## Applying for an EIN (Employer Identification Number) For Unit Morale Fund Bank Account

https://sa1.www4.irs.gov/modiein/individual/index.jsp OR www.irs.gov

## Choose type you are applying for

- 1. View additional types
- 2. Government, Federal/military

#### **Continue**

#### **Confirm your selection**

Confirm your selection of Government, Federal/Military as the type of structure applying for an EIN.

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### **Continue**

## Reason applying for EIN

· Banking purposes

## Responsible person

- (Commander Officer/OINC or Designated Personand SSN )
- I am a duly authorized member, officer, or employee of the organization or government of the organization or government entity

#### Fill in information

• Duly authorized member of the organization

#### **Address: Unit Address**

- \_ Company, \_ Unit
- Street Address
- City
- State, Zip Code

### Mail directed to specific department

• \_ Company, \_ Unit

## Different address to send mail

No

## **Physical location not found**

Accept as entered

## Tell us about Government/ military

- Legal: \_ Company, \_ Unit
- County:
- · Start Date:

## Tell us more about Government/ military

Answer No to all questions

## What does organization do?

- Other
- Other: Family Readiness Group

### **Receive Letter online**

**Review Summary of your** 

## information Print Summary page

Submit

NOTE:

## Follow the rest of the instructions

1. Please submit copy of EIN document to the appropriate Point of Contact for your command

- 2. Maintain document in Treasurer book
- 3. Please note some guidelines have changed. One Signer on the bank account must be listed as the individual responsible for the EIN. When a treasurer leaves a unit the CO/OINC or designated person will need to issue a memorandum to the IRS noting the change on the EIN account.

This is a step by step instructional guide to setting up an EIN number a for Unit Morale Fund account.

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This guide will go through step by step how to set up an USCG EIN.

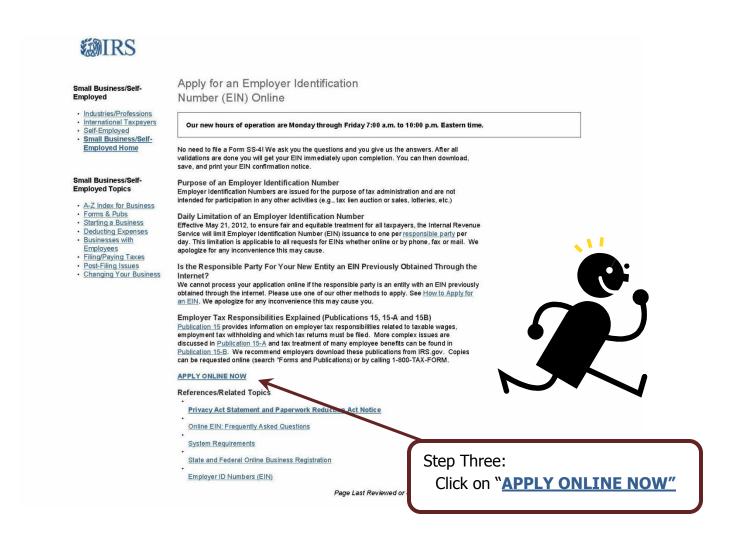
## Step One:

Open internet explorer and go to www.irs.gov

## Step Two:

At the top of the page you will see four pictures of different people. Click on the second picture where it states "I need to apply for an EIN"

The window browser will open to the page pictured below





### **EIN Assistant**

#### Important Information Before You Begin

Use this assistant to apply for and obtain an Employer Identification Number (EIN). Do I need an EIN?

Do I need a new EIN?

For help or additional information on any topic, click the underlined key words, or view Help Topics on the right side of the screen. Make sure that pop-ups are allowed from this site.

#### About the EIN Assistant

- You must complete this application in one session, as you will not be able to save and return at a later time.
- For security purposes, your session will expire after 15 minutes of inactivity, and you will need to start over.
- You will receive your EIN immediately upon verification. When will I be able to use my EIN?
- If you wish to receive your confirmation letter online, we strongly recommended that you install <u>Adobe Reader</u> before beginning the application if it is not already installed.

#### Restrictions

- Effective May 21, 2012, to ensure fair and equitable treatment for all taxpayers, the Internal Revenue Service will limit
  Employer Identification Number (EIN) issuance to one per responsible party per day. This limitation is applicable to all
  requests for EINs whether online or by phone, fax or mail. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.
- If a third party designee (TPD) is completing the online application on behalf of the taxpayer, the taxpayer must authorize the
  third party to apply for and receive the EIN on his or her behalf.
- The business location must be within the United States or <u>U.S. territories</u>.
- Foreign filers without an Individual Taxpayer Identification Number (ITIN) cannot use this assistant to obtain an EIN.
- If you were incorporated outside of the United States or the U.S. territories, you cannot apply for an EIN online. Please call us
  at 267-941-1099 (this is not a toll free number).

Begin Application >>

If you are not comfortable sending information via the Internet, download the Form SS-4 PDF file and the instructions for alternative ways of applying.

Step Four: Click on Begin Application





#### **EIN Assistant**

Your Progress:

1. Identify

2. Authenticate

3. Addresses

4. Details

5. EIN Confirmation

## What type of legal structure is applying for an EIN?

Before applying for an EIN you should have already determined what type of legal structure, business, or type of organization is being established.

Choose the type you are applying for. If you don't see your type, select "View Additional Types."

Sole Proprietor

Includes individuals who are in business for themselves and household employers.

Partnerships

Includes partnerships and joint ventures.

Corporations

Includes S corporations, personal service corporations, real estate investment trusts (REIT), regulated investment conduits (RIC), and settlement funds.

Limited Liability Company (LLC)

A limited Liability company (LLC) is a structure allowed by state statute and is formed by filing articles of organization with the state.

€ Fetate

An estate is a legal entity created as a result of a person's death.

Trusts

All types of trusts including conservatorships, custodianships, guardianships, irrevocable trusts, revocable trusts, and receiverships.

• View Additional Types, Including Tax-Exempt and Governmental Organizations If none of the above fit what you are establishing, there are several others to choose from.

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# Step Five:

Mark the circle for View Additional types Then Click Continue.





What if I do not know what type of legal structure or organization to choose?

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# **EIN Assistant** Your Progress: 1. Identify 2. Authenticate **Additional Types** Choose the type you are applying for. You can click the underlined terms for a description.

Bankruptcy Estate (Individual)

Church-Controlled Organization

Community or Volunteer Group

Farmers' Cooperative

Government, Federal/Military

Government, State/Local

Homeowners/Condo Association

Employer/Fiscal Agent (under IRC Sec 3504)

Government, Indian Tribal Governments

Employer Plan (401K, Money Purchase Plan, etc.)

Block/Tenant Association

Church

Household Employer

3. Addresses

- O IRA
- Memorial or Scholarship Fund
- National Guard
- Plan Administrator
- Political Organization
- PTA/PTO or School Organization
- REMIC
- Social or Savings Club
- Sports Teams (community)
- Withholding Agent
- Other Non-Profit/Tax-Exempt **Organizations**

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## Step 6:

Mark the circle for Government, Federal/Military Then click Continue





4. Details

What if I still do not know what type of structure or organization to choose?

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#### What it is not...

 You are not considered a federal government or military organization if you are a contractor doing business with the federal government or military.

If you need to change your type of structure, we recommend that you do so **now**, otherwise you will have to start over and re-enter your information. Additional help may be found by reviewing <u>all types of</u> organizations and structures before making your selection.

