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Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Α	For the	2020 calendar year, or tax year beginning and	dending		
В	Check if applicable	c Name of organization		D Employer identifi	cation number
	Addres				
	Name	Doing business as	_	47-22457	08
	nitial return Final return/	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) 5850 SAN FELIPE	Room/suit	E Telephone numbe 540-441-	
	termin ated			G Gross receipts \$	8,850,293.
	Ameno			H(a) Is this a group re	
	Applic tion	<sup>a-</sup> F Name and address of principal officer: MARK MECKLER		for subordinates	
	pendir	<sup>9</sup> SAME AS C ABOVE		H(b) Are all subordinates in	ncluded? Yes No
		empt status: 501(c)(3) 🛛 X 501(c) ( 4 ) ◀ (insert no.) 4947(a)(1)	) or 📃 52	If "No," attach a	list. See instructions
		e:  WWW.CONVENTIONOFSTATES.COM		H(c) Group exemptio	n number 🕨
		organization: 🚺 Corporation 🔄 Trust 🔄 Association 🔄 Other 🕨	L Yea	ar of formation: 2014 N	A State of legal domicile: TX
P	art I	Summary			
e	1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: ${{ m TO}}$ , ${ m Z}$	ADVOCA	TE FOR A	
Governance		CONSTITUTIONALLY LIMITED GOVERNMENT.			
ern	2	Check this box 🕨 🛄 if the organization discontinued its operations or disp	osed of mo	ore than 25% of its net as	ssets.
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ۍ ه		Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)			3
ies		Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2020 (Part V, line 2a) $\dots$			55
Activities &		Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)			145000
Act		Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12			0.
	b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, Part I, line 11	·····		0.
			-	Prior Year	Current Year
Revenue		Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)		6,777,645. 0.	7,159,560.
		Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		6,512.	205,464.
		Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)		124,761.	641,842.
		Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)		6,908,918.	8,006,866.
		Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)		0,900,910.	0.
		Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)		0.	0.
	I	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		1,760,954.	1,850,339.
Expenses	160	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	·	197,366.	81,951.
ber	h	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) $\blacktriangleright$ 1,372,9	77.		01/0011
Щ	17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)		4,042,422.	3,236,570.
		Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)		6,000,742.	
		Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12		908,176.	
or		1		Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
sets	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	_	1,698,933.	4,528,882.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)		274,583.	266,527.
Flag	22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20		1,424,350.	4,262,355.
P	art II	Signature Block			
		Ities of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedul			y knowledge and belief, it is
true	e, correc	t, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of v	vhich prepar	er has any knowledge.	
		Mure Mackler		11/3/2021	
Sig	ın	Signature of officer		Date	
He	re	MARK MECKLER, CEO			
		Type or print name and title		Data L	
<b>.</b> .		Print/Type preparer's name Preparer's signature	20-	Date Check	
Pai		DENNIS K. WEISS, CPA Dennis K. Weiss, (	<u>PA</u>	LU/Z//ZL self-employ	ed P01330013
	parer	Firm's name D. K. WEISS, HOLT & ASSOCIATES,		Firm's EIN 🕨	30-0022324
USE	e Only	Firm's address 4660 N. BRETON COURT, SUITE 102	6		6 071 1000
		KENTWOOD, MI 49508		Phone no. 6 L	6-871-1233
Ma	y the IF	RS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions			X Yes No

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in how it conducts, any program services?	2	Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the		77
ach of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and ints of \$		prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.	Yes	
he amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and Ints of \$	3	Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.	Yes	X
inte of \$	4	Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as	measured by expense	s.
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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

			Yes	No
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)?			v
•	If "Yes," complete Schedule A	1	Х	X
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	2	Δ	
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for		х	
4	public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i> <b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect	3	23	
-	during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	4		
5	Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or			
Ũ	similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	5		х
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to			
	provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I	6		х
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space,			
	the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II	7		Х
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete			
	Schedule D, Part III	8		Х
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for			
	amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services?			
	If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV	9		X
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in donor-restricted endowments			
	or in quasi endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V	10		X
11	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X			
	as applicable.			
а	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D,		37	
	Part VI	11a	Х	
b	Did the organization report an amount for investments - other securities in Part X, line 12, that is 5% or more of its total			х
-	assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII	11b		
C	Did the organization report an amount for investments - program related in Part X, line 13, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i>	11c		х
Ь	Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in			
u	Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX	11d		х
е	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	11e		X
f	Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses			
	the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	11f	х	
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete			
	Schedule D, Parts XI and XII	12a	Х	
b	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year?			
	If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional	12b		Х
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	13		X
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a		X
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business,			
	investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000			v
	or more? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV	14b		X
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any	4-		v
10	foreign organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV	15		X
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i>	16		x
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX,	16		
.,	column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I	17	х	
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines			<u> </u>
	1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II	18		х
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes,"			<u> </u>
-	complete Schedule G, Part III	19		х
20a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20a		Х
	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	20b		
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or			
	domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	21		Х
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			Yes	No
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on			37
	Part IX, column (A), line 2? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	22		X
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current			
	and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? If "Yes," complete			
	Schedule J	23	Х	
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the			
	last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete			
	Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a	24a		Х
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		
с	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease			
	any tax-exempt bonds?	24c		
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		
25a	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit			
	transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a		Х
b	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and			
	that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete			
	Schedule L, Part I	25b		Х
26	Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5 or 22, for receivables from or payables to any current			
	or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35%			
	controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II	26		х
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee,			
	creator or founder, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled			
	entity (including an employee thereof) or family member of any of these persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III	27		х
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV			
	instructions, for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):			
а	A current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, or substantial contributor? If			
	"Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28a		х
b	A family member of any individual described in line 28a? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b	Х	
	A 35% controlled entity of one or more individuals and/or organizations described in lines 28a or 28b?If			
	"Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28c		Х
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	29	Х	
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation			
	contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	30		Х
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I	31		Х
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete			
	Schedule N, Part II	32		Х
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations			
	sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I	33		Х
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and			
	Part V, line 1	34	Х	
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a		Х
b	If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity			
	within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	35b		
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?			
	If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36		
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization			
	and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI	37		Х
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19?			
	Note: All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38	Х	
Par	t V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance			
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V	<u></u>		
			Yes	No
	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable 1a 26			
	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable 1b 0			
с	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming			
	(gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	Х	
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Part V

			Yes	No		
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements,					
	filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return 2a 55					
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns?	2b	Х			
	Note: If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)					
	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a		Х		
	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation on Schedule O	3b				
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a			37		
	financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	4a		X		
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country					
	See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).	<b>F</b> -		х		
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a 5b		X		
b		50 5c		- 23		
	<ul> <li>c If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?</li> <li>6a Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit</li> </ul>					
Ua	any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?	6a	х			
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts	ou				
~	were not tax deductible?	6b	х			
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).					
а	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7a		Х		
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b				
	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required					
	to file Form 8282?	7c		Х		
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year 7d					
е	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e		Х		
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f		Х		
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g				
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h				
8						
-	sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?					
9						
	a Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?					
	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b				
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:         Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12         10a					
	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities 10b					
	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:					
 а	Gross income from members or shareholders					
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against					
	amounts due or received from them.)					
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a				
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year					
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.					
а	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state?	13a				
	Note: See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.					
b	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the					
	organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans 13b					
	Enter the amount of reserves on hand			v		
	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a		X		
	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? <i>If "No," provide an explanation on Schedule O</i>	14b				
15	Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or	15		х		
	excess parachute payment(s) during the year?	15		- 23		
16	Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income?	16		х		
	If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O.	10				

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Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI

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Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes on Schedule O. See instructions.

