



Terrebonne Parish Sheriff's Office

Timothy Soignet, Sheriff

P.O. Drawer 1670
Houma, LA 70361
Phone: (985) 876-2500
Fax: (985) 857-0274

What is Homestead Exemption and how can I receive it?

Answer: Presently, the Louisiana Constitution allows for a homestead exemption of \$75,000.00. The homestead exemption negates the parish property taxes due on the first \$75,000.00 of market value or \$7,500.00 of assessed value. Homestead Exemption applies to only one home and the homestead exemption does not apply to taxes levied by any of the cities, towns or villages located in Terrebonne Parish. The homestead exemption also does not apply to Fire/Crime District Fees. To be eligible for homestead exemption, the property must be your primary residence and you must be a resident of Terrebonne Parish. To receive homestead exemption on your primary residence you must file a homestead application with the Terrebonne Parish Tax Assessor. To file for Homestead Exemption, contact the Tax Assessor's Office at (985) 876-6620.