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Greetings,

I have taken The NYS ORPTS Fundamentals of Assessment Administration class which is one of the last qualifications I needed for being deemed a State Certified Assessor. Due to 'rona, the class was held online and I'm still waiting to hear from the State what I scored on the final exam.

Settling into my new office space still and working on sending out renewal applications and doing field inspections for the properties that are newly built or had improvements added in anticipation of the tentative roll that comes up on March 1<sup>st</sup>. There is an Executive Order working its way through the normal channels that would remove the need for a few renewals having to send a signed form into the assessor office. I do hope it passes but we are proceeding like normal anyway.

I know it is "deva jus" but things are still adjusting to the new normal, they are moving a little slower, there are fewer homeowner interactions to deal with still, people are cautious about getting out in public.

The County RPS & NYS ORPTS are still in lockdown mode where phone calls and emails are the only means of contact because site visits are not allowed. No word on when those restrictions will be amended as yet.

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