

Rich Text Editing:

Using Microsoft Edge with Internet Explorer Compatibility

One of the recent changes is that Internet Explorer is no longer available, which means that some of the features webmasters used to rely upon, such as the Rich Text Editor, are no longer compatible with newer browsers. To access the features outlined below, it's recommended to use the Microsoft Edge browser.

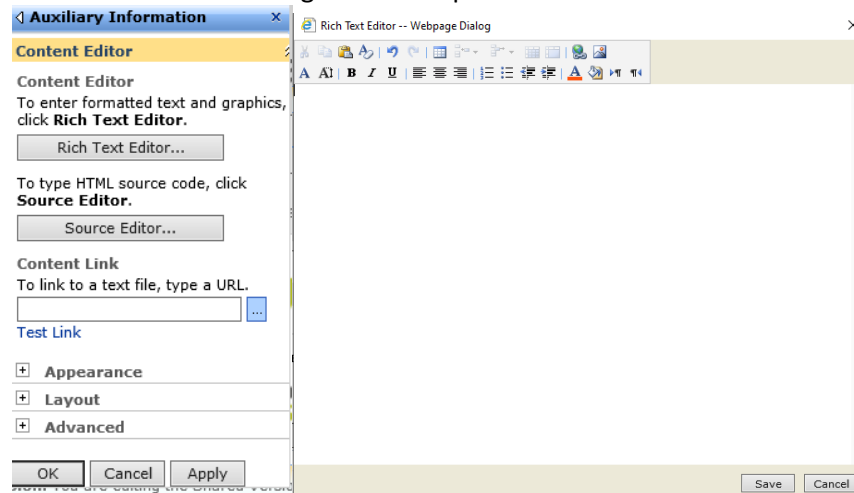
Please follow the instructions listed below to make the most of the Internet Explorer Compatibility mode in Microsoft Edge and continue to utilize the rich text formatting toolbar.

The following screenshot provides a visual comparison between how the rich text editor feature would appear in Internet Explorer browsers versus other browsers.

