**Experience** 

2006-2020

# **Maryland State Property Tax Assessment**

### **Appeals Board**

#### **Administrator**

Appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate to administer the 24 Property Tax Appeals Boards in Maryland, which hear second level assessment appeals for Maryland's 2,190,675 properties valued at \$650,057,051,875. As Administrator I oversee 106 board members, 8 full-time and 19 part-time administrative staff members, prepare agency budget, testify before House and Senate committees on agency budget and bills relating to the assessment of properties in Maryland, prepare new bills presented for legislative consideration, and I also train, advise and monitor for efficiency PTAAB's 24 boards.

1995-2006

# **Maryland State Department of Assessment**

## **And Taxation - Howard County**

# **Assistant Supervisor of Assessment**

Managed residential and commercial assessment staff. Controlled a case load of over 90,000 accounts with a taxable base of over 27 billion dollars, generating revenue of 268.6 million dollars to Howard County and 34.2 million dollars to the State in 2004. Analyzed existing market data and applied standard appraisal techniques as well as sales analysis and ratio studies. Reviewed and approved annual reassessments and evaluated work completed by assessor field staff for quality assurance. Represented department in judicial proceedings before the State of Maryland Property Tax Assessment Appeals Boards and Maryland State Tax Court.

## 1994-1995 **Appeals Supervisor**

Supervised professional staff of seven assessors. Compiled data for increases and decreases. Prepared all appraisals for cases before the State of Maryland Property Tax Assessment Appeals Board and the Maryland State Tax Court. Testified as an expert witness for the State of Maryland.

## 1984-1994 <u>Assessor I,II,III</u>

Appraised real property for tax purposes, explained evaluations to the public and defended them, if necessary, before the State of Maryland Tax Assessment Appeals Board and the Maryland State Tax Court. Expertise in cartography, cost estimating, economics, real estate principles, municipal ordinances, and state tax law. Communicated effectively with the public at all levels. Represented the Howard County Assessments Supervisor at residential hearings before the State of Maryland Property Tax Assessment Appeals Board and the Maryland State Tax Court.

# **Department of Health and Mental Hygiene**

#### 1979-1984

## Financial Agent I,II,III

Prepared cases, searched for patients, ex-patients, relatives and friends, in order to establish financial liability. Made referrals for possible prosecution to the Office of the Attorney General. Testified and presented evidence at both Administrative and Judicial hearings for the State of Maryland. Trained entry level employees in all facets of the position.

#### Education

**Towson University Graduate School** 

Completed 32 credits

1974 Towson University

**Bachelor of Science** 

1972 Catonsville Community College

**Associate of Arts** 

### **Additional Courses**

I.A.A.O. International Association of Assessing Officers

Course #1 Fundamentals of Real Property Appraisals

Course #2 Income Approach to Valuation

Course #301 Mass Appraisal of Residential Property

**Course #619 Standards of Practice Workshop** 

Various non-credited computer and appraisal workshops/courses

## **Professional Organizations**

M.A.A.O. Maryland Association of Assessing Officers

Served on Education, Conference and Site Committees

**2001 Vice President** 

1999-2000 Executive Board

1992-1993 Executive Board

1990 Parliamentarian

1988-1989 Executive Board

Kappa Delta Pi – Honor Society Education

### **Community Service**

Volunteer for Rider Relief Fund (501C3) which provides uninsured or underinsured high school, college and professional bull riders with help paying medical and living expenses.

Managed two travel soccer teams in Howard County

**Salvation Army Volunteer**