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### **Tax Planning During Volatile Times**



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## Ohio Business Income A R M

• First \$250,000 of business income not taxed

 Business income over \$250,000 is taxed a flat rate of 3%

• Highest Ohio tax bracket is 3.99%

## Ohio Business Income A R

- What is considered business income? — Schedule C income
  - Flow-through income from partnership and S-Corporation
  - Wages paid to at least 20% or more owners
  - Gain from sale of business assets
  - What about gain from sale of stock or membership interest?

### Ohio Business Income A



14. Does the sale of an ownership interest in a business qualify for the Business Income Deduction?

Capital gains are generally considered nonbusiness income. Nonbusiness capital gains are not eligible for the Business Income Deduction.

Capital gains include gains from the sale of intangible personal property, such as an individual's ownership interest in a business. Please note, capital gains resulting from the sale of an individual's ownership interest in a business that are "deemed asset sales" (e.g. I.R.C. 338(h)(10)) are still considered to be the sale of intangible personal property for Ohio income tax purposes, and thus are generally not eligible for the Business Income Deduction.

See R.C. 5747.01(C).

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### Ohio Business Income

- On June 24<sup>th</sup>, Governor DeWine signed House Bill 515 into law. The law became effective September 21, 2022
  - Clarifies that the sale of an equity or ownership interest in a business qualifies for the Ohio Business Income Deduction
  - The bill's changes apply to any transactions, refund applications, audits, petitions for reassessments and appeals pending on or after the bill's 90-day effective date
  - To qualify as business income, certain requirements must be met including either
    - a) the sale must be treated for federal tax purposes as the sale of assets or
    - b) the seller materially participated in the activities of the business during the taxable year in which the sale occurs or during any of the five preceding taxable years

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### Ohio Business Income A

#### • Sale of Assets

- The sale of 100% of disregarded single-member LLC treated for federal income tax purposes as an asset sale.
- Transactions qualifying under I.R.C. Sec. 336(e).
- An entity making an I.R.C. Sec. 338(h)(10) election with the sale of S-Corp stock.
- The sale of a 100% of a Q-Sub treated as the sale of assets for federal income tax purposes.
- Any transactions treated as a deemed sale of assets for federal tax purposes.

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### Ohio Business Income

Materially Participation test

 The tax law references the description in the U.S.
 Code of Federal Regulations 26 C.F.R. 1.469-5T to define material participation in the activities of the business

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### Refund Claim

- Taxpayers who engaged in the sale of a business in the past several years where the transaction was not eligible for Ohio BID...file refund claim!
- Deadline to file an amended return and refund claim in Ohio is *four* years from the date the return was filed or required to be filed, whichever is later.
- Make sure future sales are properly treated as business income.

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- Federal state and local tax (SALT) cap is \$10,000
- Many states now have a workaround for individual business owners to workaround the cap deduction of \$10,000.



Department of Taxation

#### Ohio's PTE SALT Cap Workaround for "Electing Pass-Through Entities" beginning in Tax Year 2022

Senate Bill 246 was recently passed by the General Assembly and signed by Governor DeWine. This bill added section R.C. 5747.38, which allows a qualifying pass-through entity (PTE) to "elect" to be subject to this new entity-level tax.

The Department has begun development of a new PTE tax form (IT 4738) for tax year 2022, instructions, FAQ's, and related information. We will share these items as they become available on our website.

- Example
  - Assume \$1,000,000 of business income in 2023.
  - \$30,000 tax would be paid by entity, which would reduce Federal adjusted gross income since the tax would be a business deduction that reduces K-1 income.
  - The \$30,000 of income would be added back when calculating Ohio business income.

Summary Report			
	Baseline	SALT Election	
Income:			
Interest & Dividends	5,075	5,07	
Self-employment Income	1,000,000	970,00	
Total Income	1,005,075	975,07	
Adjustments:			
Self-employment Tax & Other Adjs	22,505	22,10	
Total Adjustments	22,505	22,10	
Adjusted Gross Income	982,570	952,97	
Personal Exemptions	0		
Itemized Deductions:			
Charitable Contributions	5.000	5.00	
Taxes	10,000	10,00	
Interest Expense	25,000	25,00	
Total Itemized	40,000	40.00	
Standard Deduction	25,900	25,90	
Total Deductions from AGI	40,000	40,00	
Taxable Income	942,570	912,97	
Regular Tax:			
Schedule or Table Tax	283,300	272,34	
Alternative Capital Gains Tax	282,917	271,96	
Appropriate Regular Tax	282,917	271,96	
Self-employment Tax	45,010	44,20	
High Income HI, Medicare & Other Tax	6,253	6,00	
Total Federal Taxes	334,180	322,17	

Things you should know if the entity elects to file the IT 4738:

