# 2009 JAMES J. TOWEY, P.C. Information

Summarizer for Real Estate Sales

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CLIENT:	

# **Taxpayers E-mail Address:**

Home		
Work	(a)	

### PLEASE READ AND SIGN BEFORE PROCEEDING

#### 1) TAX RETURN ENGAGEMENT LETTER

Dear Client,

This letter confirms the arrangements for accounting and tax services that I will perform for you.

#### a) INTRODUCTION

In order to ensure a more complete understanding of the nature and extent of the services I agree to perform for you, I have included the following paragraphs my understanding of these arrangements and responsibilities.

I will prepare your federal income tax return, as well as any applicable state income tax returns for the year 2009, from information furnished to me by you. I will not audit or independently verify the data you submit. However, I could ask for explanation of some of the information. I have furnished this summarizer to guide you in gathering the information required for me to prepare and complete accurate tax returns.

## b) <u>FEE STRUCTURE</u>

My fee for these services will be based on the amount of required time that it takes me to prepare the returns at my standard rates. All invoices presented by my firm to you for services performed are payable upon completion of the work.

#### c) OTHER SERVICES

All returns filed with federal and state agencies are potentially subject to review by the taxing authorities. In the event that you should receive any correspondence or contact from one of these agencies, please contact me immediately. Resolution of many matters involving these agencies should be handled by my firm to minimize the potential aggravation to you. Additionally, should that contact represent a request for examination of your tax return, I will be available at your request, to represent you. Such additional services are not included in my fee for the preparation of these tax returns. Finally, if extensions to file your tax return are prepared by my office, there will be a \$40.00 additional fee per extension filed.

## d) <u>SIGNATURES REQUIRED</u>

To indicate your approval of this agreement, please sign in the space below. I am pleased to have you as a client and look forward to a long relationship.

Sincerely,		
James J. Towey		
Taxpayer	 Date	  Date

# The Tax Information Summarizer:

Attached, you will find a Tax Information Summarizer to assist you with organizing and summarizing your tax information. It is designed to not only remind you of the things you need to prepare for your tax return each year, but it also allows me to efficiently prepare your tax return from the data you organize and summarize.

# **Your Tax Return:**

I will prepare two (2) copies of your tax return(s) for you. One copy marked "Client Copy" has a cover sheet titled "Instructions for Filing Tax Return". These instructions clearly advise you what type of tax return was prepared, how much you are being refunded (or in some cases, owe), where to sign the tax return, and, where to mail the tax return. Please read the instructions carefully to ensure that you correctly file the second copy of your tax return(s) that has the green certified mail receipts attached. ALWAYS attempt to mail your tax return certified mail, return receipt requested!

In the case of electronic returns, your file will be sent directly to the IRS from my station, upon your acceptance or request. A copy of this return will be sent to you upon verification received by my office that the IRS has accepted your file. You will not need to do anything from that point forward. For instance, if a refund is due to you through direct deposit to your bank account, than upon receipt of your copy it will be your responsibility to gauge acceptance of that refund into your bank account. Meanwhile, your return has been accepted per the paperwork I attach to your file copy.

# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Full Legal: First Na	<u>me</u>	<u>MI</u>	<u>Last Name</u>	<u>\$\$#</u>	<b>Occupation</b>
Taxpayer (T)					
Spouse(S)					
Address					
City, State, Zip					
Home Phone		Work	Representation (T)	Work	Phone (S)
E-Mail (T)			E-Mail	(S)	
Cellular Phone (T)				(S)	
Fax (T)			(S)		
Birthdate	es (T)		(S)		
Filing Status (Please	e circle approprie	ite se	lection):		
3.) Married a. Former S	Filing Jointly Filing Separately Spouse Name Spouse SS#			5.) Qualifying Wi	nt's Name
Full					# of Months
Name	Date of Birth		SS#	Relationshi	ip a resident - 2009

### WAGES AND INCOME

WAGES (W-2'S)

## CONTRACT WORKER INCOME (1099-MISC), SEE PAGE 6! (ATTACH FORMS TO THE APPROPRIATE PAGE)

**PLEASE NOTE:** List, in the appropriate spaces below, the items that apply.

W-2's: If you have Federal Income Taxes and Social Security Taxes withheld from your wages <u>please</u> attach ALL copies of your IRS forms W-2 below and list here:

Employer	Gross Wages	Federal Withholding	Social Security	State Withholding	Medicare	401K

INTEREST AND DIVIDEND INCOME: If you have interest or dividend income from savings accounts, CD's, money market funds, etc., please attach copies of the year end statement and list here: (1099-INT, 1099-DIV)

Institution	Amount

# OTHER INCOME

1099's: If you received an IRS form 1099 for ANY other reason, please attach ALL copies of your
forms 1099 below. Included would be 1099-A, 1099-B, 1099-INT, 1099-G, 1099-MISC, 1099-OID,
and 1099-S.

Institution	

# 1099-R: If you receive payments from a pension plan or IRA, <u>please attach ALL copies of IRS</u> form 1099-R below and list here:

Institution	<b>Gross Pension</b>	Taxable Pension	Federal Withholding

# REAL ESTATE SALES INCOME & EXPENSES

(Please use a separate form for each se	parate business)		
Name of the business or dba			
Address (if different from residence)			
Is the business owned by the taxpayer, sp	ouse, or jointly? (T, S, J,)		
When did this business start?	# of months operated in 200	9	
INCOME:			
Gross receipts or Sales (actual monic	es collected or per Form 1099M)	\$	
Less: Returns and allowances		(	_)
Other income (describe)		<u> </u>	
AUTO: (Following information req	quired for EACH car you used in you	r business).	
Date Acquired Cost	(if purchased) \$ Type	e of auto	
Total miles vehicle driven in 2009			
Business miles driven in 2009			
Gas	Loan Interest		
Repairs & Maintenance	Lease Payments		
Insurance	License & Inspections		
Other			
OFFICE IN THE HOME:			_
Date Residence Acquired	Cost (if purchased)		
Number of Rooms in Residence	Business rooms		
Square Footage in Residence	Business Square F	ootage	
Interest on Mortgage	Utilities		
	Insurance		
	Repairs		
	(Date made)		
Home Owner's Association Dues		_	

# INCOME FROM SELF-EMPLOYMENT OR CONTRACT LABOR (continued)

Description	\$		%	(Date purchased)
-				
Description	\$		%	(Date purchased)
Description	<b></b> \$		%	(Date purchased)
OTHER EXPENSES:				
Advertising/Website		_ Repairs/	Maintenance _	
Bad Debts		Returns	& Allowances	
Commission's		Educati	on/Seminars _	
Dues and Publications		Supplie	S	
Freight and Delivery		Utilities		
Insurance		_ SE Hea	alth Ins	<u> </u>
License Fees				
Interest			Costs	
Legal and Accounting		Travel		
Meeting Costs		Meals a	nd Entertainme	ent
Office Expenses				
Rent		Client G	ifts	
Long Distance Phone		Payroll/0	Other Taxes	
Cellular Phone		Bank Fee	es	
Postage				
Tolls and Parking		Contrac	t Labor	
HAR Fees			ees	
Supra Fees				
Online Software Fees				
Equipment Rental			omputer Suppl	

# **OTHER INCOME**

	<u>Taxpayer</u>	<b>Spouse</b>
Did you receive <b>ALIMONY</b> from a prior spouse in 2009?	\$	\$
Did you receive <b>UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION</b> in 2009? (Please attach Form 1099-G below)	\$	\$
Did you receive <b>SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS</b> in 2009? (Please attach End-of-Year forms below)	\$	\$
Did you receive any REIMBURSEMENTS FOR BUSINESS EXPE	NSES from you	r employer in 2009
not included on Forms W-2 or 1099?	\$	\$
Did you receive any GAMBLING WINNINGS?		
( <u>Attach Form W-2G</u> ) in 2009?	\$	\$
Did you receive <b>ANY OTHER INCOME FROM ANY OTHER SO</b> on this or prior pages? (Please list below)	OURCE not alrea	ady previously listed
	\$	\$
	\$	\$
	\$	\$
	\$	\$
	\$	\$

