EXAMPLE ONLY, USE WITH BUSINESS WORKSHEET

Business Worksheet Example 3

(1) Entity Type: S-Corp
(2) Individual Name: One owner (Sara Higgins)
(3) SSI: n/a
(4) Business Name: Sara's Apt Leasing, Inc

(5) EIN: 47-5555555

(6) Real Estate Agent, not broker. Principally from Apartment Location Services.

Sales Include: (7) 1099 from WTB, a brokerage company for commissions of \$65,000 Plus...had two independent House Closings, commissions of \$7,100

Expenses Include:

A. **VEHICLE INFORMATION***: Mileage: Owns a 2017 BMW, 760I which he put 31K on it in 2019, 90% of business. He paid \$5,000 in repairs and \$3,000 in gas for the car; and \$100 in tolls. Utilizing MILEAGE LOG!

- B. **CONTRACT LABOR***: Hired Jenny Lee, SSI 111-44-2222 as a contractor during the summer to help with appointment scheduling and "make ready's". Paid Jenny **\$ 800**.
- C. **ACCOUNTING**: Paid TUCKER CPA to assist with the monthly booking, at \$100 a month or \$1,200 for the year.
- D. ADVERTISING*: Co-paid 'Gift Cards' for use as referral bonus (LEADS) with WTB Broker. 50/50 paid \$2,400.
- E. **BANK CHARGES** of \$10 a month to the bank, or **\$120** for the year.
- F. **CELL PHONE***: Family cell phone bill for company and mother was \$200 a month, or **\$100** a month for business portion.
- G. **COMPUTER EXPENSES**: Bought a <u>new 'Lead' Software</u> for \$125 on Discover Card.
- H. **CONTINUING EDUCATION**: Took 20 continuing education hours in real estate to maintain and improve understanding of occupation and for the mandatory CPE needed hours (**\$500**).
- I. INTERNET COST*: \$40 a month, with computer used 50% for business.
- J. **OFFICE EXPENSES**: business ink, paper, pens, sales receipts, etc. at \$1,200 for year. Purchased a Digital Camera on **02/01/19** for \$600 to take pictures of Business Real Estate for benefit of company and/or clients.
- K. **PAYROLL**: Since this is an 'S Corporation', owner must pay themselves a fair and reasonable wage. In this case, wage is \$15,000 and company paid taxes are SSI @ 7.65% (\$1,147.50), TWC at \$243 and FUTA at \$42.
- L. REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE*: Paid \$5,000 to fix BMW auto and \$350 to fix Business Computer
- M. **HOME OFFICE***: Rents apt at \$ 1,000 a month for 12 months. Sq. footage of apt is 1200 sq. footage of which 300 sq. foot is used exclusively (2nd bedroom) as home office. Utility bills are \$100 a month.
- N. **MEAL***: Spent \$1,600 to buy perspective clients and clients lunch. Bought boyfriend dinner at Sullivan's \$200, and attending Houston Real Estate Convention with food expenses of \$20.

* COMMENTS:

- A. Vehicle Info: Client taking standard mileage rate for 2019 at .58 per mile. This is in favor of taxpayers but cannot take repairs or gas. Instead, taking \$ 16,182.00 in standard mileage deduction. Tolls to be taken in "Parking Fees & Tolls" Section.
- B. Contract Labor: deducting contract labor of \$800. Contractor will be given a 1099 by Client for tax reporting.
- D. Taking 50% of advertising as Advertising expense or \$ 1,200.
- F. CELL PHONE: only deducting business portion, or \$ 1200
- I. INTERNET: Only 50% or \$ 240 for year
- J. Digital camera considered a 'Fixed Asset', which will be depreciated by tax preparer.
- L. REPAIRS: Cannot take repairs to Vehicle...as taking standard mileage allowance in A. above.
- M. HOME OFFICE: 300 sq. ft. used by business divided by total sq. footage of 1200 equates to 25% of expenses to be deducted.
- N. To list the \$1600 and \$20 as a Meals expense, can't deduct taking boyfriend out.

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