



# **ELEVATING MY FREE TAXES® IN 2025**

Spotlighting My Free Taxes® where eligible U.S. filers live, play, shop, pray, and consume information helps connect moderate-to low-wage earners to free, easy online tax filing resources. It helps them keep more of their hard-earned money, and helps build a stronger, more resilient community.

Every year, United Way kicks off the U.S. tax season with an awareness push around My Free Taxes. Research shows people pay extra attention to taxes in February and the first two weeks in April! To help you spread the word in your community, United Way Worldwide has created prefab posters and flyers, social cards, a template press release, key messages, blog copy and more. See details and links below. For questions, contact United Way Worldwide staff via Ask United Way.

#### **Local Messaging**

Messages that convey the benefits of My Free Taxes – in plain language – matters. Messaging for local use, building on what research tells us, can be found here.

#### Local Press Release

Involving and engaging your local media to increase awareness of My Free Taxes as a community resource is always a good idea. Adapt this press release for your local community.

#### Local Blogs, Newsletter Items or Columns

Blog copy can be adapted for your community and organization, and used on your website, in your newsletters or as community columns/letters to the editor in your local newspaper. We've created two versions, found <a href="here">here</a>.

#### Local PSA Script

You may have community-minded radio or cable stations that would agree to create a public service announcement (PSA) to air during available programming slots before April 15. Find 2 template PSA scripts here

### **Local Posters & Flyers**

Whether you print them out on your office printer, seek in-kind support from a local print shop or partner with an organization, think about how you can use posters and flyers to promote My Free Taxes. Consider posting in workplace break rooms, or in elevators, restrooms, community bulletin boards, shop windows, beauty and barber shops, any human/social service agency, health clinics, food pantries, school or community resource centers and more.

My Free Taxes Flyer

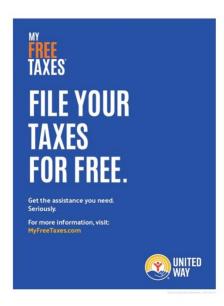






Downloadable as-is version and editable Canva template link can be found here

• My Free Taxes Blue Poster



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#### Social Media Graphics & Copy

Social media is an important source of community information across the U.S., so using social media to elevate My Free Taxes is equally important. To make it easy, United Way has created 5 pre-fab social cards, for United Ways and community partners. You can add your logo to the online templates, and swap out any images. Find images of and links for the social card templates below.

• Social card 1: customizable templates for local United Ways (English) These are static graphics you can use throughout the tax season. You can add your logo and add your own picture.



Link to asset

• Social card 2: customizable template for local community partners (English) These are static graphics you can use throughout the tax season, set up so local partners can add logos.







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• Social post 3 in English (can swap out logo and photo)



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• Social post 4 in English (can swap out logo)



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• Social post 5 in English (can swap out logo and photo)



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## My Free Taxes Logo

UWW has updated the text treatment/logo for My Free Taxes. Please use the new version below to update





any other My Free Taxes promotional materials you may have from previous tax seasons. Use the CMYK format for printed materials, and RBG format for digital content. All logos can be found <a href="https://example.com/here.">here.</a>