Due to recent changes in federal tax law, many New York State homeowners have been urgently seeking to pay their 2018 property taxes before the end of 2017. Governor Cuomo signed an Executive Order Friday December 22, 2017 that makes it possible for them to pay their 2018 Town & County Property Taxes as early as today December 26, 2017 through December 30, 2017 to be credited for paying in 2017. So in an effort to accommodate local homeowners, Franklin County and the towns will be accepting pre-payment of 2018 property taxes both in person and by mail. Payments must be post-marked no later than 12/30/17.