# Form **990**

### **Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

OMB No. 1545-0047

2023

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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Α	For the	e 2023 ca	lendar year, or tax year beginning		, and er			
В	Check if a	applicable:	C Name of organization Blessing the	e Children International		D Employe	r identifica	tion number
	Address	change	Doing business as					
$\overline{\Box}$			Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is	not delivered to street address)	Room/suite	38-359137	2	
Ш	Name ch	2265 Fraser Road					e number	
	Initial retu	urn	City or town	State	ZIP code	(000) 007 (	0050	
$\overline{\Box}$			Kawkawlin	MI	48631-9145	(989) 667-8	3850	
Ш	Final return	n/terminated	Foreign country name Forei	gn province/state/county	Foreign postal	code		
	Amended	d return				G Gross red	eipts \$	217,740
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Ш	Application	on pending	F Name and address of principal officer:			H(a) Is this a group return	for subordina	tes? Yes X No
			Keith V Strawn 2265 Fraser Road,	Kawkawlin, MI 48631-91	45	H(b) Are all subordinat	es included	1? Yes No
1	Tax-exe	mpt status:	X 501(c)(3) 501(c) (	(insert no.) 4947(a)(1	) or 527	If "No," attach a li	st. See inst	ructions
		-		(	7 5 52.			
J	Website	e: WW	w.blessingthechildren.org			H(c) Group exemption	number	
K	Form of	organization	n: X Corporation Trust Asso	ociation Other	L Yea	r of formation: 2001	M Sta	te of legal domicile: MI
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	1		lescribe the organization's mission o	or most significant activitie	e. To nr	each, teach and p	uhlish th	e Gosnel
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Activities & Governance		mission	aries to work with the children and t					
Š	2	Check to	nis box if the organization o	liscontinued its operations	or disposed	of more than 25%	of its net	assets.
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ies	5		imber of individuals employed in cal				5	3
¥							6	4
둉	6		imber of volunteers (estimate if nec					
⋖	7a		related business revenue from Part				7a	0
	b	Net unre	elated business taxable income fror	n Form 990-T, Part I, line	<u> 11</u>		7b	0
<u>o</u>						Prior Year		Current Year
	8	Contribu	utions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)			14	8,633	201,775
ũ	9	Program	n service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)				0	0
Revenue	10	Investm	ent income (Part VIII, column (A), li	nes 3, 4, and 7d)		6	2,746	10,036
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	12		renue—add lines 8 through 11 (must e			21	1,379	211,811
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Form 99	90 (2023)	Blessing the Children International	38-3591372	Page <b>2</b>
Par	t III	Statement of Program Service Accomplishments Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III		
1	Briefly de	escribe the organization's mission:		
	-	ch, teach and publish the Gospel through tangible measures of caring for orphans and		
	widows i	n Ethiopia, send teams and missionaries to work with those less fortunatee and to		
	minister	in the local churches in Ethiopia and partnering with like-minded 501(c)(3)		
	organiza	tions to do the same.		
2	Did the d	organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on		
		Form 990 or 990-EZ?	Yes	X No
	If "Yes,"	describe these new services on Schedule O.	<b>A</b>	
3	Did the	organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program		
	services	?	Yes	X No
	If "Yes,"	describe these changes on Schedule O.	_	
4	Describe	the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program service	s, as measured by	
	expense	s. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and a	llocations to others,	
	the total	expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.		
4a	(Code:	) (Expenses \$ 98,104 including grants of \$ ) (Reven	ue \$ 119.	624 )
	•	I care to orphaned children in Ethiopia and the United States through education, meals,		'
		food suppliments, medical care and spiritual guidance. Provided staff and leaders to		
		to the supported children's needs.		
		) (Expenses \$ 20,231 including grants of \$ ) (Reven		
		g and sharing the Gospel through tangible outreaches in Ethiopia, America, and globally.		
	also wor	k in local churches in Debre Zeyit, Ethiopia to reach the lost.		
4c	(Code:	) (Expenses \$ 0 including grants of \$ ) (Reven	ue \$	0 )
		d an elementary school for underprivledged children. Worked with churches and other		/
		) nonprofit organizations to spread the Gospel and assist ministries to spread the Word &		
		nessage. Accomplish special projects in impoverished communities in Ethiopia, Africa.		
		training and education of youth in the local community.		
4d	Other pr	ogram services (Describe on Schedule O.)		

