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## MARTIN LUTHER KING CENTER'S ANNUAL KING BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION!



## 'KINGFEST' AT THE WISCONSIN BLACK HISTORICAL SOCIETY/MUSEUM!





# New Report: Wisconsin Earns Mostly Failing Grades for Tobacco Control Policies; Experts Recommend Keeping Smokefree Indoor Air Law Intact

**American Lung Association "State of Tobacco Control" report releases Wisconsin grades for tobacco control policies, outlines steps to reduce burden of tobacco**

## Christmas Donations Down Across Milwaukee County for Salvation Army

WAUWATOSA – The Salvation Army of Milwaukee County's Christmas Campaign is struggling to meet its 2023 fundraising goal. With just 2 weeks remaining in this year's campaign, donations are currently down compared to last year. Since launching on November 10, the Christmas Campaign has raised \$2,936,031. This year's goal is \$4 million.

Donations allow The Salvation Army to provide life-changing social services and other programs throughout the year. In 2023, The Salvation Army provided a wide array of social services, including Emergency Assistance, Emergency Shelter, Emergency Disaster Services, Senior Services, and Christmas Assistance, to name a few.

"The need for financial support is critical because many people are struggling more than ever before," said Major Trevor McClintock, Divisional Commander for The Salvation Army of Wisconsin and Upper Michigan. "Locally, 87 cents of every dollar donated goes directly toward funding Salvation Army initiatives, and the money stays within the community in which it was given."

In 2022, The Salvation Army of Milwaukee County served over 65,000 meals through the Feed the Kids program, provided housing to over 1,200 people at its emergency shelter, and provided 760 individuals with emergency assistance.

No matter how you choose to give, we invite you to help support your neighbors in need by:

Mailing in a donation to: 11315 W Watertown Plank Rd. Wauwatosa, WI 53226 (Memo line: 2023 Christmas Goal)

Donating online: <https://salarmy.us/2023ChristmasGoal>

"Without adequate financial resources, our ability to effectively meet needs will be difficult," McClintock said. "I remain hopeful we can still



Recently, the American Lung Association released the 22nd annual "State of Tobacco Control" report, which finds that Wisconsin received two F grades, two D grades and one B grade for efforts to prevent and reduce tobacco use.

This year's report noted the need for Wisconsin policymakers to focus on maintaining the state's clean indoor air law.

The "State of Tobacco Control" report evaluates state and federal policies on actions taken to eliminate tobacco use and recommends proven-effective tobacco control laws and policies to save lives.

"Tobacco use is the leading cause of death in Wisconsin and across the country and takes the lives of 7,850 state residents each year.

"The tobacco industry will do anything to protect their profits at the expense of Wisconsin lives, so we must push forward in our



efforts to prevent and reduce tobacco use," said Molly Collins, advocacy director at the American Lung Association in Wisconsin.

"This year, we are working to stop a state bill that proposes to create new 'tobacco bars' which would be exempted from the Wisconsin smokefree air law. Wisconsin has been a leader in

protecting all of its citizens from the known, indisputable hazards of secondhand smoke in the workplace and public places.

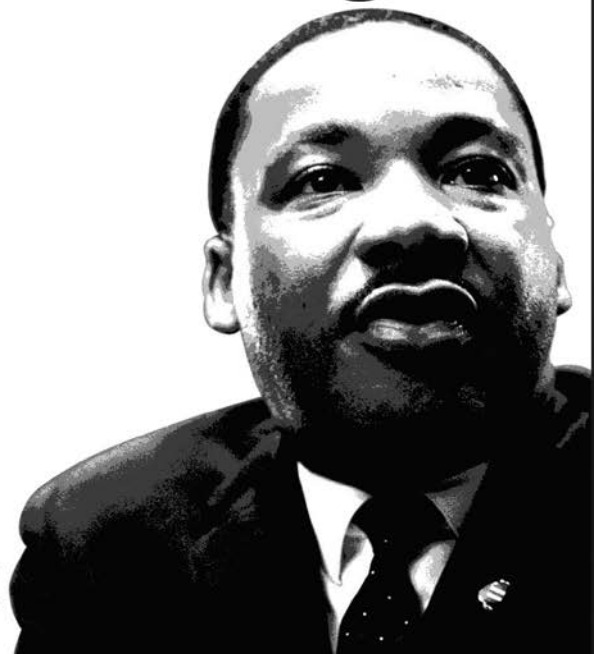
Our law protecting both workers and patrons at all indoor public places has been in place since 2009, and it's working.

Allowing more tobacco bars creates a significant loophole in (continued on page 7)

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THE DRUM MAJOR FOR PEACE! Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.



