



TAX *Talk*

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Dear Friends,

Welcome to 2024! I hope you had a wonderful holiday season and a happy new year. Once again, it is time for the pesky new year's resolutions that so many of us make each year. Research shows that only 9% of people who make resolutions actually complete them. In fact, 23% of people quit them by the end of the first week and 43% quit by the end of January. While the odds may be against us, I wish you great success with your resolutions!

One of my resolutions for the new year was to update the design of our monthly Tax Talk newsletter, so check that one off my resolution list as complete! I hope you like the new design.

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Welcome To My Home

You know me as Palm Beach County Tax Collector, but what you may not know is that when I am not keeping track of distributing the ever growing \$4 billion dollars in property taxes, I enjoy spending time decorating and gardening at my historic Delray home. I was so honored to recently be featured in a video series by the city of Delray Beach, where I reside with my two feline companions, Ms. Biden, and Ms. Bader.

The video series, titled 'This Place Matters', highlights several historic homes and aspects of Delray Beach that add to its quaint charm. In the video, I take you inside my home and point out some of my original art and restored furniture.

I was so thrilled to be a part of the video series and to share my love for my neighborhood and community. In a county where so many homes are newly built, I treasure the character my "old" home has. It is an appreciation for the history of our area and how some things don't need to change too much!

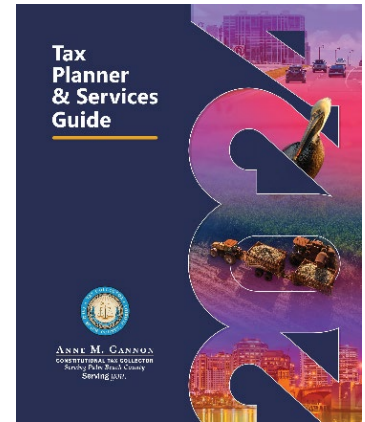
I invite you to take a look at the video and see what I see every day. To watch the video of my home tour with City of Delray Beach, visit <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pjQZjXdC3b8>



Hot Off The Press!

It's the most wonderful time of the year! Our 2024 Tax Planner and Services Guide is now available in both print and digital versions. This award-winning publication is our most requested item and provides a comprehensive overview of all the services our agency provides to Palm Beach County residents.

If you have questions about renewing your driver license and vehicle registration or want to find out the easiest way to pay your bill, this publication has the answers to those questions and many more. There is also a monthly calendar to help you keep track of your payment deadlines. We've made the guide easy to use with color coding guides to services and QR codes that will take you right to our website for more information on a specific topic.



Visit www.pbctax.com/tpsg to request a copy and view the guide in a convenient digital format. The digital version also contains links to corresponding content, forms, and resources right on our website. I hope you enjoy this publication as much as we enjoy providing it to you!

Hello! We Are The Community Engagement Ambassadors



Pictured: Amy Ebersbach

Two of our staff who you may see out and about in Palm Beach County are our Community Engagement Ambassadors, Amy Ebersbach, and Victoria Green. Among their other tasks, Amy and Victoria attend community meetings and events, where they provide information about the Tax Collector's Office and answer questions about our agency. Amy has been a member of the team since August 2021, and she covers the northern part of the county. Amy lives in West Palm Beach

with her two fur babies. To reach Amy, email

AEbersbach@pbctax.org or call (561) 355-3357.



Pictured: Victoria Green

Victoria is a new member of my team, having joined the Tax Collector's Office in October. She covers the southern part of the county. Victoria lives in Boynton Beach with her husband and two sons. To reach Victoria, email VGreen@pbctax.org or call (561) 355-1176.

January

IMPORTANT DATES & HOLIDAYS

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| 1 | New Year's Day Holiday – Offices Closed |
| 2 | Tourist Development Taxes Due* |
| 15 | Martin Luther King Jr. Day – Offices Closed |
| 31 | Deadline for Property Tax 2% Discount |

*Florida Statue extends discounts/payment deadlines falling on a Saturday, Sunday, or holiday to the next business day.

