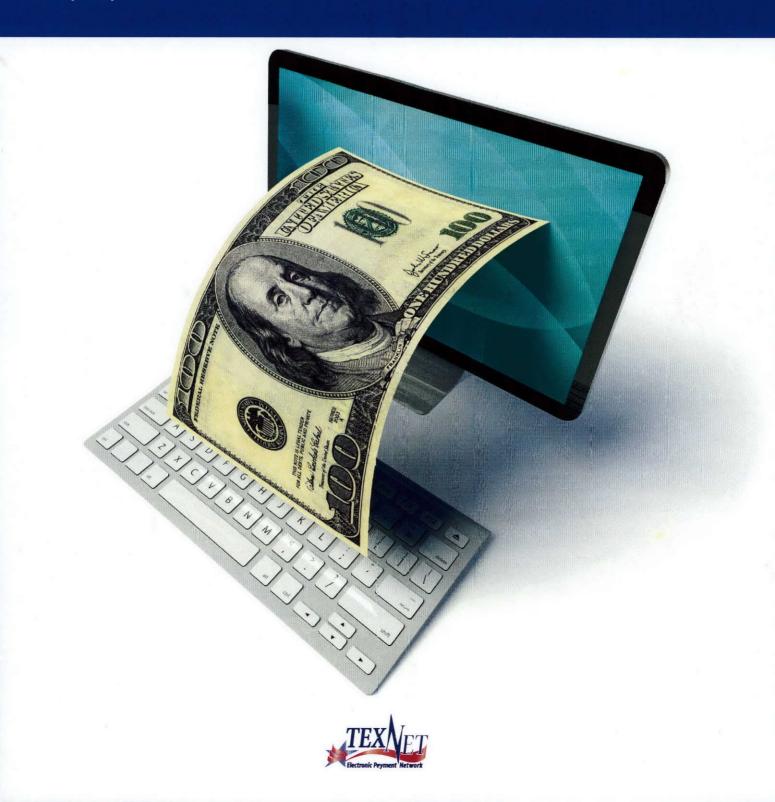


# TEXNET Payment Instructions Booklet

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Dear Taxpayer:

Our office strives to provide complete, easy-to-use information for all Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) customers. This booklet provides an overview of our TEXNET system and explains how to transmit payment information.

With this system, you can electronically transfer your payment from your bank account directly to the Comptroller's office. This saves time and ensures your payment is properly applied to your tax account.

Legislation lowered the threshold for mandatory electronic payments from \$100,000 to \$10,000 for certain taxes. Taxpayers who paid \$10,000 or more are required by law to transmit payments to the Comptroller's office electronically. The taxes affected by this law are Sales Tax, Direct Pay, Natural Gas, Crude Oil, Franchise, Gasoline, Diesel Fuel, Hotel Occupancy, Insurance Premium, Mixed Beverage Gross Receipts, Mixed Beverage Sales and Motor Vehicle Rental. Sales Tax filers who remit less than \$100,000 for Sales Tax can make their electronic payments by credit card or WebEFT via WebFile. They can also pay electronically via the Internet or telephone if they enroll in TEXNET.

Taxpayers who paid \$100,000 or more for a specific tax are required to transmit payments using the TEXNET system.

For additional information on electronic payments, visit our website at comptroller.texas.gov/webfile or please call us at 800-442-3453 or direct at 512-463-3630.

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## General Information

#### Who Must Pay Electronically

Texas Sales, Direct Pay, Crude Oil, Natural Gas, Franchise, Gasoline, Diesel Fuel, Hotel Occupancy, Insurance Premium, Mixed Beverage Gross Receipts, Mixed Beverage Sales and Motor Vehicle Rental, taxpayers who paid \$10,000 or more in a single tax category during the previous state fiscal year (Sept. 1 through Aug. 31) must pay by Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT). The Comptroller's office determines who meets this requirement by annually reviewing prior-year payments. Taxpayers who must pay by EFT will be informed at least 60 days prior to the due date. Taxpayers or licensees who paid less than \$10,000 in a single tax category during the previous state fiscal year may voluntarily pay by EFT.

#### Who Must File and How to File Returns Electronically

Texas Sales, Direct Pay, Crude Oil, Natural Gas, Mixed Beverage Gross Receipts, Mixed Beverage Sales, Hotel, Motor Vehicle Rental, Insurance Premium and Fuels tax filers who paid \$50,000 or more during the previous state fiscal year are required to file their return data electronically. International Fuels Tax Agreement (IFTA) taxpayers who paid \$100,000 or more during the previous state fiscal year are required to file their return data electronically. Taxpayers paying less than \$50,000 may voluntarily file their return electronically. Please visit our website at **Comptroller.Texas.Gov** for more information.

### How to Pay Electronically

WebEFT (electronic check) and credit card payments are available via WebFile (**Comptroller.Texas.Gov**) for taxpayers paying less than \$100,000 per year.

TEXNET, the State of Texas Financial Network, is designed to receive ACH debit or ACH credit payments. TEXNET is a payment-only option. Tax returns must still be filed.

Taxpayers using Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) can transmit their tax return and tax payment in one transaction.

## **Automated Clearing House (ACH) Options**

With your approval, ACH Debit authorizes the state to debit your account and credit the state's bank account. ACH Debit transactions can be transmitted via TEXNET, WebEFT and EDI.

ACH Credit authorizes your account to be debited through your financial institution software and credit the state's bank account.

#### Security

The Comptroller's office operates and maintains the Electronic Reporting and Payment System, which provides high standards of safety and security for funds and payment information. All banking information entered into the TEXNET system is strictly confidential.

## **TEXNET Enrollment Information**

#### How to Enroll in TEXNET

TEXNET users register by accessing our website at **https://texnet.cpa.state.tx.us** or by calling the TEXNET Hotline at 800-636-4003.

## **Enroll Via Internet**

Access the TEXNET payment network at **https://texnet.cpa.state.tx.us**. Select "Comptroller of Public Accounts Account Activation."