- The election is made by the entity and is binding on all owners of the entity.
- All owners' qualifying taxable income is required to be included if the entity makes this election.
- The election is irrevocable for the tax year.
- A disregarded entity may NOT make this election.
- Election is made known to the Department by filing the IT 4738.
- Tax rate is 5% for the taxable year beginning January 1, 2022, and for taxable years beginning January 1, 2023, the rate is equal to the tax rate imposed on taxable business income under RC 5747.02 (A)(4)(a) (currently 3%).
- No refundable or non-refundable credits can be claimed on the IT 4738.
- Due date is April 15<sup>th</sup> of the calendar year after the year in which entity's fiscal year ends. For tax year 2022, the due date will be April 18, 2023.
- Estimated payments are due on the same dates as the IT 1140 estimated payments (15<sup>th</sup> day of the month after the end of each quarter).
- Filing the IT 4738 meets Ohio filing requirements for the entity's non-resident & trust investors unless
  they have other Ohio sourced income.
- Owners who file an Ohio individual income tax return, IT 1040, must add back the tax amounts paid on the IT 4738 to the extent not included in computing federal or Ohio adjusted gross income using the Ohio Schedule of Adjustments, line 2.
- A refundable credit for the proportionate share of the tax paid on the IT 4738 is available for owners who file an IT 1040 using the Ohio Schedule of Credits, Pass-through entity credit line.

### **Ohio Audit Areas**

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- Use tax is a complementary tax to the sales tax.
- In general, use tax is owed by a purchaser on a transaction when the vendor does not collect sales tax.
- Ohio will conduct audit to verify that appropriate sales/use tax is being paid.
- Many companies are now withholding sales tax, but not all!

### **Ohio Audit Areas**

Ohio	Department of Taxation	Resources for Re
SPEAKER	REQUEST	
		3. What services are subject to the sales tax?
		<ul> <li>Rental of hotel rooms or similar sleeping accommodations for less than 30 days by establishments with five or more sleeping rooms.</li> <li>Provision of landscaping or lawn care service, if annual sales of this service equal or exceed \$5,000.</li> <li>Provision of private investigation or security service.</li> <li>Provision of information service through use of a nine-hundred telephone call (1-900).</li> <li>Production of tangible personal property from material supplied by the customer. For example, a tailor using fabric furnished by the customer.</li> <li>Building maintenance and janitorial service, if annual sales of this service equal or exceed \$5,000.</li> <li>Exterminating service.</li> <li>Physical fitness facility service.</li> </ul>
		Recreation and sports club service.
		Repair of tangible personal property (except repair of property which is exempt from sales tax).
		• Installation of tangible personal property (except installation of property which is exempt from sales tax).
		<ul> <li>Washing (except coin-operated), cleaning, waxing, polishing, or painting of motor vehicles.</li> </ul>
		• Towing service for motor vehicles, this includes the conveyance of a wrecked, disabled, or illegally parked motor vehicle.
		Laundry and dry cleaning service, excluding sales made through coin operated machines.
		• Automatic data processing, computer services, or electronic information services provided for use in a
		business. Electronic information services include, but are not limited to, Internet access charges and e-
		mail service charges for use in a business.

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### **Stock Options**

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### • ISOs

- Also referred to as *qualified options* or *statutory options*,
   ISOs are entitled to preferential federal income tax
   treatment.
- However, ISOs also are subject to some special restrictions and unfavorable handling under the Alternative Minimum Tax (AMT) system.
- NQSOs (Non-qualified stock options)
  - Employer-issued stock options that are not ISOs are NQSOs by default.

### **NQSOs Exercise**

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### Exercise

- When an NQSO is exercised, the *bargain element* (difference between FMV and exercise price at the time of exercise) is treated as income from compensation (included on Form W-2).
- Arithmetic dictates that the tax basis in NQSO shares equals the market price on the exercise date.

### NQSOs



#### **Exercise and sell immediately**

• No gain or loss since basis will be equal to FMV.

#### **Exercise and hold with appreciation**

• When the shares are ultimately sold, any subsequent appreciation would be capital gain. Long-term gain if held for over a year.

#### **Exercise and hold with decline**

• If shares are eventually sold for less than the FMV on the exercise date, the result is a capital loss that's subject to the dreaded capital loss deduction limitation rule.

### Wage Income



• Difference between FMV and Exercise Price included in income

MV x Shares Exercised: Less Total Option Exercise Price:		\$55,410.00 (\$15,269.40)
Exercise Gain		\$40,140.60
Taxable Compensat	tion:	\$40:140.60
Tax Informati	on	
	Tax %	Taxes Due
Federal Tax	25.0000 %	\$10,035.15
**Soc. Sec.	3.4400 %	\$1,381.53
Medicare Tax	1.4500 %	\$582.04
State Tax	10.2300 %	\$4,106.38
Local1 Tax	0.1900 %	\$74.36
Total Tax Amount:		\$16,179.46

• Review exercise confirmations to make sure that tax withholding is appropriate. Run tax projections to set aside any shortfall.

