

# 2021 TAX REPORT FOR

\$403,795 Filing \$391,939 Marg \$27,800 Aver \$341,870 2022 \$94,114

g Status:	Married	Filing	Jointly
ginal Rate:	:		24.0%
rage Rate:			23.3%
2 Safe Har	bor:	\$1	03,526

**KEY FIGURES** 

Tax Exempt Interest:	\$0	
Qualified/Ordinary Dividends:		
\$9	,191 / \$9,199	
ST/LT Capital Gains:	\$0 / \$5,805	
Carryforward Loss:	\$0	

## MARGINAL TAX BRACKET INFORMATION

The marginal tax rate for your ordinary income is as follows:

Marginal Rate	Ordinary Income Threshold	
10.0%	\$0 to \$19,900	
12.0%	\$19,900 to \$81,050	
22.0%	\$81,050 to \$172,750	
24.0%	\$172,750 to \$329,850	You: \$326,874
32.0%	\$329,850 to \$418,850	
35.0%	\$418,850 to \$628,300	
37.0%	\$628,300 and above.	

The marginal tax rate for your *capital gains and qualified dividends income* is as follows:

Marginal Rate	Taxable Income Threshold		Qualified Income (\$14,996 Total)
0.0%	\$0		\$0
15.0%	\$80,800	You: \$341,870	\$14,996
20.0%	\$501,600		\$0

The tax return also includes these extra Medicare taxes:

- \$1,075.00 additional Medicare tax on Form 8959.
- \$586.00 net investment income tax on Form 8960.

## MODIFIED ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME TIERS

Planning Opportunity	Limits	Over/Under?
Net Investment Income Tax	\$250k	Over
Coverdell ESA	\$190k - \$220k	Over
Roth IRA Contribution	\$198k - \$208k	Over
Lifetime Learning Credit	\$160k - \$180k	Over
Student Loan Interest Deduction	\$140k - \$170k	Over
American Opportunity Credit	\$160k - \$180k	Over
Child Tax Credit	\$400k - \$440k	Under
Qualified Adoption Expenses Credit	\$217k - \$257k	Over
Saver's Credit	\$40k - \$66k	Over
IRA Contribution Deduct bility - Covered Spouse	\$105k - \$125k	Over
IRA Contribution Deduct bility - Non- Covered Spouse	\$198k - \$208k	Over

## MEDICARE PART B/D PREMIUMS FOR 2023

Medicare Parts B and D premiums can be impacted by Modified Adjusted Gross Income\* (MAGI). Amounts below are in addition to the base premiums. Amounts are monthly per person.

\*MAGI = AGI + Tax-Exempt Interest

MAGI Threshold	Part B Premium Adjustment	Part D Premium Adjustment
\$0 to \$194,000	\$0	\$0
\$194,000 to \$246,000	\$66	\$12
\$246,000 to \$306,000	\$165	\$32
\$306,000 to \$366,000	\$264	\$51
\$366,000 to \$750,000	\$363	\$70 You: \$391,939
\$750,000 and above.	\$396	\$76

## SCHEDULE B INCOME SOURCES

The tax return listed the following income sources on Schedule B:

#### INTEREST

Description	Amount
	\$26
	\$399
	\$1
	\$3

#### DIVIDENDS

Description	Amount
	\$768
	\$2,307
	\$6,124

## SCHEDULE D - CAPITAL GAINS/LOSSES

The tax return listed the following sources of capital gains/losses:

#### SHORT TERM

Description	Amount
Short Term Loss Carryover from 2020	\$0
Short Term Gain/Loss for 2021	\$0
Total Short Term Gain/Loss for 2021	\$0
LONG TERM	
Description	Amount
Long Term Loss Carryover from 2020	(\$1,643)
Long Term Gain/Loss for 2021	\$7,448
Total Long Term Gain/Loss for 2021	\$5,805
TOTAL	
Total Gains/Losses for 2021	\$5,805

## SCHEDULE C INCOME SOURCES

The tax return listed the following businesses on Schedule C:

Business Name	Net Profit
	\$224,205
	\$0

## SCHEDULE E INCOME SOURCES

The tax return listed the following income sources on Schedule E:

#### RENTAL REAL ESTATE AND ROYALTIES

## OBSERVATIONS

MAGI income (AGI plus tax exempt interest) is high enough to trigger an increase in Medicare Part B and D premiums. Consider strategies (e.g. QCDs, managing capital gains), to lower income to bring Medicare surcharges down. Alternatively, if income will definitely go down due to a change in status, a petition can be sent to ask for a reduction.

Income exceeds the threshold for the 3.8% Net Investment Income Tax (NIIT). Consider strategies to reduce taxable income and be mindful of realized capital gains.

You are in the 24.0% marginal bracket. Depending on your age and income projections, you might consider a Roth conversion.

Your return indicates an overpayment of taxes through estimated payments and/or withholding, resulting in a refund. Tax refunds are essentially interest-free loans to the government. Consider discussing your withholding and estimated payments with a tax professional, as adjustments may allow you to retain more of your money.

The Qualified Business Income (QBI) deduction phases out between \$329,800 and \$429,800 for certain professions named by the IRS. Your taxable income was within that phaseout range. If your business falls within one of those named professions, your QBI eligibility might be impacted.

The 2022 safe harbor for underpayment penalties is your total tax x 110%, or \$103,526. Note that the timing of your payments is also important with respect to avoiding penalties. Withholding from a paycheck or retirement account distributions are considered to have happened throughout the year, but estimated tax payments should be timed to correspond with the timing of the income earned. A tax professional should be able to help in cases where income is uneven throughout the year.

Your Modified Adjusted Gross Income (MAGI) suggests you are not eligible to contribute directly to a Roth IRA. You do have eligible compensation though, so you might discuss the feasibility of the "Backdoor Roth" strategy.

Your tax return suggests you may have business income. Depending on your circumstances, you may be able to implement a retirement plan for the business to defer taxes.

you are age 69.5 in 2021 and thus are eligible to start making Qualified Charitable Distributions next year.

Your tax return does not list any HSA contributions. If you are eligible to contribute to an HSA, you will get a tax deduction, regardless of whether you itemize or take the standard deduction.

A portion of your retirement or annuity distr butions was not taxable. This suggests some after-tax basis in the account, a rollover, or a Qualified Charitable Distr bution.

This return was prepared by a paid preparer, but there is nothing in Schedule C line 17 for legal and professional services. If you paid a tax professional to prepare your return, the cost of the preparation attr butable to your business could potentially be deducted on this line.

At least one Schedule C does not include any expenses on line 9, car and truck expenses. Do you use a vehicle for any business-related activities?

Review employer-provided benefits to ensure you are taking full advantage of any pre-tax options.

Your return shows a tax refund. If you find yourself in the same position in a future year, you have the option to apply up to \$5,000 of that refund to purchase Series I Savings Bonds.

You took the standard deduction in 2021. If you made any cash contributions to charity during the tax year, you may be able to take an additional deduction of up to \$600 per the CARES Act. If you think you might be eligible, you may consider discussing with a tax professional as to whether it would be worthwhile to refile the return.

You converted \$11,268 from a Traditional IRA, SEP IRA, or SIMPLE IRA to a Roth IRA. Of this conversion, \$11,268 was taxable as ordinary income, as reported on Form 8606.

#### **TEXAS STATE TAX HINTS**

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- Coverdell, Life ime Learning, American Opportunity, Child Tax Credit MAGI, Adoption Credit, Saver's Credit = AGI + Excluded Foreign Earned Income + Housing
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