



Beginning with the **2025 tax filing season**, the IRS will no longer accept or issue paper checks for tax payments or refunds. While some exceptions may apply and more details are expected, most taxpayers will see the following changes:

**Payments** must be made online (through IRS Direct Pay, your IRS Online Account, EFTPS, or a credit/debit card).

**Refunds** will be sent electronically, usually by direct deposit.

This change is designed to speed up processing, improve security, and reduce the risk of lost or delayed checks. We'll keep you updated as the IRS shares more information.

**How to pay online:**

**Federal:** Visit [www.irs.gov/payments](https://www.irs.gov/payments) to make payments through IRS Direct Pay, your IRS Online Account, or EFTPS.

**Indiana:** Use the [INTIME portal](#) to make state tax payments, including estimated payments, billing notices, and vouchers.

**Important:** Once this change takes effect, mailing a paper check may lead to late payment penalties and interest. We recommend switching to electronic payments now to avoid any issues. If you have any questions or would like help

getting set up, please [reach out](#). Thank you,

**The Donovan CPAs Team**