### **Brokerage Reporting**

• Brokerage statement shows the FMV of \$55,409 and basis of \$15,269 (Exercise price)

You must check Box A, B, or C below. Check only one box. If more than one box applies for your short-term transactions, com If you have more short-term transactions than will fit on this page for one or more of the boxes, complete as many forms with the same box of X (A) Short-term transactions reported on Form(s) 1099-B showing basis was reported to the IRS (see (B) Short-term transactions reported on Form(s) 1099-B showing basis was not reported to the IRS (C) Short-term transactions not reported to you on Form 1099-B					
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GOOGLE INC - 100					
	02/27/15	02/27/15	55,409.	15,269.	
GOOGLE INC - 25					

- Thus, brokerage statement shows \$40K gain
- NOT CORRECT!!!

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### Adjustment



Need to make adjustment to basis

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SHS GOOGLE INC - 25	02/27/15	02/27/15	55,409.	15,269.	0	<40,141.	> <1.>

• This is missed (even by tax preparers) and can result in significant tax overpayments.



- **Example :** On 3/1/20, your client, Sarah, was granted an NQSO allowing her to buy 2,000 shares of company stock at \$25 per share.
- On 12/15/20, she exercised the option when the stock was trading at \$34 per share. Ordinary income of \$9 per share (34-25). Basis in shares would be \$34 (25+9).
- On 10/18/22, after much stock market turbulence, the shares are trading at \$52 per share, and Sarah sells the shares.



 Sarah paid 2020 federal income tax at her ordinary rate on the \$18,000 bargain element when she exercised the NQSO (2,000 shares x \$9 per-share bargain element).

 Assume she paid \$4,320 in tax (24% x \$18,000). Sarah's per-share tax basis is \$34 (FMV on the exercise date), and her holding period began on 12/16/20.

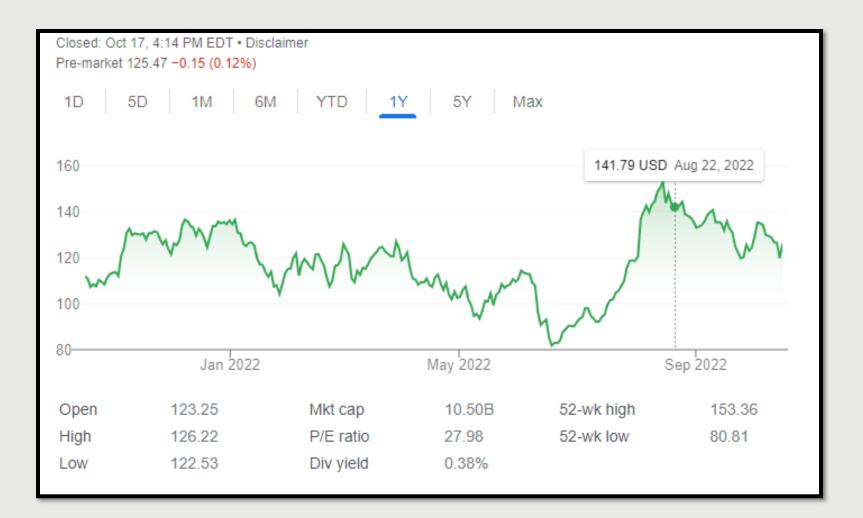
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- When Sarah sells her shares on 10/18/22 for \$52 per share, she triggers a \$36,000 longterm capital gain (2,000 shares x \$18 pershare difference between sales price and tax basis).

• Assume the gain gets taxed at the 15% longterm capital gain rate, resulting in a \$5,400 federal income tax hit (15% x \$36,000).

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- When all is said and done, Sarah nets an after-tax profit of \$44,280 [sales proceeds of \$104,000 (2,000 shares x \$52 per share) - exercise price of \$50,000 (2,000 shares x \$25 per share) - \$4,320 tax upon exercise - \$5,400 tax on the sale of the option shares].
- But if Sarah had exercised earlier in 2020 when the stock was worth less than \$34 per share, she could have cut her tax bill for that year and increased the gain taxed later at the lower 15% rate.
- **Planning consideration**: Exercise early to minimize the current tax hit and maximize the amount treated as long-term capital gain when the option shares are sold.

