

#### TAX RATES

The 4Q16 tax rate matrix was finalized on December 5, 2016. Jurisdictions now have until March 1, 2017 (Wednesday) to verify or amend their tax rate data for the 1Q17 matrix. Currently, one jurisdiction has changed their tax rate. To view current tax rate changes please visit:

https://www.iftach.org/taxchangeq.php

**REMINDER!!** Please keep your Contacts updated in your IFTA, Inc. profile on <a href="https://www.iftach.org">www.iftach.org</a> to prevent emails being returned with a delivery failure notice.

It is recommended that all membership review their Jurisdiction Communication Lists at this time. If your revised date is more than one year, but there have been no changes, please click to update your communication list so that the revision date shows for 2017. Thank you!

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# **Upcoming IFTA Meetings**

**FTA** and **IRP**, **Inc.** meetings for 2017 have been added to the IFTA, Inc. website calendar. Keep checking the IFTA, Inc. website for these and other related events of importance that might impact your jurisdiction. If you are aware of any other related functions for 2017 please feel free to forward that information to Mrs. Tammy Trinker at tdtrinker@iftach.org for posting to the calendar.

# Annual Report Database



The Annual Report Database is open for your input! If you are looking for a list of all of the information you will need to complete your annual report, please refer to the Procedures Manual, Section P1110.100.

The due date for submitting your Annual Report is

March 1, 2017

## 2017 Ballot Deadline

**April 14, 2017** 

# **2017 IFTA Decals**

Just an FYI...you are NOT required to exchange decals with your fellow member jurisdictions. However, if you would like to see your 2017 IFTA Decal on your Carrier Contact Page on the IFTA Inc. website, please submit one to the IFTA, Inc. office. Electronically scanned decals are also accepted.



Thanks!

# 2017 Sponsorship Program

The International Fuel Tax Association, Inc. is pleased to offer opportunities for two 2017 IFTA, Inc. hosted meetings:

#### **Audit Workshop**

The IFTA/IRP Audit Workshop is a result of a partnership between IRP and IFTA and is a unique venue for auditors to exchange information. The Workshop will be held at the Omni Houston Hotel in Houston, Texas February 28 – March 2, 2017.

The Audit Workshop is attended by auditors of both IFTA and IRP accounts in the United States and Canada, motor carrier industry representatives and vendors.

#### **Annual Business Meeting**

The Annual IFTA Business Meeting will be held at the Sheraton Grand Wild Horse Pass Resort in Chandler Arizona August 9-10, 2017.

The Annual IFTA Business Meeting is a unique opportunity for all IFTA member jurisdictions and partners to come together to interact and provide valuable information to all in attendance.

#### Why Sponsor a Networking Event?

Sponsoring a networking event at an IFTA meeting will:

- Highlight your business commitment to current clients.
- Give your business representatives the opportunity to network with potential clients from both jurisdictions and industry.
- Show your support to IFTA and IFTA, Inc.

#### **Supporters**

- Signage with company logo displayed during sponsored event
- Company information provided to all attendees upon check-in
- Sponsor Recognition on Name Tag
- Recognition on Final Agenda
- Acknowledgement of sponsorship during event
- Early receipt of Attendee Registration List

#### **Associates**

- Same as Supporters plus
- Promotional item provided by IFTA, Inc. to include company logo
- One additional Registration

#### **Partners**

- Same as Associates plus
- Two additional Registrations
- Promotional item provided by IFTA, Inc. to include company logo

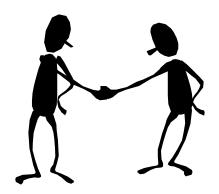
#### **Event Sponsor** (Both IFTA Events)

Event Sponsor includes everything under Partner, IFTA, Inc. Website – Logo on Sponsor Page and Link to Sponsor's Website, IFTA News Highlight 4 times a year, additional signage posted throughout the Event and a choice of one of the following:

- One additional attendee at both meetings or
- Two additional attendees at one meeting of their choice (Audit or ABM)

This year we have added the option for all Sponsor levels to Sponsor at both Events at a reduced price. If you have questions or want more information on Sponsoring at an Event please Debora Meise at dmeise@iftach.org.





#### Illinois

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#### **Tennessee**

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#### **Prince Edward Island**

Assistant IFTA Commissioner:

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If your jurisdiction experiences any changes please be certain to visit the IFTA, Inc. website, login, and update your jurisdiction's communication list. If you need assistance with how to do this please contact Tom King at tking@iftach.org. The following jurisdictions have updated the Jurisdiction Communication List (JCL) in some manner since *December 15, 2016.* Please visit their JCL on the secure website to ensure that you are working with the most current information for these jurisdictions:

Indiana	New Brunswick	Oregon
Prince Edward Island	Tennessee	Utah
Vermont	Wisconsin	West Virginia



### IFTA, INC. WEBSITE

By: Tom King, webmaster (tking@iftach.org)

#### **New Website Update**

Reminder, last December the website changed how it handles passwords and password resetting. In early December all passwords were deleted and will need to be reset via email. As of now 50% of all registered IFTA, Inc. users have already done this. We have detailed instructions on changing your passwords on the Important Information web page. If you have level 5 or higher access you can manage your jurisdictions users and create new passwords for them if you wish to do that.

#### **New Special Committee**

IFTA has a new special committee called the PCRC Working Group.

If you have any questions or issues email me at <a href="mailto:tking@iftach.org">tking@iftach.org</a> or call me at the office on #5.

### IFTA, INC. CLEARINGHOUSE UPDATE

By: Jason DeGraf, Information Services Director (jdegraf@iftach.org)



#### July 2017 Demographic Full File Upload Deadline

Starting July 1, 2017, all Jurisdictions will be required to provide full baseline updates to the Clearinghouse demographic database. This file will be a complete snapshot of your current demographic database, sent to us nightly. Also at this time, we expect all jurs to have their data cleaned up in regards to any errors the Clearinghouse is currently finding. Emails are being sent to each jurisdictions pointing out data errors. You can also use the demographic web pages to find and view errors.

#### **IFTA APP**

The IFTA Carrier Lookup app is complete. All jurisdictions have been notified how to find and sign up for the app.



### **EVENTS**

### **2017**

1Q IFTA, Inc. Board Meeting

January 18 - 19 Chandler, Arizona

IRP, Inc. Winter Board Meeting
January 31 – February 1
Palm Springs, CA

**IFTA/IRP Audit Workshop** 

February 28 – March 2 Houston, Texas

**CVSA Workshop** 

April 23 – 27 Atlanta, Georgia

2Q IFTA, Inc. Board Meeting

April 25 - 26 Chandler, Arizona

**IRP Annual Meeting** 

May 16 – 18 Tempe, Arizona **Annual IFTA Business Meeting** 

August 9 - 10 Chandler, Arizona

**Motor Fuels Uniformity Meeting** 

September 21 – 23 Peoria, IL

**Motor Fuels Annual Conference** 

September 24 – 27 Peoria, IL

IFTA/IRP Managers' and Law Enforcement Workshop

September 26 – 28 Salt Lake City, UT

4Q IFTA, Inc. Board Meeting

October 24 - 25 Chandler, Arizona

