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## About Your IRS Form 1099-R

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PAYER'S name, street address, city, state and ZIP code  PSRS/PEERS Retirement Systems of Missouri PO BOX 268 Jefferson City MO 65102		1 Gross distribution \$	OMB No. 1545-0119 <b>2025</b> Form 1099-R		Distributions From Pensions, Annuities, Retirement or Profit-Sharing Plans, IRAs, Insurance Contracts, etc.
		2a Taxable amount \$			
		2b Taxable amount not determined <input type="checkbox"/>	Total Distribution <input type="checkbox"/>		<b>Copy B</b> Report this income on your federal tax return. If this form shows federal income tax withheld in box 4, attach this copy to your return.
PAYER'S Federal identification number	RECIPIENT'S identification number	3 Capital gain (included in box 2a) \$	4 Federal income tax withheld \$		
Account number (optional)		5 Employee after tax contributions	6 Net unrealized appreciation in employer's securities		
RECIPIENT'S name, street address, city or town, state or province, and ZIP or foreign postal code		7 Distribution code <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	IRA/SEP/SIMPLE <input type="checkbox"/>	8 Other \$ %	
		9a Your percentage of total distribution %	9b Total employee contributions \$		
		12 FATCA filing requirement <input type="checkbox"/>	13 Date of payment		
		14 State tax withheld \$	15 State/Payer's state no.	16 State distribution \$	
		17 Local tax withheld \$	18 Name of locality	19 Local distribution \$	

Form 1099-R

www.irs.gov/form1099r

Department of the Treasury - Internal Revenue Service

**Box 5 – Employee contributions:** Shows the amount of after-tax contributions and purchase payments excluded from taxable income in 2025. (Except for rollovers  
Box 5 + Box 2a = Box 1)

### Box 7 – Distribution code:

Shows the type of distribution paid to you during 2025. A description of each code is detailed on the back of your Form 1099-R. If the distribution code is 1, you may be required to pay a 10% early distribution tax in addition to regular income tax when filing your tax return.

If you believe your distribution code is incorrect, you may file IRS Form 5329 with your tax return or contact PSRS/PEERS to determine if there is an error we can correct.

# Frequently Asked Questions

## Why did I receive a Form 1099-R?

PSRS/PEERS sends an IRS Form 1099-R to anyone who has received a monthly benefit or lump-sum payment during the tax year. This information is also provided to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) and the Missouri Department of Revenue.

## Why did I get more than one Form 1099-R?

You may receive multiple forms if you received more than one type of benefit payment. For example, if you are a service retiree and a beneficiary recipient, you will receive two forms. If you received a payment due to the Partial Lump Sum Option (PLSO), your PLSO distribution and your regular monthly benefits are reported on separate Forms 1099-R. All forms should be kept and reported on your tax return, even if the taxable amount is zero.

## Why is the PSRS \$5,000 Death Benefit taxable?

If you received funds due to the PSRS \$5,000 Death Benefit, a Form 1099-R is issued. This benefit is not life insurance. It is a taxable pension distribution. If you rolled over the funds into a qualified retirement account, it is reflected as non-taxable income on your Form 1099-R.

## What is the Missouri Public Pension Exemption?

Depending on a variety of factors, you may be able to deduct up to 100% of your public retirement benefits received from PSRS or PEERS on your Missouri income tax return. ***The total public pension exemption is limited to the maximum Social Security benefit of each individual.*** Starting with the 2024 tax year, the exemption is no longer limited by your filing status or Missouri adjusted gross income. Eligibility is dependent on a variety of factors. Visit <http://dor.mo.gov>, contact the Missouri Department of Revenue at (573) 751-3505 or contact a tax professional for more information.

## I am using a tax software program to do my taxes. How do I answer the question, “where is this distribution from?”

This distribution is a public pension received from a federal, state or local government.

## How do I change my tax withholding?

You can change your tax withholding at any time online using Web Member Services. You may also print a ***Tax Withholding Authorization*** Form from our website or request one by contacting our office.