Enter your 11-digit taxpayer number and mailing address zip code.

Choose the available tax type that you want to set up.

Enter your contact information.

Choose the payment method: ACH Debit (pages 6 and 7) or ACH Credit with addenda (pages 12, 13 and 14).

If choosing ACH Debit, complete the registration by entering your banking information. You will be given an Identification Number, Location Number and Password to access the system. Retain this information for future use.

To make a payment, access the TEXNET payment network at https://texnet.cpa.state.tx.us.

If choosing ACH Credit with addenda, you will be given banking information for the Comptroller's office to allow you to set up this type of payment through your financial institution. Retain this information for future use.

## **Enroll Via TEXNET Hotline**

Call 800-636-4003 and enter, on your telephone keypad, your 11-digit taxpayer number and mailing address zip code.

Choose the available tax type that you want to set up.

Enter the bank routing number and account number of the account from which you want payments debited.

You will be given an Identification Number, Location Number and Password to access the system. Keep these numbers for future use.

To make a payment, call the TEXNET Hotline at 800-636-4003.

## **Changing TEXNET Information**

You may make changes to your TEXNET account by accessing **https://texnet.cpa.state.tx.us** or by calling 800-636-4003 (additional information on pages 8 and 9). It is important to have current information on file.

## **Electronic Reporting**

## File Early – Pay Later in One Easy Transaction!

Mandatory electronic taxpayers who pay more than \$50,000 annually for certain taxes must also file their return/ report electronically.

The Comptroller's office has developed two free programs you can use to meet the electronic reporting requirement – **WebFile or Electronic Data Interchange (EDI)**. These programs allow you to file your return early and set the ACH Debit payment date for the due date. Those making ACH Credit payments can continue using their financial institution software.

Tax filers not required by law to remit payments via EFT may voluntarily file their return/report data electronically using either WebFile or EDI.

#### WebFile

WebFile is available for sales tax and other taxes. This Web-based system enables taxpayers to electronically file a tax return and submit an electronic payment (by credit card, electronic check or the TEXNET payment system). Taxpayers paying by TEXNET and using WebFile must comply with TEXNET rules and complete payment transactions before 6:00 p.m. (CT) on the bank business day before the due date. For more information about WebFile, access **Comptroller.Texas.Gov**.

#### Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) (Sales, Direct Pay, Crude Oil, Natural Gas, IFTA and Fuels Taxes)

EDI reporting is designed for taxpayers with a large number of outlets or taxing authorities and for tax professionals filing multiple returns. Our free EDI software can be downloaded from our website, Comptroller.Texas.Gov by typing "EDI" in the "Find" bar and selecting the Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) link. Then choose the desired tax type to download. The software allows you to import data from a spreadsheet or manually enter the data. There is an online testing and approval process. Once approved, you can file your return and use the payment feature in EDI to make your mandatory EFT payment. Transactions with payments must be completed by 2:30 p.m. (CT) on the bank business day before the due date. EDI payments comply with electronic payment requirements.

You can also comply with the electronic reporting requirement by using approved commercial EDI software or writing your own program. You must contact your vendor to make sure they have been approved. To assist in writing your own program, you can download the file layouts from our website at **http://ctgacc/programs/systems/developers/**edi-maps/.

Failure to comply with the mandatory electronic reporting requirement can result in a 5 percent penalty assessment.

## Questions About WebFile or EDI

For questions regarding WebFile, EDI, tax or fee information, please call:

# Electronic Reporting 800-442-3453

# Due Dates for 2017

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# Schedule of Electronic Funds Transfer Due Dates – 2017

• Select the month in which payment is due. (Example: December payment due in January, go to "JAN" column.)

• ACH debit payment information must be completed by 6 p.m. (CT) on the date indicated.

Warehousing — Payments can be submitted up to 30 days prior to the due date.