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### BLACK HISTORY MONTH 2024

## CREATING CONNECTIONS -

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- Complimentary soul food lunch
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- Resources from community partners

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# Homelessness surges, disproportionately affecting Black and Latino communities

By Stacy M. Brown, NNPA Newswire Senior National Correspondent @StacyBrownMedia

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has released its 2023 Annual Homeless Assessment Report, revealing a distressing 12% surge in homelessness since 2022.

The report, encompassing the Housing Inventory Count, paints a bleak picture of the current state of homelessness, with a staggering 653,104 individuals experiencing homelessness on a single night in January 2023—the highest since the national reporting on the Point-in-Time count began in 2007.

Of significant concern is the disproportionate impact on Black communities, constituting nearly 4 in 10 of those experiencing homelessness.

Despite comprising just 13% of the total U.S. population, individuals identifying as Black accounted for 37% of the homeless population.

Equally alarming is the plight of the Latino community, as almost one-third of people experiencing homelessness identified as Hispanic or Latino.

The number of homeless individuals in this demographic surged by 28% between 2022 and 2023, contributing to 55% of the total increase in homelessness during this period.

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**“Our society is selective on who is worthy enough to receive sympathy and assistance: Black or white, sober, or addicted, mother or father, married or single. We choose according to personal politics who is worthy of stability, who doesn’t deserve support, and when it is acceptable for someone to be without shelter...”**

—Author, poet, and blogger Archuleta Chisolm



personal politics who is worthy of stability, who doesn’t deserve support, and when it is acceptable for someone to be without shelter,” author, poet, and blogger Archuleta Chisolm wrote for BlackGirlNerds.com.

While the latest report indicates progress in addressing

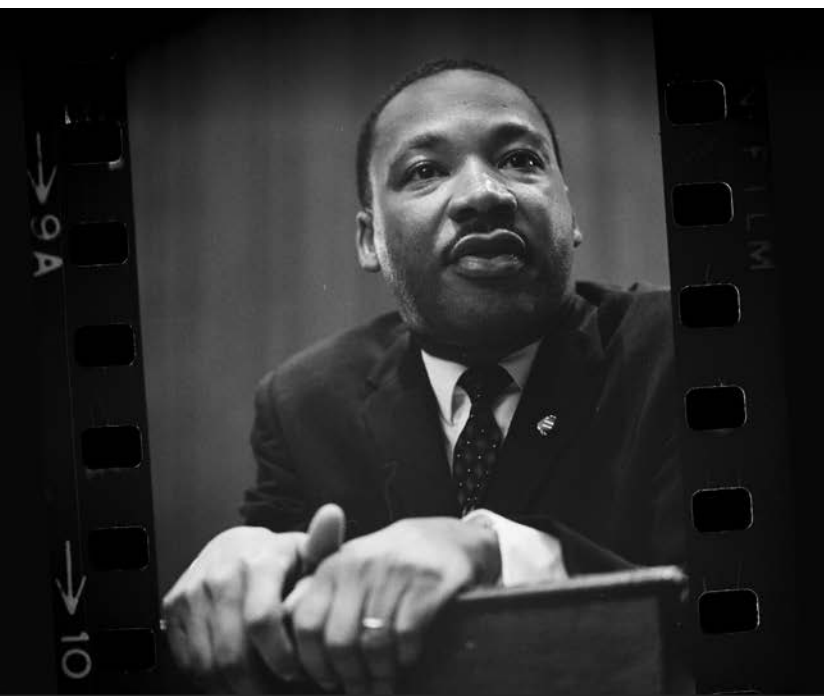
homelessness, with HUD projecting to serve 330,000 people through increased grants to homeless service organizations, challenges persist.

The expiration of resources from President Biden’s American Rescue Plan (ARP), the largest single-year investment

in preventing and ending homelessness in U.S. history, has played a role in the current rise.

The 2023 Point-in-Time Count data underscored the urgency of the situation, revealing increases across various demographics:

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## MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY

“The ultimate measure of a man is not where he stands in moments of comfort and convenience, but where he stands at times of challenge and controversy.”

— Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

Strength to Love, 1963

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The U.S. FDA recently issued a ruling on menthol cigarettes that prohibits the manufacture and sale of menthol cigarettes in the United States, an action research estimates found could **save up to 654,000 lives**, including more than **238,000 Black Lives** over the course of 40 years.

The ruling is a step towards righting the historic wrongs of the tobacco industry against African American communities, which it targeted for decades with its deadly menthol products. But, as also evidenced throughout history, the tobacco industry does not plan to go down without a fight. It’s wielding its many resources to wage a campaign of misinformation related to the menthol ban, including that it will result in the “over policing of the Black community. In other words, “targeting.”

