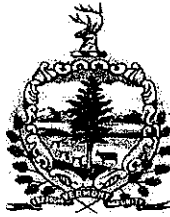


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STATE OF VERMONT
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March 28, 2017

Berlin Town Clerk / Treasurer
108 Shed Rd
Berlin, VT 05602

Re: 2017 Unclaimed Property Listing

Dear Vermont Town Clerk/Treasurer,

Over the years, the Vermont State Treasurer's Office has worked with the Town Clerks as a partner in reaching Vermonters with unclaimed property. As you are aware, the primary function of the Unclaimed Property Division of the State Treasurer's Office is to locate and return various forms of unclaimed financial property to the rightful owners or their heirs. Unclaimed property could be forgotten bank accounts, uncashed pay checks, unclaimed security deposits, unused gift certificates, etc. It is most often in the form of money, but it can also be stocks, mutual funds, and contents of safe deposit boxes. The property comes from many sources, called holders, such as banks, credit unions, corporations, utilities, insurance agencies, retailers, and governmental agencies throughout the United States. The Vermont State Treasurer's Office acts as custodian to safeguard the assets until they can be claimed by the rightful owners or heirs.

We are reaching out to you once again to ask for your assistance in returning this property to the rightful owner. Attached you will find a CD that contains an Excel file that identifies individuals that have unclaimed property being held by the state. This information contains the property ID number, name, and address. While the amounts are not listed, the data is broken down by property that is more than \$200, less than \$200, less than \$10, and less than \$1.00. We understand that your office has a high degree of walk in traffic and we request that you either print, or digitally display, this information where it will be most visible to the residents of your community.

If you have any questions or would like our office to print a hard copy, please contact the Unclaimed Property Division, at (802) 828-2407, or toll-free in Vermont at 1-800-642-3191. You can also e-mail the Division at TRE.UnclaimedProperty@vermont.gov. Thank you for your cooperation. I appreciate your efforts in helping our fellow Vermonters to claim what is rightfully theirs.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Beth Pearce'.

Beth Pearce
Vermont State Treasurer