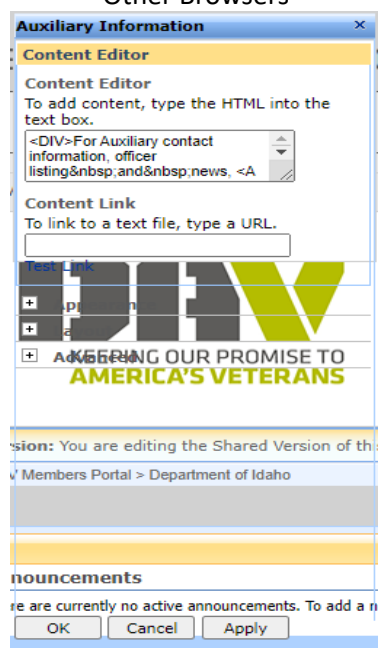
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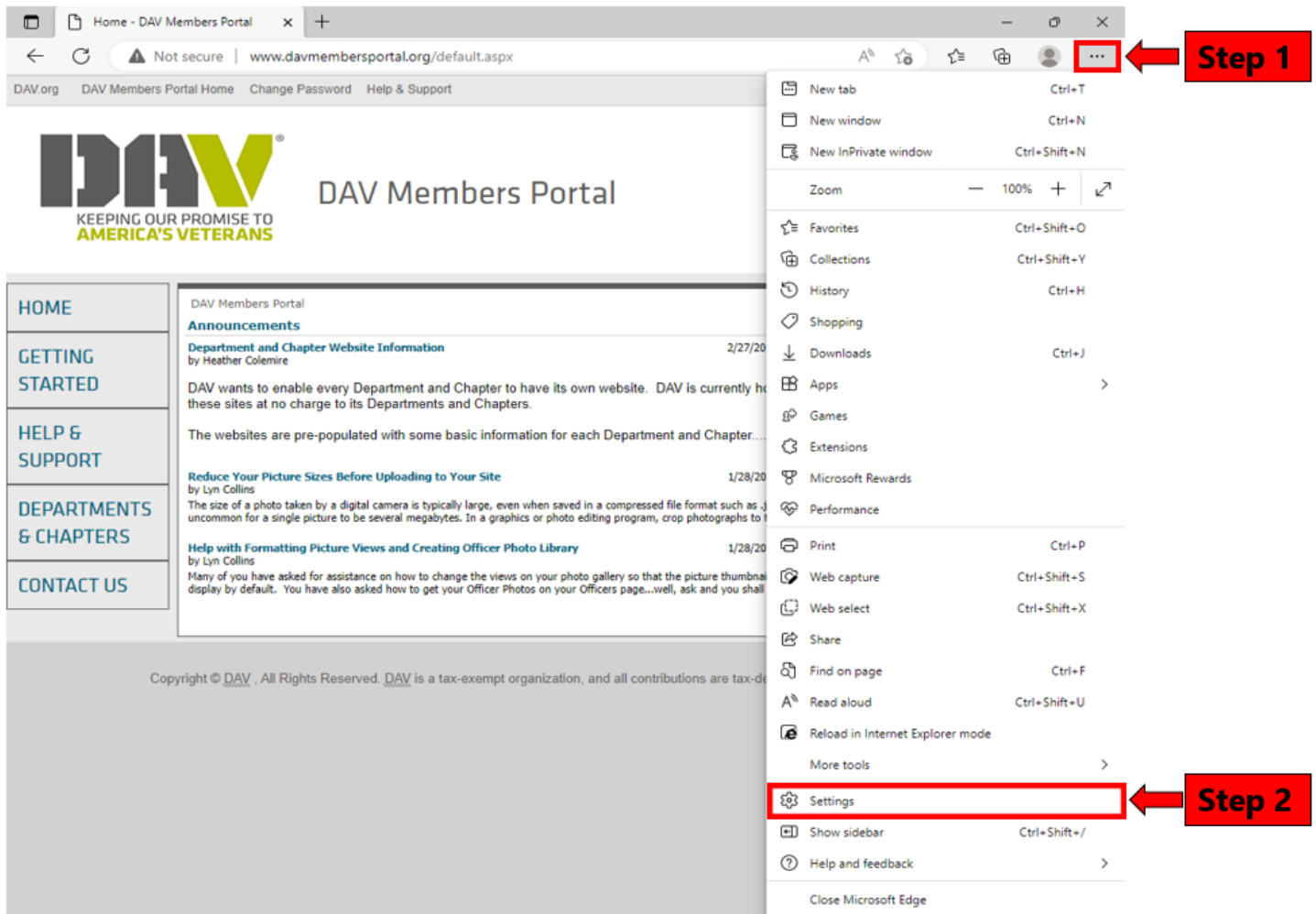
Microsoft Edge – Enable Internet Explorer Compatibility Mode

Step 1: Open Microsoft Edge

Open Microsoft Edge on your Windows 10 computer. You can do this by clicking on the Edge icon in the taskbar, or by searching for it in the Start menu.

