

# Mantua Township Municipal Land Use Board Rules and Regulations

To the Applicant:

1. Meetings are held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm.
2. You are required to bring your completed application to the Land Use Office before the deadline or by the deadline, which is typically six weeks prior to the regularly scheduled monthly meeting. The deadlines are in your package.
3. The following must be submitted by the deadline:
  - An original *notarized* application form and seventeen (17) copies of same.
  - Fees for the application and escrow. Check with the Land Use Coordinator for fees. **These fees are a deposit only. Additional fees may apply and are the applicant's responsibility.** A separate check for the application fee and a separate check for escrow fee is required.
  - Seventeen (17) copies of a sketch or survey of the property.
  - A certified list of tax owners.
  - A copy of this page signed by the applicant.
4. The following should be **completed** and **submitted** 10 days prior to the Joint Land Use Board Meeting to allow our Solicitor the time to review these items before the meeting.
  - A signed and *notarized* Affidavit of Notice served on the neighbors within two hundred feet along with postmarked green and white receipt stubs for certified mail, return receipt requested attached.
  - You must publish Notice of Hearing in the South Jersey Times or Courier Post. **This notice must be in the newspaper (10) days prior to the meeting date (You can publish sooner than the required 10 days).** The newspaper will send you an Affidavit of Publication, which you must submit to the Coordinator in advance of the meeting..
  - A copy of the Notice sent to the neighbors.
  - A copy of the letter from the tax collector regarding property taxes

If you must mail the notices, they must be by certified mail (return receipt requested) and you must return the white and green postmarked stubs 10 days prior to the meeting and the green cards at or before the meeting to the Coordinator. If you personally deliver the notices, you must list the neighbors' names and addresses on the affidavit of notice with their signature.
4. It is your responsibility to make certain that the notice in the newspaper is printed no later than ten (10) days before the meeting. It is also your responsibility to bring the proof-of-publication of the notice in the newspaper to the Coordinator before the meeting. (The newspaper will send this to you).
5. If you are submitting an application for use variance, which will require a subdivision or site plan, you must obtain additional forms from the Land Use Office. You must also state in your notice for the use variance that you will be applying for a site plan and/or subdivision.
6. All professional reviews incurred in connection with the review of this application are to be paid for by the applicant. **We are not able to give an estimation of fees at this time.** However, in order for this application to be heard, you must sign the certification below.

I hereby certify that I shall be responsible for all professional fees incurred in connection with the review of this application.

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant

**You must attend the meeting or your application will not be considered. Please be prepared to present the appropriate evidence in connection with your application.**

**Revised 8/22/2019**

# Mantua Township Zoning Board of Adjustment Application of Appeal

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Appeal Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Appeal is hereby made by the undersigned (check applicable item or items.)

From the action of the Zoning Officer/Building Inspector in refusing my application  
For a Zoning Permit/Building Permit, dated

\_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_\_

for a special exception or variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance of  
Mantua Township.

Appellant:

\_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ address

Owner:

\_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ address

Attorney:  
(if any)

\_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ address

Interest of appellant if not owner (agent, lessee, etc) \_\_\_\_\_

1. Application relates: (check applicable item or items)

Use       Lot Area       Yards       Height   
Existing building       Proposed Construction       Other

2. Brief description of real estate affected:

Plate: \_\_\_\_\_ Block: \_\_\_\_\_ Lot: \_\_\_\_\_

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Lot size: \_\_\_\_\_

Present use: \_\_\_\_\_

Present zoning classification \_\_\_\_\_

Present improvements upon land: \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete other side

3. If this is an appeal from action of the Zoning Officer//Building Inspector, complete the following:

Date determination made: \_\_\_\_\_

Your statement: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

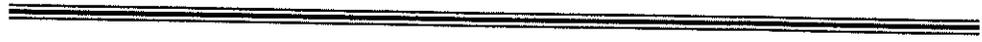
4. Action desired by appellant:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

5. Reasons appellant believes Board should approve desired action: (Refer to section or sections of ordinance under which it is felt that desired action might be allowed, and note whether hardship is, or is not claimed, and the specific hardship.)

