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## Tax Year 2018

Application for Installment Payment
Of Real Property Taxes

\*\* Please be aware this option is not available if your taxes are being escrowed through a mortgage company or tax service agency and is being paid on your behalf when your tax bill is due. The formal filing period is from December 1, 2017 to January 15, 2018. There is no charge for this program.

<u>ALL LINES</u> MUST BE F	FILLED OUT. Please print all information.	
Tax Map Number:	(Submit separate application for each tax map number)	
Owner's Name:		
Owner's Mailing Address:		
Phone Number:	Email address:	
 Date	Signature	Printed Name

By completing this application you are electing to participate in the Installment Payment of Real Property Taxes, according to SC Code of Laws Section 12-45-75 and County of Dorchester Ordinance #09-01. An installment election is not allowed for personal vehicle, boat/motor or taxes paid through escrow. Participants pay five (5) installments, based on the previous year's tax amount. The final balance will be billed by November 15<sup>th</sup> of the tax year. The payment of installments and the credit allowed arising from these payments in no way alters the due date, penalty schedule and enforced collection of property taxes as provided by law. Written notification is required to opt out of the installment payment option. If a taxpayer electing to pay in installments does not timely make each payment pursuant to the schedule in subsection (4), the county may refuse to accept all other installment payments. If the county refuses to accept other installment payments, the remaining balance is due in accordance with Section 12-45-70.