



TOWN OF IPSWICH

25 GREEN STREET
IPSWICH, MASSACHUSETTS 01938

Dear Ipswich Resident,

Happy New Year! We hope this letter finds you well. We are writing to make you aware of potential tax relief for Ipswich Seniors.

In researching ways to reduce the tax burdens on Ipswich Seniors, it came to our attention that a substantial number of Ipswich Seniors do not apply for the Massachusetts Circuit Breaker Tax Credit. This tax credit is up to \$1,070 dollars for calendar year 2016. Please read the other side of this letter for some basic information on the Circuit Breaker Tax Credit.

There will be a Circuit Breaker Tax Credit informational meeting on **Tuesday, January 31st at 10:30 AM** in the Senior Center, Lower Level of Ipswich Town Hall. Mr. Brian Lynch, of the MA Dept. of Revenue will be speaking and will answer your questions. Please RSVP if you will be attending, 978-356-6650. Refreshments will be served.

Also, there are real estate tax exemptions available. Please see the other side of this letter for more information regarding Clause 41C. For information on other exemptions, please see the Assessor's page on the town website, www.ipswichma.gov, or call the Assessor's Office at 978-356-6603.

Best wishes for a Happy and Healthy New Year and we hope to see you at the Circuit Breaker meeting on Jan. 31st.

Sincerely,

Sarah F. Johnson, Finance Director

Sheila E. Taylor, Council on Aging Director

Robin E. Nolan, Chief Assessor

Carol L. Thurber, Assessing Administrative Assistant