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

6. Has previous appeal been filed in connection with these premises? \_\_\_\_\_  
Yes or No



I hereby depose and say that all of the above statements and the statements contained in any papers or plans submitted herewith are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed before me  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_  
My Commission Expires \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Appellant

**Please note that approvals from the following entities may be necessary to complete your Land Use Board approval. Please review the Board Professionals' Review Letters in their entirety to see if these approvals are required.**

**Nic Lamana  
Mantua Township Fire Marshal  
155 E. Union Street  
Sewell, NJ 08080  
(856)468-7222 Ext. 2  
[nlamana@mantuaafd.com](mailto:nlamana@mantuaafd.com)**

**Gloucester County Planning Board  
1200 N. Delsea Drive  
Clayton, NJ 08312  
(856)307-6650**

**Gloucester County Soil Conservation District  
14 Parke Place Boulevard  
Suite B  
Sewell, NJ 08080  
856-589-5250**



# TOWNSHIP OF MANTUA

Gloucester County, New Jersey

401 MAIN STREET  
MANTUA, NJ 08051  
(856) 468-1500  
Fax (856) 464-1022

**To:** Mantua Township Land Use Board

**From:** Alice Kellmyer, Tax Collector

**Subject:** Property Tax

At this time the taxes on the following are as follows:

**Block** \_\_\_\_\_ **Lot** \_\_\_\_\_

**Owner** \_\_\_\_\_

**Location** \_\_\_\_\_

**Paid to Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Balance Due** \_\_\_\_\_

## NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will held by the Mantua Township Land Use Board  
on \_\_\_\_\_ at 7:00 pm in the Mantua Township Municipal  
Building 401 Main Street, Mantua NJ 08051

The subject of this hearing will be to consider an application for a  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
and any other variances, waivers or approvals deemed necessary by the Land Use Board.

For the following purpose:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

by the undersigned appellant \_\_\_\_\_  
on Plate# \_\_\_\_\_ Block# \_\_\_\_\_ Lot# \_\_\_\_\_ on the Tax Map  
of Mantua Township located at \_\_\_\_\_.

You are advised of this hearing because you are owner of property within 200 feet and are required to be notified according to Law.

Any interested party may attend in person or by attorney and be heard with reference to this application.

Appellant \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**MANTUA TOWNSHIP LAND USE BOARD**

**DEADLINES FOR 2019**

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**DEADLINE 12/18/18**  
**MEETING 1/15/19**

**DEADLINE 6/18/19**  
**MEETING 7/16/19**

**DEADLINE 1/22/19**  
**MEETING 2/19/19**

**DEADLINE 7/23/19**  
**MEETING 8/20/19**

**DEADLINE 2/19/19**  
**MEETING 3/19/19**

**DEADLINE 8/20/19**  
**MEETING 9/17/19**

**DEADLINE 3/19/19**  
**MEETING 4/16/19**

**DEADLINE 9/03/19**  
**MEETING 10/15/19**

**DEADLINE 4/23/19**  
**MEETING 5/21/19**

**DEADLINE 10/08/19**  
**MEETING 11/19/19**

**DEADLINE 5/21/19**  
**MEETING 6/18/19**

**DEADLINE 11/05/19**  
**MEETING 12/17/19**

**MANTUA TOWNSHIP LAND USE BOARD**

**DEADLINES FOR 2020**

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**DEADLINE 12/10/19**  
**MEETING 1/21/20**