It’s downright shameless that an industry which still targets the Black community, is warning those same communities that they in fact, will be targeted when menthols are removed from the market. No one should ever mistake the tobacco industry as a trusted messenger.

The successful campaign they wielded to push menthols in Black communities resulted in tobacco being a major contributor to the three leading causes of death for African Americans: heart disease, cancer, and stroke, with 45,000 dying each year from smoking-related deaths.

The truth is, the FDA has said that it can’t and won’t enforce the ban against individuals who smoke or possess menthols. Saying the ban will result in over-policing is an example of the tobacco industry exploiting real issues in the community related to police brutality and mass incarceration. The fact of the matter is that the menthol ban will save countless lives, including those of our friends, loved ones, and future generations.

For free to help to quit you can contact the **Wisconsin Tobacco Quit Line (1-800-QUIT-NOW)**.

Youth who want to quit vaping can get help by texting **“VAPEFREE”** to **873373**.

No Menthol  
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CIRCUIT COURT  
MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR  
NAME CHANGE HEARING  
Case No. 23CV009348**

In the matter of the name change of:  
BETH SHADOF HIGGINS

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name of the person listed above:  
From: BETH SHADOF HIGGINS to:  
BETH SHADOF HARRIS  
Birth Certificate: BETH SHADOF  
HARRIS

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit  
Court of Milwaukee County, State of  
Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. THOMAS J  
MCADAMS RM 404 PLACE 901 N.  
9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
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10:00 A.M.

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Circuit Court Judge  
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**SUMMONS  
(PUBLICATION)  
STATE OF WISCONSIN  
CIRCUIT COURT  
MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR  
NAME CHANGE HEARING  
Case No. 23CV8927**

In the matter of the name change of: AR-  
RIEL MONAE TSETSEGMMAA

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A petition was filed asking to change the  
name of the person listed above:  
FROM: ARRIEL MONAE TSETSEG-  
MAA TO: ARIELLE MONAE WIL-  
LIAMS  
Birth Certificate: ARRIEL MONAE  
WILLIAMS

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit  
Court of Milwaukee County, State of  
Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. J.D. WATTS BR  
15 ROOM 414 PLACE: 901 N. 9th  
Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: JANUARY 25, 2024, TIME  
10:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
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Circuit Court Judge  
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**SUMMONS  
(PUBLICATION)  
STATE OF WISCONSIN  
CIRCUIT COURT  
MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR  
NAME CHANGE HEARING  
Case No. 23CV9492**

In the matter of the name change of:  
YUSUF NURALAM

By (Petitioner) YUSUF NURALAM

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the  
name of the person listed above:  
From: YUSUF NURALAM to: YUSUF  
HANIF  
Birth Certificate: YUSUF NURALAM

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit  
Court of Milwaukee County, State of  
Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. GWENDOLYN

CONNOLLY BR. 44 PLACE: 901 N.  
9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: FEBRUARY 22, 2024, TIME  
9:30 A.M.

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BY THE COURT:  
HON. GWENDOLYN CONNOLLY  
Circuit Court Judge

**SUMMONS  
(PUBLICATION)  
STATE OF WISCONSIN  
CIRCUIT COURT  
MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR  
NAME CHANGE HEARING  
Case No. 23CV9490**

In the matter of the name change of:  
ZAKI NURALAM

By (Petitioner) ZAKI NURALAM

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the  
name of the person listed above:  
From: ZAKI NURALAM to: ZAKI  
HANIF  
Birth Certificate: ZAKI NURALAM

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit  
Court of Milwaukee County, State of  
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Judge's Name: HON. GWENDOLYN  
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STATE OF WISCONSIN  
CIRCUIT COURT  
MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR  
NAME CHANGE HEARING  
Case No. 23CV9496**

In the matter of the name change of:  
NURHANIFAH NURALAM

By (Petitioner) NURHANIFAH NURA-  
LAM

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the  
name of the person listed above:  
From: NURHANIFAH NURALAM to:  
NURHANIFAH HANIF  
Birth Certificate: NURHANIFAH NU-  
RALAM

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit  
Court of Milwaukee County, State of  
Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. GWENDOLYN  
CONNOLLY BR. 44 PLACE: 901 N.  
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CIRCUIT COURT  
MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR**

**NAME CHANGE HEARING  
Case No. 23CV9495**  
In the matter of the name change of:  
FARHANA NURALAM  
By (Petitioner) HANIF WALIAMAT  
By (Co-Petitioner) ZAITUN HUSIN

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the  
name of the person listed above:  
From: FARHANA NURALAM to: FAR-  
HANA HANIF  
Birth Certificate: FARHANA NURA-  
LAM

