

# HOW WAS MY NEW ASSESSMENT CALCULATED?

## HOW WAS MY NEW TAXABLE VALUE ADJUSTED?

(FAQ #1: Why do I still have a structure value?)

Your property is fully assessable at the **Old Value** for the first 3 months (**25%**) of the fiscal year (July 2017 – September 2017). Due to the fire that occurred in October 2017, a reduction in value is applied for the remaining 9 months (**75%**) of the fiscal year, (October 2017-June 2018). The **New Value** column on your notice represents this hybrid taxable value, which is a proration of the two periods (pre-calamity and post-calamity).

-- Important --

✓ Properties that suffered a **partial structure loss** will receive a **reduction in structure value only**.

The example below represents a \$500,000 property assessment that has suffered a partial structure loss.

Refer to your Notice of Correction to the 601 Assessment Roll for your values.



### 2017-2018 Taxable Value (Old Value)

\$200,000 (Land) + \$300,000 (Structure) = \$500,000 Total

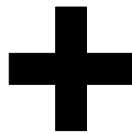
### PRE-CALAMITY VALUE

Jul 2017 25% of fiscal year Sep 2017  
(3 months)

How this was calculated

$\$200,000 \times 25\% = \$50,000$  (Land)  
+  
 $\$300,000 \times 25\% = \$75,000$  (Structure)

= \$125,000



### POST-CALAMITY VALUE

Oct 2017 75% of fiscal year Jun 2018  
(9 months)

How this was calculated

$\$165,000$  (Structure value after 45% reduction)  
+  
 $\$200,000 \times 75\% = \$150,000$  (Land)  
+  
 $\$165,000 \times 75\% = \$123,750$  (Structure)

= \$273,750

(New Value)

### HYBRID ASSESSED VALUE

$\$125,000 + \$273,750$

= \$398,750

In this example, the new property value is based on combined pre and post-calamity assessed values.

OLD TAX BILL

**\$5,000**

vs.

**\$3,987\***

NEW TAX BILL

\*\$398,750 (hybrid assessed value) X 1% (Prop 13 Tax Rate) = \$3,987 (adjusted tax bill). Actual tax rates will vary due to special assessments.