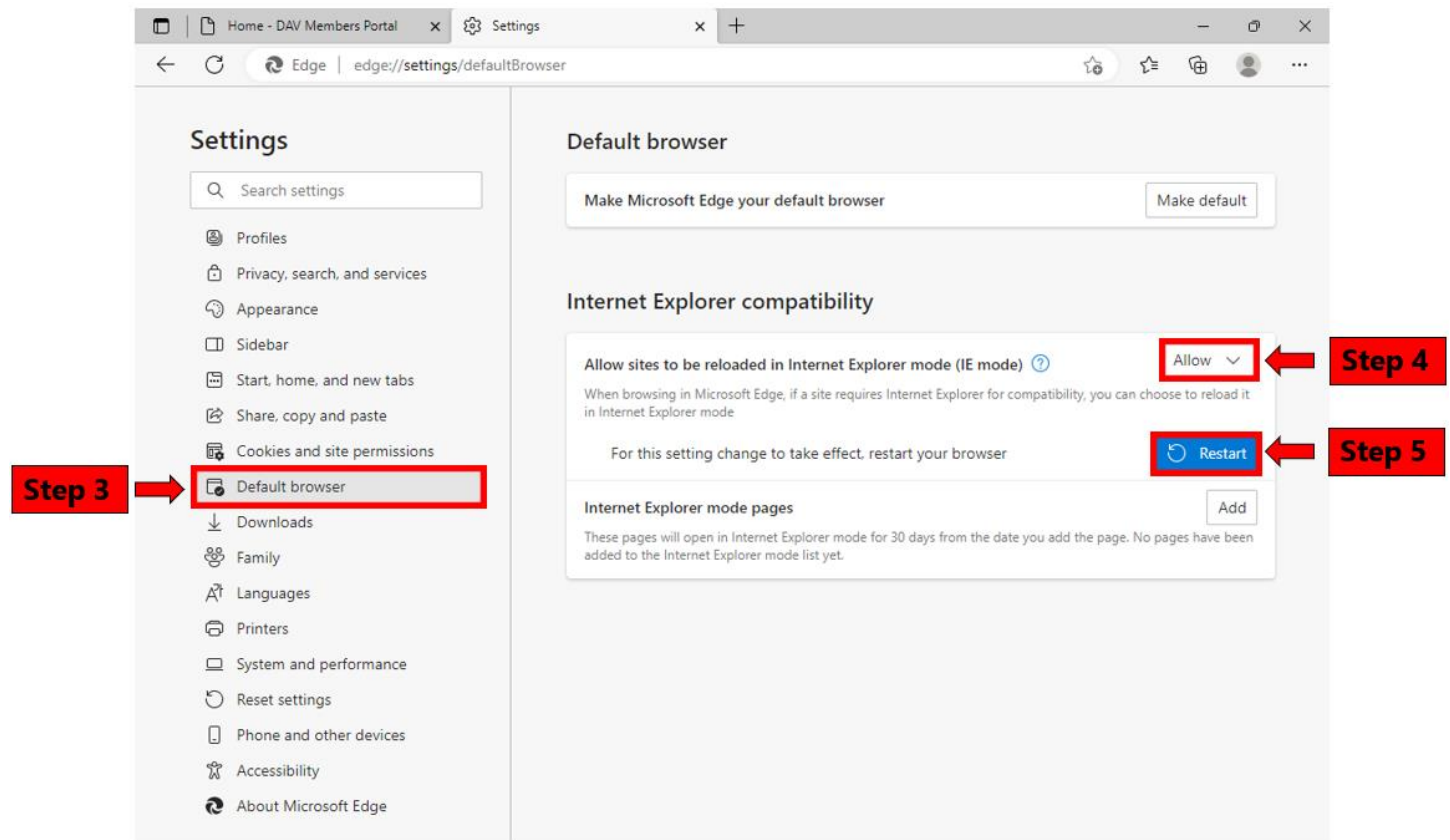
Step 2: Open Microsoft Edge Settings

Click on the three dots icon (also known as the ellipsis) in the top right corner of the Edge window. This will open a menu. From the menu, select "Settings".



Step 3: Navigate to Default Browser

In the Settings menu, navigate to the "Default browser" section. You can do this by scrolling down on the left-hand side of the window.



Step 4: Turn on Internet Explorer mode

Under the "Default browser" section, you will see an option that says "Internet Explorer Compatibility", click on the drop down of "Allow sites to be reloaded in Internet Explorer mode" and select "Allow"

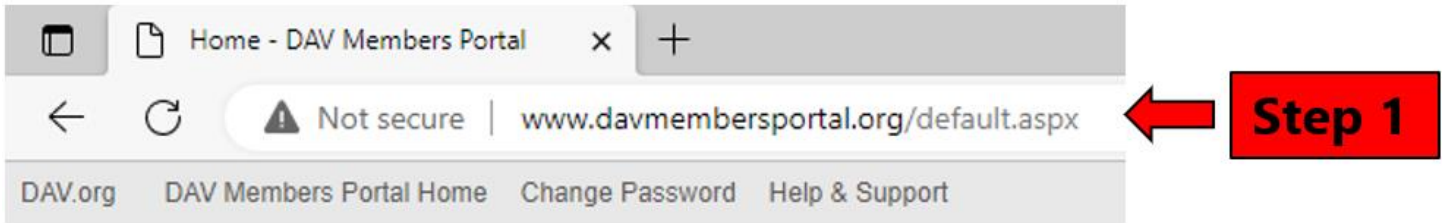
Step 5: Confirm turning on Internet Explorer mode

A pop-up may appear asking you to confirm turning on Internet Explorer mode. Click "Restart" to apply the changes and restart Microsoft Edge. If the "Restart" option is not displayed, close and restart the browser to enable the new settings.