TYPE OF TAX			Contraction of			-		DEADLI	1				
(in alphabetical	order)	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Automobile Burglary & Theft	PAYMENT DUE IN	Sele		1	-				1				
Prevention Authority Assessment	SUBMIT BY			2/28					7/31	U.S.			
Automotive Oil	PAYMENT DUE IN	25			25			25			25		
Sales Fee	SUBMIT BY	24			24			24			24		
Bank Franchise Return or	PAYMENT DUE IN					15				1.15			
1st Extension Request	SUBMIT BY					12			+				
Bank Franchise Return or	PAYMENT DUE IN	-		in the second second					*15				
2nd Extension Request								+	*14				
	PAYMENT DUE IN	-							14			15	
Bank Franchise Return (if 2nd extension filed)												14	
	SUBMIT BY	-	-									Course of the second se	
Battery Sales	PAYMENT DUE IN	20		20	20	22	20	20	21	20	20	20	20
Fee	SUBMIT BY	19	17	17	19	19	19	19	18	19	19	17	19
Bexar County Sports &	PAYMENT DUE IN	20		20	20	22	20	20		20	20	20	20
Community Venue Tax	SUBMIT BY	19	17	17	19	19	19	19	18	19	19	17	19
Boat & Boat Motor	PAYMENT DUE IN	10	10	10	10	10	12	10	10	11	10	10	11
Sales Tax	SUBMIT BY	9	9	9	7	9	9	7	9	8	6	9	8
Cement	PAYMENT DUE IN	25	27	27	25	25	26	25	25	25	25	27	26
Tax	SUBMIT BY	24	24	24	24	24	23	24	24	22	24	24	22
City of	PAYMENT DUE IN	31	28	31	5/1	31	30	31	31	10/2	31	30	1/2
Euless	SUBMIT BY	30	27	30	28	30	29	28	30	29	30	29	29
Civil Fees	PAYMENT DUE IN	31	1.	1.13008	5/1	1006		31			31		0.000
Quarterly	SUBMIT BY	30			28			28	+		30		
	PAYMENT DUE IN	31	28	31	5/1	31	30	31	31	10/2	31	30	1/2
Coastal Protection Fee		30	27	30	28	30	29	28	30	29	30	29	29
	SUBMIT BY		21	30		30	29		30	29		29	29
Compressed Natural Gas /	PAYMENT DUE IN	25			25	<u> </u>		25			25		
Liquefied Natural Gas (CNG/LNG)	SUBMIT BY	24	8 DI 19278		24	B. Marine		24	-	1	24		
Criminal Costs	PAYMENT DUE IN	31			5/1	L		31			31		
& Fees	SUBMIT BY	30			28			28			30		
Crude Oil	PAYMENT DUE IN	25	27	27	25	25	26	25	25	25	25	27	26
Tax	SUBMIT BY	24	24	24	24	24	23	24	24	22	24	24	22
Diesel Fuel	PAYMENT DUE IN	25	27	27	25	25	26	25	25	25	25	27	26
Тах	SUBMIT BY	24	24	24	24	24	23	24	24	22	24	24	22
Direct Pay Permit	PAYMENT DUE IN	20	21	20	20	22	20	20	21	20	20	20	20
Sales Tax	SUBMIT BY	19	17	17	19	19	19	19	18	19	19	17	19
and the second se	PAYMENT DUE IN	31		a anna a' an Anna anna an Anna Anna Anna Anna Anna Anna	5/1	10		31		10	31		
Drug Court Program	SUBMIT BY	30			28			28	+		30		
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Franchise Return or	PAYMENT DUE IN					15			+				
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Franchise Return or	PAYMENT DUE IN								*15				
2nd Extension Request	SUBMIT BY								*14				
Franchise Return	PAYMENT DUE IN				_							15	
(if 2nd extension filed)	SUBMIT BY		1.20									14	
Gasoline	PAYMENT DUE IN	25	27	27	25	25	26	25	25	25	25	27	26
Тах	SUBMIT BY	24	24	24	24	24	23	24	24	22	24	24	22
Gross Receipts	PAYMENT DUE IN								15				
Assessments	SUBMIT BY								14				-
Gross Receipts	PAYMENT DUE IN	31		-	5/1			31	-		31		1
Utilities Tax	SUBMIT BY	30			28			28	+		30		1-
	and the second	20	21	20	20	22	20	20	21	20	20	20	20
Hotel Occupancy Tax	PAYMENT DUE IN				19	19	19	19	$\frac{21}{18}$	$\frac{20}{19}$	19	17	19
and the second	SUBMIT BY	19	17	17	19	19	19	19	10	19	19		19
Insurance Maintenance/	PAYMENT DUE IN			1				+	+				
Assessment/Retaliatory Tax	SUBMIT BY	_		2/28									
Insurance	PAYMENT DUE IN			1					1		L		
Premium Tax	SUBMIT BY			2/28					7/31		107		

\*Additional extension due date for mandatory EFT Bank and Franchise taxpayers.

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Find a current Due Date Schedule at www.comptroller.texas.gov/forms/00-843.pdf or call 1-800-531-1441 for a faxed copy, request form 00843.

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# Schedule of Electronic Funds Transfer Due Dates – 2017

• Select the month in which payment is due. (Example: December payment due in January, go to "JAN" column.)

• ACH debit payment information must be completed by 6 p.m. (CT) on the date indicated

• Warehousing - Payments can be submitted up to 30 days prior to the due date.

