

**2009 Record Layout - Unit ID Code File (2009retid.txt)**

The unit ID code file is an ASCII text file and contains 100 characters as outlined below.

The record layout is below.

<b>Item Field</b>	<b>Positions</b>	<b>Length</b>
Unit ID (14 character ID number)		
State Code (all 50 states and the District of Columbia in alpha sequence)	1-2	2
Type of Government Code: 0 = State 1 = County 2 = City 3 = Municipalities and Townships 4 = Special Districts 5 = Schools	3	1
County Code	4-6	3
Unit Identification Number	7-9	3
Supp Code	10-12	3
Sub Code	13-14	2
Filler	15-15	1
Unit ID Name	16-100	85
Published Name	101-188	88

The filename convention is in the form of retidYY.txt where:

ret = the designation for the Retirement Survey

id = the designation for the government unit identification code

YY = the last two digits of the survey year

For example, the filename for 2009 would be retid09.txt.