

## Individual Client Questionnaire

Enclosed are five pages of questions that we are requesting every client complete and return with your tax documents in order for us to accurately prepare your individual returns.

This is the only portion of the client organizer that we are requiring you to complete. If you received a full organizer in the mail, you may complete the entire document if you prefer, but only the five pages of questions are required.

You may print off and return the completed form to us with your client documentation via mail, our ShareFile secure file transfer system, your client portal, or feel free to drop them off in person.

We encourage you to turn in your tax documents as early as possible! The filing deadline for individual tax returns is April 15, 2019. In order to meet this filing deadline, we should receive all the information needed to complete your return no later than March 20, 2018.

If we receive information after March 20<sup>th</sup>, we may have to file for an extension of time to complete these returns.



The following questions pertain to the 2018 tax year. For any question answered Yes, include supporting detail or documents.

Personal Information:

- Did your marital status change?  Yes  No
- Are you married?  Yes  No
- If Yes, do you and your spouse want to file separate returns?  Yes  No
- If No, are you in a domestic partnership, civil union, or other state-defined relationship?  Yes  No
- Can you or your spouse be claimed as a dependent by another taxpayer?  Yes  No
- Did you or your spouse serve in the military or were you or your spouse on active duty?  Yes  No

Dependents:

- Were there any changes in dependents from the prior year?  Yes  No
- Note: Include non-child dependents for whom you provided more than half the support.
- Did you or your spouse pay for child care while you or your spouse worked or looked for work?  Yes  No
- Do you have any children under age 18 with unearned income more than \$1,050?  Yes  No
- Do you have any children age 18 or student children, aged 19 to 23, who did not provide more than half of their cost of support with earned income and that have unearned income of more than \$1,050?  Yes  No
- Did you adopt a child or begin adoption proceedings?  Yes  No
- Are any of your dependents non-U.S. citizens or non-U.S. residents?  Yes  No

Healthcare:

- Did you have healthcare coverage (health insurance, including Medicare, Medicaid, CHIP, and TRICARE) for you, your spouse, and any dependents for the entire year?  Yes  No
- If Yes, include all Forms 1095-A, 1095-B, and 1095-C. If you did not receive Forms 1095-A, 1095-B or 1095-C, attach information detailing each month you, your spouse, and your dependents had coverage.
- If No, there are several exemptions from the mandate requiring health insurance coverage. Examples include membership in a healthcare sharing ministry, membership in a federally recognized Indian tribe, incarceration, membership in certain religious sects, and enrollment in certain Medicaid and TRICARE programs that do not provide minimum essential coverage. If any of these provisions apply, provide information regarding the exemption, the individual(s) (taxpayer, spouse, dependents) to which the exemption(s) may apply, and the month(s) for which the exemption(s) apply.
- Are you claiming the exemption for someone having healthcare coverage purchased in the Marketplace and for whom you did not receive Form 1095-A?  Yes  No
- Did you receive Form 1095-A for someone for whom another taxpayer will claim the personal exemption on their tax return?  Yes  No
- Did you apply for an exemption through the Marketplace?  Yes  No
- If Yes, provide the Exemption Certificate Number. \_\_\_\_\_
- Are any of your dependents required to file a tax return?  Yes  No



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Healthcare (continued):

- Was anyone covered on your health insurance policy also covered on another health insurance policy for any part of the year?  Yes  No
- Were you eligible for employer-sponsored healthcare coverage?  Yes  No
- If you received advance premium tax credit or enrolled in coverage through the Marketplace, are married, and are filing separately from your spouse, are you a victim of domestic abuse or spousal abandonment?  Yes  No
- Did you or your spouse have any transactions pertaining to a health savings account (HSA)?  Yes  No  
If you received a distribution from an HSA, include all Forms 1099-SA.
- Did you or your spouse have any transactions pertaining to a medical savings account (MSA)?  Yes  No  
If you received a distribution from an MSA, include all Forms 1099-SA.
- Did you or your spouse receive any distributions from long-term care insurance contracts?  Yes  No  
If Yes, include all Forms 1099-LTC.
- If you or your spouse are self-employed, are you or your spouse eligible to be covered under an employer's health plan at another job?  Yes  No  
If Yes, how many months were you covered? \_\_\_\_\_
- If you or your spouse are self-employed, are you or your spouse eligible to be covered under an employer's long-term care plan at another job?  Yes  No  
If Yes, how many months were you covered? \_\_\_\_\_
- Did you or your spouse lose your job because of foreign competition and pay for your own health insurance?  Yes  No