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(in alphabetica	the second s	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
International Fuel Tax Agreement (IFTA)	PAYMENT DUE IN	31			5/1			31			31		
	SUBMIT BY	30			28			28			30		
Interstate Trucker Diesel / Gasoline / CNG / LNG	PAYMENT DUE IN	25			25			25	+		25		
a second s	SUBMIT BY	24			24			24		1010	24		
Manufactured Housing	PAYMENT DUE IN	31	28		5/1			31	31	10/2	31	30	1/2
Sales and Use Tax	SUBMIT BY	30	27	30	28	30	29	28	30	29	30	29	29
Mixed Beverage Gross Receipts Tax	PAYMENT DUE IN	20	21	20	20	22	20	20	21	20	20	20	20
	SUBMIT BY	19	17	17	19	19	19	19	18	19	19	17	19
Mixed Beverage	PAYMENT DUE IN	20		20	20	_ 22	20	20	21	_ 20 _			20
Sales Tax	SUBMIT BY	19	17	17	19	19	19	19	18	19	19	17	19
Motor Vehicle	PAYMENT DUE IN	10	10	10	_10	10	12	10	10	11	10	10	11
Registration Surcharge	SUBMIT BY	9	9	9	7	9	9	7	9	8	6	9	8
Motor Vehicle	PAYMENT DUE IN	20		20	20	22	20	20	21	_ 20 _	20	20	20
Rental Tax	SUBMIT BY	19	17	17	19	19	19	19	18	19	19	17	19
Motor Vehicle Rental	PAYMENT DUE IN	17	15	15	17	15	15	17	15	15	16	15	15
Tax Prepayments	SUBMIT BY	13	14	14	14	12	14	14	14	14	13	14	14
Motor Vehicle Sales	PAYMENT DUE IN	10	10	10	10	10	12	10	10	11	10	10	11
Tax Surcharge	SUBMIT BY	9	9	9	7	9	9	7	9	8	6	9	8
Motor Vehicle Seller	PAYMENT DUE IN	20	21	20	20	22	20	20	21	20	20	20	20
Financed Sales Tax	SUBMIT BY	19	17	17	19	19	19	19	18	19	19	17	19
Motor Vehicle Seller Financed	PAYMENT DUE IN	17	15	15	17	15	15	17	15	15	16	15	15
Sales Tax Prepayment	SUBMIT BY	13	14	14	14	12	14	14	14	14	13	14	14
Motor Vehicle Seller Financed	PAYMENT DUE IN	20	21	20	20	22	20	20	21	20	20	20	20
Sales Tax Surcharge	SUBMIT BY	19	17	17	19	19	19	19	18	19	19	17	19
Motor Vehicle Title Application Emission Fee	PAYMENT DUE IN	10	10	10	10	10	12	10	10	11	10	10	11
	SUBMIT BY	9	9	-9	7	9	9	7		8	6	9	8
Natural Gas	PAYMENT DUE IN	20	21	20	20	22	20	20	21	20	20	20	20
Tax	SUBMIT BY	19	17	17	19	19	19	19	18	19	19	17	19
Off-Road Diesel	PAYMENT DUE IN	20	21	20	20	22	20	20	21	20	20	20	20
Equipment Surcharge	SUBMIT BY	19	17	17	19	19	19	19	18	19	19	17	19
Oil & Gas Well	PAYMENT DUE IN	20	21	20	20	22	20	20	21	20	20	20	20
Servicing Tax	SUBMIT BY	19	17	17	19	19	19	19	18	19	19	17	+
Petroleum Products		25	27	27			the second second						19
Delivery Fee	PAYMENT DUE IN				25	25	26	25	25	25	25	27	26
	SUBMIT BY	24	24	24	24	24	23	24	24	22	24	24	22
Sales and Use Tax	PAYMENT DUE IN		21		20	22	20	20		20	20	20	20
and the second se	SUBMIT BY	19	17	17	19	19	19	19	18	19	19	17	19
Sales Tax Prenavments	PAYMENT DUE IN	17	15		17	15	15	17	15	15	16	15	15
Prepayments	SUBMIT BY	13	14	14	14	12	14	14	14	14	13	14	14
Sexual Assault/	PAYMENT DUE IN	31			5/1			31	+		31		
Substance Abuse Programs	SUBMIT BY	30			28			28	-		30		
Sexually Oriented	PAYMENT DUE IN	20			20			20					
Business Fee	SUBMIT BY	19			19		-	19			19		-
Sports Venue	PAYMENT DUE IN	31	28	31	5/1	31	30	31		10/2	31		1/:
District Tax	SUBMIT BY	30	27	30	28	30	29	28	30	29	30	29	29
Tobacco Products/	PAYMENT DUE IN	31	28		5/1	31		31		10/2		30	1/:
Cigarette Tax	SUBMIT BY	30	27	30	28	30	29	28	30	29	30	29	29
Volunteer Fire Department	PAYMENT DUE IN						L		<u> </u>				
Insurance Tax	SUBMIT BY								7/31				
9-1-1 Wireless Service	PAYMENT DUE IN	20	21	20	20	22	20	20	21	20	20	20	20
Fee	SUBMIT BY	19	17	17	19	19	19	19	18	19	19	17	19
9-1-1 Emergency Service &	PAYMENT DUE IN	30	3/2	30	5/1	30	30	31	30	10/2	30	30	1/:
Equalization Surcharge Fees	SUBMIT BY	27	3/1	29	28	26	29	28	29	29	27	29	29
9-1-1 Prepaid Wireless	PAYMENT DUE IN	30		and and a	5/1			31			30	e man areas	
Emergency Service Fee	SUBMIT BY	27			28			28			27		

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## ACH Debit Options and Deadlines

#### ACH Debit Payment Deadlines:

- EDI payments 2:30 p.m. Central Time (CT) on the bank business day before the due date (see schedule, pages 4 and 5)
- TEXNET payments 6 p.m. (CT) on the bank business day before the due date (see schedule, pages 4 and 5)
- TEXNET payments via WebFile 6 p.m. (CT) on the bank business day before the due date (see schedule, pages 4 and 5)
- WebEFT/Non TEXNET payments 11:59 p.m. (CT) on the due date

#### **Holidays or Weekends:**

When a due date occurs on a weekend or holiday, it is important to originate the ACH transaction no later than the bank business day before the weekend or holiday. For example, if the due date falls on a Monday (or Tuesday, if Monday is a banking holiday), the payment must be originated no later than the previous Friday.

## **Questions About TEXNET Payments?**

For questions regarding TEXNET payments, please call:

TEXNET Hotline 800-531-5441, Ext. 3-3010

## Questions About WebFile or EDI Payments?

For questions regarding WebFile, EDI, tax or fee information, please call:

Electronic Reporting 800-442-3453

# ACH Debit via TEXNET

## Payments – ACH Debit via TEXNET

WHEN TO ACCESS THE TEXNET SYSTEM – You must access the TEXNET System before 6 p.m. (CT) no later than the bank business day before the due date. You will be given a trace number to track your payment. Transmission of payment information by this deadline is required to ensure timely posting of your payment. Refer to the due date schedule on pages 4-5. For assistance, call the TEXNET hotline at 800-531-5441, Ext. 3-3010.

In the event your payment information is transmitted to the TEXNET System after 6 p.m. (CT) on the bank business day before the due date, the payment will be posted to your account on the next business day AFTER the due date. This will be considered a late payment and could result in the loss of timely filing and/or prepayment discounts or in the assessment of a penalty.

**Schedule A Payment** offers you the option of making tax payment requests up to 30 days in advance of the tax due date. The TEXNET system will store the tax payment request, and your account will be debited on the tax due date you indicate.

**FILING TAX RETURNS** – You **MUST** file your tax return with the Comptroller's office on or before the due date for the type of tax you are reporting.

**DEBIT BLOCKS** – Some financial institutions allow ACH Debits to be blocked. If you have a debit block on your account, please provide our company identification numbers to your financial institution.

TEXNET:	1846000199
WebEFT:	2146000311
EDI:	2146000902
Fran E-File:	9440000170

## How to Practice – ACH Debit via TEXNET

If you would like to test the TEXNET system before making an actual payment, you may enter transactions using the following test access codes:

	Identification	Location	Password
Sales Tax	67287	99999	111
Other Taxes	67291	99999	111

All data and dollar amounts entered under these test codes will be ignored by the TEXNET system and no funds will be transferred. Please remember to use your assigned codes when making actual payments. (These numbers are provided by the Comptroller's office once a taxpayer has enrolled in TEXNET.)