			1		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year	. 1a	4	-		
	If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing					
	body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain on Schedule O.					
b	Enter the number of voting members included on line 1a, above, who are independent	<b>1</b> b		5		
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relations	-	•			
	officer, director, trustee, or key employee?			2	Х	
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under					
	of officers, directors, trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person? $\ldots$			3		X
	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form			4		X
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's a			5		X
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?			6		X
7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or more members of the governing body?			7a		x
b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members					
	persons other than the governing body?			7b		Х
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the y	/ear by th	e following:			
а	The governing body?			8a	Х	
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?			8b	Х	
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be manual officer.			_		
	organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses on Schedule O			9		X
ec	tion B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal	Revenue	e Code.)		1	
					Yes	No
	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?			10a		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such					
	and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?			10b	37	
	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing be	ody befo	re filing the form?	11a	Х	
	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.				37	
	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13			12a	X	37
	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give ri			12b		X
	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? <i>If in Schedule O how this was done</i>			12c	x	
	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?			13	X	
	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?			14	X	
	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and appro			14		
5	persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision		ldependent			
2	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	11		15a	х	
	Other officers or key employees of the organization			15a	X	
	If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions).			100		
6a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrange	iement v	vith a			
	taxable entity during the year?			16a		x
	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evalu			Tea		
~	in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization to organization t	-	-			
	exempt status with respect to such arrangements?			16b		
ect	tion C. Disclosure			100		
	List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed AR , CA , FL , GA ,	HI,I	L,KS,KY,MN	I, MS	, NH	, NC
	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A, if applicable), 990,					
	for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.		(	., <b>,</b>	,	
	Own website Another's website X Upon request Other (expla	in on Sc	hedule O)			
9	Describe on Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents,		,	nd fina	ncial	
	statements available to the public during the tax year.		,,, ,			
	State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's t	oooks ar	nd records 🕨			
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20	9365 COUNSELORS ROW #200, INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46240	-204	5			

Part VII	Compensation of Officers,	Directors,	Trustees,	Key	Employees,	Highest	Compensate	d
	Employees, and Independe	ent Contra	ctors					

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.
 List all of the organization's current officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation.

Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.

• List all of the organization's current key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."

• List the organization's five current highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.

• List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

• List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

See instructions for the order in which to list the persons above.

Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee.

(A)	(B)			(0	C)			(D)	(E)	(F)
Name and title	Average hours per week	box	Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both ar officer and a director/trustee)			than is bot	h an	an compensation	Reportable compensation from related	Estimated amount of other
	(list any hours for related organizations below line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	compensation from the organization and related organizations
(1) MARK MECKLER PRESIDENT / CEO	22.00	x		x				125,713.	102,856.	23,834.
(2) PATTY MECKLER SR. VICE PRESIDENT OF EXTE	23.00				x			103,046.	73,819.	14.
(3) MICHAEL RUTHENBERG EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	24.00			x				75,000.	50,000.	
(4) JONATHAN SCHNECK	39.00									
DIRECTOR OF COMMUNICATIONS           (5) SETH JEACOPELLO	1.00 30.00					X		120,413.	3,088.	
CHIEF TECHNOLOGY OFFICER (6) TIMOTHY MURPHY	10.00					X		77,716.	25,905.	13.
CFO (7) TIM DUNN	9.00 1.00			X				43,946.	33,005.	23,456.
DIRECTOR	3.00	x						0.	0.	0.
(8) ERIC O'KEEFE DIRECTOR		x						0.	0.	0.
(9) KYLE STALLINGS DIRECTOR	1.00	x						0.	0.	0.
										<b>F</b>

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Part VII         Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)           (A)         (B)         (C)         (D)         (E)									(E)				
Name and title Average			Average hours per week Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)				an	compensation compensat	Reportable compensatic from related	ion amount of ed other			of
	(list any hours for related organizations below	Individual trustee or director	institutional trustee	r	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	er	the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	organization (W-2/1099-MIS		orga	m the nizati relate	e on ed
	line)	Indivi	Instit	Officer	Keye	Highe empl	Former						
		-											
		-											
1b Subtotal c Total from continuation sheets	to Part VII, Section A					Þ		545,834. 0. 545,834.	288,6	0.		,20	05.
<ul> <li>d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)</li> <li>2 Total number of individuals (include compensation from the organization from the organiza</li></ul>	ling but not limited to t						o re		-			, 20	<u>3</u>
3 Did the organization list any form	er officer, director, trus	tee, k	key e	empl	oyee	e, or	hig	phest compensated emp	oloyee on			Yes	No
<ul><li>line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Sched</i></li><li>For any individual listed on line 1a</li></ul>	, is the sum of reportal	ole co	ompe	ensa	tion	and	otł		the organization		3	x	X
<ul> <li>and related organizations greater</li> <li>Did any person listed on line 1a re rendered to the organization? <i>If</i> "</li> </ul>	ceive or accrue compe	ensati	ion f	rom	any	unre	elat	ed organization or indiv			4 5	^	x
Section B. Independent Contractors											tion fr		
Complete this table for your five h     the organization. Report compense	•	•								ipensa			
	(A) business address	<u> </u>		T 7	175	7		<b>(B)</b> Description of s	ervices	Co	(C) ompen:		۱
MASTER OF CODE GLOBAL, 541 JEFFERSON AVE, SUITE 100, REDWOOD CITY, CA 94063					TECHNOLOGY S	ERVICES		486	,50	52.			
					þ	POLLING			400	,00	00.		
COMMERCE DRIVE, UPPER MARLBORO, MD 20774					ł	DIRECT MAIL & PRODUCTION			152	,50	02.		
MVP PRESS, 43720 TRADE CENTER PLACE, SUITE DIRECT MAIL PRINTING         135, STERLING, VA 20166								113	,44	<u>45.</u>			
2 Total number of independent con	tractors (including but	not lir	nited	d to	thos	se lis	ted	above) who received m	nore than				
\$100,000 of compensation from t	he organization 🕨				4	Ł					- orm <b>9</b>	<b>90</b> (2	2020)