**DEADLINE 6/09/20**  
**MEETING 7/21/20**

**DEADLINE 1/07/20**  
**MEETING 2/18/20**

**DEADLINE 7/07/20**  
**MEETING 8/18/20**

**DEADLINE 2/04/20**  
**MEETING 3/17/20**

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**MEETING 10/20/20**

**DEADLINE 4/07/20**  
**MEETING 5/19/20**

**DEADLINE 10/06/20**  
**MEETING 11/16/20**

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**MEETING 6/16/20**

**DEADLINE 11/03/20**  
**MEETING 12/15/20**

**DEADLINE 12/08/20**  
**MEETING 1/19/21**

**MANTUA TOWNSHIP LAND USE BOARD**

**DEADLINES FOR 2021**

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**DEADLINE 12/08/20**  
**MEETING 1/19/21**

**DEADLINE 6/08/21**  
**MEETING 7/20/21**

**DEADLINE 1/05/21**  
**MEETING 2/16/21**

**DEADLINE 7/06/21**  
**MEETING 8/17/21**

**DEADLINE 2/02/21**  
**MEETING 3/16/21**

**DEADLINE 8/10/21**  
**MEETING 9/21/21**

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**MEETING 12/21/21**

**DEADLINE 12/07/21**  
**MEETING 1/18/22**

**NEW ZONING OFFICE/LAND USE HOURS AS OF 6/3/2019**

**KEVIN HOWARTH**  
**[khowarth@mantuatownship.com](mailto:khowarth@mantuatownship.com)**

**ZONING OFFICER HOURS**

**(856) 468-1323**

**(856)468-1500 x-130**

**EVERY TUESDAY - 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM**

**LAND USE OFFICE**

**Land Use Coordinator**

**Lois Varalli**  
**[lvaralli@mantuatownship.com](mailto:lvaralli@mantuatownship.com)**

**(856) 468-1500 Ext. 135 - Lois Varalli**

**MONDAY-FRIDAY 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM**

**AND TUESDAYS WITH ZONING OFFICER**

# Affidavit of Notice

STATE OF NEW JERSEY            )  
  )        ss.  
COUNTY OF GLOUCESTER        )

I, \_\_\_\_\_, being duly sworn according to law upon his oath, does hereby depose and say:

1. I am the applicant for a variance or special exception before the Mantua Township Land Use Board.
2. At least 10 days prior to the hearing, I gave personal notice to all owners of property situated within or without the Township of Mantua, as shown by the most recent tax lists of this Township, whose property or properties as shown by said lists are located within 200 feet of the property for which I make this application.
3. As to owners living outside the Township, the notice was given either personally or by sending written notice thereof by certified mail to the last known address of the owner or owners as shown by the most recent tax lists.
4. Following are the names and addresses of all owners of property who were served personally:
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
5. Following are the names and addresses for all owners of property who were served by certified mail (for which the return receipts are attached hereto and made a part hereof):

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Applicant)

# TOWNSHIP OF MANTUA

Land Use Board  
Gloucester County, New Jersey

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401 MAIN STREET  
MANTUA, NJ 08051  
(856) 468-1500 Ext. 135 Fax (856) 468-3671  
[www.mantuatownship.com](http://www.mantuatownship.com)

## 200 FOOT CERTIFIED LIST REQUEST

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Block: \_\_\_\_\_ Lot: \_\_\_\_\_ Qualification: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Use Variance: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



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**Paid to Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Balance Due** \_\_\_\_\_



**AFFIDAVIT OF OWNERSHIP**  
**MUST BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED**

1. Name of Company/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Is Company a Corporation? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Name of State Which Incorporated: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Is Company a Partnership? \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE LIST ANY AND ALL INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE OWNERS (FULL OR PART) OF THE COMPANY/ORGANIZATION, AND IF A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION, PLEASE LIST ALL BOARD MEMBERS.**

**Name**

**Address**

**Title**

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\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature and Title**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Please PRINT Name & Title**

## Zoning Sketches

Seventeen (17) copies of a sketch of the property must be prepared. The following must be shown on the sketch:

1. Shape of property.
2. Boundary dimensions.
3. Location of public and private roads.
4. Location of any easements.
5. Location and identification of immediate adjoining property owners (certified list.)
6. Location of all existing buildings on property including boundary dimensions and distances from property lines.
7. Location and dimensions of desired new buildings and/or additions.

