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OVERVIEW

This document details how to build an Excel spreadsheet to submit campaign finance data using an Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) to the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System. This document is written for committees and vendors who wish to create a software package to allow submission of contribution, expenditure, loan, and investment data electronically without having to re-type the information into the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System web application.

With each of the line items submitted (contributions, expenditures, independent expenditure, loans received, investments), it is required that you include an external reference ID, the alphanumeric identifier your system attaches to each line item. It needs to be a unique ID in your system and the value must be unique for each transaction submitted. Error reports will use this reference ID to match an error to a specific line item within your data file. In addition, the reference ID enables the system to detect and avoid adding duplicate records in the event duplicate reference IDs are included in more than one file upload, or a file is inadvertently uploaded twice.

You are also encouraged to use a similar type of unique identifier for your contributors, lenders, and your expenditure payees. This will enable the system audit process to be more accurate and ultimately be more helpful to you.

IMPORTED FILES

What does the import file contain?

You will be electronically submitting only the line item records of contributions, expenditures, independent expenditures, loans received, and investments. Summary totals are not included. The system calculates summary totals, based on the line items submitted. This is done at the time you log into the system to file your statements for a reporting period.

When can files be imported?

These transactions can be submitted at any time during the current reporting period. You may choose to submit all at one time or submit items periodically during the current reporting period.

NOTE: Items submitted (imported), but not yet filed, are only viewable by the committee submitting the items and the Commission's staff. The items are not viewable by the public until filed by your committee.

How do the reported items get filed?

When you are ready to file the statement for a specific reporting period, you will need to log into the system and using the filer's workspace navigational menu, select the Reports option. At the time you file your statement, the system will create a filing statement dynamically and calculate all totals based on the items you have submitted electronically and/or entered online. You will be able to preview the statement before final filing submission.

What is the format of the import file?

An import file may contain any combination of contributions, expenditures, independent expenditures, loans received, and investments. It will consist of either an Excel spreadsheet or an XML file.

Can a committee reverse a submitted file?

It is possible to reverse an entire submitted file. Line items from that imported file will be deleted from the database as long as:

- The item has not been included on a filed statement.
- The item does not have other records associated to it from other import files.

If individual items need to be bypassed for the above reasons, and do not get automatically removed, you will need to log into the system and delete them individually.

DATA TYPES

This section describes the data types acceptable to the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System import program.

- **Char(n)** - This is a character field. Any field listed as character can have any alphanumeric information as well as punctuation. Maximum lengths are in parenthesis. Please be aware that use of lowercase alpha information will be converted to uppercase alpha information. Note that this field cannot have the backslash (\) character, or any line feed characters such as a Return.
- **Integer** - Only digits are allowed in this type of field.
- **Date** - Please format all user entered dates as MM/DD/YYYY.
- **DateTime** - Please format all user entered date times as MM/DD/YYYY HH:MM:SS.
- **Money** - A positive currency amount, which should be specified without a dollar sign. The decimal is optional for whole dollars. If there is a decimal, there should always be at least one digit to the left of the decimal, even if the amount is a fraction of a dollar (this is the only case in which leading zeros are advocated). Valid examples: 5.01, 0.25, 25.7, 43. Invalid examples: 3.731, \$5.25, .75.

FILE NAMING

There are no specific file naming requirements to submit your data using an Excel spreadsheet; however, it is critical the worksheet names match the descriptions below. The file extension of the file must be .xlsx.

SPREADSHEET RECORD OCCURRENCES

There are seventeen (17) worksheets within the Excel file that can be populated for submitting information. The seventeen worksheets are:

- [Control](#) - Contains authentication information. There is one record only in this file.
- [Contribution](#) - Contains contributions and/or donations.
- [ContributionReturn](#) - Contains contribution returns made.
- [Expenditure](#) - Contains expenditures.
- [ExpenditureEndRecipientInfo](#) - Contains expenditure end recipients.
- [ExpenditureReturn](#) - Contains expenditure returns made.
- [IndependentExpenditure](#) - Contains independent expenditures.
- [IndependentExpenditureReturn](#) - Contains return independent expenditures.
- [AssocBallotMeasure](#) - Contains specific Ballot Measure information when an expenditure is marked in support of or opposition to a Ballot Measure.
- [AssocCandidate](#) - Contains specific candidate information when an expenditure, Independent expenditures is marked in support of or opposition to a candidate.
- [LoanReceived](#) - Contains loan received details.
- [LoanRepaymentResponsiblePerson](#) - Contains loan repayment responsible person details.
- [LoanPayment](#) - Contains loan payments made.
- [LoanCredit](#) - Contains loan credit amounts incurred.
- [Investment](#) - Contains investments.
- [InvestmentTransaction](#) - Contains investment transaction information such as purchasing and selling investments or reporting cash dividends and interest paid out.
- [InvestmentPerson](#) - Contains person name involved in investment transaction.

Each worksheet has a set of columns with column headers. It is imperative that the column heading names and the worksheet names **not** be changed.

The only worksheet that requires data is the Control worksheet. If a particular worksheet does not have data to be uploaded, the worksheet **must** remain in the spreadsheet without data.

OVERVIEW/LEGEND TO TABLES

In the following tables, in the Format column for each Worksheet, please pay attention to “not null” and “conditional”. If a field is designated as “not null”, that field is required and must have a value. The omission of values for “not null” fields will be cause for data rejection. If a field is designated as “conditional”, that field will be optional or required based on certain entries.

The Description column and any Notes following a worksheet table indicates which items are required and which items use Code Table values.

WORKSHEET TABS

Control Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|--------------------|----------------------|--|
| committeeId | char(11) not null | This is your Filer ID assigned by the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting system. The committeeId in the control worksheet must match the committee that is logged in at the time the upload is submitted. The Filer ID can be located on the Candidate/Committee Details section on the Filer Workspace. Required |
| committeeName | char(100) | Committee full name. |
| fileCreateDateTime | Date Time | Date file was created, time in 24-hour notation. Format mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm:ss. |
| description | char(100) | Description of the upload file. |

