

December 16, 2024

Regina T Sears
100 Riverbend Dr
West Columbia, SC 29169

Please find enclosed a copy of your 2021 federal income tax return for your records. Your federal return was electronically transmitted to the IRS on ; therefore, do not mail your federal Form 1040 to the IRS.

The amount you owe on your federal return is \$372. Make your check or money order payable to ' United States Treasury '. Write ' 2021 Form 1040 ' and your social security number on your payment.

Mail your Form 1040-V and payment to:

Internal Revenue Service
P.O. Box 1214
Charlotte, NC 28201-1214

If you have any questions about your tax return, please contact us. Thank you for letting us be of service to you.

Sincerely,

dc Tax, LLC
9301 Ocoee St #64
Ooltewah, TN 37363
(423)482-9737

2021 Form 1040-V



Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service



Before you mail a check, consider your online payment options

IRS Direct Pay	Pay by Card	Electronic Federal Tax Payment System
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pay with Bank account• Schedule up to 30 days in advance• No fees• Immediate Confirmation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Credit or Debit Card option• Schedule in advance• Service fees apply and vary by processor	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Registration required• Business and Individuals• Pay with Bank Account by phone or online• No fees
Go to directpay.irs.gov	Go to irs.gov/Payments	Go to EFTPS.gov to enroll Registered users call 1800-555-3453

Online payments save time, reduce paper, and don't require postage.
If you do mail a check, include the portion below with your payment.

Form **1040-V** (2021)

▼ Detach Here and Mail With Your Payment and Return ▼

FORM **1040-V**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service (99)

Payment Voucher

► Do not staple or attach this voucher to your payment or return

OMB No. 1545-0074

2021

Amount you are paying by check or money order. Make your check or money order payable to "United States Treasury"

372.00

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Internal Revenue Service
P.O. Box 1214
Charlotte, NC 28201-1214

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16	Tax (see instructions). Check if any from Form(s): 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 8814 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 4972 3 <input type="checkbox"/>	16	383.
17	Amount from Schedule 2, line 3	17	
18	Add lines 16 and 17	18	383.
19	Nonrefundable child tax credit or credit for other dependents from Schedule 8812	19	
20	Amount from Schedule 3, line 8	20	
21	Add lines 19 and 20	21	0.
22	Subtract line 21 from line 18. If zero or less, enter -0-	22	383.
23	Other taxes, including self-employment tax, from Schedule 2, line 21	23	
24	Add lines 22 and 23. This is your total tax	24	383.
25	Federal income tax withheld from:		
a	Form(s) W-2	25a	
b	Form(s) 1099	25b	
c	Other forms (see instructions)	25c	
d	Add lines 25a through 25c	25d	
26	2021 estimated tax payments and amount applied from 2020 return	26	
27a	Earned income credit (EIC). Check here if you were born after January 1, 1998, and before January 2, 2004, and you satisfy all the other requirements for taxpayers who are at least age 18, to claim the EIC. See Instructions <input type="checkbox"/>	27a	11.
b	Nontaxable combat pay election	27b	
c	Prior year (2019) earned income	27c	
28	Refundable child tax credit or additional child tax credit from Schedule 8812	28	
29	American opportunity credit from Form 8863, line 8	29	
30	Recovery rebate credit. See instructions	30	
31	Amount from Schedule 3, line 15	31	
32	Add lines 27a and 28 through 31. These are your total other payments and refundable credits	32	11.
33	Add lines 25d, 26, and 32. These are your total payments	33	11.

If you have a qualifying child, attach Sch. EIC.

