# 20**03** Form 1040-V



### What Is Form 1040-V and Do You Have To Use It?

It is a statement you send with your check or money order for any balance due on line 72 of your **2003** Form 1040. Using Form 1040-V allows us to process your payment more accurately and efficiently. We strongly encourage you to use Form 1040-V, but there is no penalty if you do not.

#### How To Fill In Form 1040-V

- **Line 1.** Enter your social security number (SSN). If you are filing a joint return, enter the SSN shown **first** on your return.
- **Line 2.** If you are filing a joint return, enter the SSN shown **second** on your return.
- **Line 3.** Enter the amount you are paying by check or money order.
- **Line 4.** Enter your name(s) and address **exactly** as shown on your return. Please print clearly.

### **How To Prepare Your Payment**

- Make your check or money order payable to the "United States Treasury." Do not send cash.
- Make sure your name and address appear on your check or money order.
- Enter "2003 Form 1040," your daytime phone number, and your SSN on your check or money order. If you are filing a joint return, enter the SSN shown first on your return.
- To help process your payment, enter the amount on the right side of your check like this: \$ XXX.XX. **Do not** use dashes or lines (for example, do not enter "\$ XXX—" or "\$ XXX  $\frac{XX}{100}$ ").

## How To Send In Your 2003 Tax Return, Payment, and Form 1040-V

- Detach Form 1040-V along the dotted line.
- **Do not** staple or otherwise attach your payment or Form 1040-V to your return or to each other. Instead, just put them loose in the envelope.
- Mail your 2003 tax return, payment, and Form 1040-V in the envelope that came with your 2003 Form 1040 instruction booklet.

**Note**. If you do not have that envelope or you moved or used a paid preparer, mail your return, payment, and Form 1040-V to the Internal Revenue Service at the address shown on the back that applies to you.

Paperwork Reduction Act Notice. We ask for the information on Form 1040-V to help us carry out the Internal Revenue laws of the United States. If you use Form 1040-V, you must provide the requested information. Your cooperation will help us ensure that we are collecting the right amount of tax.

You are not required to provide the information requested on a form that is subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act unless the form displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a form or its instructions must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any Internal Revenue law. Generally, tax returns and return information are confidential, as required by Internal Revenue Code section 6103.

The time needed to complete and mail Form 1040-V will vary depending on individual circumstances. The estimated average time is 12 minutes. If you have comments about the accuracy of this time estimate or suggestions for making Form 1040-V simpler, we would be happy to hear from you. See the Instructions for Form 1040.

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service (99)	► Do r	ot staple or attacl	n this voucher to	your payment or r	eturn.	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
1 Your social security num	ber (SSN)	2 If a joint return, S on your return	SSN shown second	paying by check	Γ	Oollars	Cents
: :		:	1	or money order			

City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code

Home address (number and street)

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	THEN use this address if you:				
IF you live in	Prepared your own return	Used a paid preparer			
Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, North Carolina, Rhode Island, South Carolina, West Virginia	Atlanta, GA 39901-0102	P.O. Box 105093 Atlanta, GA 30348-5093			
Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York, /ermont	Andover, MA 05501-0102	P.O. Box 37002 Hartford, CT 06176-0002			
Connecticut, District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania	Philadelphia, PA 19255-0102	P.O. Box 80101 Cincinnati, OH 45280-0001			
Arkansas, Colorado, Kentucky, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Texas	Austin, TX 73301-0102	P.O. Box 660308 Dallas, TX 75266-0308			
Alaska, California, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Washington, Wyoming	Fresno, CA 93888-0102	P.O. Box 7704 San Francisco, CA 94120-7704			
Delaware, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin	Kansas City, MO 64999-0102	P.O. Box 970011 St. Louis, MO 63197-0011			
Dhio, Virginia	Memphis, TN 37501-0102	P.O. Box 105017 Atlanta, GA 30348-5017			
Arizona, Utah	Fresno, CA 93888-0102	P.O. Box 1214 Charlotte, NC 28201-1214			
All APO and FPO addresses, American Samoa, nonpermanent residents of Guam or the Virgin slands*, Puerto Rico (or if excluding income under Internal Revenue Code section 933), dual-status aliens, a foreign country: U.S. citizens and those filing Form 2555, Form 2555-EZ, or Form 4563	Philadelphia, PA 19255-0215 USA	P.O. Box 80111 Cincinnati, OH 45280-0011			

<sup>\*</sup>Permanent residents of Guam or the Virgin Islands should not use Form 1040-V.