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Pa	rt VI	I Statement of Rev	venue					
		Check if Schedule O c	contains a respo	onse or note to any li		(5)		
					<b>(A)</b> Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue		(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512 - 514
nts nts	1 a	Federated campaigns	1a					
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts		Membership dues	1b					
ts, ( Am		Fundraising events						
ilar İlar		Related organizations			-			
Sim',		Government grants (contri			-			
utio Jer	f	All other contributions, gifts, g	-	7 159 560				
ltrib Otl		similar amounts not included Noncash contributions included in		7,159,560. 1,253,585.	-			
Con		Total. Add lines 1a-1f			7,159,560.			
				Business Code	, , , -			
e	2 a							
Program Service Revenue	b							
n Se	с							
Jev	d							
rog	е							
ш.	f	All other program service r						
	9 3	Total. Add lines 2a-2f						
	3	other similar amounts)			462.	462.		
	4	Income from investment o						
	5	Royalties	-	-	60,067.	60,067.		
		,	(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
	6 a	Gross rents	6a		]			
	b	Less: rental expenses $\dots$	6b					
	С		6c					
		Net rental income or (loss)		ies (ii) Other				
	7 a	Gross amount from sales of	(i) Securit	1,048,429.	-			
	h	assets other than inventory Less: cost or other basis	7a	1,040,423.	-			
е		and sales expenses	7b	843,427.				
evenue	с	Gain or (loss)	7c	205,002.				
Re		Net gain or (loss)			205,002.	205,002.		
Other Ro		Gross income from fundraisin						
đ		including \$						
		contributions reported on	,					
		Part IV, line 18		8a	-			
		Less: direct expenses		8b				
		Gross income from gaming						
		Part IV, line 19	-	9a				
	b	Less: direct expenses		9b				
	с	Net income or (loss) from g	gaming activities	s ►				
	10 a	Gross sales of inventory, le						
		and allowances		10a	4			
		Less: cost of goods sold		10b				
	c	Net income or (loss) from s	sales of invento					
sno	44 ~			Business Code 900099	504,209.	504,209.		
nue	11 a b			900099	77,566.	77,566.		
iella evei	c				,	,		
Miscellaneous Revenue		All other revenue						
2		Total. Add lines 11a-11d			581,775.			
	12	Total revenue. See instructio			8,006,866.	847,306.	٥.	0.
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Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

	Check if Schedule O contains a respon	ise or note to any line in (A)	this Part IX	(C)	(D)
	not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	Program service expenses	Management and general expenses	Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations				
	and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21				
2	Grants and other assistance to domestic				
	individuals. See Part IV, line 22				
3	Grants and other assistance to foreign				
	organizations, foreign governments, and foreign				
	individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4	Benefits paid to or for members				
5	Compensation of current officers, directors,	F 4 F 0 2 0		050 100	
	trustees, and key employees	545,832.	207,242.	252,128.	86,462
6	Compensation not included above to disqualified				
	persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and				
	persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	000 466	250 081	400.050	448 000
7	Other salaries and wages	929,466.	352,871.	429,359.	147,236
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include				
	section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	018 840			24 224
9	Other employee benefits	217,748.	87,647.	98,270.	31,831
10	Payroll taxes	157,293.	81,907.	42,988.	32,398
11	Fees for services (nonemployees):				
а	Management			10 510	0.084
b		588,057.	566,464.	18,719.	2,874
С		58,558.	3,090.	55,468.	
d	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	179,410.	179,410.		01 051
е	<b>,</b>	81,951.			81,951
f	Investment management fees				
g		005 000	1 4 4 5 6 6	100 500	1 - 000
	column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Sch 0.)	295,998.	141,529.	138,573.	15,896
12	Advertising and promotion	902,484.	713,299.	18,763.	170,422
13	Office expenses	43,306.	34,887.	8,169.	250
14	Information technology				
15	Royalties	110.000		46 604	
16	Occupancy	116,068.	55,633.	46,694.	13,741
17	Travel	79,512.	73,008.	4,842.	1,662
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses				
	for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
20	Interest				
21	Payments to affiliates	0.0.5		0.0.5	
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	895.		895.	
23		923.		923.	
24	Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses on line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule 0.)				
а	POSTAGE & MAILING	830,977.	55,352.	7,073.	768,552
b	DUES & SUBSCRIPTIONS	128,093.	47,471.	60,920.	19,702
с	EVENTS	12,289.	12,289.		
d					
е	All other expenses				
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	5,168,860.	2,612,099.	1,183,784.	1,372,977
26	Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization	-			
	reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined				
	educational campaign and fundraising solicitation.				
	Check here Check here fit following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				
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trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% 5 controlled entity or family member of any of these persons 6 Loans and other receivables from other disgualified persons (as defined 6 under section 4958(f)(1)), and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) 7 Notes and loans receivable, net 7 8 Inventories for sale or use 8 133,197. 216,307. Prepaid expenses and deferred charges 9 9 **10a** Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other 2,930. basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D \_\_\_\_\_ 10a 895. 0. 2,035. b Less: accumulated depreciation 10b 10c 26,547. 959,389. Investments - publicly traded securities 11 11 12 Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11 12 13 Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11 13 14 14 Intangible assets Other assets. See Part IV, line 11 15 15 1,698,933. 4,528,882. 16 16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33) 274,583. 266,527. 17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses 17 18 Grants payable 18 19 19 Deferred revenue Tax-exempt bond liabilities 20 20 21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D 21 22 Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% 22 controlled entity or family member of any of these persons 23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties 23 24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties 24 25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X 25 of Schedule D 274,583. 266,527. 26 26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25 Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here 🕨 🔀 and complete lines 27, 28, 32, and 33. 1,424,350. 4,262,355. Net assets without donor restrictions 27 27 Net assets with donor restrictions 28 28 Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here 🕨 🗌 and complete lines 29 through 33. 29 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds 29 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund 30 30 31 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds 31 1,424,350. 4,262,355. Total net assets or fund balances 32 32 1,698,933. 4,528,882. 33 33 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances ...

CONVENTION OF STATES ACTION Part X Balance Sheet

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X

Cash - non-interest-bearing

Savings and temporary cash investments Pledges and grants receivable, net

Accounts receivable, net

5 Loans and other receivables from any current or former officer, director,

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(B)

End of year

3,351,151.

(A)

Beginning of year

1,539,189.