Education:

- Did you or your spouse pay any student loan interest?  Yes  No
- Did you or your spouse withdraw any amounts from your IRA to pay for higher education expenses incurred by you, your spouse, your children or grandchildren?  Yes  No
- Did you or your spouse withdraw any amounts from a Coverdell Education Savings Account or Qualified Education Program (Section 529 plan)?  Yes  No  
If Yes, include all Forms 1099-Q.
- Did you, your spouse, or your dependents incur any post-secondary education expenses, such as tuition?  Yes  No

Deductions and Credits:

- Did you or your spouse contribute property (other than cash) with a fair market value of more than \$5,000 to a charitable organization?  Yes  No  
If Yes, provide the appraisal of property contributed. An appraisal is not required for contributions of publicly traded securities or contributions of non-publicly traded stock of \$10,000 or less.
- Did you or your spouse incur any casualty or theft losses?  Yes  No
- Did you or your spouse make any large purchases, such as motor vehicles and boats?  Yes  No
- Did you or your spouse incur any casualty or loss attributable to a federally declared disaster?  Yes  No
- Did you or your spouse purchase a new alternative technology vehicle, including a qualified plug-in electric drive motor vehicle?  Yes  No
- Did you or your spouse use gasoline or special fuels for business or farm purposes (other than for a highway vehicle)?  Yes  No  
If Yes, provide the number of gallons of gasoline or special fuels used for off-highway business purposes.  
\_\_\_\_\_ Gallons \_\_\_\_\_ Type
- Did you or your spouse install any alternative energy equipment in your residence such as solar water heaters, solar electricity equipment (photovoltaic) or fuel cells?  Yes  No
- Did you or your spouse install any energy efficiency improvements or energy property in your residence such as exterior doors or windows, insulation, heat pumps, furnaces, central air conditioners, or water heaters?  Yes  No



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Investments:

	Yes	No
Did you or your spouse have any debts canceled, forgiven or refinanced? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse start or purchase a business, rental property, or farm, or acquire any new interest in any partnership or S corporation? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse sell an existing business, rental property, farm, or any existing interest in a partnership or S corporation? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse sell, exchange, or purchase any real estate? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, include closing statements.		
Did you or your spouse receive grants of stock options from your employer, exercise any stock options granted to you or your spouse or dispose of any stock acquired under a qualified employee stock purchase plan? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse engage in any put or call transactions? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, provide the transaction details.		
Did you or your spouse close any open short sales? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse sell any securities not reported on Form 1099-B? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Retirement or Severance:

Did you or your spouse contribute to a Roth IRA or convert an existing IRA into a Roth IRA? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse roll into a Roth IRA any distributions from a retirement plan, an annuity plan, tax shelter annuity or deferred compensation plan? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse turn age 70 1/2 and have money in an IRA or other retirement account without taking any distribution? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse retire or change jobs? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse receive deferred, retirement or severance compensation? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, enter the date received (Mo/Da/Yr). _____		

Personal Residence:

Did your address change? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, provide the new address.		
If Yes, did you move to a different home because of a change in the location of your job? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse claim a homebuyer credit for a home purchased in 2008? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse withdraw any amounts from your Individual Retirement Account (IRA) or Roth IRA to acquire a principal residence? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are your total mortgages on your first and/or second residence greater than \$1,000,000? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, provide the principal balance and interest rate at the beginning and end of the year. _____		
Did you or your spouse take out a home equity loan? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse have an outstanding home equity loan at the end of the year? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, provide the principal balance and interest rate at the beginning and end of the year. _____		
Are you claiming a deduction for mortgage interest paid to a financial institution and someone else received the Form 1098? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your mortgagee receive mortgage assistance payments? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, include all Forms 1098-MA.		



