

## 2017 TAX ORGANIZER

Thanks for downloading Culpepper CPA's tax organizer.

Gathering this information will help us get to know more about you, alert us to any changes to your tax situation in the last year, and enable us to prepare an accurate tax return for you.

The more we know about your situation, the more opportunities we'll have to help you be truly strategic with your taxes.

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## Questions

Please check the appropriate box and include all necessary details and documentation.

P	ersonal Information	Yes	No
•	Did your marital status change during the year? If yes, explain:		
•	Did your address change from last year?  Can you be claimed as a dependent by another taxpayer?  Did you change any bank accounts, or did routing transit numbers (RTN) and/or bank account number change for existing bank accounts that have been used to direct deposit (or direct debit) funds from (or to) the IRS or other taxing authority during the tax year?		
•	Did you receive an Identity Protection PIN (IP PIN) from the IRS or have you been a victim		
•	of identity theft? If yes, attach the IRS letter.  Did you reside in or operate a business in a Federally declared disaster area?  The Federally declared disaster areas include hurricane and tropical storm victims in Georgia, Florida, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands and parts of Texas, Louisiana and South Carolina, as well as wildfire victims in California.		
D	ependent Information		
•	Were there any changes in dependents from the prior year? If yes, explain:		
•	Do you have any children under age 19 or a full-time student under age 24 with unearned (investment) income in excess of \$2,100?		
•	Do you have dependents who must file a tax return?  If yes, would you like for us to prepare this tax return?  Did you provide over half the support for any other person(s) other than your dependent		
	children during the year?  Did you pay for child care while you worked, looked for work, or while a full-time student?  Did you pay any expenses related to the adoption of a child during the year?  If you are divorced or separated with child(ren), do you have a divorce decree or other form of separation agreement which establishes custodial responsibilities?  Did any dependents receive an Identity Protection PIN (IP PIN) from the IRS or have they been a victim of identity theft? If yes, attach the IRS letter.		
P	urchases, Sales and Debt Information		
•	Did you start a new business or purchase rental property during the year?  Did you sell, exchange, or purchase any assets used in your trade or business?  Did you acquire a new or additional interest in a partnership or S corporation?  Did you sell, exchange, or purchase any real estate during the year?  Did you purchase or sell a principal residence during the year?  Did you foreclose or abandon a principal residence or real property during the year?  Did you acquire or dispose of any stock during the year?  Did you refinance a principal residence or second home this year?  Did you sell an existing business, rental, or other property this year?  Did you lend money with the understanding of repayment and this year it became totally uncollectable?		
•	Did you have any debts canceled or forgiven this year, such as a home mortgage or student loan(s)?		
•	Did you purchase a qualified plug-in electric drive vehicle or qualified fuel cell vehicle this year?		

Iı	ncome Information	Yes	No
•	Did you have any foreign income or pay any foreign taxes during the year, directly or indirectly, such as from investment accounts, partnerships or a foreign employer? Did you receive any income from property sold prior to this year? Did you receive any unemployment benefits during the year? Did you receive any disability income during the year? Did you receive tip income not reported to your employer this year? Did any of your life insurance policies mature, or did you surrender any policies? Did you receive any awards, prizes, hobby income, gambling or lottery winnings? Do you expect a large fluctuation in income, deductions, or withholding next year?		
R	Retirement Information		
•	Are you an active participant in a pension or retirement plan? Did you receive any Social Security benefits during the year? Did you make any withdrawals from an IRA, Roth, myRA, Keogh, SIMPLE, SEP, 401(k), or other qualified retirement plan?		
•	If yes, were any withdrawals due to a Federally declared disaster?  Did you receive any lump-sum payments from a pension, profit sharing or 401(k) plan?  Did you make any contributions to an IRA, Roth, myRA, Keogh, SIMPLE, SEP, 401(k), or other qualified retirement plan?		
E	ducation Information		
•	Did you, your spouse, or your dependents attend a post-secondary school during the year, or plan to attend one in the coming year?		
•	Did you have any educational expenses during the year on behalf of yourself, your spouse, or a dependent? If yes, attach any Form(s) 1098-T and receipts for qualified tuition and related expenses		
•	Did anyone in your family receive a scholarship of any kind during the year?  If yes, were any of the scholarship funds used for expenses other than tuition, such as room and board?		
•	Did you make any withdrawals from an education savings or 529 Plan account? Did you make any contributions to an education savings or 529 Plan account? Did you pay any student loan interest this year? Did you cash any Series EE or I U.S. Savings bonds issued after 1989? Would you like a worksheet to aid in the completion of a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) with the U.S. Department of Education?		
H	lealth Care Information		
•	Did you have qualifying health care coverage, such as employer-sponsored coverage or government-sponsored coverage (i.e. Medicare/Medicaid) for your family? "Your family" for health care coverage refers to you, your spouse if filing jointly, and anyone you can claim as a dependent. If yes, attach any Form(s) 1095-B and/or 1095-you received.		
•	Did anyone in your family qualify for an exemption from the health care coverage mandate? Examples of exemptions include (but are not limited to) certain non-citizens, members of a health care sharing ministry, members of Federally-recognized Indian tribes, and exemptions requested from the Marketplace. If yes, attach the Exemption Certificate Number (ECN) or type of exemption.		