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Assets

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Net Assets or Fund Balances

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Pa	rt XI Reconciliation of Net Assets				
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI				
1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	8,006	5,8	66.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	5,168		
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	2,838		
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A))	4	1,424	<b>!</b> ,3	50.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5			
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6			
7	Investment expenses	7			
8	Prior period adjustments	8			
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain on Schedule O)	9			0.
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 32,				
	column (B))	10	4,262	2,3	56.
Pa	rt XII Financial Statements and Reporting				
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII				
				Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: Cash X Accrual Other				
	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule				
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?		<b>2</b> a		X
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewe	d on a			
	separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:				
	Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis				
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?		<b>2</b> b	Х	
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separat	e basis,			
	consolidated basis, or both:				
	X Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis				
С	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the				
	review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?		2c	Х	
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain on Sc				
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Si	ngle Audit			
	Act and OMB Circular A-133?		3a		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the requ	iired audit			
	or audits, explain why on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits		3b		

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Schedule B

(Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

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# **Schedule of Contributors**

Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.
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Organization type (check one):						
Filers of:	Section:					
Form 990 or 990-EZ	X 501(c)( 4) (enter number) organization					
	4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <b>not</b> treated as a private foundation					
	527 political organization					
Form 990-PF	501(c)(3) exempt private foundation					
	4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation					
	501(c)(3) taxable private foundation					

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**. **Note:** Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

#### General Rule

**X** For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

#### Special Rules

- ☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000; or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.
- For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I (entering "N/A" in column (b) instead of the contributor name and address), II, and III.

For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year  $\dots \longrightarrow$ 

**Caution:** An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

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Part I	Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if add	ditional space is needed.	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
<u>No.</u>	Name, address, and ZIP + 4	Total contributions	Type of contribution         Person       X         Payroll       Image: Colspan="2">Image: Colspan="2">Image: Colspan="2">Image: Colspan="2">Colspan="2">Colspan="2">Colspan="2">Colspan="2">Colspan="2">Colspan="2">Colspan="2">Colspan="2"Co
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
2		\$5,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
3		\$5,000.	PersonXPayrollNoncash(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
4		\$10,000.	PersonXPayrollNoncash(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
5		\$340,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No	(b)	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
No. 6 023452 11-25	Name, address, and ZIP + 4	\$5,000.	Person X Payroll (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2020)

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(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7		\$62,620.	PersonXPayrollNoncash(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
8		\$7,500.	PersonXPayrollNoncash(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
9		\$100,000.	PersonXPayrollNoncash(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
10		\$17,500.	PersonXPayrollNoncash(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1		\$10,000.	PersonXPayrollNoncash(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
12		\$\$,500.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$5,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
14		\$100,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
15		\$12,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
16		\$420,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$25,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
18		\$9,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
25		\$10,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
26		\$10,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
27		\$5,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
28		\$5,210.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
29		\$5,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
30		\$\$	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$10,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
32		\$5,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
33		\$27,500.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
34		\$7,500.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
35		\$11,600.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
36		\$5,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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Part I	<b>Contributors</b> (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.							
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)					
No.	Name, address, and ZIP + 4	Total contributions	Type of contribution					
37		- \$\$5,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)					
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)					
No.	Name, address, and ZIP + 4	Total contributions	Type of contribution					
38		\$ <u>250,000.</u> 	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)					
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution					
39		\$5,000. 	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)					
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution					
40		- \$\$5,025.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)					
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution					
1		- \$\$9,340.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)					
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution					
<u>42</u>		- \$\$10,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)					
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(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)					
No.	Name, address, and ZIP + 4	Total contributions	Type of contribution					
43		\$20,600.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)					
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution					
<u>44</u>		\$10,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)					
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution					
45		\$ <u>5,500.</u>	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)					
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution					
46		\$11,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)					
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution					
47		\$10,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)					
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution					
48		\$5,185.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)					
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(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution				
<u>49</u>		\$5,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)				
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution				
50		\$5,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)				
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution				
		\$5,670.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)				
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution				
52		\$10,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)				
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution				
53		\$15,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)				
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution				
<u>54</u> 023452 11-25		\$ <u>5,000.</u>	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2020				
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Part I Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.						
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
55		\$1,253,585.	Person Payroll Noncash X (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
		\$	Person Payroll Noncash Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
		\$	Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
		\$	Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
		\$	Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
		\$	Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			
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Part II Noncash Property (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
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		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received

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Part III	Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributor	a) through (e) and the following line entres, charitable, etc., contributions of <b>\$1,000 or le</b>	ection 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year y. For organizations ess for the year. (Enter this info. once.) \$
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
 _		(e) Transfer of gift	
	Transferee's name, address, a	and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
		(e) Transfer of gift	
	Transferee's name, address, a	and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
-		(e) Transfer of gift	
	Transferee's name, address, a	and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
		(a) Transfor of sitt	
-	Transferee's name, address, a	(e) Transfer of gift and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
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SCHEDULE C Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities						OMB No. 1545-0047		
(Form 990 or 990-EZ) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527 Complete if the organization is described below. Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.							
<ul> <li>Section 501(c)(3) org</li> <li>Section 501(c) (other</li> <li>Section 527 organization ans</li> <li>Section 501(c)(3) org</li> <li>Section 501(c)(3) org</li> <li>If the organization ans</li> <li>Tax) (See separate instance)</li> <li>Section 501(c)(4), (50)</li> </ul>	ganizations: Con r than section 5 ations: Complet wered "Yes," or ganizations that ganizations that wered "Yes," or ructions), then	n Form 990, Part IV, line 4, or For have filed Form 5768 (election und have NOT filed Form 5768 (election n Form 990, Part IV, line 5 (Proxy	nplete Part I-C. Parts I-A and C below. I <b>m 990-EZ, Part VI, lin</b> der section 501(h)): Co on under section 501(h)	Do not complete Par e <b>47 (Lobbying Acti</b> mplete Part II-A. Do r )): Complete Part II-B <b>istructions) or Form</b>	t I-B. ivities) not cor . Do no n 990-E	<b>, then</b> nplete Part II-B. ot complete Part II-A. E <b>Z, Part V, line 35c (Proxy</b>		
Name of organization Employer idea CONVENTION OF STATES ACTION 47-								
Part I-A Compl		ganization is exempt under		or is a section 5	27 or	47-2245708 ganization.		
<ol> <li>Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV.</li> <li>Political campaign activity expenditures</li></ol>								
Part I-B Compl	ete if the org	ganization is exempt unde	er section 501(c)(3	8).				
<ul><li>2 Enter the amount of</li><li>3 If the organization if</li></ul>	f any excise tax ncurred a sectionade?	incurred by the organization unde incurred by organization manage on 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 fo	rs under section 4955 or this year?		►\$			
		ganization is exempt unde	er section 501(c),	except section	501(c	:)(3).		
-		d by the filing organization for sec		-	▶\$	25,338.		
2 Enter the amount of exempt function ac	f the filing organ	nization's funds contributed to oth	er organizations for sec	ction 527	▶\$_	7,685.		
<ul><li>line 17b</li><li>Did the filing organ</li><li>Enter the names, a made payments. For the name of the name o</li></ul>	<ul> <li>3 Total exempt function expenditures. Add lines 1 and 2. Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b</li> <li>4 Did the filing organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?</li> <li>5 Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which the filing organization made payments. For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization's funds. Also enter the amount of political contributions received that were promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a</li> </ul>							
(a) Name	3	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid fr filing organizatior funds. If none, ente	ı's	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization. If none, enter -0		
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PARTY		TOPEKA, KS 66604		1	35.	0.		
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Part II-A Complete if the org section 501(h)).	janizatio	on is exe	mpt under sectio	n 501(c)(3) and fil	ed Form 5768 (e	lection under			
A Check      if the filing organiza	Check 🕨 🛄 if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV each affiliated group member's name, address, EIN,								
expenses, and share		-			5	, , ,			
		, ,	nd "limited control" pro	ovisions apply.					
Limi	ts on Lob	bying Expe	•		<b>(a)</b> Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals			
1a Total lobbying expenditures to influ	ience pub	lic opinion	arassroots lobbying)						
<b>b</b> Total lobbying expenditures to influ				1					
c Total lobbying expenditures (add li									
d Other exempt purpose expenditure									
e Total exempt purpose expenditure									
f Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter				í					
If the amount on line 1e, column (a) of			bying nontaxable am						
Not over \$500,000			the amount on line 1e						
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000	000		00 plus 15% of the exc						
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,50			00 plus 10% of the exc						
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17.			•	, ,					
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g Grassroots nontaxable amount (en	tor 25% c	f line 1f)							
h Subtract line 1g from line 1a. If zer									
i Subtract line 1f from line 1c. If zero									
i If there is an amount other than ze									
reporting section 4911 tax for this			<i>,</i> 0			Yes No			
	your:		eraging Period Under						
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	Lob	bying Expe	nditures During 4-Yea	ar Averaging Period					
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a)	2017	<b>(b)</b> 2018	<b>(c)</b> 2019	<b>(d)</b> 2020	<b>(e)</b> Total			
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount									
<b>b</b> Lobbying ceiling amount									
(150% of line 2a, column(e))									
c Total lobbying expenditures									
d Grassroots nontaxable amount									
e Grassroots ceiling amount									
(150% of line 2d, column (e))									
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures									

