

## **EXTENDED MISSOURI TAX DEADLINE**

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The IRS extended the deadline for making tax payments and filing returns to May 16, 2016 for taxpayers located in 33 counties in Missouri affected by flooding in December 2015. Included are many of the counties that are nearby our office including St. Louis County and St. Charles County (but not St Louis City or any counties in IL).

The extension includes most tax returns for all types of entities. It includes almost all payments that have due dates that normally fall between December 23, 2015 and May 16, 2016. It also includes estimated tax payments that normally would be due on April 15. However, it doesn't

include payroll related forms or tax payments.

You don't have to be personally affected by the flooding to qualify for the relief. Only your principal residence or place of business must be located in one of the designated counties.

If you wish to qualify for the extended deadlines, you will need to mark "MO FLOOD RELIEF" on your returns or payments. If you later get a late payment or filing notice, just respond that you are exempt from the penalty due to MO FLOODING extension.

Please contact us if you have question about your personal situation and whether or not the above applies to you.