Contribution Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|--------------------|--------------------------|--|
| contributionID | char(30) not null | This will be your committee's unique external reference ID for this contribution record. Each contribution record must have its own unique identification number. Required |
| cbElectionType | char(1) not null | Election Type - Type of Election. See Code Tables – Election Type for values. Required |
| cbElectionDate | date not null | Election date - Date of election. Required |
| cbContributionType | char(3) not null | Type of Contribution. See Code Tables – Contribution Type for values. Required |
| cbContributionCode | char(3) conditional | Type of Contributor. See Code Tables – Contributor Type for values. Required if cbContributionType is MOI or IKD. |
| cbOrgID | char(11) conditional | The Filer ID of the contributor if the contributor is a registered committee in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting system. See instructions on How to Obtain an OrgID (Filer ID) . <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| cbOrgName | char(100) conditional | Contributor's Organization/Committee name. Required if cbContributionCode is not IND and cbOrgID is not entered. |
| cbFilerID | char(15) conditional | The Filer ID of the contributor if the contributor is a registered candidate in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting system. See instructions on How to Obtain an OrgID (Filer ID) . <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| cbContributorID | char(30) | This will be your optional external ID for the contributor. It is highly recommended you use this to uniquely identify your contributors. The external ID you assign this contributor should be used each time this contributor contributes to your committee. This will reduce the possibility of having duplicate contributor records for the same contributor. Optional |
| cbFirstName | char(100) conditional | The contributor's first name. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| cbMiddleName | char(100) | The contributor's middle name. Optional |
| cbLastName | char(100) conditional | The contributor's last name. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| cbNameSuffix | char(15) | The contributor's name suffix. See Code Tables – Suffix for values. Optional |
| cbAddress1 | char(50) conditional | Contributor address line 1. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |

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| cbAddress2 | char(50) | Contributor address line 2. Optional |
| cbCity | char(30) conditional | Contributor city. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| cbState | char(2) conditional | Contributor state abbreviation. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| cbZip | char(5) conditional | Contributor zip code. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| cbEmployer | char(20) conditional | Contributor's employer name. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| cbOccupation | char(10) | Contributor's occupation. See Instructions How to Obtain Occupation Type. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| cbOccupationOther | char(100) conditional | Required if cbOccupation = 597 (Other). |
| cbAffiliatedCommittee | Char(200) | Affiliated committee Optional |
| cbDate | date not null | Contribution date - date contributed to committee. Required |
| cbAmount | money not null | Contribution amount. Must be a valid dollar amount greater than 0.00. Required |
| cbDescription | char(100) | Contribution Description. Required if cbContributionType = IKD |
| cbCheckNumber | char(16) conditional | Optional |
| cbRegulatedEntityName | char(200) | Regulated entity name Optional |
| AmendFlag | char(10) conditional | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |
| DeleteFlag | char(10) conditional | Value can be D when required to Delete the record. Required only when data needs to be deleted. |

Contribution Notes

If there are no Contributions, leave the Contribution Worksheet blank. At this time, contributions of type intra-candidate are not supported by the Import Manager.

cbOrgID: This is the Filer ID of the Contributor if the contributor is a registered committee in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting system.

NOTE: If the contributor is a registered committee in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System, you may use their Filer ID in the cbOrgID column. This will eliminate the necessity to include Organization Name and all address fields. See instructions [How to Obtain an OrgID \(Filer ID\)](#).

cbOrgName, cbAddress1, cbCity, cbState, and cbZip: Organization Name, Address1, City, State and Zip of the Contributor is required if **cbContributionCode** is OTH – Other, LOB – Lobbying Organization, or COM – Committee (only if user did not provide existing cbOrgID and wants to add a new contributor that has not previously registered with the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System).

cbContributorID: This is your external reference ID for the contributor. This is optional but **highly recommended** to uniquely identify your contributors. It allows for a more thorough validation, because the system can use it to identify prior contributions from the same contributor. *If a contributor also happens to be a source on any loan records, you should use the same ID in both instances. This will reduce the chance that duplicate contact records (contributor/source) will be created.*

cbFilerID: This is the Filer ID of the Contributor if the contributor is a registered candidate in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting system.

NOTE: If the contributor is a registered candidate in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System, you may use their Filer ID in the cbFilerID column. This will eliminate the necessity to include First Name, Last Name, and all address fields. See instructions [How to Obtain an OrgID \(Filer ID\)](#).

cbFirstName, cbLastName, cbAddress1, cbCity, cbState and cbZip: Contributor's Name and Address fields. Contributor's First Name, Last Name, Address 1, City, State and Zip are required when cbContributionCode is IND – Individual (only if user did not provide existing cbFilerID and wants to add a new contributor that has not previously registered with the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System).

cbEmployer and cbOccupation: Employer and Occupation are required for any Individual contributor who makes a contribution of more than \$100 in an election cycle.

AmendFlag - Values can be **A** for **Amend** or **U** for **Update**. **Required** only when data needs to be modified.

DeleteFlag - Value can be **D** when required to **Delete** the record. **Required** only when data needs to be deleted.

ContributionReturn Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|----------------------|-------------------------|--|
| contributionReturnID | char(30) not null | This is your committee's unique external reference ID for the contribution return record. Each contribution return record must have its own unique identification number. Required |
| contributionID | char(30) not null | This is the external reference ID assigned to the original contribution record. It is required, so that the returned contribution can be properly related to the original contribution. Required |
| crDate | date not null | Date of return. Required |
| crAmount | money not null | Amount being returned. Required |
| crExplanation | char(100) | Explanation of why the Contribution was returned. Optional |
| AmendFlag | char(10) conditional | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |
| DeleteFlag | char(10) conditional | Value can be D when required to Delete the record. Required only when data needs to be deleted. |

Expenditure Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|--------------------|--------------------------|--|
| expenditureID | char(30) not null | This is your committee's unique external reference ID for this expenditure record. Each expenditure record must have its own unique identification number. Required |
| exElectionType | char(1) not null | Election Type. See Code Tables – Election Type for values. Required |
| exElectionDate | date not null | Election Date Required |
| exExpenditureType | Char(3) not null | This is the type of expenditure. See Code Tables – Expenditure Type for values. Required |
| exPayeeType | char(3) conditional | This is the type of Payee. See Code Tables – Payee Type for values. Required unless exExpenditureType = NIM, then a Payee is not required. |
| exPaymentCode | char(10) not null | Payment code. See Code Tables – Payment Code for values. Required |
| exPaymentCodeOther | char(100) conditional | Required if exPaymentCode = OTH. |
| exOrgID | char(11) conditional | The Filer ID of the payee if the payee is a registered committee in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System. See instructions How to Obtain an OrgID (Filer ID) . <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| exPayeeID | char(30) | This will be your optional external ID for the payee. It is highly recommended you use this to uniquely identify your payees. The external ID you assign this payee should be used each time this payee does expenditure to your committee. This will reduce the possibility of having duplicate payee records for the same payee. |
| exOrgName | char(100) conditional | The Organization or Committee Name of the payee. Required if exPayeeType is OTH or CMT and exOrgID is not entered. |
| exFilerID | char(30) conditional | The Filer ID of the payee if the payee is a registered filer in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting system. See instructions on How to Obtain an OrgID (Filer ID) . <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| exFirstName | char(100) conditional | Payee first name <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| exMiddleName | char(100) | Payee's middle name Optional |
| exLastName | char(100) conditional | Payee's last name <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| exNameSuffix | char(15) | Payee's name suffix. |

