

TAX PREP MADE EASY



GET YOUR TAXES DONE FOR FREE



- **Free** in-person tax preparation is available at many City senior and community centers with an appointment. Call **311** to schedule.
- If you make \$65,000 or less, you qualify for free in-person or online preparation with **Tax Help New Mexico**. Call **505-750-3885** or go to TaxHelpNM.org.
- Do your own taxes online for free at MyFreeTaxes.com, GetYourRefund.org or taxaide.aarpfoundation.org.

IF YOU CHOOSE TO HIRE A PAID TAX PREPARER



- If you choose to hire a paid tax preparer, hire an IRS-enrolled agent or a CPA. You can find a list of local enrolled agents at taxexperts.naea.org and a directory of CPA's at www.nmscpa.org/resources/find-a-cpa
- You can check a tax-preparer's credentials and qualifications on the IRS website at <https://irs.treasury.gov/rpo/rpo.jsf>.

IF YOU HAVE A PROBLEM WITH A TAX PREPARER IN ALBUQUERQUE



- Call 311 or file a complaint online at cabq.gov/consumer.

WHY FILE TAXES?



- Don't miss out on stimulus payments, rebates or credits you qualify for, even if you are not required to file.
- Tax returns can be used as proof of income to qualify for other government benefits.
- Not filing taxes won't protect you from penalties if you owe tax – it will make them worse.