Health Care Information Continued			No
•	Did you enroll for lower cost Marketplace Coverage through healthcare.gov under the Affordable Care Act? If yes, attach any Form(s) 1095-A you received. Did you enroll for lower cost Marketplace Coverage through healthcare.gov under the Affordable Care Act		
	and share a policy with anyone who is not included in your family?		
	Did you make any contributions to a Health savings account (HSA) or Archer MSA?		
•	Did you receive any distributions from a Health savings account (HSA), Archer MSA, or		
	Medicare Advantage MSA this year?		
•	If yes, were they used exclusively for qualified medical expenses?		
•	Did you pay long-term care premiums for yourself or your family?		
•	Did you make any contributions to an ABLE (Achieving a Better Life Experience) account?		
	If yes, attach any Form(s) 5498-QA you received.		
•	Did you receive any withdrawals from an ABLE (Achieving a Better Life Experience)		
	account? If yes, attach any Form(s) 1099-QA you received.		
•	Did you receive any Health Coverage Tax Credit (HCTC) advance payments? If yes, attach		
	any Form(s) 1099-H you received.		
It	emized Deduction Information		
•	Did you incur a casualty or theft loss or any condemnation awards during the year?		
•	If yes, did the loss occur in a Federally declared disaster area?		
•	Did you pay out-of-pocket medical expenses (Co-pays, prescription drugs, etc.)?		
•	Did you make any cash or noncash charitable contributions (clothes, furniture, etc.)?		
•	If yes, please provide evidence such as a receipt from the donee organization, a canceled		
	check, or record of payment, to substantiate all contributions made.		
•	Did you donate a vehicle or boat during the year? If yes, attach Form 1098-C or other		
	written acknowledgment from the donee organization.		
•	Did you pay real estate taxes for your primary home and/or second home?		
•	Did you pay any mortgage interest on an existing home loan? If yes, attach any Form(s) 1098 you received.		
	Did you take out a home equity loan this year?		
	Did you incur interest expenses associated with any investment accounts you held?		
	Did you have an expense account or allowance during the year?		
•	Did you use your car on the job, for other than commuting?		
•	Did you work out of town for part of the year?		
•	Did you have any expenses related to seeking a new job during the year?		
•	Did you make any major purchases during the year (cars, boats, etc.)?		
•	Did you make any out-of-state purchases (by telephone, internet, mail, or in person) for		
	which the seller did not collect state sales or use tax?		

M	iscellaneous Information	Yes	No
•	Did you make gifts of more than \$14,000 to any individual?		
•	Did you utilize an area of your home for business purposes?		
•	Did you engage in any bartering transactions?		
•	Did you retire or change jobs this year?		
•	Did you incur moving costs because of a job change?		
•	Did you pay any individual as a household employee during the year?		
•	Did you make energy efficient improvements to your main home this year?		
•	Did you receive a distribution from, or were you a grantor or transferor for a foreign trust?		
•	Did you have a financial interest in or signature authority over a financial account such as a bank account, securities account, or brokerage account, located in a foreign country?		
•	Do you have any foreign financial accounts, foreign financial assets, or hold interest in a		
	foreign entity?		
•	Did you receive correspondence from the State or the IRS?		
	If yes, explain:		
•	Do you have previous years of tax returns that are either unfiled or filed with unpaid		
	balances due?		
•	Do you want to designate \$3 to the Presidential Election Campaign Fund? If you check yes,		
	it will not change your tax or reduce your refund.		

