



You Earned It! You Keep It, Michigan!

***You Earned It...  
Now, Keep It!***

**You could be eligible for up to \$5,751  
through the Earned Income Tax Credit.**

**See if you are eligible and claim the Earned Income Tax Credit.**

Who qualifies for the Federal EITC? You must have worked in 2011, have less than \$3,150 in investment income for 2011, and your annual income is below:

- **\$43,998** for taxpayers with **three or more qualifying children** (**\$49,078** for **married, filing jointly**) to receive a credit up to **\$5,751**.
- **\$40,964** for taxpayers with **two qualifying children** (**\$46,044** for **married, filing jointly**) to receive a credit up to **\$5,112**.
- **\$36,052** for taxpayers with **one qualifying child** (**\$41,132** for **married, filing jointly**) to receive a credit up to **\$3,094**.
- **\$13,660** for taxpayers with **no qualifying children** (**\$18,740** for **married, filing jointly**) to receive a credit up to **\$464**.

**\*\*Michigan's state EITC credit is equal to 20% of your Federal EITC\*\***

## **FREE Tax Preparation Help is Available**

To self-prepare and eFile your Federal and State tax forms for FREE, use the ICAN! E-file website.

Visit <http://michiganeic.org> and click on ICAN! E-file to fill out your state and federal forms for free. ICAN! E-file will be available in **January, 2012!**

OR for FREE, local, one-on-one assistance to have your taxes prepared by an IRS-trained volunteer, **call 2-1-1** (or **800-552-1183** if 2-1-1 is not available in your area) to locate the closest VITA site in your county.

To find free tax help statewide, visit the web: <http://michiganeic.org>