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### **Other Factors**

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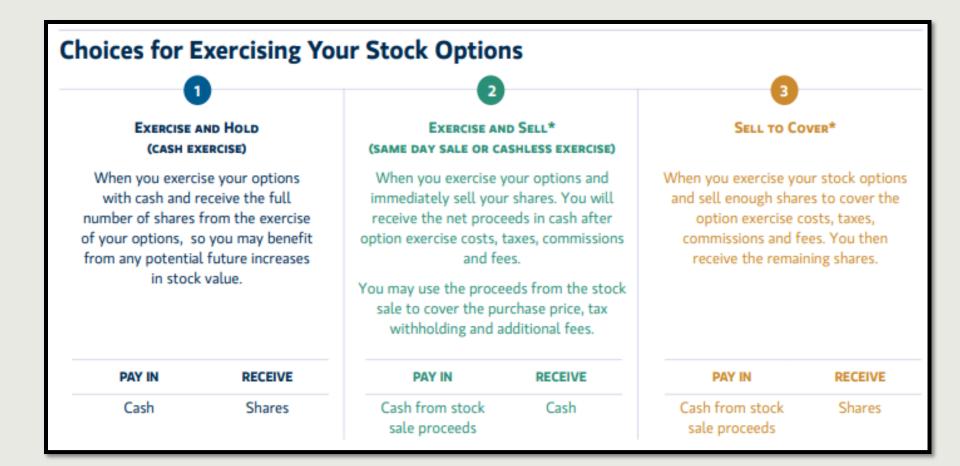
- Advantages and disadvantages of waiting:
  - What are your expectations of your company's growth and stock appreciation?
  - Do you believe it has reached its peak?
- Stock option expiration date:
  - Do you have time to wait or is the expiration date looming?
- Current and future financial needs:
  - Are you considering selling early because you need to raise cash now for events such as buying a new home or paying for your child's college tuition?
- Current and potential future tax situation:
  - Do you anticipate being in the same, lower, or higher income bracket when you exercise?
- Risk tolerance:
  - Are you willing to tolerate the potential ups and downs of the stock market?
  - Would you prefer a more conservative investment or do you believe an alternative investment will appreciate at a higher rate?
  - Does your portfolio need risk diversification (if the majority of your investments are in your company's stock)?

### **Stock chart**

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# **NQSO – Exercise Choice** A R M



### **NQSO** Taxation

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#### NQSO Taxation Table

	At Exercise	Sell After Holding Shares for One Year or Less	Sell After Holding Shares for More Than One Year	
Exercise and Hold	Difference between the fair market value (FMV) at exercise and the grant price is taxed as ordinary income and subject to federal, state and local income taxes in addition to payroll taxes.		Difference between the FMV at exercise and sale price is taxed as a long-term capital gain or loss.	
Exercise and Sell (same day sale or cashless exercise)	Difference between the FMV at ex taxed as ordinary income and subju- income taxes in addition to payroll	Not applicable.		
Sell-to-Cover	Difference between the FMV at exercise and the grant price is taxed as ordinary income and subject to federal, state and local income taxes in addition to payroll taxes.	Difference between the FMV at exercise and the sale price is taxed as a short-term capital gain or loss.	For received net shares, difference between the FMV at exercise and sale price is taxed as a long-term capital gain or loss.	

### ISOs at Exercise

- Neither the receipt nor the exercise of an ISO is subject to regular income tax.
- The bargain purchase element at exercise is considered to be income when figuring your AMT.
- Even if you're usually not subject to the AMT, exercising ISOs may push you into its range.
- If you are subject to the AMT in the year you exercise ISOs, you may be entitled to an AMT credit carryover for use in some later year.)

### • ISOs at sale of stock

- When you sell ISO stock, you generally are taxed at favorable longterm capital gain rates on the difference between the price you paid for the stock and the amount you realize on its sale.
- However, if you sell the stock within two years of the option grant or within one year of the option exercise, you'll have compensation income to the extent of your bargain element at exercise.
- The balance of your gain is capital gain, which will be taxed at favorable rates if you've held the stock for more than one year on the sale date.

- ISOs at sale of stock
  - Any income on disposition of the stock isn't subject to FICA or FUTA taxation, but it is subject to City tax.
  - Additionally, any income resulting from a disqualifying disposition of stock acquired under an ISO isn't subject to withholding, which makes it very important to run a tax projection to determine the amount of tax due.

### • Example

- John has 1,000 ISOs with an exercise price of \$10 per share.
- John exercises the shares when the stock price is \$100 per share.
- What is the regular income tax when John exercises all 1,000 shares?

### • Example

- John would have no regular income tax associated with the exercise.
- For AMT purposes, he would need to include the bargain element in AMT taxable income.
- Bargain element would be \$90 per share.\$90\*1,000 shares = \$90,000.

Alternative Minimum Tax			
	Baseline	ISO Exercise	
Taxable Income:	479,175	479,175	
Preferences & Adjustments: Standard Deduction Itemized Deduction Floor	25,900 0	25,900	
Private Activity Bond Interest Section 1202 Exclusion Preference Other Deferral Preferences	0 0 0	0 0 90,000	
Carry Through Reg Tax NOL Regular Tax NOL	No 0	No 0	
Total AMT NOL Not Subj to 100%	0	0	
Alt Min Taxable Income	505,075	595,075	
AMT Exemption Before Phase-out	118,100	118,100	
Adjusted AMT Exemption	118,100	118,100	
Exemption After Phase-out	118,100	118,100	
Taxable Excess	386,975	476,975	
Tent Min Tax from Schedule Tent Min Alt Capital Gains Tax	<b>104,231</b> 103,939	<b>129,431</b> 129,139	
Tent Min Tax Bef AMT Foreign Tax Cr AMT Foreign Tax Credit Allowed	103,939 0	129,139	
Tentative Minimum Tax	103,939	129,139	
Regular Tax Before Foreign Tax Cred Foreign Tax Credit Allowed	114,768 0	114,768 0	
Regular Tax	114,768	114,768	
Alternative Minimum Tax	0	14,371	

