

Small Business Accounting & Complete Income Tax Services

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To Our Returning and New Clients:

We appreciate the opportunity to work with you this year and to advise you regarding your income tax obligation for the tax year 2017. Enclosed is our short tax organizer. If you prefer something that offers more detail, especially if you're new to our firm, you can obtain a more detailed organizer from our website listed above.

Many taxpayers have inquired about the new tax legislation. There will not be any impact from those changes for the 2017 tax filing season.

For the 2017 tax season filing, the IRS is requiring all taxpayers to provide personal identification to their tax preparers. This new policy has been established in an attempt to further reduce tax identity fraud. The identification must be in the form of a state issued drivers license or a state issued ID. Also acceptable is a military ID, passport, green card or visa. If no ID is available or the taxpayer declines to provide ID, the tax return must be paper filed.

As more accuracy burdens are placed on tax preparers, it is essential that you, the taxpayer, provide us with as much income and deduction documentation, as you can, to support your tax return. Please understand that we are not auditing you, that is not our responsibility. We are only concerned with making sure that we have a complete understanding of the income and deductions you claim on your tax return. We will always work, to the best of our ability, to maximize all the deductions that are legally available to you. If you are entitled to any of the following tax credits, be prepared to provide us with the following information...

Earned Income Tax Credit—Medical or school records which indicate that the child you're claiming for a credit, resides at the same address as you do.

Child Tax Credit—Medical or school records which indicate that the child you're claiming for a credit, resides at the same address as you do.

Education Tax Credits—Form 1098T from the college the student attends and the financial aid report from the college which details what was actually paid. Receipts for expenses paid are also encouraged to support the credit.

All taxpayers are required to electronically file their tax returns. If you have a reason for not filing electronically, you will have to declare your reason for paper filing your tax return. You also have the option of having your refunds direct deposited into a checking or savings account. If you prefer the direct deposit method of receiving your refunds, which is faster and safer, please let us know prior to completing your tax returns and provide us with the direct deposit information or leave with us a voided check.

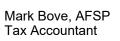
It is important to remember that if you have a balance due to the IRS or state taxing agency, the tax is due by the April tax deadline. **Extending your tax return DOES NOT extend the tax payment.** If your payment is made after the April deadline, expect to receive a bill from the taxing agencies for interest and late payment penalties. You may also be assessed a penalty for not making proper estimated tax payments, depending on the balance you owe the IRS at the completion of your tax return.

IRS regulations require us to obtain your signature on Form 8879, IRS e-file Signature Authorization, prior to electronically filing your tax return. In the past we filed your returns electronically with your verbal authorization. We will no longer support that policy. It is absolutely required that we have a signed Form 8879 from you before we electronically file your return. Also, in some cases, we extended credit to our clients and electronically filed tax returns before receiving payment for our services. Our policy does state that payment for services is expected upon presentation of the tax return and prior to filing the return. We must adhere to this policy unless arrangements are made with us prior to beginning the work on your tax return.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us. We can also be reached by text at 404-369-1870.

Thank you for the privilege of serving you.











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Individual Income Tax Organizer

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Personal Information:									TA	XX	YEAR	•	2017
Taxpayer Name			SS #				D	OB __					
Occupation		Cell Ph#			. E	mail							
Spouse Name			SS #				D	OB _.					
Occupation		Cell Ph#			. E	mail							
Home Address													
County of Residence				Home Phone									
Taxpayer Drivers Licer	se or State ID#						St	ate_					
Issue Date		Exp	ration Date										
Spouse Drivers Licer	se or State ID#						St	ate_					
Issue Date		Exp	ration Date										
Filing Status:	Filing Status: Single Widow(er) Head of Household Married Filing Jointly Married Filing Separate Divorced or Separated During the Year? Any Deaths in the Family During the Tax Year?												
Dependents: List name as it	Social Security	If your claim to Date of	'	complete their on on their retu Child Care	r own ırn. O	tax ro therw	<i>eturri ise y</i> Is	<i>, ma</i> <i>rour</i> dep	ake s retu ende	<i>ure</i> rn и ent a	they D o vill be reju a college	ON iecti stu	" <i>T</i> ed. ident
appears on SS Card	Number	Birth	taxpayers	Expenses	Disa						year of		
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Child Care Expenses	Note: All o	f this info	rmation is requ	iired to qual	ify fo	or the	e de _l	pen	den	t ca	are tax	cre	dit
Name of Child Care Provider	Social Security or EIN Number	,	Street Address of Providin	Individual or C g Child Care	compa	any					mount F		
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For Taxpaye	ers Expecting Refur	If you ex	xpect to receive a	refund and you	☐ Y ☐ N want direct deposit of of one of the original origin	
Name of F	Financial Institution	Routing Numb	•	count Number	Checking Savings	
If you're d	lepositing into a checki	ng account, attachin	g a voided check	will be sufficient	t for your direct deposit	
Questions F	or All Taxpayers:					
□ Y □ N □ Y □ N □ Y □ N	Would you like an ele Are either you or you Did you pay or receiv	r spouse legally blir	nd?		-	
	Name of person you	u paid:		Recipients S	S#	
N	Name of person you paid:					
\square Y \square N	provide those notice Did you make any gi			dividual during t	he tax vear?	
	Did you engage in ar					
Estimated T	ax Payments:					
	Federal F	Paid Date Paid	State Paid	Date Paid	Refunds from the prior	
1st Quar	ter (04-15) \$		\$		tax year applied to the current tax year	
	rter (06-15) \$		\$		<u> </u>	
3rd Quar	ter (09-15) \$		\$		Federal \$	
4th Quar	4th Quarter (01-15) \$ State \$					