Refund

34	If line 33 is more than line 24, subtract line 24 from line 33. This is the amount you overpaid	34	0.
35a	Amount of line 34 you want refunded to you . If Form 8888 is attached, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	35a	0.
b	Routing number <u>XXXXXX</u>	c	Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Checking <input type="checkbox"/> Savings
d	Account number <u>XXXXXX</u>		
36	Amount of line 34 you want applied to your 2022 estimated tax	36	

Amount You Owe

37	Amount you owe . Subtract line 33 from line 24. For details on how to pay, see instructions	37	372.
38	Estimated tax penalty (see instructions)	38	

Third Party Designee

Do you want to allow another person to discuss this return with the IRS? Yes. Complete below. No

See instructions

Designee's name **David W Collins** Phone no. **423-482-9737** Personal identification number (PIN) **11093**

Sign Here

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return and accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Your signature	Date	Your occupation	If the IRS sent you an Identity Protection PIN, enter it here (see inst.)
Spouse's signature. If a joint return, both must sign.	Date	Spouse's occupation	If the IRS sent your spouse an Identity Protection PIN, enter it here (see inst.)

Paid Preparer Use Only

Preparer's name **David W Collins** Preparer's signature **David W Collins** Date **12/16/2024** PTIN **P03013529** Check if: Self-employed

Firm's name **dc Tax, LLC** Phone no. **(423)482-9737**

Firm's address **9301 Ocoee St #64, Ooltewah, TN, 37363** Firm's EIN **86-3654940**

SCHEDULE 1
(Form 1040)

Additional Income and Adjustments to Income

OMB No. 1545-0074

2021
Attachment
Sequence No. **01**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ Attach to Form 1040, 1040-SR, or 1040-NR.
▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form1040 for instructions and the latest information.

Name(s) shown on Form 1040, 1040-SR, or 1040-NR

Your social security number
592-30-3601

Regina T Sears

Part I Additional Income

1	Taxable refunds, credits, or offsets of state and local income taxes	1	
2a	Alimony received	2a	
b	Date of original divorce or separation agreement (see instructions) ▶ _____		
3	Business income or (loss). Attach Schedule C.	3	
4	Other gains or (losses). Attach Form 4797	4	
5	Rental real estate, royalties, partnerships, S corporations, trusts, etc. Attach Schedule E	5	
6	Farm income or (loss). Attach Schedule F	6	
7	Unemployment compensation	7	16,332.
8	Other income:		
a	Net operating loss	8a	()
b	Gambling income	8b	
c	Cancellation of debt	8c	
d	Foreign earned income exclusion from Form 2555	8d	()
e	Taxable Health Savings Account distribution	8e	
f	Alaska Permanent Fund dividends	8f	
g	Jury duty pay	8g	
h	Prizes and awards	8h	
i	Activity not engaged in for profit income	8i	
j	Stock options	8j	
k	Income from the rental of personal property if you engaged in the rental for profit but were not in the business of renting such property	8k	
l	Olympic and Paralympic medals and USOC prize money (see instructions)	8l	
m	Section 951(a) inclusion (see instructions)	8m	
n	Section 951A(a) inclusion (see instructions)	8n	
o	Section 461(l) excess business loss adjustment	8o	
p	Taxable distributions from an ABL account (see instructions)	8p	
z	Other income. List type and amount ▶ _____	8z	
9	Total other income. Add lines 8a through 8z	9	
10	Combine lines 1 through 7 and 9. Enter here and on Form 1040, 1040-SR, or 1040-NR, line 8	10	16,332.

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see your tax return instructions.