 $(PLEASE\ ATTACH\ REPORTING\ NOTICES\ FROM\ AGENCIES\ OR\ COMPANIES\ FOR\ ALL\ ITEMS\ LISTED\ ON\ THIS\ PAGE\ IN\ THE\ SPACE\ BELOW).$ 

# **OTHER ITEMS**

ADJUSTMENTS TO	INCOME		
		<u>Taxpayer</u>	<b>Spouse</b>
ALIMONY paid to a prior spous Prior spouse SS#		\$	\$
IRA contribution in 2009? ROTH IRA contribution in 2009		\$	\$
Individual Contribution to a <b>Medi</b> In 2009?		\$	\$
Student Loan Interest paid in 2009 Were/are you a participant in a con	9? mpany-sponsored Pension or F	\$ Profit Sharing Plan in 2	\$ 009? (Yes/No)
Did you incur a PENALTY FOR	EARLY WITHDRAWAL fi		
Deposit from a financial institution	n in 2009?	\$	\$
If you are/were self employed: Contribution to a KEOGH, SEP,	PENSION?		
Or PROFIT SHARING PLAN in (Please indicate what type)		\$	\$
Did you pay for your own <b>HEAL</b>	<b>ΓΗ INSURANCE</b> in 2009?	\$	\$
	i. ESTIMATED	PAYMENTS	
Did you make estimated quarterly <i>federal</i> ).	payments for the 2009 tax year	ar (if state taxes paid, p	olease list alongside
<b>Date Due</b> 04/15/09	Date Actually Paid	Am	ount
06/15/09		\$	<del></del>
09/15/09		\$	
01/15/10	<del></del>	\$	<del> </del>
Did you elect to apply refunds due	e from the 2008 tax return to 20	009? If Yes, how muc	h? 
If you are due a refund on your 20 or, applied to your 2010 estimated			?(Yes/No),
	ii. ELECTRON	IIC FILING	
Do you wish to file your tax return	n electronically for 2008?	Yes	No
If yes, <b>please attach here a copy</b> your tax return is accepted for e transfer directly to your bank ac electronically transmitted).	lectronic filing by IRS, you o	can expect your refund	d to be sent by wire

Why use Electronic Filing? It reduces the time required for you to receive your refund and it reduces the paperwork you are required to file with the IRS.

# **ITEMIZED DEDUCTIONS**

MEDICAL:	ф
Pharmaceuticals, medicines (no over-the-counter) Doctors, Dentists, etc.	\$
Insurance Premiums	\$
insurance i remunis	Ψ
Medical-related Mileage	
TAXES:	
State and local income taxes	\$
Real estate taxes on your residence	\$
Real estate taxes on other property you own ( $\underline{Not}$ rental property)	\$
<u>INTEREST</u> : (Please attach your year-end mortgage statement	t and Forms 1098 here).
Mortgage interest on your residence (1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> liens)	\$
If paid to an individual, please list:	
Name	
Address	
City, State & ZIP	
Social Security #	
Points paid on the purchase of a residence	\$
Points paid on the refinancing of an existing residence	\$
(Please attach closing statement here) Interest paid on investment-related loans	¢
(Margin accounts, etc.)	\$
CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS:	
Paid in cash or by check (attach document as proof of contributio If over \$ 250.00 to any one organization, please list & provide do	
Name	Amount \$
Address	
City, State & ZIP	

# ITEMIZED DEDUCTIONS (continued)

CHARITABLE CONTRIBI	UTIONS (CONT'D):	
Non-cash contributions such as S	Salvation Army, Goodwill, etc.	\$
If over \$250.00, please list: (YO) Name	U MUST HAVE A RECEIPT)	
Address		
City, State & ZIP		
Description of Donated Property	:	
Date of Contribution	Date Acquired	Donor's Cost
Fair Market Value at Date of Gif	it: \$ How A	Acquired
Method used to determine Fair M	Market Value?	
CASUALTY OR THEFT L	OSSES:	
Did you have a loss greater than	10% of your gross income in 2009	9? \$
If so, please describe in detail he	re:	
MISCELLANEOUS:		
Tax Return Preparation/Planning	g Fees	\$
Safe Deposit Box Rental		\$
Professional Financial Advisory Fees		\$
		\$
Employment Related Journals and Publications		\$
Job Search Expenses		\$
Tools, Uniforms, Work Shoes, G	loggles, etc.	\$
Gambling Losses		\$
Other (describe)		\$

