

**ATTENTION NEW HOMEOWNERS**  
**APPLY FOR YOUR HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION**

Thank you for trusting your real estate needs to Berkshire Hathaway HomeServices Georgia Properties. As part of our ongoing commitment to great service, we want to remind you to file for your homestead exemption.

GEORGIA LAW provides that every homeowner is eligible to claim Homestead Exemption as a tax benefit that can amount to a considerable annual savings for the homeowner. Georgia Law has recently changed allowing most counties to have an April 1<sup>st</sup> deadline for filing. Please contact your local county assessor to determine if any exceptions apply to the deadline date for your county.

In additions, many counties offer Homestead Exemption application forms and information on their county web site to expedite the process. The Georgia Department of Revenue web address is [www.dor.georgia.gov](http://www.dor.georgia.gov). To verify deadline dates or acquire additional information, you may contact your local county tax office:

<b><u>COUNTY</u></b>	<b><u>TELEPHONE</u></b>	<b><u>WEBSITE</u></b>
Barrow County	(770) 307-3108	<a href="http://www.qpublic.net/barrow">www.qpublic.net/barrow</a>
Bartow County	(770) 387-5090	<a href="http://www.bartowga.org">www.bartowga.org</a>
Carroll County	(770) 830-5812	<a href="http://www.carrollcountygatax.com">www.carrollcountygatax.com</a>
Cherokee County	(678) 493-6120	<a href="http://www.cherokeega.com">www.cherokeega.com</a>
Clayton County	(770) 477-3311	<a href="http://www.claytoncountyga.gov">www.claytoncountyga.gov</a>
Cobb County	(770) 528-8600	<a href="http://www.cobbtax.org">www.cobbtax.org</a>
Coweta County	(770) 254-2670	<a href="http://www.cowetataxcom.com">www.cowetataxcom.com</a>
Decatur City	(229) 248-3021	<a href="http://www.decatourcountyga.org">www.decatourcountyga.org</a>
DeKalb County	(404) 298-4000	<a href="http://www.yourdekalb.com">www.yourdekalb.com</a>
Douglas County	(770) 920-7272	<a href="http://www.douglataxcommissioner.com">www.douglataxcommissioner.com</a>
Fayette County	(770) 461-3652	<a href="http://www.fayettecountytaxcomm.com">www.fayettecountytaxcomm.com</a>
Forsyth County	(770) 781-2106	<a href="http://www.forsythco.com">www.forsythco.com</a>
Fulton County	(404) 612-6440	<a href="http://www.fultonassessor.org">www.fultonassessor.org</a>
Hall County	(770) 531-6733	<a href="http://www.hallcounty.org">www.hallcounty.org</a>
Haralson County	(770) 542-2110	<a href="http://www.houstoncountytax.com">www.houstoncountytax.com</a>
Henry County	(770) 288-8180	<a href="http://www.henrytc.org">www.henrytc.org</a>
Gwinnett County	(770) 822-8800	<a href="http://www.gwinnetttaxcommissioner.com">www.gwinnetttaxcommissioner.com</a>
Paulding County	(770) 443-7606	<a href="http://www.paulding.gov">www.paulding.gov</a>
Pickens County	(706) 253-8882	<a href="http://www.pickenscountyga.gov">www.pickenscountyga.gov</a>
Walton County	(770) 267-1352	<a href="http://www.waltoncountytax.com">www.waltoncountytax.com</a>

A Homestead Exemption allows a partial exemption on a portion of the assessed value of your home (the amount varies from county to county). To qualify for the property tax exemption, the **HOMEOWNER** must file for Homestead Exemption either in person or by mail depending on the County in which you reside.

We appreciate your business and trust you are enjoying your new home. We also hope that you will remember us if you have any friends or relatives in need of assistance in buying, selling, leasing or financing a home.

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