

2023 EMPLOYEE INFORMATION PACKET

Please fill out all information fully and completely

Below is a list of what's in this packet, why we need it, and notes to help you.

2023 W4 Form

This tells us what to withhold for Federal taxes from your paycheck. We will not make any changes to withholdings without an updated W4 form. For instructions please visit <https://www.irs.gov/forms-pubs/about-form-w-4>

2023 EDD Form

This tells us what to withhold for Federal taxes from your paycheck. We will not make any changes to withholdings without an updated W4 form. For instructions please visit https://edd.ca.gov/siteassets/files/pdf_pub_ctr/de4.pdf

Direct Deposit Authorization

This form allows you to confirm the information you would like us to use for direct deposit of your paycheck! It also includes important information that helps us properly enroll you in the state-mandated CalSavers program, and grant you access to your pay stubs online. If you are not using direct deposit, please only fill out the information under the "Important" section at the bottom.

INSTRUCTIONS TO RETURN THIS PACKET:

1. Fill each page in completely - All fields are important
2. Do not use a PO Box for your address wherever it is required
3. Fill this form out neatly. Typing your answers is recommended, especially on your direct deposit form (if applicable)
4. Take a very clear photo of your Drivers License
5. Return this packet along with your Driver's License photo

Employee's Withholding Certificate

Complete Form W-4 so that your employer can withhold the correct federal income tax from your pay.

Give Form W-4 to your employer.

Your withholding is subject to review by the IRS.

2023**Step 1:**
Enter
Personal
Information

(a) First name and middle initial	Last name	(b) Social security number
Address		Does your name match the name on your social security card? If not, to ensure you get credit for your earnings, contact SSA at 800-772-1213 or go to www.ssa.gov .
City or town, state, and ZIP code		
(c) <input type="checkbox"/> Single or Married filing separately <input type="checkbox"/> Married filing jointly or Qualifying surviving spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Head of household (Check only if you're unmarried and pay more than half the costs of keeping up a home for yourself and a qualifying individual.)		

Complete Steps 2–4 ONLY if they apply to you; otherwise, skip to Step 5. See page 2 for more information on each step, who can claim exemption from withholding, other details, and privacy.

Step 2:
Multiple Jobs
or Spouse
Works

Complete this step if you (1) hold more than one job at a time, or (2) are married filing jointly and your spouse also works. The correct amount of withholding depends on income earned from all of these jobs.

Do **only one** of the following.

- (a) Reserved for future use.
- (b) Use the Multiple Jobs Worksheet on page 3 and enter the result in Step 4(c) below; **or**
- (c) If there are only two jobs total, you may check this box. Do the same on Form W-4 for the other job. This option is generally more accurate than (b) if pay at the lower paying job is more than half of the pay at the higher paying job. Otherwise, (b) is more accurate ☐

TIP: If you have self-employment income, see page 2.

Complete Steps 3–4(b) on Form W-4 for only **ONE** of these jobs. Leave those steps blank for the other jobs. (Your withholding will be most accurate if you complete Steps 3–4(b) on the Form W-4 for the highest paying job.)

Step 3: Claim Dependent and Other Credits	If your total income will be \$200,000 or less (\$400,000 or less if married filing jointly): Multiply the number of qualifying children under age 17 by \$2,000 \$ _____ Multiply the number of other dependents by \$500 \$ _____ Add the amounts above for qualifying children and other dependents. You may add to this the amount of any other credits. Enter the total here	3	\$
	Step 4 (optional): Other Adjustments (a) Other income (not from jobs). If you want tax withheld for other income you expect this year that won't have withholding, enter the amount of other income here. This may include interest, dividends, and retirement income	4(a)	\$
	(b) Deductions. If you expect to claim deductions other than the standard deduction and want to reduce your withholding, use the Deductions Worksheet on page 3 and enter the result here	4(b)	\$
	(c) Extra withholding. Enter any additional tax you want withheld each pay period . .	4(c)	\$

Step 5:
Sign
Here

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that this certificate, to the best of my knowledge and belief, is true, correct, and complete.

Employee's signature (This form is not valid unless you sign it.)