State Residency Information:							
□ Y □ N	Were you a full year resident of Georgia? If so, the questions below don't apply to you. If you were a part year resident of Georgia, in what other state(s) have you resided. Please complete the following information.						
	State 1	State 2	State	3	State 4		
	School District in State 1 School District in State 2 School District in State 3 School District in State 4			Own a home in	n State 1: Y N n State 2: Y N n State 3: Y N n State 4: Y N		
☐ W-2	Please check the box a Wage & Tax Stater	nd provide to us			ly To Each Individual. received.		
W-2G 1099-SSA 1099-SSA 1099-DIV 1099-INT 1099-MISO 1099-OID 1099-B 1099-C 1099-B 1099-C 1099-H 1099-K 1099-LTC 1099-R 1099-R 1099-SA 1099-SA 1098-C 1098-C 1098-C 1098-E 1098-T 1098-T K-1 5498 5498-SA	B, C Health Insurance S Dividends & Distrib Interest Income Miscellaneous Inco Original Issue Disce Acquisition or Abar Proceeds From Bro Cancellation of Del Certain Governmer Health Care Tax Co Merchant Card & T Long-term Care & P Payments From Qu Distributions From RB Railroad Retiremer Proceeds From Re Distributions From	nefit Statement tatement From: utions utions ome ount odonment of Secu oker & Barter Excl ot nt Payments (Une redit (HCTC) Adv. hird Party Networ Accelerated Deatl ualified Education Pensions, IRA's, at Payments al Estate Transac HAS or MSA Acc Statement. If you a otor Vehicles, Boa est ce Payments rom S-corporation formation	ared Property hange Transaction employment Compance Payments h Benefits hal Programs (52) Annuities, Retire etions ounts (Health Same Same Same Same Same Same Same Same	ons - 1099 Must Inpensation & Res 9 Accounts) ment & Profit Shavings Accounts) avings Accounts	-		
	tirement Plans			_	_		
Y N Y N	Do you or your spouse part Did you or your spouse con		•	•	Taxpayer		
	Taxpayer: \$ Spouse: \$		Traditional IRA Traditional IRA	☐ Roth IRA ☐ Roth IRA	☐ SEP ☐ SEP		
□ Y □ N □ Y □ N	Did you convert a tradition Did you receive a distribution	onal IRA to a ROT			a retirement account?		

Health Care Coverage Questionnaire and Medical Expenses

\square Y \square N								
	month of the tax year? If not, please complete, in full, the following information.							
	ery Person On ncl Dependents			They Had Health Care & V Months Circle Which Months	Vhich Applies No Insurance			
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M	ledical and De	ntal Expenses Th	at You May B	e Able To Itemize and D	educt			
Amount Paid	Deductible Insur		Amount Paid	Medical Expenses Not Rein	•			
\$	Medical Insuran		\$	Prescriptions & OTC Medi				
\$ \$	Dental Insuranc Vision Insurance		\$ \$	Physicians, Clinics, Hospit Vision - Glasses, Contact I				
\$	_	surance Premiums			Lerises & Supplies			
\$	Other Insurance		\$	Derital & Offinederhies Nursing or Long Term Car	e Facilities			
\$		Insurance Premium		_				
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Educational Expenses - Please provide Forms 1098-T from colleges								
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Dependent 2	\$ □	ependent 3 \$	Depender	nt 4 \$ Depender	nt 5 \$			
	r, spouse or any de or tax years?			college, ever taken any educati te who, which type of credit a				
American (Opportunity Credit	☐ Lifetime Learning	g Credit Nan	ne	Amount \$			
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Personal Itemized Deductions

