

August 25, 2014

## To all owners of motor vehicles currently registered in the Town of Sterling with a

## Class 15 (Handicapped) license plate

The Town of Sterling passed an ordinance on July 15, 2014, effective September 10, 2014, exempting certain vehicles specially adapted for persons with disabilities. You may be eligible for this exemption on the 2014 Grand List. Please read the enclosed application and ordinance to see if you qualify. Vehicles without Class 15 license plates may also qualify. The key eligibility criteria are:

- the vehicle must be registered with the CT Department of Motor Vehicles and must most frequently leave from and return to a property located in the Town of Sterling, Connecticut;
- the vehicle cannot be used to transport any individual for payment;
- the vehicle must be inspected by the assessor before the exemption is granted. The assessor may inspect the vehicle at least once every Grand List year but is not required to;
- the modifications must have cost at least \$1,000.

Applications will be accepted starting September 12, 2014. If you have any questions, please call the office at 860-564-3030 or stop in.

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