



## TAX CHECKLIST: 2023 tax year

**STEP 1:** Determine how you'll be able to complete this checklist

- **Mac Users:** You likely cannot use the "Fill-In" feature. If so, you'll have to print & manually complete entries.
- **Others:** You should be able to use "Fill-In" feature. Before beginning, save file to your desktop with new name.

**STEP 2:** Enter Basic Taxpayer Information & Refund Preference data on this page

- Returning clients with no changes from last year can just enter Name(s) and check Certification Box
- Use "Additional Notes" section for any supplementary information you'd like to provide.

**STEP 3:** Complete sections on subsequent pages, as follows

- Do NOT provide receipts unless otherwise indicated...retain receipts for your own records.
- Some items will specify the need to complete specific Worksheets. These are located on our website.
- **\*\*\* Completion of the page 5 Engagement Agreement is required in order for us to proceed. \*\*\***

### BASIC TAXPAYER INFORMATION / CERTIFICATION:

Taxpayer's Last Name, First		Spouse's Last, First	
Taxpayer's Date of Birth		Spouse's D.O.B.	
* Taxpayer's Cell Phone #		Spouse's Cell #	
Taxpayer's Email		Spouse's Email	
Primary Home Address		City, State, Zip	
If you moved to a new state during the tax year, on what date did you move?			

*\* By completing our Engagement Agreement (pg 5), you agree to receive text messages from us to notify you of updates & emails during our tax prep process. You understand data rates may apply and you can reply STOP to opt out at any time.*

### REFUND PREFERENCE (select ONE of the three options below & provide info for chosen option, or No Changes):

<input type="checkbox"/> <u>No Changes from last year</u> (indicates opting to use last year's preferences; no need to complete info below)	
1) <u>Direct Deposit</u> into Bank Account	<input type="checkbox"/> Checking <input type="checkbox"/> Savings
Bank Routing Number (from lower left of checks)	
Bank Account Number (from bank stmt or checks)	
2) OR, <u>Apply to Next Year's</u> Tax Estimates	<input type="checkbox"/> Don't refund money; Apply to next year
3) OR, <u>Paper Check</u> Mailed to You	<input type="checkbox"/> Mail to above primary address <input type="checkbox"/> Mail to other

*\*\* If you have a balance due, we'll provide payment options upon completing your tax return*

### ADDITIONAL NOTES:



**GENERAL QUESTIONS:**

<b>Mark checkbox to indicate if item applies</b>	<b>Provide the following for applicable items</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Have an IRS ID Theft PIN?	Provide IRS Letter CP01A, or actual ID Protection # from the IRS.
<input type="checkbox"/> Kids w/ <u>investment</u> income >\$1,250? <i>(only for kids &lt; 19, or 24 if student)</i>	Indicating if this applies is sufficient. We'll have further questions.
<input type="checkbox"/> Being claimed as dependent by other?	Indicating if this applies is sufficient. We'll have further questions.
<input type="checkbox"/> Make gifts >\$17,000 to <u>an individual</u> ? <i>(includes monetary &amp; property)</i>	Indicating if this applies is sufficient. We'll have further questions.
<input type="checkbox"/> Refinance a home?	Settlement Statement from escrow <i>(or Closing Disclosure form)</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Make estimated income tax payments, <u>not including</u> normal paycheck withholdings <i>(W2 withholdings)</i> ?	Provide completed estimated tax records sheets <i>OR, Provide payee, date, and amount for each quarterly payment (i.e. - IRS.....June 15.....\$1,500)</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Any taxpayers not covered by health insurance all year?	Name of uninsured: List of months uninsured:
<input type="checkbox"/> Have insurance through Covered CA?	1095-A <i>(we don't need actual insurance statements)</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Anybody <i>(non-child)</i> you support whom you may claim as a dependent?	Indicating if this applies is sufficient. We'll have further questions.
<input type="checkbox"/> Any taxpayers or dependents on your tax return NOT citizens of the U.S.?	Indicating if this applies is sufficient. We'll have further questions.
<input type="checkbox"/> Did you pay any household employee <i>(nanny, housekeeper, gardener, etc.)</i> > \$2,600 in 2023 or > \$1k any quarter?	Provide Schedule H from Payroll company, <u>OR</u> if you don't have one, simply indicating if this applies is sufficient. We'll have further questions. <a href="#">Click Here</a> for more info on Household Employment.

