

Tax Legislative Development Meeting

Date: 9/23/2015

Present: Mary Peterson Candace Morgan, Rebecca Sameroff, Sue Allen, Laura Gray, James Pepper, Emily Bryne, Heather Campbell

Refund Date of Release

- Options:
 - push back until March when W-2's come in → this can be done administratively
 - ask for w-2's to come in earlier (currently Feb 28; shift to January)
 - some combination of the above
 - probably more opposition to delayed refund than accelerated W-2 submission

Change language around payments to towns to avoid grant administration requirement

- I think Emily said she's on it

Telephone tax charge

- Currently no tax on cable or broadband so tele companies are paying a tax that VoIPs / cell companies are not

Ag issues

- Small technical changes to CU
- Looking into "Easy out" CU fix for MacDonald
- Auditing 3 towns for CU

Renter Rebate fix

- Streamline administrative aspects of program

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- Working well but too many reporting requirements

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- Tax will meeting with ACCD re: new TIF possibilities

AirBnB Tax Collection (Rep. McCormack)

- Peterson does not want VT to lead the way on this