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# Part II-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and has NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

For e	or each "Yes" response on lines 1a through 1i below, provide in Part IV a detailed description		(a)		(b)	
of th	e lobbying activity.	Yes	No	Am	ount	
1 a	During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state, or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of: Volunteers?					
с	Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)? Media advertisements?					
d	Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?					
е	Publications, or published or broadcast statements?					
f	Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?					
g	Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?					
	Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?					
j	Total. Add lines 1c through 1i					
	Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?					
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912					
с	If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912					
d	If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?					
Pai	t III-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(6).	on 501(c)(	5), or se	ction		
				Yes	No	
1	Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?		1			
2	Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?		2			
3	Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political campaign activity expenditures from the	ne prior year?	2 3			
Pai	t III-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(6) and if either (a) BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2, are answered answered "Yes."				ne 3, is	
1	Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members		1			
2	Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of politic		– –			
2	expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).	Jai				
а	Current year		2a			
	Carryover from last year					
c	_ · · ·					
3	Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues					
4	If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the exc					
•	does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and p					
	expenditure next year?		4			
5	Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (See instructions)					
Pa						
	ide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1; Part I-B, line 4; Part I-C, line 5; Part II-A (affiliated group	list); Part II-A	A, lines 1 a	and 2 (See		
instr	uctions); and Part II-B, line 1. Also, complete this part for any additional information. RT I-A, LINE 1:			, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
			~ <del>.</del> .			

#### PART I-A, LINE 1: INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURES FOR STATE LEVEL CANDIDATES

# WHO SUPPORT THE ORGANIZATION'S MISSION.

### PART I-C CONTINUATION FOR INCOMPLETE NAME/ADDRESS INFORMATION:

#### IDAHO REPUBLICAN PARTY

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101 S. CAPITOL BLVD. BOISE, ID 83702

CONVENTION OF STATES SOUTH DAKOTA PAC

3912 E 21ST ST SIOUX FALLS, SD 57103

CONVENTION OF STATES WASHINGTON PAC

3467 EDWARDS DR. GIG HARBOR, WA 98335

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# **Supplemental Financial Statements**

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b. ► Attach to Form 990.

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Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6. (a) Donor advised funds (b) Funds and other accounts Total number at end of year ..... 1 Aggregate value of contributions to (during year) 2 Aggregate value of grants from (during year) 3 Aggregate value at end of year 4 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds 5 are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? No Yes 6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring No impermissible private benefit? Yes Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7. Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply). Preservation of land for public use (for example, recreation or education) Preservation of a historically important land area Protection of natural habitat Preservation of a certified historic structure Preservation of open space 2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last Held at the End of the Tax Year day of the tax year. a Total number of conservation easements 2a b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements 2b c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a) 2c Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 7/25/06, and not on a historic structure d listed in the National Register 2d 3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year 🕨 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located 4 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of 5 \_\_ Yes No violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? 6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year 7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶\$ Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) 8 Yes No and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement and 9 balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Part III Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8. 1a If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide in Part XIII the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items. b If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items: (ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X 📃 🕨 💲 2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under FASB ASC 958 relating to these items: a Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ Assets included in Form 990, Part X LHA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice. see the Instructions for Form 990. Schedule D (Form 990) 2020 032051 12-01-20 31 2020.04030 CONVENTION OF STATES ACTION 1381A\_1 13581027 798302 1381A

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Par	t III   Organizations Maintaining C								ued)	
3	Using the organization's acquisition, accessi	on, and other record	ds, checl	k any of the	following that ma	ake signi	ficant use of its			
	collection items (check all that apply):		. —							
a	Public exhibition	C			hange program					
b	Scholarly research	e		Other						
c										
4								t XIII.		
5	During the year, did the organization solicit o to be sold to raise funds rather than to be ma							Yes		] No
Par	t IV Escrow and Custodial Arran									
	reported an amount on Form 990, Par			organizatio		5 011101	in 550, 1 art 10,	1110 0, 01		
<b>1</b> a	Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodi		diary for	contributior	ns or other assets	s not incl	uded			
	on Form 990, Part X?							Yes		] <b>No</b>
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII									
						Γ		Amount		
с	Beginning balance						1c			
	Additions during the year						1d			
е	Distributions during the year						1e			
f	Ending balance						1f	_		
	Did the organization include an amount on Fe						L	Yes		No
	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII.						<u></u>			]
Par	t V Endowment Funds. Complete in									
		(a) Current year	(b) P	rior year	(c) Two years ba	ack (d)	hree years back	(e) Four	years I	заск
	Beginning of year balance									
b	Contributions									
	Net investment earnings, gains, and losses									
d	Grants or scholarships Other expenditures for facilities									
e										
f	and programs Administrative expenses									
	End of year balance									
2	Provide the estimated percentage of the curr	rent vear end balanc	ce (line 1	a. column (a	a)) held as:					
a	Board designated or quasi-endowment		%	9, 0010.1111 (0	.,,,					
b	Permanent endowment	%								
с		%								
	The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c sho	uld equal 100%.								
3a	Are there endowment funds not in the posse	ssion of the organiz	ation tha	at are held a	nd administered	for the c	rganization			
	by:								Yes	No
	(i) Unrelated organizations							3a(i)		
	(ii) Related organizations							3a(ii)		
b	If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organization	tions listed as requi	red on S	Schedule R?				3b		
4	Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the		owment	funds.						
Par	t VI Land, Buildings, and Equipm									
	Complete if the organization answered		<i>,</i>	<i>,</i>		,				
	Description of property	(a) Cost or o basis (investr			or other ( (other)	( <b>c)</b> Accur deprec		(d) Bool	k value	;
	Land									
	Buildings									
	Leasehold improvements	<u> </u>	000						<u> </u>	<u></u>
	Equipment		930.				895.		2,03	55.
	Other		· · ·	( <b>m</b> ) (*					<u> </u>	2 F
Tota	. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must e	qual ⊦orm 990, Part	X, colun	nn (B), line 1	IUC.)		🕨 📘		2,03	22.