**CHANGES FROM PRIOR YEAR TAX RETURN:**

<b>Mark checkbox to indicate if item applies</b>	<b>Provide the following for applicable items</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> First Year Tax Client <i>(to us)</i>	Previous year's Federal & State Tax Returns	
<input type="checkbox"/> Name Change	Old name:	New name:
<input type="checkbox"/> Marital Status	Old status:	New status:
<input type="checkbox"/> Job Title	Old title:	New title:
<input type="checkbox"/> Had Baby <input type="checkbox"/> Adopted Child	Full name: Relationship:	Soc Sec #: Birthdate:
<input type="checkbox"/> Child Started College	Name of child:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Child Done with College	Name of child:	
<input type="checkbox"/> No Longer Claiming Dependent	Name: Change reason:	



## INCOME:

<u>Mark checkbox to indicate if item applies</u>	<u>Provide the following for applicable items</u>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Employee Pay ( <i>wages, salaries, etc.</i> )	W2 ( <i>we don't need paystubs</i> )	
<input type="checkbox"/> Interest Earnings	1099-INT ( <i>we don't need bank statements</i> )	
<input type="checkbox"/> Dividends Earnings	1099-DIV ( <i>we don't need bank statements</i> )	
<input type="checkbox"/> Home Sale	Settlement Statement from escrow ( <i>or Closing Disclosure form</i> ) + <a href="#">Home Sale Worksheet</a> + 1099-S ( <i>from escrow</i> )	
<input type="checkbox"/> State Refund ( <i>from prior year tax return</i> )	1099-G ( <i>we don't need copy of check</i> )	
<input type="checkbox"/> Alimony Received ( <i>only applies for divorces before 1/1/2018</i> )	Amount Received: \$	Separation/Divorce Date:
	Payer Name:	Payer SSN:
<input type="checkbox"/> Business/Self-Employment Independent Contract/Side Work	<a href="#">Self-Employed Worksheets</a> ( <i>we don't need receipts or spreadsheets</i> ) + 1099-NEC, if applicable	
<input type="checkbox"/> Stock/Mutual Fund Sales ( <i>including virtual/crypto-currency</i> )	1099-B ( <i>we don't need year-end summaries or statements</i> ) OR if you don't have 1099-B...provide stock name, purchase date, purchase price, sale date, and sale price	
<input type="checkbox"/> Retirement Account <u>Distributions</u> ( <i>Pension, IRA's, annuities, etc</i> )	1099-R ( <i>we don't need award letters or bank statements</i> )	
<input type="checkbox"/> Rental Real Estate	<a href="#">Rental Property Worksheet</a> ( <i>we don't need receipts or statements</i> ) + 1099-MISC, if applicable	
<input type="checkbox"/> Partnership/S-Corp <u>Involvement</u>	K1 (1065) or K1 (1120-S)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Trust Income	K1 (1041)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Unemployment Compensation	1099-G	
<input type="checkbox"/> Paid Family Leave	1099-G	
<input type="checkbox"/> Social Security Benefits	1099-SSA ( <i>we don't need award letters or bank statements</i> )	
<input type="checkbox"/> Jury Duty Pay	Amount Received ( <i>net of travel reimbursements</i> ): \$ Compensated by your employer during jury duty? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	
<input type="checkbox"/> Gambling Earnings	W2-G ( <i>also, provide info on loss amounts, if applicable</i> )	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cancellation of Debt	1099-C	
<input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Income ( <i>apart from 1099-DIV</i> )	Indicating if this applies is sufficient. We'll have further questions.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Assets ( <i>financial accounts, etc</i> )	Indicating if this applies is sufficient. We'll have further questions.	
<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Owner</u> of LLC, C-Corp, S-Corp, or Partnership?	Indicating if this applies is sufficient. We'll have further questions.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other Income ( <i>not provided above</i> )	Provide corresponding forms and/or explanation	



