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DFAS to release 2010 tax statements via *myPay* and U.S. mail

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. (Dec. 3, 2010) – Why wait for the mail? Military service members, military retirees and annuitants, and federal civilian employees paid by the Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS) can get their 2010 tax statements up to two weeks earlier using *myPay*.

DFAS has recently released the schedule for posting and mailing 2010 tax statements such as W-2s, 1099Rs and 1099INTs customers will need to file their annual tax returns.

DFAS customers with *myPay* access (<https://mypay.dfas.mil/mypay.aspx>) will be able to obtain their tax statements online on the day they are posted using the secure and convenient pay management system. Additionally, military retirees and annuitants can download their 2010 account statements with information on wages, tax withholdings and allotment information.

2010 tax statement *myPay* and USPS mail schedule:

Form/Document	Date available on <i>myPay</i>	Dates mailed via the U.S. Post Office
Retiree Annual Statement (RAS)	Dec. 4, 2010	Dec. 16-31, 2010
Retiree 1099R	Dec. 14, 2010	Dec. 16-31, 2010
Annuitant Account Statement (AAS)	Dec. 15, 2010	Dec. 19-31, 2010
Annuitant 1099R	Dec. 15, 2010	Dec. 19-31, 2010
VSI/SSB W-2 *	Not available via <i>myPay</i>	Jan. 4-5, 2011
Active Duty Air Force, Army, Navy W-2	Jan. 24, 2011	Jan. 24-29, 2011
Reserve Air Force, Army, Navy W-2	Jan. 4, 2011	Jan. 4-7, 2011
Marine Corps Active & Reserve W-2	Jan. 18, 2011	Jan. 19-20, 2011
Civilian employee W-2	Jan. 6, 2011	Jan. 7-15, 2011
Savings Deposit Program 1099INT	Jan. 21, 2011	Jan. 21-22, 2011
Vendor Pay 1099	Not available via <i>myPay</i>	Jan. 20-25, 2011
Vendor Pay MISC W-2	Jan. 31, 2011	Jan. 20-25, 2011
Travel PCS W-2	Jan. 31, 2011	Jan. 20-25, 2011
Army Non-Appropriated Fund Civilian Pay W-2	Jan. 11, 2011	Not available

* Voluntary Separation Incentive/Special Separation Benefit

Tax statements available through **myPay** are approved for use by the IRS. In addition to their earlier availability over mailed forms, tax statements posted to accounts in **myPay** remain available throughout the year.

Additionally, **myPay** users can establish limited access passwords for family members and trusted caretakers or tax preparers to view and print tax statements. Limited access users are not permitted to make changes to the primary users account information. After logging in to **myPay**, go to Personal Settings to establish limited access passwords.

myPay is a secure Web-based pay information system. One of the many benefits of this system is avoiding risks associated with identity theft. The secure technology provided to **myPay** customers meets or exceeds security requirements in private industry worldwide.

Using **myPay** to access tax statements eliminates the preparation and mailing costs incurred with the traditional distribution methods. Combined with the earlier availability of statements online, this makes **myPay** a better option for many DFAS customers and the Department of Defense.

DFAS customers who have forgotten their user name, password or wish to open a **myPay** account can do so on the **myPay** Web site at <https://mypay.dfas.mil/mypay.aspx>.

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