Schedule 1 (Form 1040) 2021

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Part II Adjustments to Income			
11	Educator expenses		11
12	Certain business expenses of reservists, performing artists, and fee-basis government officials. Attach Form 2106		12
13	Health savings account deduction. Attach Form 8889		13
14	Moving expenses for members of the Armed Forces. Attach Form 3903		14
15	Deductible part of self-employment tax. Attach Schedule SE		15
16	Self-employed SEP, SIMPLE, and qualified plans		16
17	Self-employed health insurance deduction		17
18	Penalty on early withdrawal of savings		18
19a	Alimony paid		19a
b	Recipient's SSN	▶ _____	
c	Date of original divorce or separation agreement (see instructions)	▶ _____	
20	IRA deduction		20
21	Student loan interest deduction		21
22	Reserved for future use		22
23	Archer MSA deduction		23
24	Other adjustments:		
a	Jury duty pay (see instructions)	24a	
b	Deductible expenses related to income reported on line 8k from the rental of personal property engaged in for profit	24b	
c	Nontaxable amount of the value of Olympic and Paralympic medals and USOC prize money reported on line 8l	24c	
d	Reforestation amortization and expenses	24d	
e	Repayment of supplemental unemployment benefits under the Trade Act of 1974	24e	
f	Contributions to section 501(c)(18)(D) pension plans	24f	
g	Contributions by certain chaplains to section 403(b) plans	24g	
h	Attorney fees and court costs for actions involving certain unlawful discrimination claims (see instructions)	24h	
i	Attorney fees and court costs you paid in connection with an award from the IRS for information you provided that helped the IRS detect tax law violations	24i	
j	Housing deduction from Form 2555	24j	
k	Excess deductions of section 67(e) expenses from Schedule K-1 (Form 1041)	24k	
z	Other adjustments. List type and amount ▶ _____	24z	
25	Total other adjustments. Add lines 24a through 24z		25
26	Add lines 11 through 23 and 25. These are your adjustments to income . Enter here and on Form 1040 or 1040-SR, line 10, or Form 1040-NR, line 10a		26
			0.

Paid Preparer's Due Diligence Checklist

Earned Income Credit (EIC), American Opportunity Tax Credit (AOTC), Child Tax Credit (CTC) (including the Additional Child Tax Credit (ACTC) and Credit for Other Dependents (ODC)), and Head of Household (HOH) Filing Status

▶ **To be completed by preparer and filed with Form 1040, 1040-SR, 1040-NR, 1040-PR, or 1040-SS.**
 ▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form8867 for instructions and the latest information.**

OMB No. 1545-0074

Attachment
 Sequence No. **70**

Taxpayer name(s) shown on return

Taxpayer identification number

Regina T Sears

592-30-3601

Enter preparer's name and PTIN

David W Collins P03013529

Part I Due Diligence Requirements

Please check the appropriate box for the credit(s) and/or HOH filing status claimed on the return and complete the related Parts I-V for the benefit(s) claimed (check all that apply). EIC CTC/ACTC/ODC AOTC HOH

	Yes	No	N/A
1 Did you complete the return based on information for the applicable tax year provided by the taxpayer or reasonably obtained by you? (See instructions if relying on prior year earned income.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2 If credits are claimed on the return, did you complete the applicable EIC and/or CTC/ACTC/ODC worksheets found in the Form 1040, 1040-SR, 1040-NR, 1040-PR, 1040-SS, or Schedule 8812 instructions, and/or the AOTC worksheet found in the Form 8863 instructions, or your own worksheet(s) that provides the same information, and all related forms and schedules for each credit claimed?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3 Did you satisfy the knowledge requirement? To meet the knowledge requirement, you must do both of the following. ● Interview the taxpayer, ask questions, and contemporaneously document the taxpayer's responses to determine that the taxpayer is eligible to claim the credit(s) and/or HOH filing status. ● Review information to determine that the taxpayer is eligible to claim the credit(s) and/or HOH filing status and to figure the amount(s) of any credit(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4 Did any information provided by the taxpayer or a third party for use in preparing the return, or information reasonably known to you, appear to be incorrect, incomplete, or inconsistent? (If "Yes," answer questions 4a and 4b. If "No," go to question 5.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
a Did you make reasonable inquiries to determine the correct, complete, and consistent information?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b Did you contemporaneously document your inquiries? (Documentation should include the questions you asked, whom you asked, when you asked, the information that was provided, and the impact the information had on your preparation of the return.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5 Did you satisfy the record retention requirement? To meet the record retention requirement, you must keep a copy of your documentation referenced in question 4b, a copy of this Form 8867, a copy of any applicable worksheet(s), a record of how, when, and from whom the information used to prepare Form 8867 and any applicable worksheet(s) was obtained, and a copy of any document(s) provided by the taxpayer that you relied on to determine eligibility for the credit(s) and/or HOH filing status or to figure the amount(s) of the credit(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
List those documents provided by the taxpayer, if any, that you relied on: _____ _____ _____			
6 Did you ask the taxpayer whether he/she could provide documentation to substantiate eligibility for the credit(s) and/or HOH filing status and the amount(s) of any credit(s) claimed on the return if his/her return is selected for audit?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7 Did you ask the taxpayer if any of these credits were disallowed or reduced in a previous year? (If credits were disallowed or reduced, go to question 7a; if not, go to question 8.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
a Did you complete the required recertification Form 8862?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
8 If the taxpayer is reporting self-employment income, did you ask questions to prepare a complete and correct Schedule C (Form 1040)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see separate instructions.
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Part II Due Diligence Questions for Returns Claiming EIC (If the return does not claim EIC, go to Part III.)