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## Sale of Your Home:

	Yes	No
Did you sell your home? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you receive Form 1099-S? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, include Form 1099-S.		
Did you or your spouse own and occupy the home as your principal residence for at least two years of the five-year period prior to the sale? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse ever rent out the property? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse ever use any portion of the home for business purposes? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you or your spouse sold a principal residence within the last two years? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
At the time of the sale, the residence was owned by the: <input type="checkbox"/> Taxpayer <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Both		

## Gifts:

Did you or your spouse make any gifts, including birthday, holiday, anniversary, graduation, education savings, etc., with a total (aggregate) value in excess of \$15,000 to any individual? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse make any gifts of difficult-to-value assets (such as non-publicly traded stock) to any person regardless of value? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse make any gifts to a trust for any amount? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Do you or your spouse have a life insurance trust? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse assist with the purchase of any asset (auto, home) for any individual? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse forgive any indebtedness to any individual, trust or entity? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Foreign Matters:

Did you or your spouse perform any work outside of the U.S. or pay any foreign taxes? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Were you or your spouse a grantor or transferor for a foreign trust, have any interest in or a signature authority over a bank account, securities account or other financial account in a foreign country? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse create or transfer money or property to a foreign trust? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse own any foreign financial assets? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Were you or your spouse subject to the transition tax on undistributed foreign income and elect to pay the tax in installments? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse have an interest in an S corporation that had undistributed foreign income subject to the transition tax? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, did the corporation cease to be an S corporation? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, was there a sale or liquidation of substantially all of the corporation's assets or did the corporation cease business? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, did you or your spouse transfer any share of stock in the corporation? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



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**Miscellaneous:**

	Yes	No
Did you or your spouse pay in excess of \$1,000 in any quarter, or \$2,100 during the year for domestic services performed in or around your home to individuals who could be considered household employees? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse receive unreported tip income of \$20 or more in any month? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you or your spouse received a punitive damage award or an award for damages other than for physical injuries or illness? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse engage in any bartering transactions? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Were you or your spouse notified by the IRS or other taxing authority of any changes in prior year returns? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
For any trust that you or your spouse created or are trustee, did any beneficiaries, grantors, or trustees die or move? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you or your spouse sell or exchange Bitcoin or other cryptocurrencies or engage in any sales or exchanges denominated in Bitcoin or other cryptocurrencies? .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Additional state pages have been included at the back of the organizer and should be reviewed.**

If you will be out of town between March 20th and April 15th please indicate this here:

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**ESTIMATED TAX PAYMENTS**

Federal Payments - <b>2018</b>	Due Date	Date Paid if not Due Date	Amount Paid
1st Quarter	4/15/2018		
2nd Quarter	6/15/2018		
3rd Quarter	9/15/2018		
4th Quarter	1/15/2019		

Minnesota Payments - <b>2018</b>	Due Date	Date Paid if not Due Date	Amount Paid
1st Quarter	4/15/2018		
2nd Quarter	6/15/2018		
3rd Quarter	9/15/2018		
4th Quarter	1/15/2019		

*Indicate date MN 4th Quarter estimate was paid*

Other State Payments - <b>2018</b>	Due Date	Date Paid if not Due Date	Amount Paid
1st Quarter	4/15/2018		
2nd Quarter	6/15/2018		
3rd Quarter	9/15/2018		
4th Quarter	1/15/2019		

For 2019 Estimated tax payments:

Do you expect any significant changes to occur in 2019?

- A change in marital status
- A change in the number of dependents
- A substantial change in your income
- A substantial change in your withholding
- A substantial change in deductions

<b>YES</b>

<b>NO</b>

If yes, explain below.

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