******Note – Please note you will need to follow these instructions to reload Internet Explorer Compatibility mode every time you open DAV Members Portal site.**

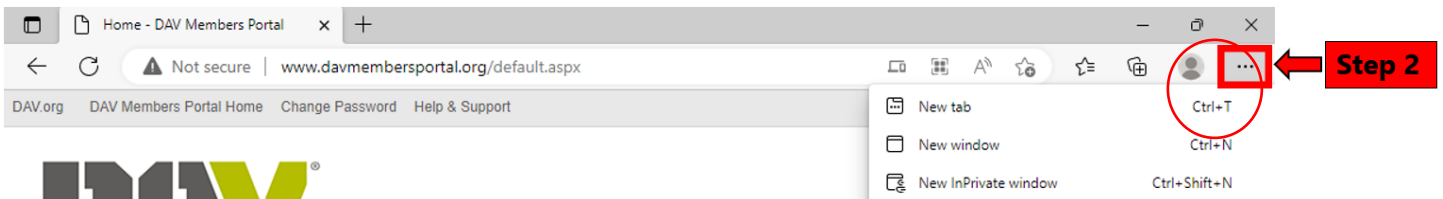
Step 1: Open the website in Microsoft Edge

Open <http://www.davmembersportal.org> or any website you want to enable in Internet Explorer mode in Microsoft Edge.



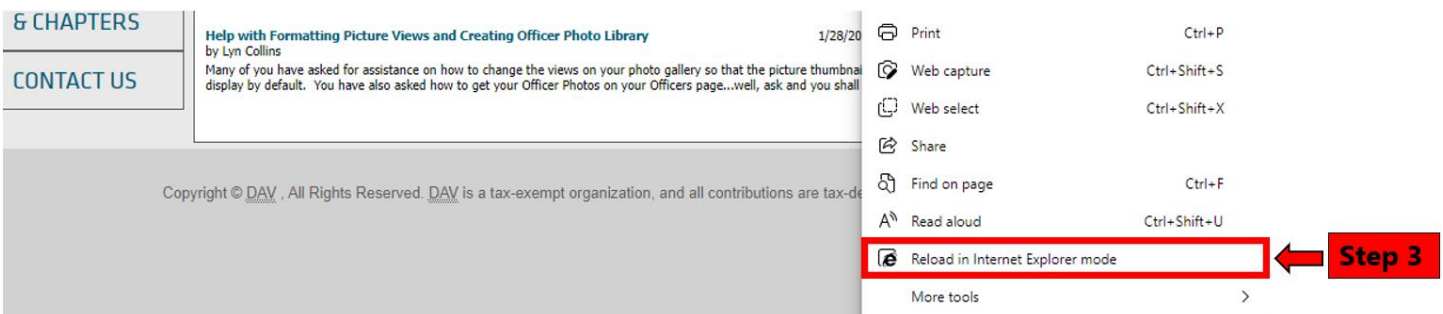
Step 2: Opening the Microsoft Edge Settings menu

Click on the three dots icon (also known as the ellipsis) in the top right corner of Edge window. This will open a menu.



