants all property owners to know that if they have **any** questions about their assessments or any of the information on the notices, to contact the Assessor's Office. The telephone number for that office is 757-514-7475.

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