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit  
Court of Milwaukee County, State of  
Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. GWENDOLYN  
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STATE OF WISCONSIN  
CIRCUIT COURT  
MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR  
NAME CHANGE HEARING  
Case No. 23CV009494**

In the matter of the name change of:  
ANAS NURALAM

By (Petitioner) HANIF WALIAMAT  
By (Co-Petitioner) ZAITUN HUSIN

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the  
name of the person listed above:  
From: ANAS NURALAM to: ANAS  
HANIF  
Birth Certificate: ANAS NURALAM

IT IS ORDERED  
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Court of Milwaukee County, State of  
Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. GWENDOLYN  
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CIRCUIT COURT  
MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR  
NAME CHANGE HEARING  
Case No. 23CV009493**

In the matter of the name change of: HI-  
DAYAH NURALAM

By (Petitioner) HANIF WALIAMAT  
By (Co-Petitioner) ZAITUN HUSIN

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the  
name of the person listed above:  
From: HIDAYAH NURALAM to: HI-  
DAYAH HANIF  
Birth Certificate: HIDAYAH NURA-  
LAM

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit  
Court of Milwaukee County, State of  
Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. GWENDOLYN  
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**SUMMONS  
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CIRCUIT COURT  
MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR  
NAME CHANGE HEARING  
Case No. 23CV009151**

In the matter of the name change of:  
BRITNEY ANNE MUELLER

By (Petitioner) BRITNEY ANNE  
MUELLER

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the  
name of the person listed above:  
From: BRITNEY ANNE MUELLER to:  
BRITNEY ANNE KLUMP  
Birth Certificate: BRITNEY ANNE  
KLUMP

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit  
Court of Milwaukee County, State of  
Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. KRISTY YANG  
BR 47 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Mil-  
waukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE FEB-  
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Circuit Court Judge  
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**SUMMONS  
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STATE OF WISCONSIN  
CIRCUIT COURT  
MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR  
NAME CHANGE HEARING  
Case No. 24CV000012**

In the matter of the name change of:  
TODD JAMES BEATSE

By (Petitioner) TODD JAMES BEATSE

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the  
name of the person listed above:  
From: TODD JAMES BEATSE to:  
JAMES SCOTT BEATSE  
Birth Certificate: TODD JAMES  
BEATSE

IT IS ORDERED  
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Court of Milwaukee County, State of  
Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. KRISTY YANG  
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Circuit Court Judge  
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**SUMMONS  
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STATE OF WISCONSIN  
CIRCUIT COURT  
MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR  
NAME CHANGE HEARING  
Case No. 23CV009488**

In the matter of the name change of: RO-  
MIDAH MUHAMED ABDUL RAHM

By (Petitioner) ROSIDAH ABDUL  
SHUKOR

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the  
name of the person listed above:  
From: ROMIDAH MUHAMED  
ABDUL RAHM to: ROMIDAH  
ABDUL RAHMAN  
Birth Certificate: ROMIDAH MU-  
HAMED ABDUL RAHM

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit  
Court of Milwaukee County, State of  
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Judge's Name: HON. GWENDOLYN  
CONNOLLY BR. 44 PLACE: 901 N.  
9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: FEBRUARY 7, 2024, TIME 3:00  
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**SUMMONS  
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CIRCUIT COURT  
MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR  
NAME CHANGE HEARING  
Case No. 23CV009487**

In the matter of the name change of:  
MUHAMMAD HARIS BIN HASSAN

By (Petitioner) ROSIDAH ABDUL  
SHUKOR

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the  
name of the person listed above:  
From: MUHAMMAD HARIS BIN  
HASSAN to: MUHAMMAD HARIS  
ABDUL RAHMAN  
Birth Certificate: MUHAMMAD  
HARIS BIN HASSAN

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit  
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Judge's Name: HON. GWENDOLYN  
CONNOLLY BR. 44 PLACE: 901 N.  
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HON. GWENDOLYN CONNOLLY  
Circuit Court Judge  
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**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 23CV9287**  
 In the matter of the name change of:  
 EMMA LEIGH LANDOWSKI

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
 A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
 From: EMMA LEIGH LANDOWSKI  
 to: EMMA LEIGH SANCOMB  
 Birth Certificate: EMMA LEIGH LANDOWSKI

IT IS ORDERED  
 This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Judge’s Name: HON. GWENDOLYN CONNOLLY BR. 44 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
 DATE: JANUARY 31, 2024, TIME 8:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
 Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Dated: 12-18-2023  
 BY THE COURT:  
 HON. GWENDOLYN CONNOLLY  
 Circuit Court Judge  
 013/1-3-10-17-2024

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 24CV99**  
 In the matter of the name change of:  
 BRITTANY NOELLE CURRAN

