STATE OF FLORIDA

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

PROPERTY TAX OVERSIGHT PROGRAM

CHAPTER 12D-9, FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

REQUIREMENTS FOR VALUE ADJUSTMENT BOARDS IN ADMINISTRATIVE

REVIEWS; UNIFORM RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR HEARINGS BEFORE VALUE

ADJUSTMENT BOARDS

AMENDING RULE 12D-9.025

12D-9.025 Procedures for Conducting a Hearing; Presentation of Evidence; Testimony of Witnesses.

- (1) through (6)(b) No change.
- (c) <u>In a petition to decrease the just value, the</u> The following limitations shall apply if the property appraiser seeks to present additional evidence that was unexpectedly discovered and that would increase the assessment.
 - 1. through 6. No change.
- (d) In a petition to increase the just value, the property appraiser may provide an increased just value to the petitioner before the hearing or at the hearing. In such case, if the petitioner agrees with the property appraiser's increased just value, the petitioner may settle or withdraw the petition. If the petitioner does not agree with the property appraiser's increased just value, the hearing shall not be canceled on that ground. This provision applies only in petitions to increase the just value.
 - (7) through (9) No change.

(10) For purposes of reporting board action on decisions and on the notice of tax impact, the value as reflected on the initial roll shall mean the property appraiser's determination as presented at the commencement of the hearing, or as reduced by the property appraiser during the hearing, or as increased by the property appraiser during the hearing as provided in subsection (6), but before a decision by the board or a recommended decision by the special magistrate. See Rule 12D-9.038, F.A.C.

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