If you have any questions, please call the TEXNET hotline at 800-531-5441, Ext. 3-3010.

## **TEXNET** Internet Payment

### **TEXNET Website Instructions**

The TEXNET Internet website can be used to make payments, inquire or change a pending payment, delete a pending payment, change bank information and update your contact information.

- Using your Web browser, access https://texnet.cpa.state.tx.us.
   NOTE: You may want to bookmark this site for future use.
- Enter your Identification Number, Location and Password. These numbers are provided by the Comptroller's office once a taxpayer has enrolled in TEXNET and may be used for both TEXNET Internet and TEXNET telephone payments. Please keep these numbers available. (Your WebFile password will not work on this website.)
- 3. You will be asked to change your TEXNET Internet password according to the instructions on the website. Please be sure to record your new password for future use.
- 4. To enter your tax payment information, select the "ADD" button on the menu screen.
- 5. The system will give your settlement date as the next bank business day. If you want to change this date, choose a date from the drop-down menu.

**NOTE:** The TEXNET System will give you a "trace number" which can be used later to identify this payment. Please be sure to record the trace number for future reference. Corrections must be made before 6 p.m. (CT) on the bank business day before the settlement date.

#### **TEXNET Website Menu Options**

- 1. To make changes to your transaction, select the **INQUIRE/CHANGE** button on the menu screen. This will allow you to make changes to your payment transaction before the settlement date. The system will give you a new trace number when a change has been made.
- 2. To determine if your transaction is saved, select the **INQUIRE/CHANGE** button on the menu screen. If there is a pending transaction, a trace number will appear on the screen.
- 3. To delete a transaction, select the **DELETE** button on the menu screen. If there is a pending transaction, a trace number will appear on the screen.
- To change your password, select the **PASSWORD** button on the menu screen. The new password must contain 8-10 characters.
- 5. To change your contact information, select **CHANGE CONTACT** on the menu screen. This will allow you to change the contact name, contact title, mailing address and telephone number.
- 6. To view your payment history, select the **PAYMENT HISTORY** button on the menu screen. This report is for non-pending transactions that have occurred in the last 120 days shown in descending order by date. These are transactions that have been paid.
- 7. To change your bank information, select the **BANK INFORMATION** button. Enter your new routing and/or account number. **NOTE:** This change will affect all current transactions as well as any pending transactions.

# **TEXNET** Telephone Payment

#### **TEXNET Touch-Tone Instructions**

See the next page for the Touch-Tone Payment Worksheet and procedures to make payments via the TEXNET telephone system.

#### **Worksheet Instructions**

**ITEMS 2, 3 and 4** – These unique identification numbers assigned by the Comptroller's office identify you to the TEXNET system.

**ITEM 7** – The "tax type" being submitted has a code unique to each tax. Please refer to the list of tax type codes shown on page 11. Use of an incorrect tax type code will result in your payment being applied to an incorrect tax.

ITEM 8 - Enter the monthly, quarterly or yearly filing period for this payment.

ITEMS 9 and 10 – Complete only if paying Sales Tax or Direct Pay Tax.

**ITEM 11** – If you choose to submit your payment information early, you may change the settlement date to the due date of this tax. The system settlement date is the date when funds are actually transferred from your bank account to the Comptroller's office. Your settlement date MUST be no later than the due date of the tax you are paying. You may inquire about or delete the information you entered as long as you do so before 6 p.m. (CT) on the bank business day before the designated settlement date.

**NOTE:** The TEXNET system will give you a "trace number" which can be used later to identify this payment. Please be sure to record the trace number for future reference.

## **TEXNET Touch-Tone Options**

- To inquire about a pending transaction, call 800-636-4003 and follow steps 2-5 on page 10, pressing 4 to inquire. The system will give information about all pending transactions, including the trace numbers.
- To delete a transaction, call 800-636-4003 and follow steps 2-5 on page 10 and press 3. This option requires the trace number. If you don't have the trace number, press 4 to inquire.
   NOTE: Deletions must be made before 6 p.m. (CT) on the bank business day before your settlement date.
- To change your bank information, call 800-636-4003 and follow steps 2-5 on page 10 and press 5. The system will prompt you to change the routing and/or account number.
   NOTE: This change will affect all current transactions as well as any pending transactions.
- 4. To hear the current due date, call 800-636-4003 and follow steps 2-5 on page 10 and press **6**. The system will prompt you to enter the tax type code. If you don't have the tax type code, please refer to the list of tax type codes shown on page 11.
- 5. To receive a fax of the due date schedule for the year, call 800-636-4003 and follow steps 2-5 on page 10 and press **7**. The system will prompt you to enter your fax number.

## TEXNET Touch–Tone Payment Worksheet (Save and photocopy this worksheet for future use.)

Use the following procedure to report your tax payment information. The messages you will hear from the TEXNET system are shown as "SYSTEM." Your entry item is shown for each message.