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| | | See Code Tables – Suffix for values. Optional |
| exAddress1 | char(50) conditional | Payee address line 1. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| exAddress2 | char(50) | Payee address line 2. Optional |
| exCity | char(30) conditional | Payee city. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| exState | char(2) conditional | Payee state abbreviation. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| exZip | char(5) conditional | Payee zip code. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| exEmployer | char(20) conditional | Payee employer name. Optional |
| exOccupation | char(10) | Payee occupation. See Instructions How to Obtain Occupation Type . Optional |
| exOccupationOther | char(100) conditional | Required if exOccupation = 597 (Other). |
| exCreditCardIssuedTo | char(100) conditional | Required if exExpenditureType = CDC |
| exDate | date not null | Date expenditure was made or obligated. Required |
| exAmount | money not null | Payee amount. Must be a valid dollar amount greater than 0.00. Required |
| exExplanation | char(100) | Expenditure Description Optional |
| exCheckNumber | char(16) | Check Number Optional |
| exSuppOppCan | char(1) Y | (Y)es if the expenditure is to Support or Oppose a Candidate. (Y)es will also require additional information in the assocCandidate worksheet. More than ONE associated candidate is not allowed per Expenditure. |
| exSuppOppBQ | char(1) Y | (Y)es if the expenditure is to Support or Oppose a Ballot Measure. (Y)es will also require additional information in the assocBallotMeasure worksheet. More than ONE associated BQ is not allowed per Expenditure. |
| AmendFlag | char(10) conditional | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |
| DeleteFlag | char(10) conditional | Value can be D when required to Delete the record. Required only when data needs to be deleted. |

Expenditure Notes

If there are no expenditures leave the expenditure Worksheet blank.

exExpenditureType: This is the Expenditure Type for the record being entered. If exExpenditureType = NIM, the Payee information is **not required**.

exOrgID: This is the Filer ID for the payee if the payee is a registered committee or candidate in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System.

NOTE: if the payee is a registered committee in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System, you may use their Filer ID in the exOrgID column. This will eliminate the necessity to include Organization Name and all address fields. See instructions [How to Obtain an OrgID \(Filer ID\)](#).

exOrgName, exAddress1, exCity, exState, and exZip: Organization/Committee Name, Address1, City, State and Zip of the Contributor is **required** if exPayeeType is OTH - Other or CMT - Committee (only if user did not provide existing exOrgID and wants to add a new committee as payee that has not previously registered with the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System).

exPayeeID: This is your external reference ID for the payee. This is **optional but highly recommended** to uniquely identify your payees. The external ID you assign this payee should be used each time this payee is used.

exFilerID: This is the Filer ID of the Payee if the Payee is a registered candidate in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting system.

NOTE: If the Payee is a registered candidate in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System, you may use their Filer ID in the exFilerID column. This will eliminate the necessity to include First Name, Last Name, and all address fields. See instructions [How to Obtain an OrgID \(Filer ID\)](#).

exFirstName, exLastName, exAddress1, exCity, exState and exZip: Payee's Name and Address fields. Payee's First Name, Last Name, Address 1, City, State and Zip are **required** when exPayeeType is IND - Individual (only if user did not provide existing exFilerID and wants to add a new payee that has not previously registered with the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System).

AmendFlag - Values can be **A** for **Amend** or **U** for **Update**. **Required** only when data needs to be modified.

DeleteFlag - Value can be **D** when required to **Delete** the record. **Required** only when data needs to be deleted.

ExpenditureEndRecipientInfo Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
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| exEndRecipientID | char(10) not null | This is your committee's unique external reference ID for the expenditure's end recipient info record. Each record must have its own unique ID number. Required |
| exExpenditureID | char(30) not null | This is the unique external reference ID assigned to the original expenditure record. It is required, so that the end recipient can be properly related to the original expenditure. Required |
| exRecipientType | char(10) not null | This is the type of Recipient See Code Tables – Recipient Type for values. Required |
| exRecEntityName | char(200) conditional | Entity Name of the end recipient Required if exRecipientType = Entity |
| exRecFirstName | char(200) conditional | First Name of the end recipient Required if exRecipientType = Individual |
| exRecMiddleName | char(100) | Middle Name of the end recipient Optional |
| exRecLastName | char(200) conditional | Last Name of the end recipient Required if exRecipientType = Individual |
| exRecNameSuffix | char(15) | Recipient suffix of the end recipient. See Code Tables – Suffix for values. Optional |
| exRecAddress1 | char(50) not null | End Recipient address line 1. Required |
| exRecAddress2 | char(50) | End Recipient address line 2. Optional |
| exRecCity | char(30) not null | End Recipient city. Required |
| exRecState | char(2) not null | End Recipient state abbreviation. Required |
| exRecZip | char(5) not null | End Recipient zip code. Required |
| exRecEmployer | char(100) conditional | End Recipient employer name. Required if exRecipientType = Individual |
| exRecOccupation | char(10) conditional | End Recipient occupation. See Instructions How to Obtain Occupation Type . Required if exRecipientType = Individual |
| exRecOccupationOther | char(100) conditional | Required if exRecOccupation = 597 (Other). |
| exRecAmountPaid | money not null | Amount being Paid to the end recipient. Required |
| exRecDatePaid | date not null | Date of payment to the end recipient. Required |
| exRecPaymentDescription | char(200) not null | Explanation of payment to the end recipient. Required |
| AmendFlag | char(10) conditional | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |

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| DeleteFlag | char(10) conditional | Value can be D when required to Delete the record. Required only when data needs to be deleted. |
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ExpenditureEndRecipientInfo Notes

*If there is no expenditure end recipient info, leave the expenditureEndRecipientInfo Worksheet blank. End Recipients are only required for expenditure types **credit card** or **reimbursement**.*

AmendFlag - Values can be **A** for **Amend** or **U** for **Update**. **Required** only when data needs to be modified.

DeleteFlag - Value can be **D** when required to **Delete** the record. **Required** only when data needs to be deleted.