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
 A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
 From: BRITTANY NOELLE CURRAN  
 to: BRITTANY NOELLE FLORENCE  
 Birth Certificate: BRITTANY NOELLE CURRAN

IT IS ORDERED  
 This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Judge’s Name: HON. BRITTANY GRAYSON ROOM 402 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
 DATE FEBRUARY 16, 2024, TIME 11:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
 Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Dated: 1-5-2024  
 BY THE COURT:  
 HON. BRITTANY GRAYSON  
 Circuit Court Judge  
 118/1-10-17-24-2024

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 24CV000080**  
 In the matter of the name change of:  
 TERESO BAUDILIO ANZUETO JR

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
 A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
 From: TERESO BAUDILIO ANZUETO JR  
 to: TERRY BAUDILIO ANZUETO JR  
 Birth Certificate: TERESO BAUDILIO ANZUETO JR

IT IS ORDERED  
 This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Judge’s Name: HON. KRISTY YANG BR 47 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
 DATE FEBRUARY 6, 2024, TIME 3:00 P.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Dated: 1-8-2024  
 BY THE COURT:  
 HON. KRISTY YANG  
 Circuit Court Judge  
 014/1-10-17-24-2024

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 24CV000155**  
 In the matter of the name change of:  
 LILA JAY LUNA  
 By (Petitioner) LILA JAY LUNA

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
 A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
 From: LILA JAY LUNA to: LEVI JAY LUNA  
 Birth Certificate: LILA JAY LUNA

IT IS ORDERED  
 This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Judge’s Name: HON. GWENDOLYN CONNOLLY BR. 44 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
 DATE FEBUARY 21, 2024, TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
 Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Dated: 1-8-2023  
 BY THE COURT:  
 HON. GWENDOLYN CONNOLLY  
 Circuit Court Judge  
 115/1-10-17-24-2024

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 24CV000113**  
 In the matter of the name change of:  
 AMIYA MIRACLE MARIE THORN  
 By (Petitioner) CINNAMON JOY BLOCKMON  
 By (Co-Petitioner) ORLANDO JERMAINE BLOCKMON

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
 A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
 From: AMIYA MIRACLE MARIE THORN to: AMIYA MIRACLE MARIE BLOCKMON  
 Birth Certificate: AMIYA MIRACLE MARIE THORN

IT IS ORDERED  
 This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Judge’s Name: HON. WILLIAM SO-SNAY ROOM 401 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
 DATE FEBRUARY 23, 2024, TIME 10:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
 Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Dated: 1-5-2024  
 BY THE COURT:  
 HON. WILLIAM SOSNAY  
 Circuit Court Judge  
 116/1-10-17-24-2024

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 24CV00049**  
 In the matter of the name change of:  
 AARON MICHAEL PRINZ  
 By (Petitioner) AARON MICHAEL PRINZ

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
 A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
 From: AARON MICHAEL PRINZ to: AARON MICHAEL LUSTY  
 Birth Certificate: AARON MICHAEL PRINZ

IT IS ORDERED  
 This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Judge’s Name: HON. WILLIAM SO-SNAY ROOM 401 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
 DATE FEBRUARY 21, 2024, TIME 1:30 P.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
 Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Dated: 1-3-2024  
 BY THE COURT:  
 HON. WILLIAM SOSNAY  
 Circuit Court Judge  
 121/1-10-17-24-2024

**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**SUMMONS WITHOUT MINOR CHILDREN**  
**Case No. 23FA006464**  
**Divorce: 40101**  
 CECILIA M RICHMOND 3119 S 14th Street Milwaukee WI 53215, Petitioner and MOHAMMAD AKBAR ALI 832 W Greenfield Ave MILWAUKEE WI 53204, Respondent

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, to the person named above as a respondent

You are hereby notified that your spouse has filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you. The Petitioner, which is attached, states the nature and basis of the legal action.  
 Within 20 days of receiving this Summons, you must provide a written response, as that term is used in Ch. 802, Wis. Stats., to the Petition. The Court may reject or disregard a response that does not follow the requirements of the statutes.

The response must be sent or delivered to the following government office:  
 Clerk of Court Milwaukee County 901 N 9th St. Rm 104 Milwaukee WI 53233.

The response must also be mailed or delivered within 20 days to the petitioner at the address above.  
 It is recommended, but not required, that you have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not provide a proper response within 20 days, the court may grant judgment against you, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the Petition.