# **EMPLOYEE BUSINESS EXPENSES**

# (Expenses incurred while employed by A Company or other organization)

(Please use a separate column for taxpayer and spouse)

VEHICLE EXPENSES:	T or S	T or S	T or S
	Vehicle #1	Vehicle #2	Vehicle #3
Employed By:			
Date Acquired			
Cost (After trade-in, if any) TOTAL Miles driven in 2009			
BUSINESS Miles driven in 2009		· <del></del>	
Commuting Miles driven in 2009			
Gas, Repairs, Maintenance, Insura	nce and ALL other veh	icle expenses:	
, <b>,</b>	\$		\$
OTHER EXPENSES:			
Parking, Tolls, Tips, Pay Phones	\$	\$	\$
Airfare, Lodging, Car Rental, etc.	\$ \$	\$	\$
Meals & Entertainment	\$	\$	\$
Other Miscellaneous Expenses	\$	\$	\$
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Amounts reimbursed to you by em	\$	\$	\$
CHILD & DEPENDENT CARE	EXPENSE		
PERSON(S)/ORGANIZATIONS			
Name Address	s, City, State & ZIP	SS# or Federal ID#	Amount Paid
			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$
Number of Qualifying Dependents			

# **NOTE:**

ADDRESS AND SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER/FEDERAL ID NUMBER IS MANDATORY ON DAY CARE PROVIDERS!

# RENTAL OR ROYALTY PROPERTY INCOME & EXPENSE

	Property A	Property B	Property C
Address			
City, State & ZIP			
RENTAL INCOME ROYALTY INCOME	<b>\$</b>	\$	\$
EXPENSES:			
Advertising			
Auto & Travel			
Cleaning & Maintenance			
Commissions'			
Insurance			
Legal & Prof. Fees			
Mortgage Interest			
Repairs			
Supplies			
Prop Taxes			
Utilities			
Wages & Payroll Taxes			
HOA Dues			
Other (describe)			
DATE PROPERTY ACQUIRED			
COST BASIS	\$	\$	\$

# SALE OF INVESTMENT ASSETS

If you sold stock, bonds, or other types of investments, please attach ALL pages of the year end summary statement from your brokerage firm(s) below. In addition, please provide the date purchased and your cost basis in those assets sold:

Description	Date Acquired	Date Sold	Net Selling Price	Cost or Basis
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$

# SALE OF RESIDENCE

OLD RESIDENCE:	
Cost basis of old residence sold (includes original puropurchase).	chase price, closing costs, and <u>all</u> improvements since
Date old residence purchased	
Date old residence sold	<u> </u>
Sale price of old residence \$	<u> </u>
Did you owner-finance the new buyer (Yes/No)	If Yes, How Much?
Expenses of sale (commissions, closing costs, etc)	\$
Fixing-up Expenses prior to sale of old residence	\$
<u>NEW RESIDENCE:</u>	
Are you a First-time homebuyer?	
Did you purchase a new residence in 2009?	What date did you purchase this residence?
What is the purchase price of the new residence? \$	

PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF THE CLOSING PAPERS FROM BOTH THE

PURCHASE AND SALE OF THE OLD RESIDENCE AND THE PURCHASE OF

THE NEW RESIDENCE (if applicable)

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NOTE:
Please attach Form 4782 – Employee Moving Expense Information provided by your company.

# DISTRIBUTIONS FROM PARTNERSHIPS, "S" CORPORATIONS, & TRUSTS

If you received a Form K-1 from Partnerships, "S" Corporations, or Trusts in which you have an interest, please attach ALL pages of those K-1's and list below:

# **Education Tuition & Notes**

If you or a dependent were enrolled in an institution of higher education and tuition, fees and lab expenses were incurred, please list below:

Student's Name:			
Qualified Education Exps.			
Tuition	<b>\$</b>		\$
Fees			
Labs			
Grants, Scholarships			
-			
Freshman, Soph. or higher			
If there are items that you did not recorplease list those below:	ord elsewhere in the	e Summarizer, or, re	equire additional clarification,
	<del></del>		