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Complete if the organization answered "Yes" of	on Form 990, Part IV, line	11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.
(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely held equity interests		
(3) Other		
(A)		
(B)		
(C)		
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		

#### Total. (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) ► Part VIII Investments - Program Related.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment		(a) Method of valuation: Cost or and of year market value
(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.)		

#### Part IX Other Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.)	
Part X Other Liabilities.	
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Fo	orm 990, Part X, line 25.
(a) Description of liability	(b) Book value

(1) Federal income taxes	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.)	►

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FASB ASC 740. Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII... X

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Par	t XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial State	ments With Reve			
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 1	2a.			
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements		1	8,006,866.	
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:				
а	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a			
b	Donated services and use of facilities				
с	Recoveries of prior year grants				
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)				
е	Add lines <b>2a</b> through <b>2d</b>		2e	0.	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			8,006,866.	
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:				
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a			
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b			
с	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b>		4c	0.	
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)			8,006,866.	
Pa	rt XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial State	ements With Exp	enses per Retu	rn.	
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 1	2a.			
1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements		1	5,168,861.	
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:				
а	Donated services and use of facilities	2a			
b	Prior year adjustments	2b			
с	Other losses	2c			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)				
е	Add lines 2a through 2d		2e	0.	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			5,168,861.	
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:				
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a			
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b			
с	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b>			0.	
5	Total expenses. Add lines <b>3</b> and <b>4c.</b> ( <i>This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.</i> )			5,168,861.	
Pa	rt XIII Supplemental Information.				
Provi	de the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; P	Part IV, lines 1b and 2b	; Part V, line 4; Part	X, line 2; Part XI,	

Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

# PART X, LINE 2:

NO AMOUNTS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED, OR RECORDED, AS UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS.

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SCHEDULE G	Suppleme	ental Information Regarding	, Fun	drais	ing or Gaming	Acti	vities	OMB No. 1545-0047
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)		e organization answered "Yes" on organization entered more than \$1				or 19,	or if the	2020
Department of the Treasury Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.							Open to Public	
Internal Revenue Service		o to www.irs.gov/Form990 for inst	uctior	is and	the latest informat	ion.		Inspection
						Employer ide $47 - 2245$	entification number	
Dout I Fundacia		ION OF STATES ACT						
	complete this par	<ul> <li>Complete if the organization answer t.</li> </ul>	ered "Y	'es" o	n Form 990, Part IV,	line 1	7. Form 990-E	Z filers are not
<ul> <li>Indicate whether the a X Mail solicitate</li> <li>Mail solicitate</li> <li>X Internet and</li> <li>X Phone solicitate</li> <li>A None solicitate</li> <li< td=""><td>e organization rais tions email solicitations tations blicitations on have a written o red in Form 990, F b highest paid indi</td><td>sed funds through any of the followi e Solicita s f Solicita g Specia pr oral agreement with any individua Part VII) or entity in connection with p viduals or entities (fundraisers) purs</td><td>tion of tion of fundra l (inclue profess</td><td>non-g gover aising ding o ional 1</td><td>overnment grants nment grants events fficers, directors, tru fundraising services?</td><td>stees</td><td>X Ye</td><td></td></li<></ul>	e organization rais tions email solicitations tations blicitations on have a written o red in Form 990, F b highest paid indi	sed funds through any of the followi e Solicita s f Solicita g Specia pr oral agreement with any individua Part VII) or entity in connection with p viduals or entities (fundraisers) purs	tion of tion of fundra l (inclue profess	non-g gover aising ding o ional 1	overnment grants nment grants events fficers, directors, tru fundraising services?	stees	X Ye	
(i) Name and addres or entity (fund	s of individual	(ii) Activity	(iii) funde have c or cor contrib	itrol of	(iv) Gross receipts from activity	tò (c	Amount paid or retained by) fundraiser red in col. <b>(i)</b>	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
THE RICHARD NORMAN	COMPANY -		Yes	No				
113 E MARKET ST SU	ITE 300,	DIRECT MAIL		х	1,285,566.		81,951	1,203,615.
			1					
Total 3 List all states in wh	ich the organizatio	on is registered or licensed to solicit	contrik	. <b>D</b> ution	1,285,566. s or has been notified	d it is	81 , 951 exempt from	1,203,615. registration
or licensing.		CA HT TI. KS KV I.A	мг	M٦	MT MN MC M			

AL, AK, AR, CA, CO, CT, FL, GA, HI, IL, KS, KY, LA, ME, MA, MI, MN, MS, MO, NH, NJ, NM, NY, NC, ND NV, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, WV, WI

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# Schedule G (Form 990 or 990 EZ) 2020 CONVENTION OF STATES ACTION

Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		or randraiding over contributions and gre			erence man greee reeelp	te greater than ee,eee.
			<b>(a)</b> Event #1	<b>(b)</b> Event #2	(c) Other events	<b>(d)</b> Total events (add col. <b>(a)</b> through col. <b>(c)</b> )
ē			(event type)	(event type)	(total number)	
Revenue	1	Gross receipts				
	2	Less: Contributions				
	3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)				
		Cash prizes				
	5	Noncash prizes				
Direct Expenses	6	Rent/facility costs				
irect Ex	7	Food and beverages				
	8	Entertainment				
	9	Other direct expenses				
	-	Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through	9 in column (d)		•	
	11	Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from lin				
Pa	rt I		answered "Yes" on Form	1990, Part IV, line 19, or	reported more than	
		\$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.		(L-) Dull tabe/instant		
Revenue			(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col. (a) through col. (c))
Re	1	Gross revenue				
	·					
uses	2	Cash prizes				
Direct Expenses	3	Noncash prizes				
Direc	4	Rent/facility costs				
	5	Other direct expenses				
			<b>Yes</b> %	└── Yes %	<b>Yes</b> %	
	6	Volunteer labor	No	No No	No No	
	7	Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through	15 in column (d)			
	8	Net gaming income summary. Subtract line 7	from line 1. column (d)		•	
	-	Het gaming moorne cammary. Cabitactime f				
		er the state(s) in which the organization condu				
		he organization licensed to conduct gaming ac	tivities in each of these	states?		Yes No
b	lf "I	No," explain:				
10a       Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended, or terminated during the tax year?       Yes         b       If "Yes," explain:						
		res," explain:				
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11 Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers?		
<b>12</b> Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust, or a member to administer charitable gaming?	of a partnership or other entity formed	
13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity conducted in:		
a The organization's facility		<b>13a</b> %
<b>b</b> An outside facility		
<b>14</b> Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization?	s gaming/special events books and rec	cords:
Name ►		
Address ►		
<b>15a</b> Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the or	janization receives gaming revenue?	Yes No
b If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization of gaming revenue retained by the third party ►\$	▶ \$ and the ar	nount
c If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party:		
Name		
Address ►		
16 Gaming manager information:		
Name		
Gaming manager compensation 🕨 💲		
Description of services provided		
Director/officer Employee Indepe	ndent contractor	
<ul><li>17 Mandatory distributions:</li><li>a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distribution</li></ul>	s from the gaming proceeds to	
retain the state gaming license?	<b>c c</b> .	Yes No
<b>b</b> Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed		
organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ► \$ Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the explanations requ		(v); and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b,
15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also provide any additional i	formation. See instructions.	
SCHEDULE G, PART I, LINE 2B, LIST OF TE	1 HIGHEST PAID FUND	RAISERS:
(I) NAME OF FUNDRAISER: THE RICHARD NOR	IAN COMPANY	
(I) ADDRESS OF FUNDRAISER: 113 E MARKET	ST SUITE 300, LEESE	BURG, VA 20176
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sc	HEDULE J	Compensation Information	1	OMB No.	1545-00	47
(Fo	rm 990)	For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest	F	20	20	
		Compensated Employees Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.		LU	ZU	)
Dena	rtment of the Treasury	Attach to Form 990.		Open to		
	al Revenue Service	► Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.		Inspe		
Nan	ne of the organization		Employer i			mber
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Pa	rt I Question	s Regarding Compensation				
					Yes	No
1a		ate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form	1 990,			
		line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.				
	First-class or c	, i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i				
	Travel for com					
		ation and gross-up payments				
		spending account Personal services (such as maid, chauffe	ur, chet)			
<b>b</b>						
D	•	on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or		41.		
0		rovision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain		1b		
2		n require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors,		2		
	trustees, and onice	rs, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked on line 1a?		Z		
3	Indicato which if a	ny, of the following the organization used to establish the compensation of the organization'	<b>C</b>			
5		ector. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization				
		ation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.				
	Compensation					
	·	compensation consultant $X$ Compensation survey or study				
	X Form 990 of o		committee			
			Johnnittee			
4	During the year, did	any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing				
•	organization or a re					
а	-	e payment or change-of-control payment?		4a		х
b		eive payment from a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?				Х
c	-	eive payment from an equity-based compensation arrangement?				Х
-		les 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.				
	,					
	Only section 501(c	)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.				
5		on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensati	on			
	contingent on the r					
а	-			5a		X
		ation?				X
		r 5b, describe in Part III.				
6	For persons listed of	on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensati	on			
	contingent on the r	et earnings of:				
а	The organization?			6a		Х
		ation?				Х
		r 6b, describe in Part III.				
7	For persons listed of	on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any nonfixed payment	S			
	not described on lir	nes 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III		7		X
8	Were any amounts	reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to	the			
	initial contract exce	ption described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III		8		X
9	If "Yes" on line 8, d	id the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in				
		1 53.4958-6(c)?		9		
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Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed	nplo	yees, and Highest (	Compensated Emp	oloyees. Use duplica	tte copies if additional s	pace is needed.		
For each individual whose compensation must be reported on Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii) Do not list any individuals that aren't listed on Form 990, Part VII.	oe reg orm 9	oorted on Schedule , 90, Part VII.	J, report compensa	ttion from the organi	zation on row (i) and fror	m related organizatior	ns, described in the ins	itructions, on row (ii).
Note: The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.	ad inc	lividual must equal tl	he total amount of I	<sup>-</sup> orm 990, Part VII, S	section A, line 1a, applic	able column (D) and (I	E) amounts for that ind	lividual.
		(B) Breakdown of W-2		and/or 1099-MISC compensation	(C) Retirement and	(D) Nontaxable	(E) Total of columns	(F) Compensation
(A) Name and Title		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation	compensation		(a)-(i)(a)	reported as deferred on prior Form 990
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PRESIDENT / CEO		102,856.	.0			10,725.	113,581.	
(2) PATTY MECKLER	Ξ	103,046.			.0	.8		
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(3) MICHAEL RUTHENBERG	Ξ	75,000.				-		
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#### Part IV Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 28a, 28b, or 28c.

(a) Name of interested person			ip between d the orgar		<b>(c)</b> Amount of transaction	(d) Description of transaction	(e) Sha organiz rever	aring of zation's nues?
							Yes	No
PATRICIA MECKLER	WIFE (	OF	PRESI	DENT /	103,054.	EMPLOYED		Х
TONYA RUTHENBERG	WIFE (	OF	COO /	MICHA	35,000.	EMPLOYED		Х

Part V Supplemental Information.

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule L (see instructions).

SCH L, PART IV, BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS INVOLVING INTERESTED PERSONS:

(A) NAME OF PERSON: PATRICIA MECKLER

(B) RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN INTERESTED PERSON AND ORGANIZATION:

WIFE OF PRESIDENT / CEO MARK MECKLER

(A) NAME OF PERSON: TONYA RUTHENBERG

(B) RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN INTERESTED PERSON AND ORGANIZATION:

WIFE OF COO / MICHAEL RUTHENBERG

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### **SCHEDULE M** (Form 990)

# **Noncash Contributions**

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Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30. Attach to Form 990.