Summary Report				
	Baseline	ISO Exercise		
Income:				
Wages Interest & Dividends	500,000	500,000		
Interest & Dividends	5,075	5,07		
Total Income	505,075	505,07		
Total Adjustments	0			
Adjusted Gross Income	505,075	505,07		
Personal Exemptions	0			
Total Itemized	0			
Standard Deduction	25,900	25,90		
Total Deductions from AGI	25,900	25,90		
Taxable Income	479,175	479,17		
Regular Tax:				
Schedule or Table Tax	115,217	115,21		
Alternative Capital Gains Tax	114,768	114,76		
Appropriate Regular Tax	114,768	114,76		
Net Alternative Minimum Tax	0	14,37		
High Income HI, Medicare & Other Tax	2,443	2,44		
Total Federal Taxes	117,211	131,58		

### • Example

- In 2023, John now sells his shares for \$100 per share after holding the shares for over a year.
- Previously, he had no regular income tax, but now he has to pick up a \$90,000 long-term capital gain for regular tax purposes.
- For AMT purposes, he has a basis of \$100 in the shares, thus no long-term gain to pick-up for AMT.

#### Alternative Minimum Tax

	2022	2023
Taxable Income:	479,175	569,175
Preferences & Adjustments:		
Standard Deduction	25,900	25,900
Itemized Deduction Floor	0	0
Private Activity Bond Interest Section 1202 Exclusion Preference	0	0
Regular Tax Capital Loss or Gain	ů 0	-90,000
Other Deferral Preferences	90,000	0
Carry Through Reg Tax NOL	No	No
Regular Tax NOL	0	0
Total AMT NOL Not Subj to 100%	0	0
Alt Min Taxable Income	595,075	505,075
AMT Exemption Before Phase-out	118,100	118,100
	110,100	110,100
Adjusted AMT Exemption	118,100	118,100
Exemption After Phase-out	118,100	118,100
Taxable Excess	476,975	386,975
Tent Min Tax from Schedule	129,431	104,231
Tent Min Alt Capital Gains Tax	129,139	103,939
Tent Min Tax Bef AMT Foreign Tax Cr	129,139	103,939
AMT Foreign Tax Credit Allowed	0	0
Tentative Minimum Tax	129,139	103,939
Regular Tax Before Foreign Tax Cred	114,768	130,866
Foreign Tax Credit Allowed	0	0
Regular Tax	114,768	130,866
		,
Alternative Minimum Tax	14,371	0

Summary Report				
	2022	2023		
Income:				
Wages	500,000	500,000		
Interest & Dividends	5,075	5,075		
Capital Gains & Losses	0	90,000		
Total Income	505,075	595,075		
<b>-</b>				
Total Adjustments	0	0		
Adjusted Gross Income	505,075	595,075		
Personal Exemptions	0	0		
Total Itemized	0	0		
Standard Deduction	25,900	25,900		
Total Deductions from AGI	25,900	25,900		
Taxable Income	479,175	569,175		
Regular Tax:				
Schedule or Table Tax	115,217	146,717		
Alternative Capital Gains Tax	114,768	130,866		
Appropriate Regular Tax	114,768	130,866		
Nonrefundable Credits	0	-14,371		
Net Alternative Minimum Tax	14,371	0		
High Income HI, Medicare & Other Tax	2,443	5,863		
Total Federal Taxes	131,582	122,358		

- Planning Opportunity
  - Exercise enough shares at year-end to start the holding period for long-term capital gain, but avoid having to come out of pocket for AMT.
  - Note: The AMT adjustment is calculated at the time the shares are exercised, thus be sure to have cash set aside for any AMT tax liability.

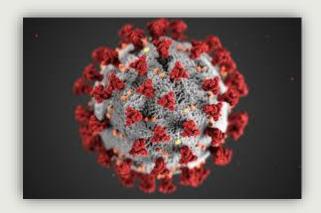
– Note: Stock price/investment risk matters!

	2022
	2024
Taxable Income:	479,175
Preferences & Adjustments:	
Standard Deduction	25,900
Itemized Deduction Floor	(
Private Activity Bond Interest	(
Section 1202 Exclusion Preference	(
Regular Tax Capital Loss or Gain	(
Other Deferral Preferences	38,680
Carry Through Reg Tax NOL	No
Regular Tax NOL	(
Total AMT NOL Not Subj to 100%	(
Alt Min Taxable Income	543,755
AMT Exemption Before Phase-out	118,100
Adjusted AMT Exemption	118,100
Exemption After Phase-out	118,100
Taxable Excess	425,655
Tent Min Tax from Schedule	115.06
Tent Min Alt Capital Gains Tax	114,769
Tent Min Tax Bef AMT Foreign Tax Cr	114,769
AMT Foreign Tax Credit Allowed	(
Tentative Minimum Tax	114,769
Regular Tax Before Foreign Tax Cred	114,768
Foreign Tax Credit Allowed	(114,700
Regular Tax	114,76
Alternative Minimum Tax	

### Days out of city

• How many people live in a non-taxing city?