The sketch need not be to scale but should be easy to read.

This is a guide. There may be additional requirements that you must meet in order to have your application heard. If you do not meet all of the requirements, your appeal will be rejected until you comply. If you are uncertain of the requirements, consult the zoning coordinator.

## Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give form to the  
 requester. Do not  
 send to the IRS.

Print or type  
 See Specific Instructions on page 2.

Name (as shown on your income tax return)	
Business name, if different from above	
Check appropriate box: <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/Sole proprietor <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶ ..... <input type="checkbox"/> Exempt from backup withholding	
Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)	Requester's name and address (optional)
City, state, and ZIP code	<b>Township of Mantua</b> 401 Main Street Mantua, NJ 08051
List account number(s) here (optional)	

### Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on Line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

**Note.** If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number
or
Employer identification number

### Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and
3. I am a U.S. person (including a U.S. resident alien).

**Certification instructions.** You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the Certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. (See the instructions on page 4.)

**Sign Here**

Signature of U.S. person ▶

Date ▶

### Purpose of Form

A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS, must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA.

**U.S. person.** Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee.

In 3 above, if applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income.

**Note.** If a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

For federal tax purposes, you are considered a person if you are:

- An individual who is a citizen or resident of the United States,
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States, or
- Any estate (other than a foreign estate) or trust. See Regulations sections 301.7701-6(a) and 7(a) for additional information.

**Special rules for partnerships.** Partnerships that conduct a trade or business in the United States are generally required to pay a withholding tax on any foreign partners' share of income from such business. Further, in certain cases where a Form W-9 has not been received, a partnership is required to presume that a partner is a foreign person, and pay the withholding tax. Therefore, if you are a U.S. person that is a partner in a partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States, provide Form W-9 to the partnership to establish your U.S. status and avoid withholding on your share of partnership income.

The person who gives Form W-9 to the partnership for purposes of establishing its U.S. status and avoiding withholding on its allocable share of net income from the partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States is in the following cases:

- The U.S. owner of a disregarded entity and not the entity,

- The U.S. grantor or other owner of a grantor trust and not the trust, and
- The U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust) and not the beneficiaries of the trust.

**Foreign person.** If you are a foreign person, do not use Form W-9. Instead, use the appropriate Form W-8 (see Publication 515, Withholding of Tax on Nonresident Aliens and Foreign Entities).

**Nonresident alien who becomes a resident alien.** Generally, only a nonresident alien individual may use the terms of a tax treaty to reduce or eliminate U.S. tax on certain types of income. However, most tax treaties contain a provision known as a "saving clause." Exceptions specified in the saving clause may permit an exemption from tax to continue for certain types of income even after the recipient has otherwise become a U.S. resident alien for tax purposes.

If you are a U.S. resident alien who is relying on an exception contained in the saving clause of a tax treaty to claim an exemption from U.S. tax on certain types of income, you must attach a statement to Form W-9 that specifies the following five items:

1. The treaty country. Generally, this must be the same treaty under which you claimed exemption from tax as a nonresident alien.
2. The treaty article addressing the income.
3. The article number (or location) in the tax treaty that contains the saving clause and its exceptions.
4. The type and amount of income that qualifies for the exemption from tax.
5. Sufficient facts to justify the exemption from tax under the terms of the treaty article.

**Example.** Article 20 of the U.S.-China income tax treaty allows an exemption from tax for scholarship income received by a Chinese student temporarily present in the United States. Under U.S. law, this student will become a resident alien for tax purposes if his or her stay in the United States exceeds 5 calendar years. However, paragraph 2 of the first Protocol to the U.S.-China treaty (dated April 30, 1984) allows the provisions of Article 20 to continue to apply even after the Chinese student becomes a resident alien of the United States. A Chinese student who qualifies for this exception (under paragraph 2 of the first protocol) and is relying on this exception to claim an exemption from tax on his or her scholarship or fellowship income would attach to Form W-9 a statement that includes the information described above to support that exemption.

