Pend Oreille County



BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

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BOARD ORDER

PROPERTY OWNER: JERRY L. & CARLINA S. FARRAR

PARCEL/ACCOUNT NUMBER: 433627420003

PROPERTY LOCATION:

PETITION NUMBER: BOE 2018-11

ASSESSMENT YEAR: 2018 TAXES PAYABLE IN: 2019

The Board of Equalization for Pend Oreille County Washington was duly convened on September 26, 2018, and hereby orders the property listed above be placed on the Assessment Roll for Pend Oreille County Washington as follows:

ASSESSED VALUE:

BOE VALUE:

Land	\$ 46,440	Land	\$ 46,440
Improvements	\$ 78,986	Improvements	\$ 78,986
Timber/Minerals	\$	Timber/Minerals	\$
Personal Property	\$	Personal Property	\$
ASSESSED VALUE	\$ 125,426	BOE VALUE	\$ 125,426

Date of Hearing: September 26, 2018

Hearing Location: Board of Commissioners Meeting Room

625 W. 4th Street Newport, WA 99156

Attendees:

Board of Equalization Members:

Margie Fedderly, Chair

Richard Miller Robert Sanborn

Appellant: Carlina Farrar

Assessor: None

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FACTS AND FINDINGS

11 acres, NR20, 1150 (Mobile Home/Residential), Good Qual DW MH w/DK, V-Good Qual Pole Shp, 2 P-Cvrs & a Shed

Appellant estimated value at:

Land \$ 46,440.00 Improvements \$ 61,898.10

Timber/Minerals \$
Personal Property \$

REQUESTED VALUE \$ 108,338.10

Petitioner's appeal states, "We are appealing the classification levels for all the structures except the house and the storage building. There were no changes to the structures that justify higher classifications resulting too high market values. We are appealing the market value for the house because of its quality, condition, age, and location. Value too high for level. We have an appeal with the WSBTA for the 2017-18 assessment." Appellant stated that they can't use the house in the winter, because of the steep, icy hill.

Appraiser's rebuttal states, "...the classifications that the Assessor's Office places on a structure is determined by the Appraiser at the time of inspection. These classifications can change according to what the value of the structure needs to be in what it contributes to the parcel's overall market value." Assessor sent Appellant an updated version of the sales study which "clearly shows an increase in sale values across the board for nearly all types of mobile/manufactured homes." Furthermore, "While it may require additional effort and possibly additional cost to deal with snow removal for the driveway...and could affect the value, this has been accounted for with the current value of the land."

DECISION

The Board, after carefully reviewing the information provided by the appellant and the information provided by the Assessor concludes that the appellant has not made an argument sufficiently clear, cogent and convincing to overcome the assessor's presumption of correctness.

Market value of the subject property is sustained at \$125,426 as of January 1, 2018.

This order is submitted into the record of the Pend Oreille County Board of Equalization.

Mailed on: October, 2018.
Margie Fedderly, Chair
Pend Oreille County Board of Equalization

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cc: Assessor, Petitioner, BOE file