	Yes	No	N/A
9 a Have you determined that the taxpayer is eligible to claim the EIC for the number of qualifying children claimed, or is eligible to claim the EIC without a qualifying child? If the taxpayer is claiming the EIC and does not have a qualifying child, go to question 10.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
b Did you ask the taxpayer if the child lived with the taxpayer for over half of the year, even if the taxpayer has supported the child the entire year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
c Did you explain to the taxpayer the rules about claiming the EIC when a child is the qualifying child of more than one person (tiebreaker rules)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Part III Due Diligence Questions for Returns Claiming CTC/ACTC/ODC (If the return does not claim CTC, ACTC, or ODC, go to Part IV.)

	Yes	No	N/A
10 Have you determined that each qualifying person for the CTC/ACTC/ODC is the taxpayer's dependent who is a citizen, national, or resident of the United States?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
11 Did you explain to the taxpayer that he/she may not claim the CTC/ACTC if the child has not lived with the taxpayer for over half of the year, even if the taxpayer has supported the child, unless the child's custodial parent has released a claim to exemption for the child?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12 Did you explain to the taxpayer the rules about claiming the CTC/ACTC/ODC for a child of divorced or separated parents (or parents who live apart), including any requirement to attach a Form 8332 or similar statement to the return?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Part IV Due Diligence Questions for Returns Claiming AOTC (If the return does not claim AOTC, go to Part V.)

	Yes	No
13 Did the taxpayer provide substantiation for the credit, such as a Form 1098-T and/or receipts for the qualified tuition and related expenses for the claimed AOTC?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Part V Due Diligence Questions for Claiming HOH (If the return does not claim HOH filing status, go to Part VI.)

	Yes	No
14 Have you determined that the taxpayer was unmarried or considered unmarried on the last day of the tax year and provided more than half of the cost of keeping up a home for the year for a qualifying person?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Part VI Eligibility Certification

- ▶ **You will have complied with all due diligence requirements for claiming the applicable credit(s) and/or HOH filing status on the return of the taxpayer identified above if you:**
 - A. Interview the taxpayer, ask adequate questions, contemporaneously document the taxpayer's responses on the return or in your notes, review adequate information to determine if the taxpayer is eligible to claim the credit(s) and/or HOH filing status and to figure the amount(s) of the credit(s);
 - B. Complete this Form 8867 truthfully and accurately and complete the actions described in this checklist for any applicable credit(s) claimed and HOH filing status, if claimed;
 - C. Submit Form 8867 in the manner required; **and**
 - D. Keep all five of the following records for 3 years from the latest of the dates specified in the Form 8867 instructions under *Document Retention*.
 1. A copy of this Form 8867.
 2. The applicable worksheet(s) or your own worksheet(s) for any credit(s) claimed.
 3. Copies of any documents provided by the taxpayer on which you relied to determine the taxpayer's eligibility for the credit(s) and/or HOH filing status and to figure the amount(s) of the credit(s).
 4. A record of how, when, and from whom the information used to prepare this form and the applicable worksheet(s) was obtained.
 5. A record of any additional information you relied upon, including questions you asked and the taxpayer's responses, to determine the taxpayer's eligibility for the credit(s) and/or, HOH filing status and to figure the amount(s) of the credit(s).