A judgement may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

Dated in Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 31st day of October 2023  
 BY: CECILIA M RICHMOND  
 117/1-10-17-24-2024

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 24CV00064**  
 In the matter of the name change of: AD-DISON ELEANORE JANKE  
 By (Petitioner) ADDISON ELEANORE JANKE

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
 A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
 From: ADDISON ELEANORE JANKE to: ASHTON VICTOR JANKE  
 Birth Certificate: ADDISON ELEANORE JANKE

IT IS ORDERED

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Judge’s Name: HON. THOMAS J MCADAMS RM 404 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
 DATE FEBRUARY 22, 2024, TIME 2:30 P.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
 Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Dated: 1-4-2024  
 BY THE COURT:  
 HON. THOMAS J MCADAMS  
 Circuit Court Judge  
 119/1-10-17-24-2024

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 23CV008566**  
 In the matter of the name change of:  
 AGUSTIN CUEVAS  
 By (Petitioner) AGUSTIN CUEVAS

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
 A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
 From: AGUSTIN CUEVAS to: AGUSTIN LEI HWANG SHI-WOO KKA-MAGWI  
 Birth Certificate: AGUSTIN CUEVAS

IT IS ORDERED  
 This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Judge’s Name: HON. BRITTANY GRAYSON ROOM 402 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
 DATE: JANUARY 24, 2024, TIME 10:15 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
 Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Dated: 11-10-2023  
 BY THE COURT:  
 HON. BRITTANY GRAYSON  
 Circuit Court Judge  
 671/11-29/12-6-13-2023

**STATE OF WISCONSIN,**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT**  
**SMALL CLAIMS**  
**CLAIM FOR MONEY 31001**  
**Case No. 23SC021858**

PLAINTIFF(S) TENSHA JARRELL 2210 N 52nd ST. MILWAUKEE WI 53208  
 vs  
 DEFENDANT/S: OWNER BRYAN HUDSON/KUSASI AUTO SALES 5905 W North Ave Milwaukee WI 53208

This form does not replace the need for an interpreter any colloques mandated by law, or the responsibility of court and counsel to ensure that persons with limited English proficiency fully comprehend their rights and obligations. This form must be completed in the English language.

If you require reasonable accommodations due to a disability to participate in the court process, please call 414-278-5712 prior to the scheduled court date. Please note that the court does not provide transportation.  
 Claim for money (\$10,000 or less)  
 31001

TO THE DEFENDANT(S):  
 You are being sued as described below.  
 If you wish to dispute this matter: You must appear at the time and place stated.  
 If you do not appear or answer, the plaintiff(s) may win this case and a judgment entered for what the plaintiff is asking.

When to Appear /File an Answer  
 Date: FEBRUARY 1, 2024,  
 Time: 8:30 A.M.

Place to Appear/File and Answer: Milwaukee County Courthouse 901 N 9th Street, Room 400 Milwaukee, WI 53233  
 Clerk/Attorney Signature:  
 Plaintiff’s Demand: The plaintiff states the following claim against the defendant(s):  
 1. Plaintiff demands judgment for: Claim for EVICTION/CLAIM FOR MONEY: \$5000.00 Return of Earnest Money

Brief statement of dates and facts:  
 Owner doesn’t want to return money for purchase of a car  
 I am the plaintiff:  
 Dated: 8-16-2023  
 BY THE PLAINTIFF:  
 TENSHA JARRELL  
 117/1-10-17-24-2024

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 23CV009224**  
 In the matter of the name change of:  
 BRANDY ROCHELLE CROSTON

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
 A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
 From: BRANDY ROCHELLE CROSTON to: LYDIA ANNA-ROSE CROSTON  
 Birth Certificate: BRANDY ROCHELLE CROSTON

IT IS ORDERED  
 This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Judge’s Name: HON. THOMAS J MCADAMS RM 404 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
 DATE FEBRUARY 28, 2024, TIME 10:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
 Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Dated: 12-12-2023  
 BY THE COURT:  
 HON. THOMAS J MCADAMS  
 Circuit Court Judge  
 132/1-17-24-31-2024

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 24CV00049**  
 In the matter of the name change of:  
 AARON MICHAEL PRINZ  
 By (Petitioner) AARON MICHAEL PRINZ

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
 A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
 From: AARON MICHAEL PRINZ to: AARON MICHAEL LUSTY  
 Birth Certificate: AARON MICHAEL PRINZ

IT IS ORDERED  
 This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Judge’s Name: HON. WILLIAM SO-SNAY ROOM 401 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
 DATE FEBRUARY 21, 2024, TIME 1:30 P.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
 Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
 Dated: 1-3-2024  
 BY THE COURT:  
 HON. WILLIAM SOSNAY  
 Circuit Court Judge  
 121/1-10-17-24-2024









STATE OF WISCONSIN,  
CIRCUIT COURT  
MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT  
SMALL CLAIMS  
CLAIM FOR MONEY 31001  
Case No. 23CV33305  
PLAINTIFF(S) TINA HARDING 5420  
W MILL RD. APT 2 MILWAUKEE WI  
53218  
vs  
DEFENDANT/S: PATRICIA CLINTON  
1915 W KEEFE AVE MILWAUKEE WI  
53206

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Claim for money (\$10,000 or less)  
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TO THE DEFENDANT(S):  
You are being sued as described below. If you wish to dispute this matter: You must appear at the time and place stated.