ExpenditureReturn Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|------------------|-------------------------|--|
| exReturnID | char(30) not null | This is your committee's unique external reference ID for the expenditure return record. Each expenditure return record must have its own unique identification number. Required |
| expenditureID | char(30) not null | This is the unique external reference ID assigned to the original expenditure record. It is required, so that the returned expenditure can be properly related to the original expenditure. Required |
| exRetAmount | money not null | Amount being returned. Required |
| exRetDate | date not null | Date of return. Required |
| exRetExplanation | char(100) not null | Explanation of why the Expenditure was returned. Required |
| AmendFlag | char(10) conditional | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |
| DeleteFlag | char(10) conditional | Value can be D when required to Delete the record. Required only when data needs to be deleted. |

ExpenditureReturn Notes

If there are no expenditure returns leave the expenditureReturn worksheet blank.

AmendFlag - Values can be **A** for **Amend** or **U** for **Update**. **Required** only when data needs to be modified.

DeleteFlag - Value can be **D** when required to **Delete** the record. **Required** only when data needs to be deleted.

IndependentExpenditure Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| independentExpenditureID | char(30) not null | This is your committee's unique external reference ID for this independent expenditure record. Each independent expenditure record must have its own unique identification number. Required |
| ieElectionType | char(1) not null | Election Type. See Code Tables – Election Type for values. Required |
| ieElectionDate | date not null | Election Date. Required |
| ieExpenditureType | char(3) not null | Independent expenditure type. IIE is the only value for Independent Expenditures. Required |
| iePayeeType | char(3) not null | This is the type of Payee. See Code Tables – Payee Type for values. Required |
| ieOrgID | char(11) conditional | The Filer ID of the payee if the payee is a registered committee in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System. See instructions How to Obtain an OrgID (Filer ID) . <i>See notes for when required.</i> |
| iePayeeID | char(30) | Your optional external ID for the payee. It is highly recommended you use this to uniquely identify your payees. The external ID you assign this payee should be used each time this payee is used. |
| ieOrgName | char(100) conditional | The Organization name of the payee. Required if iePayeeType = OTH or CMT and ieOrgID is not entered. |
| ieFilerID | char(30) conditional | The Filer ID of the payee if the payee is a registered filer in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting system. See instructions How to Obtain an OrgID (Filer ID) . <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| ieFirstName | char(100) conditional | Payee's first name <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| ieMiddleName | char(100) | Payee's middle name Optional |
| ieLastName | char(100) conditional | Payee's last name <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| ieNameSuffix | char(15) | Payee's name suffix if iePayeeType = IND. See Code Tables – Suffix for values. Optional |
| ieAddress1 | char(50) conditional | Payee address line 1. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| ieAddress2 | char(50) | Payee address line 2. Optional |
| ieCity | char(30) conditional | Payee city. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |

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|---------------|--------------------------|---|
| ieState | char(2) conditional | Payee state abbreviation. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| ieZip | char(5) conditional | Payee zip code. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| ieDate | date not null | Transaction date – Date expenditure was made or obligated. Required |
| ieAmount | money not null | Transaction amount. Must be a valid dollar amount greater than 0.00. Required |
| ieExplanation | char(100) not null | Independent expenditure description. Required |
| ieSuppOppCan | char(1) not null Y | (Y)es if the independent expenditure is to Support or Oppose a Candidate. (Y)es will also require additional information in the assocCandidate worksheet. More than ONE associated candidate is not allowed per Expenditure. Required |
| AmendFlag | char(10) | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |
| DeleteFlag | char(10) | Value can be D when required to Delete the record. Required only when data needs to be deleted. |

IndependentExpenditure Notes

If there are no independent expenditures, leave the independent expenditure worksheet blank. Independent Expenditures can only be added for Non-Candidate Committees of type Independent Committee.

ieOrgID: This is the Filer ID of the payee if the payee is a registered committee in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System.

NOTE: if the payee is a registered committee in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System, you may use their Filer ID in the ieOrgID column. This will eliminate the necessity to include Organization Name and all address fields. See *instructions* [How to Obtain an OrgID \(Filer ID\)](#).

ieOrgName, ieAddress1, ieCity, ieState, and ieZip: Organization/Committee Name, Address1, City, State and Zip of the payee is **required** if iePayeeType = OTH or CMT (only if user did not provide existing ieOrgID and wants to add new committee as Payee).

iePayeeID: This is your external reference ID for the payee. This is **optional but highly recommended** to uniquely identify your payees. The external ID you assign this payee should be used each time this payee is used.

ieFilerID: This is the Filer ID of the payee if the payee is a registered candidate in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System.

NOTE: if the payee is a registered candidate in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System, you may use their Filer ID in the ieFilerID column. This will eliminate the necessity to include First Name, Last Name, and all address fields. See *instructions* [How to Obtain an OrgID \(Filer ID\)](#).

ieFirstName, ieLastName, ieAddress1, ieCity, ieState and ieZip: Payee Name and Address fields. Payee First Name, Last Name, Address 1, City, State and Zip are **required** when iePayeeType is IND – Individual (only if user did not provide existing ieFilerID and wants to add a new payee that has not previously registered with the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System).

ieSuppOppCan is a required field.

AmendFlag - Values can be **A** for **Amend** or **U** for **Update**. **Required only when data needs to be modified.**

DeleteFlag - Value can be **D** when required to **Delete** the record. **Required only when data needs to be deleted.**

IndependentExpenditureReturn Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|--------------------------|----------------------|--|
| ieReturnID | char(30) not null | This is your committee's unique external reference ID for the independent expenditure return record. Each independent expenditure return record must have its own unique identification number. Required |
| independentExpenditureID | char(30) not null | This is the unique external reference ID assigned to the original independent expenditure record. It is required, so that the returned independent expenditure can be properly related to the original independent expenditure. Required |
| ieRetAmount | money not null | Amount being returned. Required |
| ieRetDate | date not null | Date of return. Required |
| ieRetExplanation | char(100) | Explanation of why the independent expenditure was returned. Optional |
| AmendFlag | char(10) not null | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |
| DeleteFlag | char(10) not null | Value can be D when required to Delete the record. Required only when data needs to be deleted. |

IndependentExpenditureReturn Notes

If there are no independent expenditure returns, leave the independent expenditure return worksheet blank.

AmendFlag - Values can be **A** for **Amend** or **U** for **Update**. **Required** only when data needs to be modified.

DeleteFlag - Value can be **D** when required to **Delete** the record. **Required** only when data needs to be deleted.