<ul> <li>Use the * key to enter a deci</li> <li>Complete payment informative the bank business day before</li> </ul>	tion before 6 p.m. (CT) on
<ol> <li>Call 800-636-4003 to report your payment information to the TEXNET system.</li> <li>SYSTEM: "Welcome to the State of Texas Financial Network. Please enter your ID followed by the # sign."</li> <li>Enter your 5-digit ID number.</li> </ol>	SYSTEM: "Enter the filing period followed by the # sign."         8. Enter the filing period.         YR       MO         YR       OR         YR       OR         YR       OR         YR       OR
Press #.	Complete steps 9 and 10 if paying Sales Tax or Direct Pay.
<ul><li>SYSTEM: "Please enter your location number followed by the # sign."</li><li>3. Enter your location number.</li></ul>	<ul> <li>SYSTEM: "Enter the state sales tax payment followed by the # sign."</li> <li>9. Enter the state sales tax payment.</li> <li>                        Press #.</li> </ul>
Press #.  SYSTEM: "Please enter your password followed by the # sign."  4. Enter your password.  Press #.	<ul> <li>SYSTEM: "Enter the local sales tax payment followed by the # sign."</li> <li>10. Enter the local sales tax payment.</li> <li>                      Press #.</li> </ul>
SYSTEM: "Press 1 to ADD (enter) a transaction. Press 3 to DELETE a transaction. Press 4 to INQUIRE about a transaction. Press 5 to CHANGE bank information. Press 6 to hear the current DUE DATE. Press 7 to receive a FAX of the DUE DATE SCHEDULE for the year.	<ul> <li>NOTE: The total of steps 9 and 10 must equal step 6.</li> <li>If you have a credit in either state or local tax due, deduct the credit amount and transfer the difference.</li> <li>Example: State tax due — &lt;\$500.00&gt; Local tax due —\$1,000.00</li> <li>In the example, you would report a zero "0" for state tax due and \$500.00 for local tax due.</li> </ul>
Press 9 to EXIT." <b>NOTE:</b> To delete a transaction, you must enter the appropriate trace number.	<ul> <li><b>11. SYSTEM:</b> "Your settlement date is" "Press 1 to accept this date. Press 2 to change this date."</li> <li><b>NOTE:</b> The system will give your settlement date as the next bank</li> </ul>
5. Enter the appropriate number.	business day. If you change your settlement date, you will be
<b>SYSTEM:</b> "Enter the total payment amount followed by the # sign."	asked to enter a new settlement date in MMDDYY format. A FUTURE SETTLEMENT DATE DOES NOT CHANGE THE DUE DATE OF YOUR TAX PAYMENT.
<ul> <li>6. Enter your total payment amount. Use the * key to enter a decimal point.</li> <li> * * Press #.</li> </ul>	SYSTEM: "Transaction complete. Trace number is:"
SYSTEM will repeat the payment amount.	12. SYSTEM: "Press 1 to add (enter), 3 to delete, 4 to inquire,
<b>SYSTEM:</b> "Enter the tax type code followed by the # sign."	5 to change bank information or 9 to exit."
<ul> <li>7. Enter the code for the tax type you are paying (see list on page 11).</li> <li>        Press #.</li> </ul>	<b>NOTE:</b> If you have more than one tax type with the SAME location number, the system allows you to transmit payment information for each tax type by pressing 1 to enter the additional transactions.
	SYSTEM: "Thank you for using the State of Texas Financial Network."

# Tax Type Codes for Payments Billing and return payments are submitted using the same tax type codes.

#### **Sales Tax**

Type of Tax	Code
Sales and Use Tax	26020
Sales and Use Tax – Prepayment	26050
Protested Sales and Use Tax	26820
Direct Pay Permit	27020
Protested Direct Pay Permit	27820

#### **Other Taxes**

Type of Tax	Code
Automobile Theft Prevention Authority (ATPA)	76020
Automotive Oil Sales Fee	
Bank Tax	16050
Bank Tax Extension	16080
Bank Tax – Protested	16950
Battery Sales Fee	67020
Battery Sales Fee – Protested	67820
Bexar County Sports Venue Project Tax	90001
Boat and Boat Motor Sales Tax	57020
Cement Tax	22020
Cigarette Distributor NSM/SPM Fee	31020
Cigarette Internet Sales	47020
Cigarette Internet Sales – Protested	47820
Civil Fees Quarterly	32640
CNG/LNG Tax	08020
Coastal Protection Fee	66020
Criminal Costs and Fees – City	32600
Criminal Costs and Fees – County	32620
Crude Oil Tax – Producer	
Crude Oil Tax – Producer – Protested	
Crude Oil Tax – Purchaser	
Crude Oil Tax – Purchaser – Protested	36820
Drug Court Program	
Electronic Filing System Fund	. 32470
Euless City Sports Venue Tax	
Fireworks Sales Tax	
Fireworks Sales Tax – Protested	
Franchise Tax	
Franchise Tax Extension	
Franchise Tax – Protested.	
Fuel Tax – Diesel	
Fuel Tax – Diesel: Interstate Trucker	
Fuel Tax – Gasoline	
Fuel Tax – Gasoline: Interstate Trucker	
Gross Receipts Tax – Utilities	
Hotel Occupancy Tax.	
Hotel Occupancy Tax – Protested	
Insurance Maintenance/Assessment/Retaliatory Tax .	. 72020
Insurance Maintenance/Assessment/Retaliatory	72020
Tax – Protested Insurance Premium/Surplus Lines Tax	
Insurance Premium/Surplus Lines Tax. – Protested	
insurance Fremium/Surplus Lines Tax – Protested	. / 1820

