

Ohio Moving Income Tax Filing and Payment Deadline to May 17

Ohio Tax Commissioner Jeff McClain today announced that Ohio will be following the federal government and IRS in extending the deadline to file and pay Ohio individual income and school district income taxes for tax year 2020.

The new deadline is May 17, an extension of approximately one month from the original deadline of April 15.

Commissioner McClain said the extension is intended to provide some relief to individuals impacted by the public safety measures adopted to contain the spread of the coronavirus.

As with the IRS extension, Ohio will be waiving penalty on tax due payments made during the extension. Also, as part of legislation passed addressing the continuing emergency, there will be no interest charges on payments made during the extension.

The filing extension, and waiver of penalty and interest, will be available to those filing Ohio individual income tax, and the school district income tax for tax year 2020.

(Please note that the first quarter estimated income tax payment for tax year 2021 is not impacted by this extension and must still be made by April 15.)

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In the matter of extending the time to)
file certain tax returns under)
chapter 5747. of the Revised Code)

This day the Tax Commissioner came on to consider extending the due date for filing the Ohio individual income and school district income tax returns and the due date for making the payments associated with these filings, pursuant to his authority under section 5703.35 of the Ohio Revised Code and uncodified section 28 of Am. Sub. H.B. 197 of the 133rd General Assembly.

Being fully advised in the premises and of the authority vested in him under Title LVII [57] of the Ohio Revised Code and uncodified section 28 of Am. Sub. H.B. 197, the Tax Commissioner hereby declares that the filing and payment due date for any annual individual or school district income tax return with respect to taxable year 2020 that is required to be filed and paid pursuant to section 5747.08 of the Revised Code on April 15, 2021 shall be extended to May 17, 2021.

I CERTIFY THAT THIS IS A TRUE AND ACCURATE COPY OF THE
ENTRY RECORDED IN THE TAX COMMISSIONER'S JOURNAL.

JEFFREY A. McCLAIN
TAX COMMISSIONER

/s/ Jeffrey A. McClain

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