If you do not appear or answer, the plaintiff(s) may win this case and a judgment entered for what the plaintiff is asking.

When to Appear /File an Answer  
Date: JANUARY 16, 2024,  
Time: 1:30 P.M.  
Place to Appear/File and Answer: Milwaukee County Courthouse 901 N 9th Street, Room 400 Milwaukee, WI 53233  
Clerk/Attorney Signature:  
Plaintiff’s Demand: The plaintiff states the following claim against the defendant(s):  
1. Plaintiff demands judgment for: CLAIM FOR MONEY: \$2800.00 + COURT COSTS

Brief statement of dates and facts: Plaintiff agreed to rent an apartment for her daughter defendant, with the understanding that the daughter would pay rent. The daughter failed to pay rent and the landlord has obtained a money judgement for the above amount against the plaintiff. Plaintiff seeks damages in the amount of the above judgement. Please see Case: 2023SC018768.

I am the plaintiff:  
Dated: 12-20-2023  
BY THE PLAINTIFF:  
TINA HARDING  
131/1-17-24-31/2-7-14-21-28-2024

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# How to choose a tax preparer in the U.S.

This year, United States taxpayers must file their income tax forms before the April 15, 2024 deadline. For many people, major life changes, business ownership, or simply a lack of knowledge about the ever-changing tax laws make finding a trustworthy tax preparer a good idea. That said, not all tax preparers have the same level of experience and training. Here are tips for finding someone you can trust with your finances and sensitive personal information.

Which type of tax preparer is right for you? First, it’s important to understand the different types of tax preparers and their qualifications. Only enrolled agents, certified public accounts, and attorneys may represent their clients to the IRS on matters such as audits, collection issues, and appeals.

Enrolled Agent (EA): An EA is a tax preparer that has been approved by the IRS to represent taxpayers. An EA must either have prior qualifying employment with the IRS or pass an intensive two-day exam on federal taxation and complete a background check. To maintain EA status, they must complete a specified number of credit hours each year of continuing education in accounting methods and tax regulations. An EA may work independently or as part of a firm and specialize in specific areas of tax law.

An EA is a good option if you have a more complex tax situation. However, you’ll want to make sure their area of expertise applies to your personal situation. Fees and availability may vary, but you can expect an EA to charge less than a CPA. An EA is also qualified to help you with financial planning and give you tips that could help you reduce your taxes in the future.

**Certified Public Accountants (CPA):** CPAs have a college degree (or the equiv-

alent in work experience). They are licensed after passing a state professional qualifying exam. They are highly skilled in accounting. This makes them good candidates for complex tax planning and preparation if they are experienced in handling tax matters and enrolled in continuing education programs that keep them abreast of the constant changes to tax laws. If your return is quite complex, a CPA may be your best choice for tax preparation, but keep in mind they will charge much more than basic tax preparers.

**Attorneys:** Tax attorneys often charge the highest fees as tax preparers. For taxpayers looking to shelter part of their income legally or for those who need specialized advice on municipal bonds, estate planning, and the like, hiring a tax attorney is a good option.

**Non-Credentialed tax preparers:** There are about 700,000 people who work as non-credentialed tax preparers in the United States. They often work part-time or only during the tax season. These preparers must have an active preparer tax identification number (PTIN) through the IRS, but beyond that, regulating tax preparers is done at the state level. In the vast majority of states, anyone can prepare tax returns for others without having to take an exam, get a license, or comply with other government regulations. Learn more about your state’s requirements here. Read more about "ghost tax preparers" here.

Most tax preparers are legitimate and competent, but keep in mind that without a national license requirement, they may be working off of their own personal research and experience. Because of this, it is important you conduct a thorough interview with the tax preparer before you hire them.