Taxes Paid:

Amount Paid	Description of Deduction					
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\$	_Real estate property taxes paid					
\$	_State and local income taxes					
\$	_Sales tax paid, including sales tax o					
\$	_Other taxes…List type and amount I					
		Other Tax \$				
		Other Tax \$				
		Other Tax \$	_			
Interest Paid:						
Amount Paid		Description of Deduction				
\$	Total home mortgage interest report	ted to you on Form(s) 1098 - <i>Pro</i> v	vide Form 1098			
\$	Total home mortgage interest NOT :					
	a seller-financed mortgage, please p					
	Individu	uals Name				
	aa	Address				
	Social Security Num	ber or EIN				
\$	_Amortization of refinance points paid	d in prior years				
\$	_Mortgage insurance premiums (PMI) for your home purchased after 2	2006			
\$ \$	_Investment interest paid on loans us	sed to acquire investment propert	у			
\$	_Student loan interest - <i>Provide Form</i>	1098-E				
Charitable Co	entributions:					
Amount Paid		Description of Deduction				
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\$	_Cash or check donations. You must	have receipts for all individual co	ontributions over \$250			
\$	_Non-monetary, In-kind donations, sເ	uch as…Goodwill, Salvation Army	, etc.,			
	The sum total of all In-kind dona	tions must not exceed \$500.00				
	Non-monetary, In-kind donations exc	ceeding \$500.00 must be listed ind	ividually. Please list below			
	Charitable Organization	Date Given	Amount \$			
	Charitable Organization		Amount \$			
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	Miles driven for volunteer work :					

Other Miscellaneous Deductions

Other miscellaneous deductions - Subject to the 2% rule of adjusted gross income

\$ _Tax return preparation fee
\$ _ Union and professional dues
\$ _ Continuing job education
\$ _ Professional Licenses
\$ _Investment expenses
\$ _ Job seeking expenses
\$ _ Safety Equipment for job purposes
\$ _ Subscriptions & trade publications
\$ _ Supplies for job purposes
\$ _ Tools for job purposes
\$ _Expenses to enable individuals, who are physically or mentally impaired, to work.
\$ _ Legal fees - Only if related to producing or collecting taxable income
\$ _ Uniforms (for work only) - Work clothing is not deductible if adaptable for every day wear

Other miscellaneous deductions - Not subject to the 2% rule of adjusted gross income

\$ Gambling losses - Only up to the amount of gambling winnings reported - Losses must be verifiable
\$ Federal estate tax on IRD (Income in respect of a decedent
\$ Impairment related work expenses, if paid by the employee
\$ Amortizable bond premiums
\$ Claim repayments
\$ Unrecovered pension investments
\$ Ordinary loss debt instrument

Employee Business Expenses

Vehicle Information:

	Vehicle 1	Vehicle 2
Vehicle description		
Date place in service		
Total mileage for the year		
Business miles		
Commuting miles		
Taxes on vehicle	\$	\$
Maintenance	\$	\$
Repairs	\$	\$
Insurance	\$	\$
Licenses	\$	\$

Questions	Yes	No
Was vehicle available for use during off		
duty hours?		
You or your spouse have another vehicle		
available for personal use?		
Do you have evidence to support your	_	
deduction?		
If yes, is the evidence to support your	_	_
deduction written?		

Other Expenses:

\$	Parking, tolls, airfare, transportation	\$ Gifts to employees - Not to exceed \$25 each
\$	Meals and entertainment	\$ Supplies & materials
\$	Hotel and lodging	\$ Other
\$	Car rental	\$ Other

Sole Proprietor Worksheet - Use a separate sheet if more than one business

Business name EIN #						
Business address				Cou	ınty	
Business product or service				Ph #		
Accounting method of busines	s Cast or A	Accrual N.	AICS Code (i	f known)		
Yes No C	(uestions	Yes No		Questio	ns	
If yes, did or will the ta Did you materially part Do you have inventory	e pay for own health insurane / Sales	99's?	you operate you your business you make constitute business the business Direct Materials a Cost of laborators	reported lot tributions to started dur closed duri ct Costs nd supplie	osses in prio o a retiremen ing this tax y ing this tax y	r years? ht plan? /ear? ear?
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,	omplete the vehice? If yes, please conduction of the conduction of	Rent or lease - Vehicles, machinery, equip Repairs and maintenance Supplies (not included in inventory) Taxes and licenses Travel - Lodging and transportation Travel - Meals and entertainment Utilities Wages (not owner draws) Other Censes / Business Use of Home Implete the vehicle information section on the prior page. If yes, please compete the following information area only				
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Asset Purchase		rchased/Disposed	Cost	Purchase	New Used	Disposed
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Rental Property Worksheet & Royalties - Use a separate sheet if more than one property

