

RETURN TO:  
Lake County Property Appraiser  
Attn: TPP Dept.  
320 W. Main St. Suite A  
Tavares, FL 32778-3831

## VOLUNTARY DISCLOSURE OF PROPERTY

Section 193.092, Florida Statutes

DR-431  
R. 11/12  
Rule 12D-16.002  
Florida Administrative Code  
Effective 11/12

Property owners: use this form to disclose property that has not been previously assessed, but should have been. To avoid retroactive taxes, submit this form to the property appraiser **before January 1** of the tax year.

### COMPLETED BY PROPERTY OWNER

Name	County	Date
Describe the property you are disclosing. Add pages, if needed.		
This property was not assessed for the past tax year(s):      20__      20__      20__		
Parcel ID or legal description		
Property address	Mailing address	
Phone	Fax	Date you purchased the property

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### COMPLETED BY THE PROPERTY APPRAISER

_____ Date	_____ Signature, property appraiser or deputy
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### GENERAL INFORMATION

If you own property that could have had taxes assessed and collected but the property escaped taxation, your local officials can retroactively levy and collect the taxes you would have owed for any of the past 3 years, in addition to current taxes.

This does not apply to your property if:

1. You improved the land with a building, structure, or made other improvements and complied with all permitting requirements when the improvement was completed,
2. You use this form to voluntarily disclose the existence of the property to the property appraiser before **January 1** the year the property is first assessed, or
3. You bought tangible personal property and did not know of the escaped taxes. However, you will still be responsible for any taxes due after you bought the items.