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# AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR A CAP ON THE REAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR VETERANS WITH A SERVICE-CONNECTED PERMANENT AND TOTAL DISABILITY RATING

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**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF STONINGTON, CONNECTICUT, PROVIDING FOR A CAP ON THE REAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR VETERANS WITH A SERVICE-CONNECTED PERMANENT AND TOTAL DISABILITY RATING**

**WHEREAS**, Connecticut Public Act 24-46 established a property tax exemption for any dwelling owned and occupied as the primary residence of a veteran who has a service-connected permanent and total disability rating; and

**WHEREAS**, Connecticut General Assembly House Bill 7287 provides that a municipality may limit the total amount of the exemption granted under Public Act 24-46 to an amount not to exceed the median assessed valuation of residential real property within such municipality; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Stonington wishes to set a limit on the total amount of the exemption granted under Public Act 24-46.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE LEGAL VOTERS OF THE TOWN OF STONINGTON IN LAWFUL TOWN MEETING DULY ASSEMBLED THAT:**

**Section 1.** That the ordinances of the Town of Stonington be amended by adding a section to read as follows:

Any property tax exemption given to any eligible veteran pursuant to Connecticut Public Act 24-46 shall not exceed the median assessed valuation of residential real property within the Town of Stonington, said median assessed valuation to be calculated by the Town of Stonington Assessor.

**Section 2.** That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

**Section 3.** If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof is held to be invalid such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of any other part of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions of applications; and to this end the provisions of this ordinance and the various applications thereof are declared to be severable.

This Ordinance shall become effective following approval by the Board of Selectmen and fifteen (15) days after publication in a newspaper having a substantial circulation within the Town of Stonington.

Adopted: September 24, 2025

Effective:

Attachment	Size
 Ordinance	7.34 KB



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Below the seal and text, the text "Scan to download our free app!" is positioned above a QR code. To the left of the QR code are two buttons: "Download on the App Store" with the Apple logo and "ANDROID APP ON Google play" with the Google Play logo. To the right of the QR code is the logo for "THEGOVAPP.COM CUSTOM MOBILE APPS", which includes a shield icon with a building and the year "1649".

On the right side of the advertisement is a vertical image of a smartphone displaying the mobile app interface. The app shows the town name "Town of Stonington" and the name of the First Selectman, "Danielle Chestrough". Below this is a "Notification History" section with a right-pointing arrow. A large image of a harbor with boats is shown below the notifications. At the bottom of the screen is a grid of service icons: "Selectman's Office", "Police", "Public Works", "Human Services", "Emergency Responses", "Parks & Rec", "Solid Waste", "Boards and Commissioners", and "More".