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To: Mayor  
Subject: 2016 Reval

Mr. Mayor,

Please rescind the 2016 Reval and please allow our fellow citizens the opportunity to verbally question Mr. Ryan and Ms. Albanese during the August 17th meeting at the Scarsdale Village Hall.

I have attended a couple of the Trustees meetings and have read many of the articles pertaining to the 2016 Reval.

Since 1964, (52 years) my family has had a presence in Scarsdale. My mother still lives in the house my parents bought in 1964. My three brothers and I matriculated through the Scarsdale school system. I am a SHS class of 1975 graduate and my family and I returned to live in Scarsdale in 1998. My oldest brother (SHS class of 1967) also resides in Scarsdale. I would say I have a pretty good feel for Scarsdale.

I am very dismayed with the tone in our community. Though we know why we all come to live in Scarsdale, boy have things changed!

I will not go into a long diatribe about all the issues. My home was re-assessed up by \$200,000 in the new Reval. I would be surprised if my home were to receive the Fair Market Value of what has been valued by Mr. Ryan.

So much anger and tension exist in our community. Scarsdale is a microcosm of what is occurring today in America. Those with much more appear to gain more benefit. Of course, the majority of us in Scarsdale are extremely fortunate but not all of us can be considered Croesus. There is a middle here and perhaps a lesser level too.

I am aware of the economic miasma that is gripping both Scarsdale and our country. I have worked in the financial community for 35 plus years and cognizant of the twisted economic environment.

Also, I am sensitive to the Board's position yet I cannot help but think why this Reval was done so discreetly and haphazardly? This is not Scarsdale's finest moment. A tarnish has enveloped our village and with it, our reputation, let alone our character.

As our Chief Executive, you have the power to make a difference.

Please re-evaluate the situation.

Thank you for your time.

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