 How many people ever travel for work or work from home?



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### **Case study**



• John makes \$400k per year

 Travels or works from home 34 days during the year

• Works in city with tax rate of 2.5%

• Lives in non-taxing city

### Days out calc

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• If you work 34 days outside of the 2.5% taxing district and received a \$400,000 salary, you would only be required to pay city tax on \$340,844 of those earnings. Your total city tax refund would be \$1,479.

If you were a nonresident employee who worked part of the year outside the city for which your employer withheld city tax						
complete Lines 18 through 28. Attach a list of the dates and locations worked out See instructions.						
18. Enter the total number of vacation days taken during the entire year	18	20				
19. Enter the total number of holidays for the entire year	19	10				
20. Enter the total number of sick leave days taken during the entire year	20					
21. Add Lines 18 through 20	21	30				
22. Subtract line 21 from 280 (total workdays in a year) (see instructions)	22	230				
23. Enter your total wages for this job for the year	23	400,000.				
24. Enter the amount of 2108 expenses related to this income. Attach a copy of the 2108 & Fed Sch A	24					
25. Subtract Line 24 from 23. If less than zero, enter zero	25	400,000.				
28. Divide Line 25 by the number of days shown on Line 22	26	1,739.				
27. Enter the number of days worked in the city (Line 22 less total days worked out)						
28. Multiply Line 28 by Line 27. List this figure in Part A of Page 1 along with any other taxable wages						
you or your spouse earned. Complete Certification by Employer below	28	340,844.				

ſ	Part B TAX CALCULATION A Declaration of Estimated City Tax (form IR-21) is REQUIRED for all individuals whose tax is not fully withheld.								
	Column A crry	<b>T O O</b>	Column B Income From Wages, Salares, commissions, etc. (see net wages)	Column C Income from net Profits, rents and other taxable income	Column D TOTAL NET TAXABLE INCOME	TAX RATE	Column E TAX DUE	Column F LESS TAX WITHHELD (W-2) PAID BY A PARTWERSHIP OR PAID DURECTLY TO CITY WHERE INCOME WAS EARNED	Column G NET TAX DUE
	COLUMBUS	01	340,844.		340,844.	2.5%	8,521.	10,000.	-1,479.
	GROVEPORT	09				2.0%			
		40				0.0%			

### **Ohio City Tax Change**

- Governor DeWine signed into law, House Bill 197 on March 27<sup>th</sup>, 2020.
  - Employees working from home during the pandemic are considered to be working in the location where they would typically be reporting on a regular and ordinary basis (i.e., their principal place of work). To expire 30 days after emergency order ends.
  - Ohio's emergency order ended June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021, thus withholding modification ended July 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021.
  - Several taxpayers have filed suit against Cleveland and Columbus, among other cities, to secure 2020 tax refunds for days that were not worked at their principal place of work due to Ohio's stay-at-home order.
  - On June 7, 2022, the Supreme Court of Ohio accepted an appeal of a decision by the Court of Appeals for Hamilton County to uphold Cincinnati's imposition of income tax on a nonresident working remotely during the COVID-19 pandemic.
  - As we wait for further 2020 guidance, employees may file protective refund claims if they believe a refund is due to the temporary municipal withholding provisions.

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### **Ohio City Tax Change**

- Governor DeWine signed into law, House Bill 110 on July 1, 2021
  - HB 110 allows, but does not require, employers to extend the HB 197 withholding procedures through December 31, 2021.
  - Effective January 1, 2022, employers will be required to revert back to the pre-COVID 20-day rule.
  - HB 110 will allow employees to file refund claims with their principal place of work city for days they did not work within the withholding city during 2021 only.
  - Some legislators also wanted to extend the refund opportunity back to 2020, but ultimately decided to leave the 2020 employee municipal refund opportunity up to the courts.

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- There have been significant city income tax withholding changes for 2022. These new rules were effective January 1, 2022, therefore action may need to be taken immediately to comply with these rules.
- If you are an employer you are now required to withhold city tax on your remote workers based on their actual work location, if their work days at that location exceed 20 days.

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- For example, if your business is located in Columbus but you have an employee working from his/her home in Upper Arlington, you should be withholding Upper Arlington city tax on wages paid to that employee for work days in Upper Arlington.
- If the remote employee works less than 20 days in a location, withholding is not required but permissible.

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- If you are an employee working remotely, you should verify that the correct city tax is being withheld based on your actual work location.
- For example, if your employer's office is located in Columbus but you routinely work from your home in Grove City two days a week, your employer should be withholding Columbus city tax on 60% of your wages and withholding Grove City tax on 40% of your wages.