AssocBallotMeasure Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| assocBallotMeasureID | char(30) not null | This is the unique external reference ID for the Associated Ballot Question record. Each individual Ballot Question must have its own unique identification number. Required if the original expenditure or expenditure return was to Support or Oppose a Ballot Measure. |
| independentExpenditureID | char(30) not null | N/A Independent Expenditures only support or oppose candidates. |
| expenditureID | char(30) not null | This is the committee's unique external reference ID you assigned to the original expenditure record. Required if the expenditure was to Support or Oppose a Ballot Question. (exSuppOppBQ = Y) |
| bQJurisdiction | char(20) conditional | Ballot Question Jurisdiction. Required if bQMeasure is left empty or other. If bQMeasure is not provided, then system will create new ballot measure with entered bQMeasureTitle, bQMeasureID and bQJurisdiction. |
| bQMeasure | numeric conditional | This should be valid ballot measure Id for the associate parent transaction. User can enter existing ballot measure id from system. ➤ For existing valid ballot measure id please download Export Ballot Questions from the application Import manager screen - download section. System will check for valid ballot measure id provided, if exists then system will process, else error message will display. |
| bQMeasureTitle | char(200) conditional | Ballot Question Title. Required if bQMeasure is left empty or other. If bQMeasure is not provided then system will create new ballot question with entered bQMeasureTitle, bQMeasureID and bQJurisdiction. |
| bQMeasureID | char(50) conditional | Ballot Question Number. Required if bQMeasure is left empty or other. If bQMeasure is not provided then system will create new ballot measure with entered bQMeasureTitle, bQMeasureID and bQJurisdiction. |
| bQSuppOpp | char(1) S O Not null | (S)upport or (O)ppose if the Expenditure was in support or opposition of the Ballot Question. Required |
| AmendFlag | char(10) conditional | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |

AssocBallotMeasure Notes

*If there are no assocBallotMeasure, leave the assocBallotMeasure Worksheet blank.
Ballot Questions can only be associated with expenditures.*

AmendFlag - Values can be **A** for **Amend** or **U** for **Update**. **Required** only when data needs to be modified.

AssocCandidate Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| assocCandidateID | char(30) not null | This is the unique external reference ID for the Associated Candidate record. Each individual candidate must have its own unique identification number. Required if the original expenditure or expenditure return was to Support or Oppose a Candidate. |
| expenditureID | char(30) not null | This is the committee's unique external reference ID you assigned to the original expenditure record. Required if the expenditure was to Support or Oppose a Candidate. (ex: exSuppOppCan = Y) |
| independentExpenditureID | char(30) not null | This is the committee's unique external reference ID you assigned to the original independent expenditure record. Required if the independent expenditure was to Support or Oppose a Candidate. (ex: ieSuppOppCan = Y). |
| cnOrgID | char(11) | The Filer ID of the candidate being supported or opposed if the candidate is a registered candidate and/or campaign committee in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System. See instructions How to Obtain an OrgID (Filer ID) . Optional (See Notes). |
| cnCandidateName | char(20) conditional | Required if cnOrgID is empty. |
| cnStateID | char(11) | Optional |
| cnSuppOpp | char(1) Y N Not null | (Y)Support or (N)Oppose if the Expenditure or Independent expenditure was in support or opposition of the Candidate. Required |
| AmendFlag | char(10) | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |

AssocCandidate Notes

*If there are no assocCandidate leave the assocCandidate Worksheet blank.
Candidates can be associated with expenditures or independent expenditures.*

AmendFlag - Values can be **A** for **Amend** or **U** for **Update**. **Required** only when data needs to be modified.

LoanReceived Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|----------------------|--------------------------|--|
| InRecID | char(30) not null | This is your committee's unique external reference ID for the loan. Each loan received record must have its own unique identification number. Required |
| InRecElectionType | char(1) not null | Election Type. See Code Tables – Election Type for values. Required |
| InRecElectionDate | date not null | Election date - Date of election. Required |
| InRecContributorCode | char(4) not null | This is the source of the Loan (lender type). See Code Tables - Lender Type for values. Required |
| InRecOrgID | char(30) conditional | The Filer ID of the contributor if the lender is a registered committee in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting system. See instructions on How to Obtain an OrgID (Filer ID) . <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRecOrgName | char(100) conditional | Loan source (lender) Organization/Committee Name <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRecFilerID | char(30) conditional | The Filer ID of the contributor if the lender is a registered filer in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting system. See instructions on How to Obtain an OrgID (Filer ID) . <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRecReferencedId | char(10) | This is your committee's optional unique external ID for the loan received source. It is highly recommended you use this to uniquely identify your loan source (Lender). The external ID you assign this loan source should be used each time this source makes a loan to your committee. This will reduce the possibility of having duplicate loan source records for the same source. If a Loan Source also happens to be a contributor on any contribution records, you should use the same ID in both instances. |
| InRecFirstName | char(100) conditional | Loan source (lender) First Name <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRecMiddleName | char(100) | Loan source (lender) Middle Name. Optional |

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|----------------------|--------------------------|--|
| InRecLastName | char(100) conditional | Loan source (lender) Last Name <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRecNameSuffix | char(15) | Loan source (lender) name suffix. See Code Tables – Suffix for values. Optional |
| InRecAddress1 | char(50) conditional | Loan source (lender) address line 1. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRecAddress2 | char(50) conditional | Loan source (lender) address line 2. Leave blank if no Address Line 2 in address. |
| InRecCity | char(30) conditional | Loan source (lender) city. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRecState | char(2) conditional | Loan source (lender) state abbreviation. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRecZip | char(5) conditional | Loan source (lender) zip code. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRecEmployer | char(100) conditional | Loan source (lender) employer name. Optional |
| InRecOccupation | char(10) | Loan source (lender) occupation. See Instructions How to Obtain Occupation Type. Optional |
| InRecOccupationOther | char(100) conditional | Required if InRecOccupation = 597 (Other). |
| InRecDescription | char(100) not null | Loan Description Required |
| InRecDate | date not null | Date of loan Required |
| InRecAmount | money not null | Amount of loan Required |
| AmendFlag | char(10) conditional | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |
| DeleteFlag | char(10) conditional | Value can be D when required to Delete the record. Required only when data needs to be deleted. |

LoanReceived Notes

If there is no loan received, leave the Worksheet blank.

InRecOrgID: This is the Filer ID of the loan source (lender) if the loan source is a registered committee in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System.

