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West Valley resident faces 13 felony tax evasion counts

The State has charged a West Valley man with 13 felony counts of tax evasion charges for failing to pay Utah income taxes for five consecutive years.

Dennis Kay Iverson, 60, who now lives in West Valley City, was arrested Wednesday and booked in Salt Lake County jail where he is being held on \$20,000 bail.

A Utah State Tax Commission investigation claims Iverson failed to pay state income taxes from tax years 2010 through 2015. The seven second degree and six third degree counts include various charges of tax evasion, failing to render a tax return, and patterns of unlawful activity.

“Iverson owes over \$20,000 in taxes, penalties and interest, and an additional \$15,000 for the years 2006 through 2009,” said Charlie Roberts, spokesman for the Tax Commission. “He has not paid state income taxes since 1994.”

He said the Tax Commission will continue to aggressively investigate those who evade state income taxes.

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