If you are a nonresident alien or a foreign entity not subject to backup withholding, give the requester the appropriate completed Form W-8.

**What is backup withholding?** Persons making certain payments to you must under certain conditions withhold and pay to the IRS 28% of such payments (after December 31, 2002). This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding include interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, rents, royalties, nonemployee pay, and certain payments from fishing boat operators. Real estate transactions are not subject to backup withholding.

You will not be subject to backup withholding on payments you receive if you give the requester your correct TIN, make the proper certifications, and report all your taxable interest and dividends on your tax return.

**Payments you receive will be subject to backup withholding if:**

1. You do not furnish your TIN to the requester,
2. You do not certify your TIN when required (see the Part II instructions on page 4 for details),

3. The IRS tells the requester that you furnished an incorrect TIN,

4. The IRS tells you that you are subject to backup withholding because you did not report all your interest and dividends on your tax return (for reportable interest and dividends only), or

5. You do not certify to the requester that you are not subject to backup withholding under 4 above (for reportable interest and dividend accounts opened after 1983 only).

Certain payees and payments are exempt from backup withholding. See the instructions below and the separate Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9.

Also see *Special rules regarding partnerships* on page 1.

## Penalties

**Failure to furnish TIN.** If you fail to furnish your correct TIN to a requester, you are subject to a penalty of \$50 for each such failure unless your failure is due to reasonable cause and not to willful neglect.

**Civil penalty for false information with respect to withholding.** If you make a false statement with no reasonable basis that results in no backup withholding, you are subject to a \$500 penalty.

**Criminal penalty for falsifying information.** Willfully falsifying certifications or affirmations may subject you to criminal penalties including fines and/or imprisonment.

**Misuse of TINs.** If the requester discloses or uses TINs in violation of federal law, the requester may be subject to civil and criminal penalties.

## Specific Instructions

### Name

If you are an individual, you must generally enter the name shown on your income tax return. However, if you have changed your last name, for instance, due to marriage without informing the Social Security Administration of the name change, enter your first name, the last name shown on your social security card, and your new last name.

If the account is in joint names, list first, and then circle, the name of the person or entity whose number you entered in Part I of the form.

**Sole proprietor.** Enter your individual name as shown on your income tax return on the "Name" line. You may enter your business, trade, or "doing business as (DBA)" name on the "Business name" line.

**Limited liability company (LLC).** If you are a single-member LLC (including a foreign LLC with a domestic owner) that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner under Treasury regulations section 301.7701-3, enter the owner's name on the "Name" line. Enter the LLC's name on the "Business name" line. Check the appropriate box for your filing status (sole proprietor, corporation, etc.), then check the box for "Other" and enter "LLC" in the space provided.

**Other entities.** Enter your business name as shown on required federal tax documents on the "Name" line. This name should match the name shown on the charter or other legal document creating the entity. You may enter any business, trade, or DBA name on the "Business name" line.

**Note.** You are requested to check the appropriate box for your status (individual/sole proprietor, corporation, etc.).

### Exempt From Backup Withholding

If you are exempt, enter your name as described above and check the appropriate box for your status, then check the "Exempt from backup withholding" box in the line following the business name, sign and date the form.

Generally, individuals (including sole proprietors) are not exempt from backup withholding. Corporations are exempt from backup withholding for certain payments, such as interest and dividends.

**Note.** If you are exempt from backup withholding, you should still complete this form to avoid possible erroneous backup withholding.