### ADJUSTMENTS TO INCOME:

Mark checkbox to indicate if item applies	Provide the following for applicable items	
<input type="checkbox"/> Educator Expenses ( <i>K-12 teacher, counselor, principal &gt;900 hours worked</i> )	Amount (1 <sup>st</sup> taxpayer): \$ Amount (2 <sup>nd</sup> taxpayer): \$	
<input type="checkbox"/> Health Savings Account Contributions ( <i>HSA's only; <u>not</u> employer FSA's</i> )	Amount (1 <sup>st</sup> taxpayer): \$ Amount (2 <sup>nd</sup> taxpayer): \$	
<input type="checkbox"/> Moving Expenses ( <i>n/a if &lt;50 mile move</i> )	Amount Paid: \$	
<input type="checkbox"/> Alimony Paid Out ( <i>only applies for divorces before 1/1/2018</i> )	Amount Paid: \$	Separation/Divorce Date:
	Payer Name:	Payer SSN:
<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Self-Employed</u> Retirement Plan Contributions ( <i>SEP, Solo 401k, etc.</i> )	Amount (1 <sup>st</sup> taxpayer): \$ Amount (2 <sup>nd</sup> taxpayer): \$	
<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Traditional</u> IRA Contributions ( <i>do <u>NOT</u> include employer 401k</i> )	Amount (1 <sup>st</sup> taxpayer): \$ Amount (2 <sup>nd</sup> taxpayer): \$	
<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Roth</u> IRA Contributions ( <i>do <u>NOT</u> include employer 401k</i> )	Amount (1 <sup>st</sup> taxpayer): \$ Amount (2 <sup>nd</sup> taxpayer): \$	
<input type="checkbox"/> "Backdoor" Roth IRA	Indicating if this applies is sufficient. We'll have further questions.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Student Loan Interest/Tuition Paid	<input type="checkbox"/> 1098-E <input type="checkbox"/> 1098-T	
<input type="checkbox"/> Attorney Fees ( <i>unlawful discrimination</i> )	Attorney Fees Statement	

### DEDUCTIONS / CREDITS:

<input type="checkbox"/> Medical/Dental Expenses ( <i>not paid by insurance, HSA, or FSA</i> )	Simply indicate if you had total expenses approaching 7.5% of your income. We'll have further questions to breakdown figures, etc.
<input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate Taxes ( <i>non-rental props</i> )	Tax Bills (**indicate which installments <u>actually paid in tax year</u> **)
<input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Registration Renewal Fees ( <i>only the <u>License Fee</u> portion is deductible</i> )	Registration Renewal Form <u>for each Vehicle</u> OR, Fee Page <u>for each Vehicle</u> from DMV website - For CA, <a href="#">click here</a>
<input type="checkbox"/> Mortgage Interest/RV ( <i>non-rentals</i> )	1098 from Bank/Lender + Monthly Mortgage Statement ( <i>most recent</i> )
<input type="checkbox"/> Home Purchase	Settlement Statement from escrow ( <i>or Closing Disclosure form</i> )
<input type="checkbox"/> Monetary Donations ( <i>not GoFundMe</i> )	Total Amount Donated: \$                      ( <i>we <u>don't</u> need donation receipts</i> )
<input type="checkbox"/> Miles Driven for Charitable Causes	Total Miles Driven:
<input type="checkbox"/> Property Donations to an organization ( <i>clothing, furniture, etc.</i> )	Fair Market Value of Donations ( <i>if &lt;\$500</i> ): \$ <i>If &gt;\$500 value, <a href="#">Property Donation Worksheet</a> (we <u>don't</u> need receipts)</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Employee Expenses ( <i>if &gt;2% of income</i> )	<a href="#">Employee Deductions Worksheet</a> ( <i>we <u>don't</u> need receipts or statements</i> )
<input type="checkbox"/> Child/Dependent Care ( <i>kids &lt; 13 yrs old</i> )	<a href="#">Child &amp; Dependent Care Expenses Worksheet</a> ( <i>we <u>don't</u> need receipts</i> )
<input type="checkbox"/> 529 Savings Contributions	Amount ( <i>all children</i> ): \$
<input type="checkbox"/> Purchase Solar/Energy, or Electric Car	Paperwork from Vendor who sold you the item ( <i>see <a href="#">EV credit specifics</a></i> )



### ENGAGEMENT AGREEMENT:

By entering your full name and date below, you are engaging Peshke Financial Inc to prepare and file your 2023 Individual Income Tax Returns (*federal & state, if applicable*). This Engagement Agreement, along with our Terms of Service Agreement and Privacy Policy, constitutes the entire agreement between you (*the undersigned*) and Peshke Financial Inc, and confirms the terms of our engagement and the nature, timing and limitations of the services we will provide. You affirm that you have read this Engagement Agreement, along with the Terms of Service Agreement and Privacy Policy (*both of which are located on our website at the links provided below*) and agree with the terms therein.

- Terms of Service Agreement: [www.PeshkeFinancial.com/terms-of-service](http://www.PeshkeFinancial.com/terms-of-service)
- Privacy Policy: [www.PeshkeFinancial.com/privacy-policy](http://www.PeshkeFinancial.com/privacy-policy)
- [Click Here](#) to view added details about our Tax Prep Services, including audit support & client guarantee info.

If you have any questions concerning any of the above, including the Terms of Service Agreement or Privacy Policy, please contact our office. If you do not have questions, please print your name and date where indicated below.

Thank you again for the opportunity to serve you!

Taxpayer's Last Name, First		Spouse's Last, First	
Date Acknowledged		Date Acknowledged	