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## For Immediate Release NEWS RELEASE REGARDING APRIL 10 PROPERTY TAX DEADLINE

The Amador County Tax Collector's Office understands and shares the public's anxiety and concern about the impact of the 2020 COVID-19 (corona virus) pandemic. However, this office cannot legally change the April 10 payment deadline for the second installment of the 2019-2020 secured property taxes. State Law establishes the current deadline of Friday, April 10, 2020. Furthermore, critical local government services and schools, as well as local financial obligations, are dependent upon these scheduled tax revenues.

The Amador County Tax Collector's Office would like to note that property taxes can be paid online, or over the telephone using the website and telephone number shown on your tax bill. Taxes can also be paid through bill pay at your own bank. They may also be paid by check or money order through the mail. Such mailed payments must be properly addressed and postmarked by April 10, 2020 to avoid late penalties and costs. In addition, a payment drop box is located on the outside wall of the alcove to the immediate left of the main entrance to the County Administration Center. During this uncertain time, taxpayers are encouraged to NOT make in person cash payments. Please pay electronically or by mail if you are able to, in order to help minimize the health threat to both yourself and our employees.

Amador County property tax information is available on-line. To view your tax information, or print a copy of your property tax bill, visit <u>www.amadorgov.org/Tax</u>, and select "View Property Tax Bill".

For additional information, please contact the Tax Collector's Office.