**Exempt payees.** Backup withholding is not required on any payments made to the following payees:

1. An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a), any IRA, or a custodial account under section 403(b)(7) if the account satisfies the requirements of section 401(f)(2),

2. The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities,

3. A state, the District of Columbia, a possession of the United States, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities,

4. A foreign government or any of its political subdivisions, agencies, or instrumentalities, or

5. An international organization or any of its agencies or instrumentalities.

Other payees that may be exempt from backup withholding include:

6. A corporation,

7. A foreign central bank of issue,

8. A dealer in securities or commodities required to register in the United States, the District of Columbia, or a possession of the United States,

9. A futures commission merchant registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission,

10. A real estate investment trust,

11. An entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940,

12. A common trust fund operated by a bank under section 584(a),

13. A financial institution,

14. A middleman known in the investment community as a nominee or custodian, or

15. A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947.

The chart below shows types of payments that may be exempt from backup withholding. The chart applies to the exempt recipients listed above, 1 through 15.

IF the payment is for . . .	THEN the payment is exempt for . . .
Interest and dividend payments	All exempt recipients except for 9
Broker transactions	Exempt recipients 1 through 13. Also, a person registered under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 who regularly acts as a broker
Barter exchange transactions and patronage dividends	Exempt recipients 1 through 5
Payments over \$600 required to be reported and direct sales over \$5,000 <sup>1</sup>	Generally, exempt recipients 1 through 7

<sup>1</sup>See Form 1099-MISC, Miscellaneous Income, and its instructions.

<sup>2</sup>However, the following payments made to a corporation (including gross proceeds paid to an attorney under section 6045(f), even if the attorney is a corporation) and reportable on Form 1099-MISC are not exempt from backup withholding: medical and health care payments, attorneys' fees; and payments for services paid by a federal executive agency.

## Part I. Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

**Enter your TIN in the appropriate box.** If you are a resident alien and you do not have and are not eligible to get an SSN, your TIN is your IRS individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN). Enter it in the social security number box. If you do not have an ITIN, see *How to get a TIN* below.

If you are a sole proprietor and you have an EIN, you may enter either your SSN or EIN. However, the IRS prefers that you use your SSN.

If you are a single-owner LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner (see *Limited liability company (LLC)* on page 2), enter your SSN (or EIN, if you have one). If the LLC is a corporation, partnership, etc., enter the entity's EIN.

**Note.** See the chart on page 4 for further clarification of name and TIN combinations.

**How to get a TIN.** If you do not have a TIN, apply for one immediately. To apply for an SSN, get Form SS-5, Application for a Social Security Card, from your local Social Security Administration office or get this form online at [www.socialsecurity.gov](http://www.socialsecurity.gov). You may also get this form by calling 1-800-772-1213. Use Form W-7, Application for IRS Individual Taxpayer Identification Number, to apply for an ITIN, or Form SS-4, Application for Employer Identification Number, to apply for an EIN. You can apply for an EIN online by accessing the IRS website at [www.irs.gov/businesses](http://www.irs.gov/businesses) and clicking on Employer ID Numbers under Related Topics. You can get Forms W-7 and SS-4 from the IRS by visiting [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov) or by calling 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3676).

If you are asked to complete Form W-9 but do not have a TIN, write "Applied For" in the space for the TIN, sign and date the form, and give it to the requester. For interest and dividend payments, and certain payments made with respect to readily tradable instruments, generally you will have 60 days to get a TIN and give it to the requester before you are subject to backup withholding on payments. The 60-day rule does not apply to other types of payments. You will be subject to backup withholding on all such payments until you provide your TIN to the requester.

**Note.** Writing "Applied For" means that you have already applied for a TIN or that you intend to apply for one soon.

**Caution:** A disregarded domestic entity that has a foreign owner must use the appropriate Form W-8.

## Part II. Certification

To establish to the withholding agent that you are a U.S. person, or resident alien, sign Form W-9. You may be requested to sign by the withholding agent even if items 1, 4, and 5 below indicate otherwise.