▶ **If you have not complied with all due diligence requirements, you may have to pay a penalty for each failure to comply related to a claim of an applicable credit or HOH filing status (see instructions for more information).**

	Yes	No
15 Do you certify that all of the answers on this Form 8867 are, to the best of your knowledge, true, correct, and complete?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

(Rev. January 2021)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ **ERO must obtain and retain completed Form 8879.**
▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form8879 for the latest information.**

Submission Identification Number (SID) ▶

Taxpayer's name Regina T Sears	Social security number 592-30-3601
Spouse's name	Spouse's social security number

Part I Tax Return Information—Tax Year Ending December 31, 2021(Enter year you are authorizing.)

Enter whole dollars only on lines 1 through 5.

Note: Form 1040-SS filers use line 4 only. Leave lines 1, 2, 3, and 5 blank.

1 Adjusted gross income	1	16,392.
2 Total tax	2	383.
3 Federal income tax withheld from Form(s) W-2 and Form(s) 1099	3	
4 Amount you want refunded to you	4	
5 Amount you owe	5	372.

Part II Taxpayer Declaration and Signature Authorization (Be sure you get and keep a copy of your return)

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined a copy of the income tax return (original or amended) I am now authorizing, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. I further declare that the amounts in Part I above are the amounts from the income tax return (original or amended) I am now authorizing. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send my return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS (a) an acknowledgement of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, (b) the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and (c) the date of any refund. If applicable, I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an ACH electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) entry to the financial institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of my federal taxes owed on this return and/or a payment of estimated tax, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account. This authorization is to remain in full force and effect until I notify the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent to terminate the authorization. To revoke (cancel) a payment, I must contact the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent at **1-888-353-4537**. Payment cancellation requests must be received no later than 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial institutions involved in the processing of the electronic payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and resolve issues related to the payment. I further acknowledge that the personal identification number (PIN) below is my signature for the income tax return (original or amended) I am now authorizing and, if applicable, my Electronic Funds Withdrawal Consent.

Taxpayer's PIN: check one box only

- I authorize dc Tax, LLC to enter or generate my PIN as my signature on the income tax return (original or amended) I am now authorizing. **ERO firm name** Enter five digits, but don't enter all zeros
- I will enter my PIN as my signature on the income tax return (original or amended) I am now authorizing. Check this box **only** if you are entering your own PIN **and** your return is filed using the Practitioner PIN method. The ERO must complete Part III below.

Your signature ▶ _____ Date ▶ _____

Spouse's PIN: check one box only

- I authorize _____ to enter or generate my PIN as my signature on the income tax return (original or amended) I am now authorizing. **ERO firm name** Enter five digits, but don't enter all zeros
- I will enter my PIN as my signature on the income tax return (original or amended) I am now authorizing. Check this box **only** if you are entering your own PIN **and** your return is filed using the Practitioner PIN method. The ERO must complete Part III below.

Spouse's signature ▶ _____ Date ▶ _____

Practitioner PIN Method Returns Only—continue below

Part III Certification and Authentication – Practitioner PIN Method Only

ERO's EFIN/PIN. Enter your six-digit EFIN followed by your five-digit self-selected PIN.

Don't enter all zeros

I certify that the above numeric entry is my PIN, which is my signature for the electronic individual income tax return (original or amended) I am now authorized to file for tax year indicated above for the taxpayer(s) indicated above. I confirm that I am submitting this return in accordance with the of the Practitioner PIN method and **Pub. 1345**, Handbook for Authorized IRS e-file Providers of Individual Income Tax Returns.

ERO's signature ▶ David W Collins Date ▶ 12/16/2024

ERO Must Retain This Form – See Instructions
Don't Submit This Form to the IRS Unless Requested To Do So