



News Release

Maryland Comptroller Reminds Taxpayers of Upcoming Quarterly Payment Deadline

With Third Quarter Estimated Payments Due September 15, Office of the Comptroller Points Marylanders to Maryland Tax Connect Resources and FAQs

ANNAPOLIS, Md. (September 9, 2026) — The Office of the Comptroller is continuing the implementation of [Maryland Tax Connect](#), the state's new online tax portal that provides Marylanders with a more secure, transparent, and modern way to manage their state taxes. Since registration opened on September 1, **approximately 11,500 Marylanders have registered** for Maryland Tax Connect, and the Office of the Comptroller is continuing to assist taxpayers as they transition to the new system.

As a reminder, third-quarter estimated payments are due September 15. Taxpayers can either register an account or pay as a guest to make these payments. To help taxpayers meet this deadline, the Office of the Comptroller has compiled a set of resources and frequently asked questions at MarylandComptroller.gov/IndividualTaxHub.

Important Information to Remember:

Estimated Payments in Maryland Tax Connect

When making an estimated tax payment through Maryland Tax Connect, the payment period will display as 01/01/2026 through 12/31/2026, representing the full tax year rather than a specific quarter. Taxpayers do not need to select a separate period for Q3. Simply enter the amount you wish to pay for the quarter, and the payment will automatically be applied to the appropriate quarter based on the payment date.

Pending Estimated Payments Scheduled Through iFile

Estimated payments scheduled through iFile before it transitioned to view-only access remain on file and will process automatically as originally scheduled. Because iFile is now view-only, taxpayers cannot cancel or edit pending payments in the system. Taxpayers should not submit a second estimated payment through Maryland Tax Connect for the same period, as doing so could result in a duplicate payment.

Additional Resources

Step-by-step guides, frequently asked questions, and other support tools for navigating the new system are available at [MDTaxConnect.gov](https://mdtaxconnect.gov). Taxpayers experiencing registration or payment issues can call 1-800-MDTAXES, choose their preferred language, and then select Option 1 to speak with a Maryland Tax Connect onboarding specialist. They can also schedule an online appointment by selecting "Get Help Now" on [MarylandComptroller.gov](https://marylandcomptroller.gov).

The Office of the Comptroller is gathering taxpayer feedback through an [online form](#) and will continue to provide e webinars and in-person assistance as Marylanders transition to the new system. Webinar dates and registration information are available at [MarylandComptroller.gov/IndividualTaxHub](https://marylandcomptroller.gov/IndividualTaxHub).

For more information or support, visit [MDTaxConnect.gov](https://mdtaxconnect.gov) or call 1-800-MDTAXES.

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