For a joint account, only the person whose TIN is shown in Part I should sign (when required). Exempt recipients, see *Exempt From Backup Withholding* on page 2.

**Signature requirements.** Complete the certification as indicated in 1 through 5 below.

**1. Interest, dividend, and barter exchange accounts opened before 1984 and broker accounts considered active during 1983.** You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

**2. Interest, dividend, broker, and barter exchange accounts opened after 1983 and broker accounts considered inactive during 1983.** You must sign the certification or backup withholding will apply. If you are subject to backup withholding and you are merely providing your correct TIN to the requester, you must cross out item 2 in the certification before signing the form.

**3. Real estate transactions.** You must sign the certification. You may cross out item 2 of the certification.

**4. Other payments.** You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification unless you have been notified that you have previously given an incorrect TIN. "Other payments" include payments made in the course of the requester's trade or business for rents, royalties, goods (other than bills for merchandise), medical and health care services (including payments to corporations), payments to a nonemployee for services, payments to certain fishing boat crew members and fishermen, and gross proceeds paid to attorneys (including payments to corporations).

**5. Mortgage interest paid by you, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, qualified tuition program payments (under section 529), IRA, Coverdell ESA, Archer MSA or HSA contributions or distributions, and pension distributions.** You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

## What Name and Number To Give the Requester

For this type of account:	Give name and SSN of:
1. Individual	The individual
2. Two or more individuals (joint account)	The actual owner of the account or, if combined funds, the first individual on the account <sup>1</sup>
3. Custodian account of a minor (Uniform Gift to Minors Act)	The minor <sup>2</sup>
4. a. The usual revocable savings trust (grantor is also trustee)	The grantor-trustee <sup>1</sup>
b. So-called trust account that is not a legal or valid trust under state law	The actual owner <sup>1</sup>
5. Sole proprietorship or single-owner LLC	The owner <sup>3</sup>
For this type of account:	Give name and EIN of:
6. Sole proprietorship or single-owner LLC	The owner <sup>3</sup>
7. A valid trust, estate, or pension trust	Legal entity <sup>4</sup>
8. Corporate or LLC electing corporate status on Form 8832	The corporation
9. Association, club, religious, charitable, educational, or other tax-exempt organization	The organization
10. Partnership or multi-member LLC	The partnership
11. A broker or registered nominee	The broker or nominee
12. Account with the Department of Agriculture in the name of a public entity (such as a state or local government, school district, or prison) that receives agricultural program payments	The public entity

<sup>1</sup>List first and circle the name of the person whose number you furnish. If only one person on a joint account has an SSN, that person's number must be furnished.

<sup>2</sup>Circle the minor's name and furnish the minor's SSN.

<sup>3</sup>You must show your individual name and you may also enter your business or "DBA" name on the second name line. You may use either your SSN or EIN (if you have one). If you are a sole proprietor, IRS encourages you to use your SSN.

<sup>4</sup>List first and circle the name of the legal trust, estate, or pension trust. (Do not furnish the TIN of the personal representative or trustee unless the legal entity itself is not designated in the account title.) Also see *Special rules regarding partnerships* on page 1.

**Note.** If no name is circled when more than one name is listed, the number will be considered to be that of the first name listed.

## Privacy Act Notice

Section 6109 of the Internal Revenue Code requires you to provide your correct TIN to persons who must file information returns with the IRS to report interest, dividends, and certain other income paid to you, mortgage interest you paid, the acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA, or Archer MSA or HSA. The IRS uses the numbers for identification purposes and to help verify the accuracy of your tax return. The IRS may also provide this information to the Department of Justice for civil and criminal litigation, and to cities, states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. possessions to carry out their tax laws. We may also disclose this information to other countries under a tax treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce federal nontax criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism.

You must provide your TIN whether or not you are required to file a tax return. Payers must generally withhold 28% of taxable interest, dividend, and certain other payments to a payee who does not give a TIN to a payer. Certain penalties may also apply.