- Increased income tax filing requirements for businesses.
- Having an employee working from home would result in the business having to file an income tax return in that city.
- If many people working from home in several cities, there can be a significant increase in filing requirements.

### **Centralized Filing**

#### Ohio Department of Taxation Resources for Resources for Resources for Resources for Resources for PROFESSIONALS INDIVIDUALS BUSINESSES GOVERNMENT RESEARCHE Municipal Net Profit Tax The enactment of HB 49 provides business taxpayers the option, beginning with the 2018 tax year, to file one municipal net profit tax return through the Ohio Business Gateway (the Gateway) for processing by the Department of Taxation. The Department will handle all administrative functions for those centrally-filed returns and will distribute BUSINESSES payments to the appropriate municipalities. The Department will also handle audits and appeals. Municipality/Local Government Portal FILE ONLINE Link to portal Municipality/Local Government Portal User Guide PAY ONLINE Webinar "Logging in to the Municipal Portal" (11.15.18) Submitting Taxpayer Information via the Local Government Portal (6.11.19) GET A FORM Important Information for Municipal Corporations OHIO BUSINESS TAXES Revenue Accounting Municipal Net Profit Tax Webpage OBG LOGIN Important Information for Taxpayers Information Booklet for Taxpayers ONLINE SERVICES FOR BUSINESS Municipalities and Municipality Codes List Municipality Address List REGISTER FOR TAXES Registration HOW DO I Taxpayers must make an election to file with the Department on or before the fifteenth day of the fourth month of their taxable year. For example, taxpayers that operate on a calendar year basis are required to opt-in to file with the commissioner on or before Friday, April 15th, 2022 for taxable year 2022. The election will remain in effect until terminated by the taxpayer.

### Volatile Market

### • Roth Conversions

- Client in gap years
- Younger client with small pre-tax IRA
- High income/business owner with low income year
- Tax loss harvesting
- Safe harbor estimates appropriate? Run tax projections.
- Back-door Roth Complete early in the year?

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### **10 Year Rule**

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• <u>https://www.kitces.com/blog/irs-proposed-regulations-secure-act-rmds-eligible-designated-beneficiaries-</u> <u>see-through-trusts/</u>

### The Impact Of New IRS Proposed Regulations On The SECURE Act: RMDs, Eligible Designated Beneficiaries, Trusts, And More!

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Then, in early 2021, the IRS issued its annual update to Publication 590-B, *Distributions from Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRAs)*, which included an example that seemed to indicate that Non-Eligible Designated Beneficiaries would be required to abide by 'regular' 'stretch' RMDs in *addition* to the 10-Year Rule. Practitioners immediately raised questions about the Publication, and within weeks, an IRS spokesperson indicated that the initial version contained a mistake, and that a corrected version of the Publication would soon be made available.

### **10 Year Rule**



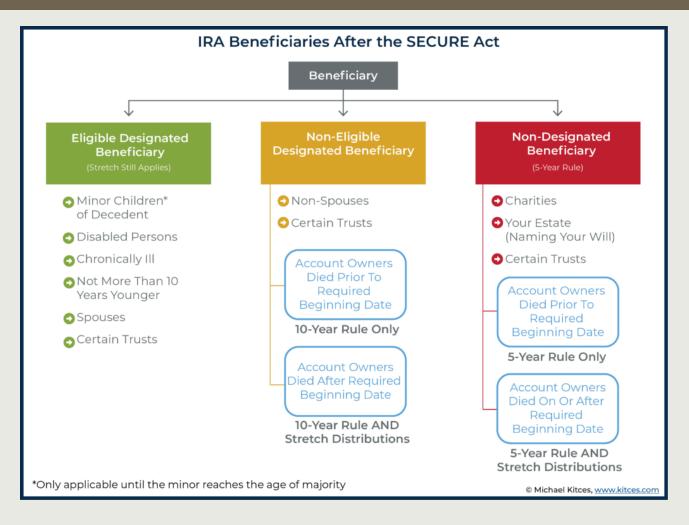
More specifically, the revised Publication of 590-B stated:

**10-year rule**. The 10-year rule requires the IRA beneficiaries who are not taking life expectancy payments to withdraw the entire balance of the IRA by December 31 of the year containing the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the owner's death. For example, if the owner died in 2020, the beneficiary would have to fully distribute the plan by December 31, 2030. <u>The beneficiary is allowed, but not</u> <u>required, to take distributions prior to that date</u>.

In what can only be considered an incredibly surprising turn of events, the new Proposed Regulations seek to implement a remarkably complex system, whereby Non-Eligible Designated Beneficiaries would be split into two distinct groups, each with their own set of post-death distribution rules.

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### 10 Year Rule - Update

 On October 7, 2022, the IRS waived the 50% penalty on missed 2021 and 2022 inherited retirement account RMDs for beneficiaries subject to the SECURE Act 10-year payout period.

