

OKALOOSA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE MEMORANDUM FINANCE DEPARTMENT

FINANCE TAM: 2010-023

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TO: All Principals

FROM: Melissa O'Malley, Director – Accounting & Financial Reporting

DATE: November 17, 2010

SUBJECT: 1099 Forms Reporting Information – Internal Accounts

The calendar year is coming to a close, and it is tax time again. Each year the District must send 1099 forms to individuals, partnerships, and unincorporated businesses that have provided a service to our schools.

It is the responsibility of each school to make sure the Accounting & Financial Reporting Department has the information required to send 1099 forms to the applicable vendors. Cindy Harris, Budgeting & Financial Services, will be your contact as she will compile all information for internal accounts. All information must be submitted to Cindy Harris no later than Monday, January 10, 2011.

Please refer to the attached 1099 Form Guidelines – Internal Funds for further information. **It is very important that you follow these instructions precisely.** If you have any questions regarding your school's 1099 information, please call Cindy Harris, Accountant, at 833-5821.

cc: Internal Bookkeepers Director – Budgeting & Financial Services

School District of Okaloosa County 1099 Form Guidelines – Internal Funds

Reminder – All information must be submitted to Cindy Harris no later than Monday, January 10, 2011.

- A. All business vendors should be marked as receiving a 1099 Form. This includes corporations, partnerships, and individuals, regardless of whether you purchased goods and/or services. This is in preparation for the new 1099 rules taking effect after 2011.
- B. Employees, non-profit organizations, government bodies, and individuals receiving reimbursements do not receive 1099 Forms.
- C. As soon as all checks have been written for December, print the "1099 Payments" report (*Reports/Vendors/1099*). Review the report to verify that each vendor's <u>name</u>, <u>address</u>, and <u>social security number or Tax ID number</u> are included. (Note: Do not wait for your bank statement.)
- D. Any missing information must be entered into the accounting software by editing the Vendor Information.
 - a. Select Data Files/Vendor
 - b. Choose the vendor in the grid
 - c. Update the vendor's <u>name</u>, <u>address</u>, and/or <u>social security number or Tax</u> <u>ID number</u>
 - d. Confirm that '1099' is checked
 - e. Click *Update* to save the information
- E. If any vendors required updating, reprint the "1099 Payments" report as noted in Item "D" above. Keep this report for your records.
- F. Please e-mail Cindy Harris to let her know your "1099 Payments" report is ready. She will print the report from her computer. <u>Your report must be ready for</u> <u>Cindy to print no later than Monday, January 10, 2011.</u>
- G. Prize Winnings (IRS Forms W-9) In addition to Forms 1099, please provide information regarding all payments of \$600.00 or more for "prize winnings" from activities such as "donation drawings, bingo, etc." The necessary information should be entered on IRS Form W-9. IRS Form W-9 may be accessed through a link on the Finance Forms web page under 'Internal Accounts.' Accounting & Financial Reporting will need a copy of Form W-9 along with a copy of the check requisition issuing the payment or the invoices showing the value of the prize, if applicable. **Please provide the Prize Winnings information to Kenn Macdonald no later than Monday, January 10, 2011.**