How to choose the right tax preparer: When it comes to choosing the right kind of tax preparer for you personally, much will depend on the complexity of your tax situation. After you’ve decided what qualifications your tax preparer needs, the following tips will help you choose someone who is trustworthy and competent:

# Homelessness surges, disproportionately affecting Black and Latino communities

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- Sheltered homelessness rose by 13.7%
  - Unsheltered homelessness rose by 9.7%
  - Homelessness among individuals rose by 10.8%
  - Homelessness among people in families with children rose by 15.5%
  - Homelessness among unaccompanied youth rose by 15.3%
  - Homelessness among veterans rose by 7.4%
  - Chronic homelessness among individuals rose by 12%
- HUD Secretary Marcia Fudge acknowl-

edged the gravity of the issue. “Homelessness is solvable and should not exist in the United States,” Fudge declared. “From day one, this administration has put forth a comprehensive plan to tackle homelessness, and we’ve acted aggressively and in conjunction with our federal, state, and local partners to address this challenge. “We’ve made positive strides, but there is still more work to be done. This data underscores the urgent need for support for proven solutions and strategies that help people quickly exit homelessness and that prevent homelessness in the first place.”

# Wisconsin Earns Mostly Failing Grades for Tobacco Control Policies

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clean indoor air protections and weakens decades of progress in preventing exposure to second-hand smoke and reducing tobacco use. We should not go backwards.”

**Wisconsin’s Grades**  
The “State of Tobacco Control” report grades states and the District of Columbia in five areas that have been proven to prevent and reduce tobacco use and save lives. In the 2024 report, Wisconsin received the following grades:  
Funding for State Tobacco Prevention Programs – Grade F  
Strength of Smokefree Workplace Laws – Grade B  
Level of State Tobacco Taxes – Grade D  
Coverage and Access to Serv-

ices to Quit Tobacco – Grade D  
Ending the Sale of All Flavored Tobacco Products – Grade F  
**Federal Grades Overview**  
This year’s report focuses on recent federal actions, including President Biden’s failure to finalize rules to end the sale of menthol cigarettes and flavored cigars, as well as FDA’s overdue review of all applications for e-cigarette products, including flavors that are popular among youth.  
Because of the delay on the federal rules to end the sale of menthol cigarettes and flavored cigars, it is even more important for states to enact laws to end the sale of all flavored tobacco products.  
The 2024 “State of Tobacco Control” report grades the federal

government in five areas:  
Federal Government Regulation of Tobacco Products – Grade C  
Federal Coverage of Quit Smoking Treatments – Grade D  
Level of Federal Tobacco Taxes – Grade F  
Federal Mass Media Campaigns to Prevent and Reduce Tobacco Use – Grade: A  
Federal Minimum Age of Sale for Tobacco Products to 21 – Incomplete\*  
\*FDA remains grossly overdue in publishing the final Tobacco 21 regulations as required by statute, which is why it earns an “incomplete.”  
The Lung Association calls on the White House to urgently finalize rules to end the sales of menthol cigarettes and flavored

cigars in the U.S. to save lives now. Send an email to President Biden at Lung.org/Stop-Menthol to insist these rules be finalized urgently.  
To learn more about this year’s “State of Tobacco Control” grades and take action, visit Lung.org/sotc.  
Get involved and help the mission of the American Lung Association. Fight For Air Climb in Milwaukee is coming up on March 9, 2024. Learn more at FightForAirClimb.org/Milwaukee.  
\*State Funding for Tobacco Prevention Programs grades in “State of Tobacco Control” reflect actions taken by elected officials and do not reflect on the hard work of state tobacco control programs or advocates.

Review the tax preparer’s credentials. EAs, CPAs, and tax attorneys are all qualified to represent their clients to the IRS on all matters. Other preparers can help you with forms and basic matters but cannot represent you in case of an audit. Don’t be afraid to ask about these or other qualifications before you hire someone.

Be wary of spectacular promises. If a tax preparer promises you larger refunds than the competition, this is a red flag. Many such tax preparers base their fees on the amount of your return and may be likely to use shady tax preparation tactics. In addition, it’s wise to avoid tax preparers who offer “refund anticipation loans” as you’ll probably lose a large percentage of your return to commission fees.

Get referrals from friends and family. One of the best ways to find a trustworthy tax preparer is to ask your loved ones for recommendations. Once you have a few options, check BBB.org, paying careful attention to other consumers’ reviews or complaint details. This will give you a clear view of what you can expect.

Think about availability. If the IRS finds errors in your tax forms or decides to perform an audit, will your tax preparer be available to help you with the details? Find out whether you can contact the tax preparer all year long or only during tax season.

Ask about fees ahead of time. Before you agree to any services, read the contracts carefully and understand how much the tax preparer charges for their services. Ask about extra fees for e-filing state, federal, and local returns, as well as fees for any unexpected complications.

If things don’t add up, find someone else. If a tax preparer can’t verify their credentials, has a record of bad reviews from previous clients, or their business practices don’t seem convincing, don’t do business with them. Remember that if you hire them, this individual will handle your sensitive personal information – information you need to keep safe from corrupt or fraudulent tax preparers.



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