NOTE: if the loan source is a registered committee in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System, you may use their Filer ID in the InRecOrgID column. This will eliminate the necessity to include Organization Name and all address fields. *See instructions [How to Obtain an OrgID \(Filer ID\)](#).*

InRecOrgName, InRecAddress1, InRecCity, InRecState, and InRecZip: Organization Name, Address1, City, State and Zip of the Contributor is **required** if InRecContributorCode is OTH (only if user did not provide existing InRecOrgID and wants to add new committee that has not previously registered with the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System).

InRecReferenceID: This is your external reference ID for the payee. This is **optional but highly recommended** to uniquely identify your loan sources (lenders). The external ID you assign this loan source should be used each time this loan source is used.

InRecFilerID: This is the Filer ID of the loan source (lender) if the loan source is a registered filer in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System.

NOTE: if the loan source is a registered filer in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System, you may use their Filer ID in the InRecOrgID column. This will eliminate the necessity to include First Name, Last Name, and all address fields. See [instructions How to Obtain an OrgID \(Filer ID\)](#).

InRecFirstName, InRecLastName, InRecAddress1, InRecCity, InRecState and InRecZip: Loan Source's Name and Address fields. Loan source's First Name, Last Name, Address 1, City, State and Zip are **required** when InRecContributorCode is IND – Individual (only if user did not provide existing InRecFilerID and wants to add a new contributor that has not previously registered with the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System).

AmendFlag - Values can be **A** for **Amend** or **U** for **Update**. **Required** only when data needs to be modified.

DeleteFlag - Value can be **D** when required to **Delete** the record. **Required** only when data needs to be deleted.

LoanPayment Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|-----------------|-------------------------|--|
| loanPaymentID | char(30) not null | This is your committee's unique external reference ID for the Loan payment record. Each contribution return record must have its own unique identification number. Required |
| InRecID | char(30) not null | This is the unique external reference ID assigned to the original loan received record. It is required, so that the loan payment can be properly related to the original loan received. Required |
| InPaymentDate | date not null | Date of loan payment. Required |
| InPaymentAmount | money not null | Payment Amount Required |
| InPaymentReason | char(120) | Reason text for payment of loan. Optional |
| AmendFlag | char(10) conditional | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |
| DeleteFlag | char(10) conditional | Value can be D when required to Delete the record. Required only when data needs to be deleted. |

LoanPayment Notes

If there are no loan payments, leave the loanPayment Worksheet blank. Loan Payments must be associated to a Loan Received.

AmendFlag - Values can be **A** for **Amend** or **U** for **Update**. **Required** only when data needs to be modified.

DeleteFlag - Value can be **D** when required to **Delete** the record. **Required** only when data needs to be deleted.

loanRepaymentResponsiblePerson Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| InRepaymentPersonID | char(10) not null | This is your committee's unique external reference ID for the Loan Repayment Responsible Person record. Each Loan Repayment Responsible Person record must have its own unique identification number. Required |
| InRecID | char(30) not null | This is the unique external reference ID assigned to the original loan received record. It is required, so that the Loan Repayment Responsible Person can be properly related to the original loan received. Required |
| InRepaymentPersonFilerID | char(30) conditional | If the Candidate or Committee is responsible for repayment, this will be the Filer ID of the Candidate or Committee. See instructions on How to Obtain an OrgID (Filer ID) . Required if Candidate or Committee is responsible for repayment. |
| InRepaymentPersonOfficerID | char(30) conditional | If an Officer is responsible for repayment, this will be the personID for that Officer. See instructions How to Obtain Officer ID Required if Officer is responsible for repayment. |
| InRepaymentPersonType | char(10) conditional | Type of entity responsible for repayment of the loan received. See Code Tables – Person Type for values. Optional if InRepaymentPersonFilerID or InRepaymentPersonOfficerID contains a value, otherwise Required . |
| InRepaymentPersonEntityName | char(100) conditional | Organization/Committee name of the entity responsible for repayment of the loan. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRepaymentPersonFirstName | char(100) conditional | Person responsible for loan first name. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRepaymentPersonMiddleName | char(100) | Person responsible for loan middle name. |

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|----------------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| InRepaymentPersonLastName | char(100) conditional | Person responsible for loan last name. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRepaymentPersonSuffix | char(15) | Person responsible for loan suffix. <i>See Code Tables – Suffix for values.</i> |
| InRepaymentPersonAddress1 | char(50) conditional | Person responsible for loan Address line 1. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRepaymentPersonAddress2 | char(50) conditional | Person responsible for loan Address line 2. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRepaymentPersonCity | char(30) conditional | Person responsible for loan City. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRepaymentPersonState | char(2) conditional | Person responsible for loan State abbreviation. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRepaymentPersonZip | char(5) conditional | Person responsible for loan Zip code. <i>See Notes for when required.</i> |
| InRepaymentPersonEmployer | char(20) conditional | Person responsible for loan Employer name. Required if InRepaymentPersonType = Individual |
| InRepaymentPersonOccupation | char(10) conditional | Person responsible for loan Occupation. <i>See Instructions How to Obtain Occupation Type</i> Required if InRepaymentPersonType = Individual |
| InRepaymentPersonOccupationOther | char(100) conditional | Required if InRepaymentPersonOccupation = 597 (Other). |
| AmendFlag | char(10) | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |
| DeleteFlag | char(10) | Value can be D when required to Delete the record. Required only when data needs to be deleted. |

loanRepaymentResponsiblePerson Notes

If a loan received has been entered, a loan repayment responsible person must be associated with the loan received.

If a loan repayment responsible person needs to be deleted, the loan received must be deleted as well then reentered with the new loan repayment responsible person.

InRepaymentPersonFilerID: This is the Filer ID of the Candidate or Committee if the loan repayment person is registered in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting system.

NOTE: If the Candidate or Committee is registered in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System, you may use their Filer ID in the InRepaymentPersonFilerID column. This will eliminate the necessity to include Name and Address fields. *See instructions [How to Obtain an OrgID \(Filer ID\)](#).*

InRepaymentPersonEntityName, InRepaymentPersonAddress1,

InRepaymentPersonCity, InRepaymentPersonState, and InRepaymentPersonZip: Entity Name, Address1, City, State and Zip of the Person Responsible is **required** if InRepaymentPersonType = Entity (only if user did not provide existing InRepaymentPersonFilerID and wants to add a new repayment person that has not previously registered with the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System).

InRepaymentPersonOfficerID: This is the ID of the Officer if the loan repayment person is registered as an Officer for the logged in filer in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting system.