• The guidance was in IRS Notice 2022-53.

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- The Notice says the IRS will not impose the penalty for missed 2021 or 2022 RMDs within the 10-year period if the account owner died in 2020 on or after his required beginning date with a beneficiary who is not an eligible designated beneficiary ("EDB"). (The "required beginning date" is April 1 of the year after the year the IRA owner turns 72.)
- The IRS also will not impose a penalty for a missed 2022 RMD within the 10-year period by a beneficiary who is not an EDB, if the account owner died in 2021 on or after his required beginning date.

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- The IRS says that a penalty on missed RMDs within the 10-year term will not be imposed until 2023 at the earliest.
- If a beneficiary already paid the penalty for a missed 2021 RMD, the beneficiary can request a refund from the IRS.
- Although the Notice is not clear, it appears that, since the penalty is waived, the missed RMDs do not have to be taken at all.

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- Energy Efficient Home Improvement Credit
  - Extension and expansion of the residential energy property credit for homeowners.
  - New energy-efficient windows, doors, water heaters, furnaces, air conditioners, etc.
  - So, if you spread out your qualifying home projects, you can claim the maximum credit each year.
  - The annual limitation increases to \$1,200 per taxpayer per year. The lifetime limit on the credit of \$500 has been repealed.

### • Beginning in 2023

- \$150 for home energy audits;
- \$250 for an exterior door (\$500 total for all exterior doors);
- \$600 for exterior windows and skylights; central air conditioners; electric panels and certain related equipment; natural gas, propane, or oil water heaters; natural gas, propane, or oil furnaces or hot water boilers; and
- \$2,000 for electric or natural gas heat pump water heaters, electric or natural gas heat pumps, and biomass stoves and boilers (for this one category, the \$1,200 annual limit may be exceeded).

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- Residential Clean Energy Credit
  - Previously, the credit was worth 26% of the cost to install qualifying systems that use solar, wind, geothermal, biomass or fuel cell power to produce electricity, heat water or regulate the temperature in your home.
  - The credit amount jumps to 30% from 2022 to 2032. It then falls to 26% for 2033 and 22% for 2034. The credit will then expire after 2034.

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### • High-Efficiency Electric Home Rebates

- The High-Efficiency Electric Home Rebate Program will also help American families go green.
- Provides rebates to low- and middle-income families who purchase energy-efficient electric appliances.
- To qualify for a rebate, your family's total annual income must be less than 150% of the median income where you live.

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- Qualifying homeowners can get rebates as high as:
  - \$840 for a stove, cooktop, range, oven, or heat pump clothes dryer;
  - \$1,750 for a heat pump water heater; and
  - \$8,000 for a heat pump for space heating or cooling.
- Rebates for non-appliance upgrades will also be available up to the following amounts:
  - \$1,600 for insulation, air sealing, and ventilation;
  - \$2,500 for electric wiring; and
  - \$4,000 for an electric load service center upgrade.

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- Credits for purchasing both new and used electric vehicles.
  - EVs placed into service after December 31, 2022, the Inflation Reduction Act extends the up to \$7,500 EV tax credit for 10 years—until December 2032.
  - The exact amount of the credit will be based on a calculation that considers factors like the vehicle's sourcing and assembly.
  - Additionally, used EVs will now have a separate tax credit of either up to \$4,000 or 30% of the price of the vehicle, whichever is less.

- Beginning in 2024, you can take the EV tax credit as a discount at the time you purchase the vehicle.
- Essentially, you would be transferring the credit to the dealer, who would be able to lower the price of the vehicle by the amount of the credit.
- This means that you won't have to wait until tax time to benefit from the EV tax break.

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- If you're single, and your modified adjusted gross income is over \$150,000, you won't qualify for the EV tax credit.
- The income limit for married couples who are filing jointly is \$300,000.
- And if you file as head of household and make \$225,000 or more, you also won't be able to claim the credit.

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- Vans, pickup trucks, and SUVs with a manufacture's retail suggested price (MSRP) of more than \$80,000, won't qualify for the credit.
- For clean cars to qualify for the EV tax credit, the MSRP can't be more than \$55,000.
- If you buy a used clean vehicle, it will only qualify for the tax credit if it costs \$25,000 or less.
- The Inflation Reduction Act removes the manufacturer cap, which means that some cars made by manufacturers who exceeded the 200,000 limit (e.g., General Motors, Toyota, and Tesla) will now be eligible to claim the credit.



#### Table II: Contextualizing IRS Funding Increases

	Previous 10-Year Projections	Additional 10-Year Funding	Percentage Increase
Enforcement	\$66.0 billion	+\$45.64 billion	69%
Operations Support	\$47.6 billion	+\$25.33 billion	53%
Business System Modernization	\$3.1 billion	+\$4.75 billion	153%
Taxpayer Services	\$33.6 billion	+\$3.18 billion	9%
Total	\$150.3 billion	+\$78.90 billion	+52%

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