Yes	No		Questions	•					
	☐ ☐ Did you make any payments that would require you to file Forms 1099?								
	☐ ☐ If yes, did you or will you file the required 1099's?								
Ō	Was property disposed of during the tax year? If yes, please provide closing statement								
		ginal purchase price of home \$		old, sales price o	of home \$				
	Dat	e of original purchase of home:		Date of sale	of home:				
	Plea	se check the appropriate box:							
		Single family residence	ation/short-term rental	☐ Land					
		Multi-family residence Con	nmercial property	Royalties					
	Plea	se complete the following:							
		Fair rental days during the year							
		Personal use days							
			Income						
\$		Royalties - From oil, gas, mine	ral, copyright or paten	t					
\$		Rental property income							
			Expenses						
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\$ \$ \$ \$		Advertising	\$	Supplies					
<u>\$</u>		Auto and travel expenses	\$	Taxes					
<u>\$</u>		Cleaning and maintenance	\$	Utilities					
\$		Commissions	\$ o dues <u>\$</u>	Other					
		Home owner association/cond		Other					
<u>\$</u>		Insurance	\$	Other					
\$		Legal and professional	<u>\$</u>	Other					
\$		Management fees	<u>\$</u>	Other					
\$		Interest - mortgage	<u>\$</u>	Other					
\$		Interest - other	<u>\$</u>	Other					
\$ \$ \$ \$ \$		Pest Control	\$	Other					
\$		Repairs	\$	Other					
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	Faui	pment, Furniture, Appliances & Im	inrovements (landsc	aning roof fer	nce floor o	roverings (etc)		
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As	set Pu	rchased - including the home purchase	Date Purchased/Disposed	Cost	Purchase	New Used	Disposed		
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Privacy Policy

The nature of our work requires us to collect certain nonpublic information. We collect financial and personal information from applications, worksheets, reporting statements, and other forms, as well as interviews and conversations with our clients and affiliates. We may also review banking and credit card information about our clients in the performance of receipt of payment. Under our policy, all information we obtain about you will be

Our firm has procedures and policies in place to protect your confidential information. We restrict access to your confidential information to those working with us at our firm who need to know in order to provide you with service. We will not disclose your personal information to a third party without your permission, except where required by law. We maintain physical, electronic and procedural safeguards in compliance with federal regulation that protect your personal information from unauthorized access.

Tax Preparation Checklist - Please provide the following documentation as it applies to you.

All Forms W2 (wages), 1099INT (interest), 1099DIV (dividends), 1099B (proceeds from broker or barter transactions), 1099R (pensions and IRA distributions), Schedules K1 from partnerships, S-corporations, estates, trusts, and other income reporting statements, including all copies provided from the payers.
If you are a new client, provide copies of the prior year tax returns, all pages.
The completed Individual Income Tax Organizer. <i>NOTE:</i> If you decide not to complete the organizer, please at least answer the "Yes" or "No" questions on page 2, titled "Questions For All Taxpayers."
The closing statement if your bought or sold any real estate.
Mileage figures for any auto expenses claimed, including total mileage, commuting mileage and business mileage.
Detail of estimated tax payments made, if any
Income and deductions categorized for business and/or rental property activities
Your itemized deductions, if any, for medical, taxes paid, interest paid, contributions and miscellaneous deductions.

Tax Return Preparation Statement

We will prepare your tax return based on information you provide. In the event your return is audited, you will be responsible for verifying the items reported. It is important that you review the return carefully before signing to make sure the information is correct. Unless otherwise stated, the services for preparation of your return do not include auditing, review, or any other verification or assurance.

Contact Us

There are many events that occur during the year that can affect your tax situation. Preparation of your tax return involves summarizing transactions and events that occurred during the prior year. In most situations, treatment is firmly established at the time the transaction occurs. However, negative tax effects can be avoided by proper planning. Please contact us in advance if you have questions about the effects of a transaction or event, including the following:

- Pension or IRA distributions
- Significant change of income or deductions
- Job change
- Marriage, separation or divorce
- Death of a spouse
- Attainment of age 59 1/2 or 70 1/2

- Sale or purchase of a residence or other real estate
- Retirement
- Notice from IRS or other taxing authority
- Self-employment
- Contributions in excess of \$5,000.00
- Sale or purchase of a business