NOTE: If the Officer is associated to a Filer in the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System, you may use their Officer ID in the InRepaymentPersonOfficerID column. This will eliminate the necessity to include Name and Address fields. See *instructions* [How to Obtain Officer ID](#).

InRepaymentPersonFirstName, InRepaymentPersonLastName, InRepaymentPersonAddress1, InRepaymentPersonCity, InRepaymentPersonState, and InRepaymentPersonZip: Name, Address1, City, State and Zip of the Person Responsible is **required** if InRepaymentPersonType = Individual (only if user did not provide existing InRepaymentPersonFilerID or InRepaymentPersonOfficerID and wants to add a new repayment person that has not previously registered with the Georgia Campaign Finance Reporting System).

AmendFlag - Values can be **A** for **Amend** or **U** for **Update**. **Required** only when data needs to be modified.

DeleteFlag - Value can be **D** when required to **Delete** the record. **Required** only when data needs to be deleted.

LoanCredit Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|----------------|-------------------------|--|
| InCreditID | char(30) not null | This is your committee's unique external reference ID for the Loan Credit record. Each Loan Credit record must have its own unique identification number. Required |
| InRecID | char(30) not null | This is the unique external reference ID assigned to the original loan received. It is required, so that the loan credit can be properly related to the original loan received. Required |
| InAmtCredit | money not null | Loan Credit amount. This is the amount that has been forgiven on the Loan Received. Required |
| InCreditDate | date not null | Date credit received. Required |
| InCreditReason | char(120) | Explanation of why loan was credited (forgiven). Optional |
| AmendFlag | char(10) conditional | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |
| DeleteFlag | char(10) conditional | Value can be D when required to Delete the record. Required only when data needs to be deleted. |

LoanCredit Notes

If there are no loan credit records, leave the loanCredit Worksheet blank. Loan credits must be associated to loans received.

AmendFlag - Values can be **A** for **Amend** or **U** for **Update**. **Required only when data needs to be modified.**

DeleteFlag - Value can be **D** when required to **Delete** the record. **Required only when data needs to be deleted.**

Investment Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|--------------------|--------------------------|--|
| investmentID | char(30) not null | This will be your committee's unique external reference ID for this investment record. Each investment record must have its own unique identification number. Required |
| investmentName | char(200) not null | Investment Name Required |
| accountNumber | char(30) not null | Account Number Optional |
| holdingAccountType | char(3) not null | Institution or Individual Holding Account Type. See Code Tables -Holding Account Type for values. Required |
| institutionName | char(100) conditional | Institution Name Required if holdingAccountType = INS |
| prefixID | char(3) | Prefix of the person holding the account. See Code Tables - Prefix for values. Optional |
| firstName | char(50) conditional | First Name of the person holding the account. Required if holdingAccountType = IND |
| middleName | char(50) | Middle Name of the person holding the account. Optional |
| lastName | char(100) conditional | Last Name of the person holding the account. Required if holdingAccountType = IND |
| suffixID | char(3) | Suffix of the person holding the account. See Code Tables - Suffix for values. Optional |
| addressLine1 | char(50) not null | Institution or Person holding the account Address Line 1. Required |
| addressLine2 | char(50) conditional | Institution or Person holding the account Address Line 2. Optional |
| city | char(30) not null | Institution or Person holding the account City. Required |
| state | char(2) not null | Institution or Person holding the account State. Required |
| zipCode | char(10) not null | Institution or Person holding the account Zip. Required |
| AmendFlag | char(10) conditional | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |
| DeleteFlag | char(10) conditional | Value can be D when required to Delete the record. Required only when data needs to be deleted. |

Investment Notes

If there are no investments leave the investment Worksheet blank.

AmendFlag - Values can be **A** for **Amend** or **U** for **Update**. **Required** only when data needs to be modified.

DeleteFlag - Value can be **D** when required to **Delete** the record. **Required** only when data needs to be deleted.

InvestmentTransaction Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|--------------------|----------------------|---|
| invTransactionID | char(30) not null | This is your committee's unique external reference ID for the Investment Transaction record. Each Investment Transaction record must have its own unique identification number. Required |
| investmentID | char(30) not null | This is the unique external reference ID assigned to the original Investment. It is required, so that the investment transaction can be properly related to the original investment. Required |
| invTransactionType | char(3) not null | Investment Transaction Type See Code Tables – Investment Transaction Type for values. Required |
| invTransactionDate | date not null | Date purchased/sold/cash dividends/interest paid out Required |
| invPurchasedValue | Money conditional | Investment purchased value. Required if invtransactiontype = PUR |
| invSoldValue | Money conditional | Investment sold value. Required if invtransactiontype = SOL |
| profit | Money conditional | Profit amount Required if invtransactiontype = SOL and loss is blank. |
| loss | Money conditional | Loss amount Required if invtransactiontype = SOL and profit is blank. |
| invCashDividends | Money conditional | Investment cash dividends value. Required for Cash Dividends, otherwise optional . |
| invInterestPaidOut | Money conditional | Investment interest paid out value. Required for Interest Paid Out, otherwise optional . |
| AmendFlag | char(10) | Values can be A for Amend or U for Update. Required only when data needs to be modified. |
| DeleteFlag | char(10) | Value can be D when required to Delete the record. Required only when data needs to be deleted. |

InvestmentTransaction Notes

If there are no investment transaction records, leave the investmenttransaction Worksheet blank. Investment transactions must be associated to an original investment.

AmendFlag - Values can be **A** for **Amend** or **U** for **Update**. **Required** only when data needs to be modified.

DeleteFlag - Value can be **D** when required to **Delete** the record. **Required** only when data needs to be deleted.

InvestmentPerson Worksheet

| Column | Format | Description |
|------------------|-------------------------|--|
| invPersonID | char(30) not null | This is your committee's unique external reference ID for the investment person record. Each record must have its own unique identification number. Required |
| invTransactionID | char(30) not null | This is the unique external reference ID assigned to the original Investment transaction record. Required |
| personName | char(50) not null | Person name for the Investment Transactions. Required |
| DeleteFlag | char(10) conditional | Value can be D when required to Delete the record. Required only when data needs to be deleted. |

InvestmentPerson Notes

If there are no investment persons, leave the investmentperson Worksheet blank. Investments are required to have at least one Investment Person. Investment Person is always associated to an Investment.

DeleteFlag - Value can be **D** when required to **Delete** the record. **Required** only when data needs to be deleted.

CODE TABLES

Common Tables

The following import codes should be used where applicable.