Type of Tax	Code
Interest Earned	. 90100
International Fuel Tax Agreement (IFTA)	. 56020
International Fuels Tax Agreement (IFTA) – Protested.	. 56820
Interstate Trucker/CNG/LNG Tax	. 98020
Manufactured Housing	. 46020
Mixed Beverage Gross Receipts Tax	. 73020
Mixed Beverage Gross Receipts Tax – Protested	. 73820
Mixed Beverage Sales Tax	. 63020
Mixed Beverage Sales Tax – Protested	. 63820
Motor Vehicle Registration Surcharge	. 21020
Motor Vehicle Registration Surcharge – Protested	. 21820
Motor Vehicle Rental Tax	. 15020
Motor Vehicle Rental Tax – Protested	. 15820
Motor Vehicle Sales Tax	. 14020
Motor Vehicle Sales Tax – Protested	. 14820
Motor Vehicle Sales Tax Surcharge	. 17020
Motor Vehicle Sales Tax Surcharge – Protested	. 17820
Motor Vehicle Seller Financed Sales Tax	. 70020
Motor Vehicle Seller Financed Sales Tax – Protested	. 70820
Motor Vehicle Seller Financed Sales Tax Surcharge	. 78020
Motor Vehicle Seller Financed Sales Tax	
Surcharge – Protested	
Motor Vehicle Title Application Fee	
Motor Vehicle Title Application Fee – Protested	
Natural Gas Tax – Producer	
Natural Gas Tax – Producer – Protested	
Natural Gas Tax – Purchaser	
Natural Gas Tax – Purchaser – Protested	
Off-Road Diesel Equipment Surcharge	
Off-Road Diesel Equipment Surcharge – Protested	
Oil and Gas Well Servicing Tax	
Petroleum Products Delivery Fee	
Photo Enforcement	
Public Utilities Gross Receipts Assessment	. 90230
Sexual Assault/Substance Abuse	
Sexually Oriented Business Fee	
Sexually Oriented Business Fee – Protested	
Sports Venue District Tax	
Sulphur Tax	
Tobacco Products	
Volunteer Fire Dept Insurance	
Volunteer Fire Dept Insurance – Protested	
911 Equalization Surcharge	
911 Equalization Surcharge – Protested	
911 Emergency Service	
911 Emergency Service – Protested	
911 Prepaid Wireless Emergency Service Fee	94020
911 Prepaid Wireless Emergency Service Fee – Protested	04030
911 Wireless Service	
911 Wireless Service – Protested	
FIOLESLEU	

# ACH Credit via TEXNET

## Payments – ACH Credit via TEXNET

You may send your tax payments from your financial institution using an ACH Credit origination service. Contact your financial institution to determine if they offer this service, any applicable fees and their ACH processing timelines.

#### **How it Works**

- 1. Enroll in the TEXNET Electronic Payment Network at **https://texnet.state.tx.us**. On the welcome page, click on the "Comptroller of Public Accounts Account Activation" link. Complete all entries and select the ACH Credit with Addenda payment option.
- 2. The payment must be formatted in the CCD+ or CTX format and include an addenda record in the TXP format. An example of the addenda format is shown on the next two pages.
- 3. Initiate a test transaction to verify that the receiving account information and addenda format are correct. You may send any amount, such as one cent (\$.01), with the appropriate addenda record. Any funds received will be credited to your account as an early payment. Call the TEXNET hotline at 800-531-5441, Ext. 3-3010 with the transaction date and amount to confirm that your payment was received and the format was correct.
- 4. Funds must be deposited in our bank account on or before the due date.
- 5. File your tax return on or before the due date.

#### **Specific Instructions – ACH Credit via TEXNET**

**WHEN TO MAKE PAYMENTS** – Payment must be received by the Comptroller's office on or before the due date of the tax. If your payment is not **received** by the due date, it will be considered late and penalties may be assessed. Refer to the due date schedule on pages 4-5.

**WHEN TO CONTACT YOUR FINANCIAL INSTITUTION** – You MUST instruct your bank to initiate the transfer of funds to the Comptroller's account for **receipt** on or before the due date.

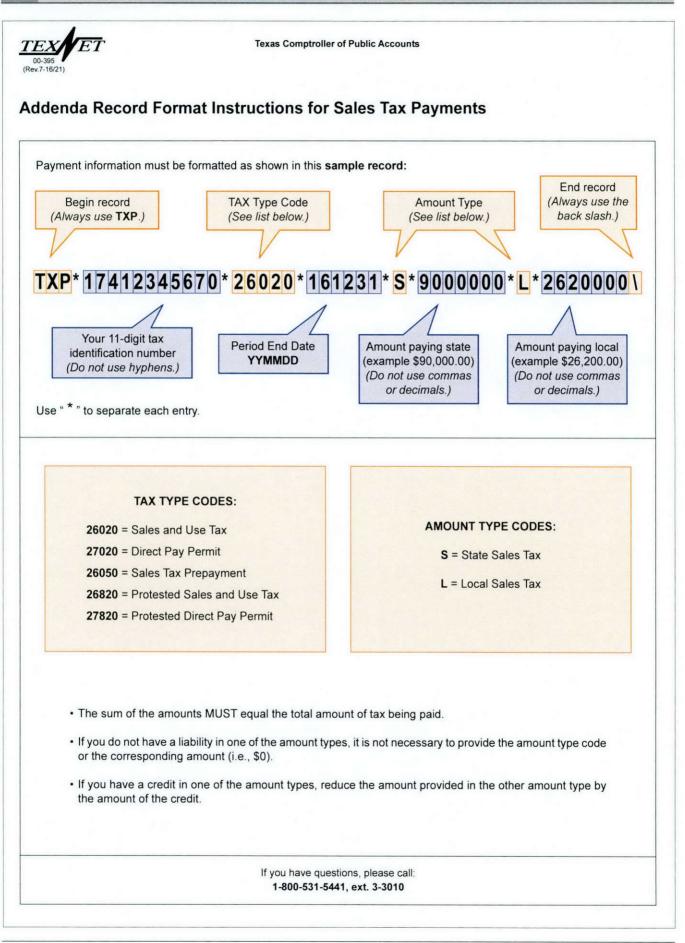
**FILING TAX RETURNS** – You MUST also file your tax return with the Comptroller of Public Accounts on or before the due date. If your Sales and Use Tax Prepayment is transmitted by EFT, then do not mail the prepayment return (Form 01-118) to the Comptroller.

