

Farm Filings Tax Series

Session 3: Tax Preparation and Updates

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TAX UPDATE & PLANNING

March 23, 2021

CHARITABLE GIVING

\$300 cash donation without itemizing in 2020



RETIREMENT PLAN DISTRIBUTIONS

• Easing of distributions from retirement plans up to \$100,000 due to Covid-19.



529 EDUCATION SAVINGS PLAN

State deductions:

- MN \$3,000 Joint
- WI \$3,340 / beneficiary
- IL \$20,000 / beneficiary



DEPRECIATION

- 2020 Depreciation 179 election \$1,040,000
- Phase out starts at \$2,590,000 dollar for dollar



LIKE-KIND EXCHANGE

• Like-Kind Exchange: personal property no longer qualifies.

• Like-Kind Exchange: real estate, if it involves buildings it is not as easy as bare land.



INCOME

 Government payments: FSA, State and other special payments added to income, not deferrable.

• Insurance: DRP milk, crop insurance (be aware of any 2019 deferred crop insurance).

PPP loan program



MAXIMIZE INCOME TAX SAVINGS

Income Averaging

199A Deduction



TAX PLANNING: UNUSUAL INCOME BUT TOUGH TIMES

- May have some income bunching due to added government payments, will it be lower next year?
- Prepay expenses
- Defer grain sales but not sacrifice sound marketing decisions
- Retirement accounts Personal accounts
- Be aware of Market Place Health Insurance credit repayment
- Retirement Plans Set up employee plans



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