

TAX GUIDE

It's that time of year – Tax Time! This guide is intended to provide you with a top-level checklist to compile your prior year tax documents. This is not a comprehensive list and is not intended to be an all-inclusive summary of your specific tax documents. Instead, it is provided to help you with a consolidated list of items you may need to think about when gathering your tax documents.

INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR INCOME:

- Employment Income Forms for you and your spouse (Form W-2)
- Pension Plan Income (Form 1099-R)
- Payments/Distributions from Retirement Accounts (Form 1099-R)
- Investment Account Income (Form 1099-DIV/INT/B)
- Social Security Income (Form SSA-1099)
- Unemployment Compensation (Form 1099-G)
- Self-Employment Income & Expenses (Form 1099-Misc)
- Income from Investment Partners or Trusts (Form K-1)
- Rental Property Income & Expenses
- Miscellaneous Income: Jury Duty, Gambling Winnings, Scholarships, etc.
- Alimony Paid or Received
- Purchase and/or Sale of Cryptocurrency

ADJUSTMENTS TO YOUR INCOME:

- Student Loan Interest Paid (Form 1098-E) or Tuition Paid (1098-T)
- Records of IRA Contributions Made During the Year
- Receipts for Qualifying Energy-Efficient Home Improvements (solar, windows, etc.)
- Contributions to HSA, SEP, SIMPLE and/or other Self-Employed Plans

DEDUCTIONS AND CREDITS:

- Medical Expenses (Insurance Premiums, Long-Term Care Premiums, Doctors, Dentist, etc.)
- Real Estate Taxes & Sales Tax on Major Purchases (auto, boat, home remodel materials, etc.)
- Mortgage Interest, Private Mortgage Insurance, and Points Paid (Form 1098)
- Charitable Donations - Cash & Non-Cash
- Excise Taxes (i.e., RTA tax) reflected on Auto Tabs Renewal
- Child Care Costs

FEDERAL AND STATE TAXES YOU MAY HAVE PAID:

- Quarterly Payments (April, June, September, January) and/or amount paid with Extension
- Federal Taxes Withheld from Retirement Distributions (Form 1099-R)
- State and Local Income Taxes Paid

LIFE EVENTS THAT MAY IMPACT YOUR TAX SITUATION:

- Changes in Relationship Status – Marriage or Divorce
- Having a Baby or Adopting a Child
- Moving, Purchasing or Selling Real Estate (Form 1099-S)
- Attending College
- Inheriting an Estate
- Starting a Business or Ending a Business / Starting or Leaving a Job
- Casualty and Theft Losses (Pertaining to Federally Declared Disaster Areas)