#### WHERE TO SEND YOUR PAYMENT

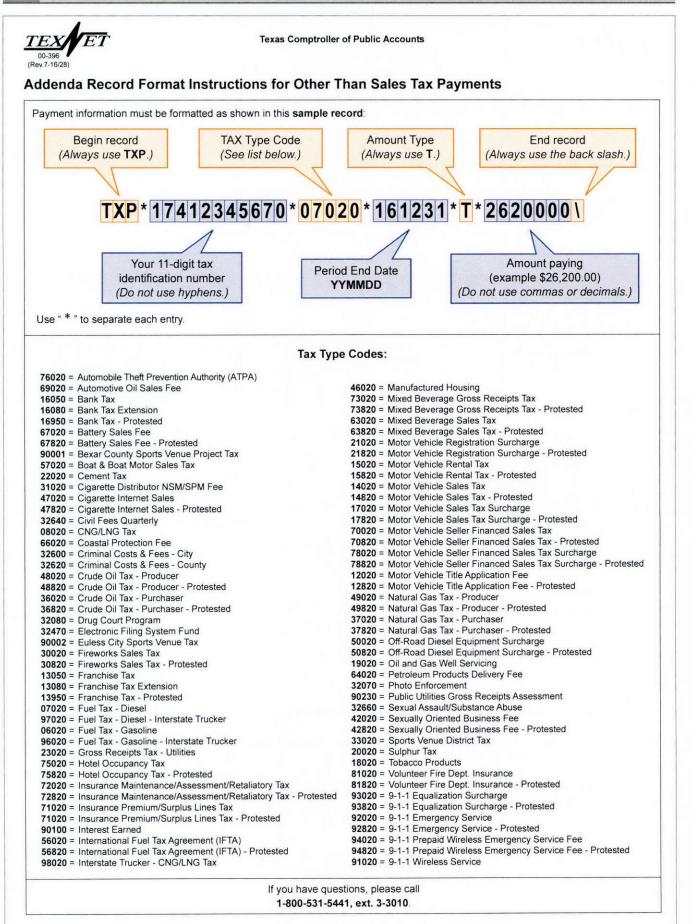
Bank name:	JPMorgan Chase
Routing #:	111000614
Account name:	<b>Comptroller of Public Accounts</b>
Account #:	0010000414

NOTE: Please do not send wire transfers to this account.

## ACH Credit Addenda Record Format for Sales Tax



# ACH Credit Addenda Record Format For Other Than Sales Tax



## Missed Your TEXNET Payment Deadline?

When payment information for ACH Debit transactions cannot be submitted before 6 p.m. (CT) on the bank business day before the due date, or when ACH Credit with addenda transactions cannot be originated for settlement on the due date, you must use the following procedure to ensure a timely payment:

<u>IMPORTANT</u>: This procedure is to be used ONLY in the case of a missed TEXNET payment deadline. Failure to comply with TEXNET rules may result in the assessment of a penalty equal to 5 percent of the payment amount. You must be enrolled in the TEXNET Electronic Payment Network to be eligible to send a wire transfer payment.

- 1. Contact the Comptroller's office to report payment information as early as possible on the payment due date by calling the TEXNET hotline at 800-531-5441, Ext. 3-3010. *This call is very important without it, we will not have the necessary information to apply the payment to your tax account.* Check with your bank for wire transfer cutoff time.
- 2. Instruct your financial institution to wire transfer your payment to:

Bank name:	<b>Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts</b>
Routing #:	114900164
Account name:	<b>Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts</b>
Account #:	883083001

The Comptroller of Public Accounts is the receiving bank and is located in Austin, Texas. You must include your 11-digit Comptroller taxpayer identification number in the wire, as well as company name, contact person and/or phone number.

## Penalty Information

#### Penalties

Late EFT payments are subject to the same penalties and loss of timely filing and/or prepayment discounts as any other late payment. Also, failure to follow the EFT requirements could result in an additional 5 percent penalty assessment.

Note: See pages 4 and 5 for TEXNET payments Due Date Schedule.

# Proof of Payment

If a payment is received after the due date, and the taxpayer and the financial institution do not think they are responsible for the delay, one of the following items must be furnished:

- the trace number provided by the TEXNET system when using ACH Debit;
- the bank-assigned ACH trace number when using ACH Credit with addenda; or
- the Federal Reserve Bank wire transfer reference number when using the missed TEXNET payment deadline procedure.

If the Comptroller's office determines that the taxpayer did attempt to transfer the payment in a timely manner, payment records may be corrected upon receipt of appropriate documentation. Please call the TEXNET hotline at 800-531-5441, Ext. 3-3010 for assistance.

For more information, visit our website: Comptroller.Texas.Gov

## WE'RE HERE TO HELP!

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Automotive Oil Fee Battery Fee Boat and Boat Motor Sales Tax Customs Broker Mixed Beverage Taxes Off-Road, Heavy-Duty Diesel Equipment Surcharge Oyster Fee Sales and Use Taxes

#### 800-531-5441

Cement Tax Inheritance Tax Local Revenue Miscellaneous Gross Receipts Taxes Oil Well Servicing Tax Sulphur Tax

800-442-3453 WebFile Help

800-252-1381 Bank Franchise Franchise Tax

#### 800-252-7875 Spanish

800-531-1441 Fax on Demand (Most frequently requested Sales and Franchise tax forms)

#### 800-252-1382

Clean Vehicle Incentive Program Manufactured Housing Tax Motor Vehicle Sales Surcharge, Rental and Seller Financed Sales Tax Motor Vehicle Registration Surcharge

#### 800-252-1383

Fuels Tax IFTA LG Decals Petroleum Products Delivery Fee School Fund Benefit Fee

#### 800-252-1384

Coastal Protection Crude Oil Production Tax Natural Gas Production Tax

800-252-1387 Insurance Tax 800-252-1385 Coin-Operated Machines Tax Hotel Occupancy Tax

800-252-1386 Account Status Officer and Director Information

800-862-2260 Cigarette and Tobacco

888-4-FILING (888-434-5464) TELEFILE: To File by Phone

800-252-1389 GETPUB: To Order Forms and Publications

800-654-FIND (800-654-3463) Treasury Find

800-321-2274 Unclaimed Property Claimants Unclaimed Property Holders Unclaimed Property Name Searches 512-463-3120 in Austin

877-44RATE4 (877-447-2834) Interest Rate

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