Date

Employers
Only

Employer's name and address	First date of employment	Employer identification number (EIN)
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Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate

Complete this form so that your employer can withhold the correct California state income tax from your paycheck.

Enter Personal Information	
First, Middle, Last Name	Social Security Number
Address	Filing Status
City State ZIP Code	Single or Married (with two or more incomes) Married (one income) Head of Household

1. Use Worksheet A for Regular Withholding allowances. Use other worksheets on the following pages as applicable.

- 1a. Number of Regular Withholding Allowances (Worksheet A)
- 1b. Number of allowances from the Estimated Deductions (Worksheet B, if applicable.)
- 1c. Total Number of Allowances you are claiming

2. Additional amount, if any, you want withheld each pay period (if employer agrees), (**Worksheet C**)
OR

Exemption from Withholding

- 3. I claim exemption from withholding for 2023, and I certify I meet both of the conditions for exemption. (Check box here)
OR
- 4. I certify under penalty of perjury that I am **not subject** to California withholding. I meet the conditions set forth under the Service Member Civil Relief Act, as amended by the Military Spouses Residency Relief Act and the Veterans Benefits and Transition Act of 2018. (Check box here)

Under the penalties of perjury, I certify that the number of withholding allowances claimed on this certificate does not exceed the number to which I am entitled or, if claiming exemption from withholding, that I am entitled to claim the exempt status.

Employee's Signature _____ Date _____

Employer's Section: Employer's Name and Address	California Employer Payroll Tax Account Number
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Purpose: This certificate, DE 4, is for **California Personal Income Tax (PIT)** withholding purposes only. The DE 4 is used to compute the amount of taxes to be withheld from your wages, by your employer, to accurately reflect your state tax withholding obligation.

Beginning January 1, 2020, *Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate* (Form W-4) from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) will be used for federal income tax withholding **only**. You must file the state form *Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate* (DE 4) to determine the appropriate California PIT withholding.

If you do not provide your employer with a withholding certificate, the employer must use Single with Zero withholding allowance.

Check Your Withholding: After your DE 4 takes effect, compare the state income tax withheld with your estimated total annual tax. For state withholding, use the worksheets on this form.

Exemption From Withholding: If you wish to claim exempt, complete the federal Form W-4 and the state DE 4. You may claim exempt from withholding California income tax if you meet both of the following conditions for exemption:

- 1. You did not owe any federal/state income tax last year, and
- 2. You do not expect to owe any federal/state income tax this year. The exemption is good for one year.

If you continue to qualify for the exempt filing status, a new DE 4 designating **exempt** must be submitted by February 15 each year to continue your exemption. If you are not having federal/state income tax withheld this year but expect to have a tax liability next year, you are required to give your employer a new DE 4 by December 1.

Member Service Civil Relief Act: Under this act, as provided by the Military Spouses Residency Relief Act and the Veterans Benefits and Transition Act of 2018, you may be exempt from California income tax withholding on your wages if

- (i) Your spouse is a member of the armed forces present in California in compliance with military orders;
- (ii) You are present in California solely to be with your spouse; and
- (iii) You maintain your domicile in another state.

If you claim exemption under **this** act, **check the box on Line 4**. You may be required to provide proof of exemption upon request.

Authorization for Direct Deposit

I authorize _____ to deposit my pay automatically to the account(s) indicated below and, if necessary, to adjust or reverse a deposit for any payroll entry made to my account in error. This authorization will remain in effect until I cancel it in writing and in such time as to afford _____ a reasonable opportunity to act on it.

Name on bank account: _____

Bank account number: _____ Checking: _____ Savings: _____

Bank routing number: _____

Amount: \$ _____ or entire paycheck: _____

***Balance of pay to:**

_____ Manual (paper check)

_____ Account described below

***Note:** Spilt payments are not available for contractors.

Name on bank account: _____

Bank account number: _____ Checking: _____ Savings: _____

Bank routing number: _____

Important: Please attach a voided check for each bank account to which funds should be deposited.

Employee/Contractor signature: _____

Date: _____ Email Address: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Postal Code: _____