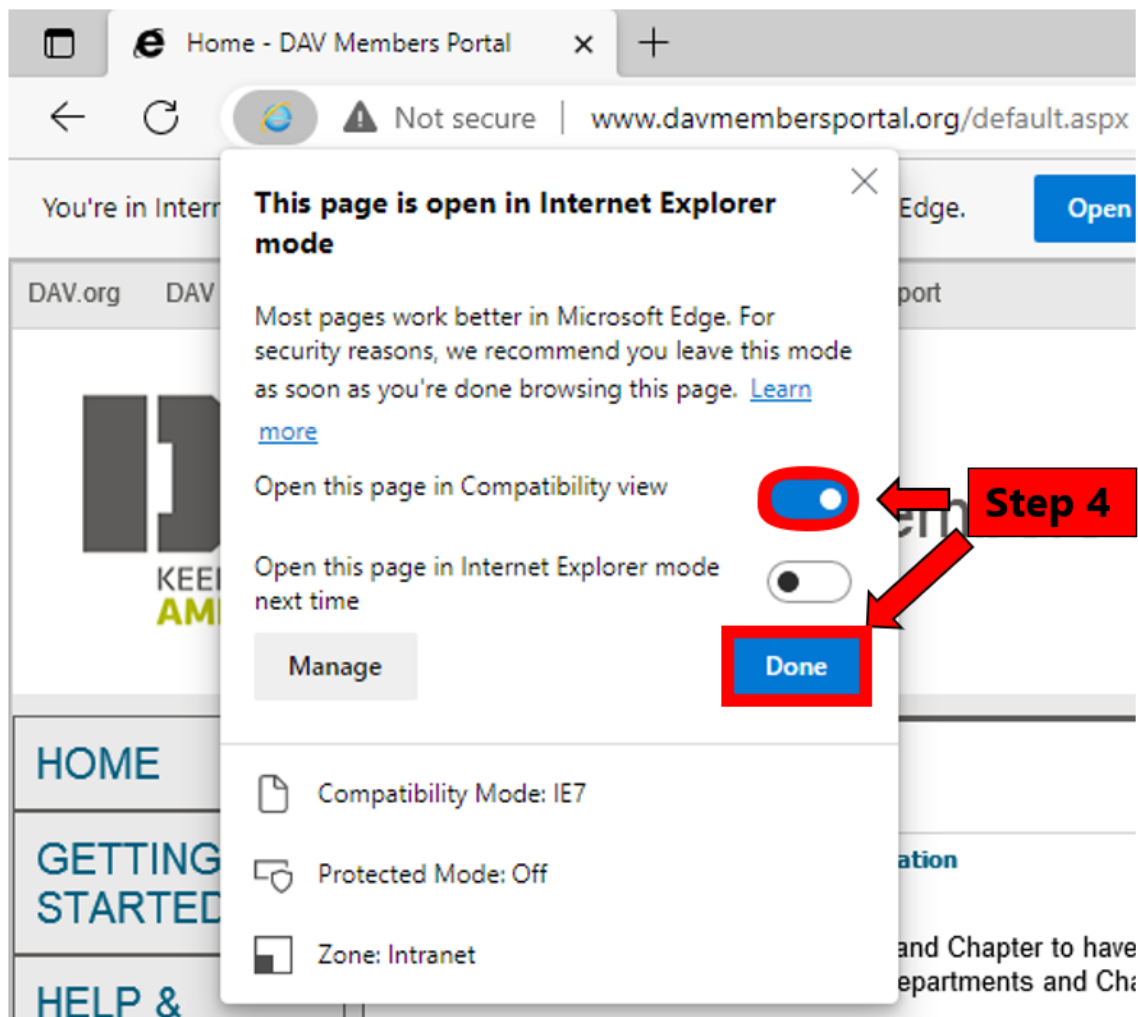
Step 3: Reload in Internet Explorer mode

Select the "Reload in Internet Explorer mode" option.



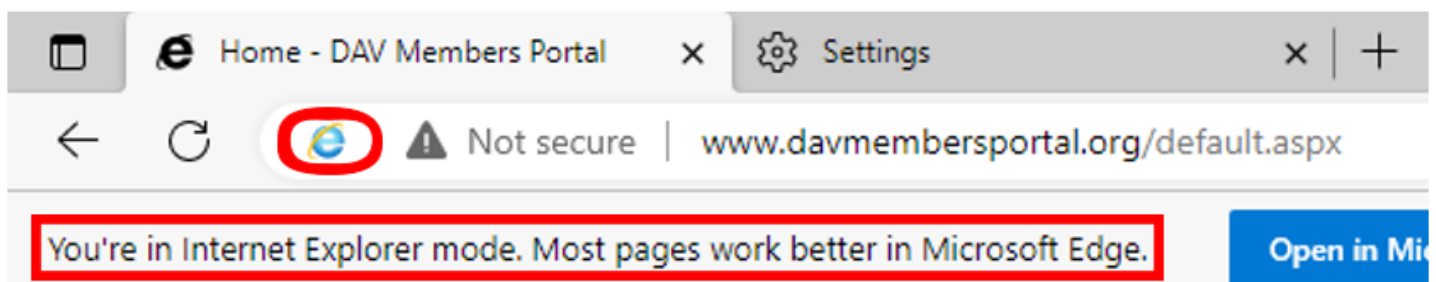
Step 4: Set the Internet Explorer mode

A pop-up menu will appear. Select the toggle button to “Open this page in Compatibility view” option, then click on the “Done” button. This will reload the website to view it in Compatibility view.



Step 5: Confirm Internet Explorer Mode

You can identify if you're using Internet Explorer mode when the Internet Explorer logo is displayed to the left of the URL in the address bar, accompanied by a message that says “You're in Internet Explorer mode”.



Step 6: Close the website running Internet Explorer Compatibility view

To exit Internet Explorer Compatibility view, close the website you are currently viewing. After closing the website, verify that Microsoft Edge has returned to normal by checking if the Internet Explorer icon is no longer present in the address bar. This indicated that the browser is no longer running in Internet Explorer mode.