Election Type

| Election Type | Import Code |
|------------------------|--------------------|
| Primary | P |
| Primary Runoff | PR |
| General | G |
| General Runoff | GR |
| Recall | R |
| Special Primary | SP |
| Special Primary Runoff | SPR |
| Special General | SG |
| Special General Runoff | SGR |

Prefix

| Prefix | Import Code |
|---------------|--------------------|
| Ms. | MS |
| Mrs. | MRS |
| Mr. | MR |
| Dr. | DR |
| Prof | Prof |

Suffix

| Suffix | Import Code |
|---------------|--------------------|
| Jr. | JR |
| Sr. | SR |
| II | II |
| III | III |
| IV | IV |

The following import codes should be used where applicable in the specified worksheets.

Contribution Worksheet

cbContributionType (Contribution Type)

| Contribution Type | Import Code |
|--------------------------|--------------------|
| Monetary Itemized | MOI |
| Monetary Non-Itemized | NIM |
| In-Kind | IKD |
| Anonymous | ANO |
| Interest Earned | IEN |

cbContributionCode (Contributor Type)

| Contributor Type | Import Code |
|------------------------------|--------------------|
| Candidate/Campaign Committee | SELF |
| Individual | IND |
| Committee | COM |
| Other | OTH |
| Lobbying Organization | LOB |

Expenditure Worksheet

exExpenditureType (Expenditure Type)

| Expenditure Type | Import Code |
|-------------------------|--------------------|
| Monetary Itemized | MOI |
| Monetary Non-Itemized | NIM |
| In-Kind | IKD |
| Reimbursement | RIB |
| Credit Card | CDC |

exPayeeType (Payee Type)

| Payee Type | Import Code |
|------------------------------|--------------------|
| Committee | CMT |
| Candidate/Campaign Committee | SELF |
| Individual | IND |
| Other | OTH |

exPaymentCode (Description of Payment)

| Payment Code/Description | Code |
|---|-------------|
| campaign paraphernalia/misc | CMP |
| campaign consultants | CNS |
| contribution (explain nonmonetary) * | CTB |
| civic donations | CVC |
| Donation | DON |
| candidate filing/ballot fees | FIL |
| fundraising events | FND |
| independent expenditure supporting/opposing others (explain)* | IND |
| legal defense | LEG |
| campaign literature and mailings | LIT |
| Loan made | LMD |
| member communications | MBR |
| meetings and appearances | MTG |
| office expenses | OFC |
| Other | OTH |
| petition circulating | PET |
| phone banks | PHO |
| polling and survey research | POL |
| postage, delivery and messenger services | POS |
| professional services (legal, accounting) | PRO |
| print ads | PRT |
| radio airtime and production costs | RAD |
| returned contributions | RFD |
| campaign workers' salaries | SAL |
| t.v. or cable airtime and production costs | TEL |
| candidate travel, lodging, and meals | TRC |
| staff/spouse travel, lodging, and meals | TRS |
| transfer between committees of the same candidate/sponsor | TSF |
| voter registration | VOT |
| information technology costs (internet, e-mail) | WEB |

ExpenditureEndRecipientInfo Worksheet

exRecipientType (Recipient Type)

| Recipient Type | Import Code |
|----------------|-------------|
| Individual | Individual |
| Entity | Entity |

IndependentExpenditure Worksheet

iePayeeType (Payee Type)

| Payee Type | Import Code |
|------------|-------------|
| Committee | CMT |
| Other | OTH |
| Individual | IND |

ieExpenditureType (Expenditure Type)

| Independent Expenditure Type | Import Code |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Itemized Independent Expenditure | IIE |

recipientType (Recipient Type)

| Recipient Type | Import Code |
|----------------|-------------|
| Individual | Individual |
| Entity | Entity |

LoanReceived Worksheet

Note: **InRecContributorCode(s)** are valid for Candidate/Candidate Campaign Committee (RC) and Non-Candidate Committee (RO).

InRecContributorCode (Lender Type)

| Contributor Type | Import Code |
|------------------|-------------|
| Individual | IND |
| Other | OTH |

LoanRepaymentResponsiblePerson Worksheet

InRepaymentPersonType (Type of Person)

| Recipient Type | Import Code |
|----------------|-------------|
| Individual | Individual |
| Entity | Entity |

Investment Worksheet

holdingAccountType (Holding Account Type)


| Holding Account Type | Import Code |
|----------------------|-------------|
| Individual | IND |
| Institution | INS |

InvestmentTransaction Worksheet

invTransactionType (Transaction Type)


| Transaction Type | Import Code |
|------------------|-------------|
| Purchased | PUR |
| Sold | SOL |

How to Obtain an OrgID (Filer ID)

From the Import Manager page, click on the download arrow  then click on the link **Export Organizations**. Clicking on this link will open an excel spread sheet of all the active Candidates with or without Campaign Committees and Non-Candidate Committees with their OrgID (Filer ID). This list should be used to look up values for the following columns:


- cbOrgID in the Contribution worksheet
- exOrgID in the Expenditure worksheet
- ieOrgID in the IndependentExpenditure worksheet
- cnOrgID in the AssocCandidate worksheet
- InRecOrgID in the LoanReceived worksheet

How to Obtain Officer ID

From the Import Manager page, click on the download arrow  then click on the link **Export Officers**. Clicking on this link will open an excel spreadsheet of all the active Officers associated with the current filer. This list should be used to look up values for the following columns:

- InRepaymentPersonOfficerID in the loanRepaymentResponsiblePerson worksheet

How To Obtain Occupation Type

From the Import Manager page, click on the download arrow  then click on the link **Export Occupation Codes**. Clicking on this link will open an excel spreadsheet of all the active occupation codes and their descriptions from the application. This list should be used to look up values for the following columns:

- cbOccupation in the Contribution worksheet
- exOccupation in the Expenditure worksheet
- exRecOccupation in the ExpenditureEndRecipientInfo worksheet
- InRecOccupation in the LoanReceived worksheet
- InRepaymentPersonOccupation in the loanRepaymentResponsiblePerson worksheet

User can enter their own occupation by providing value "OTHER" in any of the mentioned columns and enter desired occupation description in of the fields based on respective occupation type column:

- cbOccupationOther in the Contribution worksheet
- exOccupationOther in the Expenditure worksheet
- exRecOccupationOther in the ExpenditureEndRecipientInfo worksheet
- InRecOccupationOther in the LoanReceived worksheet
- loanRepaymentPersonOccupationOther in the loanRepaymentResponsiblePerson worksheet