General: 1040		Personal I	nformation		
Filing (Marital) status code (1 = Mark if you were married but			nte, 4 = Head of household, 5 = Quali Mark if your nonresider		
Social security number First name Last name Occupation Designate \$3.00 to the preside Mark if legally blind Mark if dependent of another Taxpayer between 19 & 23, fu with income less than 1/2 sup Date of birth Date of death	taxpayer ll-time student,	naign fund? (1 = Yes, 2 =	No, 3 = Blank)		
Work/daytime telephone nun	nber/ext number				
General: 1040, Contact		Present Mai	ling Address		
Address Apartment number City, State, and Postal code/Zi Foreign country name Foreign phone number Home/evening telephone nur Taxpayer email address Spouse email address	•				
General: 1040		Dependent	Information		
First Name	Last Name	Date of Birth	Social Security No.	Relationship	Care Months expenses in paid for home dependen
Credits: 2441	Chil	d and Depend	lent Care Expense	s	
Provider information: Business name First and Last name			· · · · · · ·	-	
Street address City, State, and Zip code Social security number OR Tax Exempt or Living Abroa Amount paid to care provide	ad Foreign Care Prov				
Employer-provided dependen	t care benefits that	were forfeited	TAXPAYER		SPOUSE
Health Care: Coverage		Health Car	re Coverage		
Your family for healtl  Was your entire family covere			use if filing jointly, and ar	yone you can claim a 2017 Informat	Prior Year
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## General: Bank Direct Deposit/Electronic Funds Withdraw Information

Per IRS Security Summit requirement account below. If you would like to l enter information in the fields belo	have a refund direct deposited int	o or a balance due debited	d from your bank acco	ount(s), please
Mark to verify all accounts listed below	have been reviewed, updated as no	eeded, and are correct.		
Primary account:				
Financial institution routing transit no Name of financial institution Your account number Type of account (1 = Savings, 2 = Checking, 3 Mark if married filing jointly and this Mark if financial institution is foreign	= IRA*) <b>is a joint account</b> (Both taxpayer and spo			
Enter the maximum dollar amount, o		Dollar	or Percent (xxx.xx)	
Secondary account #1:				
Financial institution routing transit no Name of financial institution Your account number				
Type of account (1 = Savings, 2 = Checking, 3 Mark if married filing jointly and this Mark if financial institution is foreign Enter the maximum dollar amount, o	is a joint account (Both taxpayer and spobased (Not located in the territorial jurisdiction)		or Percent (xxx.xx)	
Secondary account #2:				
Financial institution routing transit no Name of financial institution Your account number Type of account (1 = Savings, 2 = Checking, 3 Mark if married filing jointly and this Mark if financial institution is foreign Enter the maximum dollar amount, o	= IRA*)  is a joint account (Both taxpayer and spo  based (Not located in the territorial jurisdiction		or Percent (xxx.xx)	
*Refunds may only be direct deposited to	established traditional, Roth or SEP-IRA accounts	. Make sure direct deposits will be acce	epted by the bank or financial i	nstitution.
Electronic Filing: ID Auth	Identity Authe	ntication		
Taxpayer -				
Form of identification (1 = Driver's license, Identification number Issue date Expiration date Location of issuance	2 = State issued identification)			_
Document number (New York only)				
Spouse -				
Form of identification (1 = Driver's license, Identification number	2 = State issued identification)			
Issue date				
Expiration date  Location of issuance				
Document number (New York only)				

Notes/Questions

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**BANK & IDENTITY AUTHENTICATION** 

Form ID: Notes		Notes to Prepar	er		
Si	ubmit questions and բ	provide additional informat	ion to your tax preparer h	ere.	
Taxpayer name	(s)				_
Social security r	number				_
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