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		(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	<b>(d)</b> Method of de noncash contribu	etermin	•	s
1	Art - Works of art							
2	Art - Historical treasures							
3	Art - Fractional interests							
4	Books and publications							
5	Clothing and household goods							
6	Cars and other vehicles							
7	Boats and planes							
8	Intellectual property							
9	Securities - Publicly traded							
10	Securities - Closely held stock							
11	Securities - Partnership, LLC, or							
	trust interests							
12	Securities - Miscellaneous							
13	Qualified conservation contribution -							
	Historic structures							
14	Qualified conservation contribution - Other							
15	Real estate - Residential							
16	Real estate - Commercial							
17	Real estate - Other							
18	Collectibles							
19	Food inventory							
20	Drugs and medical supplies							
21	Taxidermy							
22	Historical artifacts							
23	Scientific specimens							
24	Archeological artifacts							
25	Other  (BITCOIN)	Х	3	1,253,585.	FMV			
26	Other ► ()							
27	Other ► ()							
28	Other ► ( )							
29	Number of Forms 8283 received by the organi	ization during	g the tax year for c	contributions				
	for which the organization completed Form 82	83, Part V, D	Donee Acknowledg	gement 29				
							Yes	No
30a	During the year, did the organization receive b	y contributio	on any property rep	ported in Part I, lines 1 throug	gh 28, that it			
	must hold for at least three years from the dat							
	exempt purposes for the entire holding period	?				30a		X
b	If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II.							
31	Does the organization have a gift acceptance	policy that re	equires the review	of any nonstandard contribu	itions?	31		X
32a	Does the organization hire or use third parties	or related or	ganizations to soli	cit, process, or sell noncash				
	contributions?					32a		Х
b	If "Yes," describe in Part II.							
33	If the organization didn't report an amount in c	column (c) fo	r a type of propert	y for which column (a) is che	cked,			
	describe in Part II.							

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Part II Supplemental Information. Provide the information required by Part I, lines 30b, 32b, and 33, and whether the organization is reporting in Part I, column (b), the number of contributions, the number of items received, or a combination of both. Also complete this part for any additional information.

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SCHEDULE O

(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information. ▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ. ▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information. OMB No. 1545-0047

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FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 2:

PATRICIA MECKLER IS THE WIFE OF PRESIDENT/CEO MARK MECKLER.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11B:

THE RETURN IS PROVIDED TO EACH BOARD MEMBER PRIOR TO FILING.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C:

LEGAL COUNSEL REVIEWS OUTGOING ORGANIZATIONAL PAYMENTS AND ROUTINELY

MONITORS FOR POSSIBLE CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. ALL MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ARE REQUIRED TO DISCLOSE ANY POSSIBLE CONFLICTS OF INTEREST AT THE ORGANIZATION'S ANNUAL BOARD MEETING. ANY OFFICER OR DIRECTOR WHO FAILS TO PROPERLY REPORT A CONFLICT OF INTEREST IS SUBJECT TO SANCTION BY THE

BOARD.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15:

THE BOARD HAS APPOINTED LEGAL COUNSEL TO PERIODICALLY REVIEW AND REPORT ON THE COMPENSATION OF THE ORGANIZATION'S CEO, OFFICERS, AND KEY EMPLOYEES IN LIGHT OF THE COMPENSATION OFFERED TO SIMILARLY SITUATED ORGANIZATIONS. THE BOARD REVIEWS AND ADJUSTS THE COMPENSATION OF THE CEO, OFFICERS, AND KEY EMPLOYEES BASED ON COUNSEL'S FINDINGS. NO DIRECTORS WITH A CONFLICT OF INTEREST ARE ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE BOARD'S DECISION. COUNSEL'S REPORT AND THE BOARD'S DECISIONS THEREON ARE DOCUMENTED IN THE BOARD'S MINUTES.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 17, LIST OF STATES RECEIVING COPY OF FORM 990:

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FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19:

THE ORGANIZATION'S GOVERNING DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY, AND

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC ON REQUEST.

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SCHEDULE R (Form 990) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service		Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships         Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.         ▲ Attach to Form 990.         ▲ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.	ions and Unrelated Pa ered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, ▶ Attach to Form 990. n990 for instructions and the late	rtnerships ine 33, 34, 35b, 3 st information.	6, or 37.	ō <b>o</b>	OMB No. 1545-0047 2020 Open to Public Inspection
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Part I Identifica	Identification of Disregarded Entities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.	e if the organization answered "Yes"	on Form 990, Part IV, line 3	č.			
Name, ac	<b>(a)</b> Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	<b>(b)</b> Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	r Total income	me End-of-year assets		(f) Direct controlling entity
Part II Organizati	Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations. Complete if organizations during the tax year.	ations. Complete if the organization a	the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, because it had one or more related tax-exempt	, Part IV, line 34, t	because it had one	or more related tax-exe	empt
	(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	<b>(b)</b> Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	<b>(d)</b> Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity? Yes No
CITIZENS FOR SELF-GOVERNANCE 5850 SAN FELIPE, SUITE 575A HOUSTON, TX 77057	SELF-GOVERNANCE - 27-1657203 .PE, SUITE 575A 77057	CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION	TEXAS	501(C)(3)	LINE 7		
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<b>Part III</b> Identification of Helated Organizations I axable as a Partnership. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.	ganizations laxable artnership during the t	as a Partn ax year.	<b>ership.</b> Complete it	the organiza	ation answered "Y	es" on Form 990	, Part IV, line	34, becaus	e it had one or m	ore relatec	
<b>(a)</b> Name, address, and EIN of related organization	<b>(b)</b> Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	<b>(d)</b> Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)		(f) Share of total s income er	<b>(g)</b> Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations? Yes No	(i) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)		(j) (k) General or Percentage managing ownership Partner? Ves No
<b>Part IV</b> Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, because it had one or more related organization streated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.	<b>ganizations Taxable</b> orporation or trust duri	<b>as a Corpo</b> ng the tax <sub>}</sub>	<b>sration or Trust.</b> Co /ear.	omplete if the	e organization ans	wered "Yes" on	Form 990, Pa	art IV, line 3 <sup>2</sup>	4, because it had	one or mo	re related
(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	N	Prime	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income		(g) Share of Pe end-of-year ov assets	(h) Percentage ownership	(i) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity? Yes No
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**Part V Transactions With Related Organizations.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.

Note: Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule.				<u>≻</u>	Yes No	۶
1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?	s with one or more rel	ated organizations listed	in Parts II-IV?			
a Receipt of (i) interest, (ii) annuities, (iii) royalties, or (iv) rent from a controlled entity				<b>1</b> a	~	×
<b>b</b> Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)				1b	~	×
c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)				1c	2	х
<b>d</b> Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)				<b>1</b> d	Z	×
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f Dividends from related organization(s)				ŧ	~	×
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h Purchase of assets from related organization(s)				ŧ	~	×
i Exchange of assets with related organization(s)				1	2	X
j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)				- <b>1</b>	~	X
k Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)				¥	~	×
I Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)	nization(s)			=	~	X
m Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)	nization(s)			5	~	×
n Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)	on(s)			<b>1</b>	~	×
o Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)				10	~	×
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<b>q</b> Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses				, 5	4	
r Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)				÷	~	×
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2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds.	no must complete th	s line, including covered	relationships and transaction thresholds.			
<b>(a)</b> Name of related organization	<b>(b)</b> Transaction type (a-s)	<b>(c)</b> Amount involved	<b>(d)</b> Method of determining amount involved	nvolved		
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## Part VII Supplemental Information

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R. See instructions.