

Title: For people still holding their shares in fidelity, please make sure you check these settings before the 18th.

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Just wanted to reach out to the people still holding their shares in r/fidelityinvestments. One of my buddies has his GME shares in r/fidelityinvestments and didn't know about this so thought it would be a good thing to share with everyone here.

****Explain what the title means:**** This broker doesn't tell you this unless you ask for answers, but dividends can be given to you in two different ways and that depends on how your settings on your account are configured:

*** **Deposit to Core Account -**** If your account has this enabled, any dividends provided by the company of a stock you own, will come as a TAXABLE cash settlement to your brokerage account instead of additional shares.

*** **Reinvest in security -**** If your account has this enabled, any dividends provided by the company of a stock you own, will be reinvested into the same stock via shares, which WON'T be taxable. This means you will receive the dividend in additional shares instead of a TAXABLE cash settlement.

****HOW TO CHECK THESE SETTINGS:****

Log in to your account and follow the screenshots below:

[Red squares are there for obvious reasons.](<https://preview.redd.it/2j4lu00busb91.png?width=1999&format=png&auto;=webp&s;=db778b5c0f266195f702cc8a1187a89daab03b2f>)

Once you click on ****Dividends and Capital Gains,**** you'll be taken to a different page. On the next page, make sure that the sections for dividends (highlighted in yellow) is set to ****Reinvest in Security.**** Otherwise, click on the ****Update**** (highlighted in blue) link:

<https://preview.redd.it/1htmo34uusb91.png?width=986&format=png&auto;=webp&s;=ecf12b15d1755b68f9003d3ab6c86391d470f211>

Lastly, make sure that the settings in the screenshot below are all checked, then click update.

<https://preview.redd.it/go0biswptsb91.png?width=851&format=png&auto;=webp&s;=276bcf24a158d74e4ca5507cf12095673d20974b>

Hope I could be of help to someone out there. Sorry if I posted this in the wrong location. Please share with others if I did, as some apes may not know.

P.S. If you haven't DRS yet, WTF are you waiting for?