0)(Revenue \$

0 including grants of \$

118,335

(Expenses \$

Total program service expenses

0)

Part IV

			Yes	No
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes,"			
	complete Schedule A	1	Χ	
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors? See instructions	2	Χ	
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to			
	candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I	3		Χ
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h)	4		~
_	election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	4		Χ
5	Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Rev. Proc. 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>	5		Χ
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			
7	"Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I	6		Χ
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? <i>If "Yes,"</i>	-		^
Ü	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	Ŭ		
	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		Х
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		Χ
11	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, 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, 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 assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII	11b		Χ
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	of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII	11c		Χ
d	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 Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX	444		~
•	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.</i>	11d 11e		X
	Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses	116		^
•	the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.</i>	11f		Χ
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete</i>			
	Schedule D, Parts XI and XII	12a		Χ
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		Χ
14a	3	14a		Χ
b	3 3 3			
	fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate			
45	foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV	14b		Х
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 foreign organization? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>	15		Х
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other	13		
10	assistance to or for foreign individuals? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV	16		Х
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services			,,
	on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I. See instructions.	17		Χ
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on			
	Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II	18		Χ
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a?			
	If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III	19		Χ
20a	5 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	20a		Χ
b	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	<b>20</b> b		
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		Χ

Par	Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)			
			Yes	No
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on			
	Part IX, column (A), line 2? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	22		Χ
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
	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		-
	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 1	25a		Χ
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	l		
00	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%			V
27	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 the Schedule	21		F
20	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? / Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b		Х
	A 35% controlled entity of one or more individuals and/or organizations described in line 28a or 28b? If			
	"Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28c		Х
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in noncash 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		Χ
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
	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a		-
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			V
27	organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36		Х
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization	27		_
20	and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>	37		Х
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations on Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? <b>Note:</b> All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38	Х	
Par		- 50	^	
ı aı	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V			П
			Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable			
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included on line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	-		
C	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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Par	t V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued)		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 3			
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns?	2b	Χ	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a		Χ
b	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 financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	4a		Χ
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).			
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a		Χ
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b		Χ
С	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5c		
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the			
	organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?	6a		Χ
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or			
	gifts were not tax deductible?	6b		
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		
С	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			
е	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e		Χ
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f		Χ
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 organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the			
	sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.			
а	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a		
b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:			
а	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12			
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities			
11	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		
	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.	40-		
а	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state?	13a		
<b>L</b>	<b>Note:</b> See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.  Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which			
b				
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с 14а	Enter the amount of reserves on hand	14a		Х
_	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? <i>If "No," provide an explanation on Schedule O</i>	14b	Χ	
b 15	Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or	140	^	
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	excess parachute payment(s) during the year?	15		_
	If "Yes," see the instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N.			
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.			
17	Section 501(c)(21) organizations. Did the trust, or any disqualified or other person, engage in any activities			
	that would result in the imposition of an excise tax under section 4951, 4952, or 4953?	17		
	If "Yes " complete Form 6069			

Part VI

Sect	ion A. Governing Body and Management			
			Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year			
	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			
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with			
	any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	2	Χ	
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct			
	supervision of officers, directors, trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?	3		Χ
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	4		Χ
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?	5		Χ
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	6		Χ
7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint			
	one or more members of the governing body?	7a		Χ
b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members,			
	stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?	7b		Χ
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during			
	the year by the following:			
а	The governing body?	8a	Χ	
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b	Χ	
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached			
	at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses on Schedule O	9		Χ
Sect	ion B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue C	ode.		
			Yes	No
10a	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	10a		Х
b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters,			
	affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?	10b		
11a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? .	11a	Χ	
b	Describe on Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.			
12a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? <i>If "No," go to line 13</i>	12a	X	
b	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	12b	Χ	
С	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe on Schedule O how this was done	42-		_
40		12c		X
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13 14		X
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14		Х
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?			
_	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official.	15a		Χ
a b	Other officers or key employees of the organization	15b		X
D	If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process on Schedule O. See instructions.	130		_
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement			
IVa	with a taxable entity during the year?	16a		Х
b	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its	100		
	participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard			
	the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	16b		
Sect	ion C. Disclosure	100		
17	List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed MI			
18	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A, if applicable), 990, and 990-T (section 5	01(c)		
	(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.	(-)		
	X Own website Another's website X Upon request Other (explain on Schedule O)			
19	Describe on Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest pol	icy,		
	and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.			
20	State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records			
	Keith V. Strawn (989) 667-8850			
	2265 Fraser Road, Kawkawlin, MI 48631			

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#### Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated **Employees, and Independent Contractors**

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

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 the 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, box 6 of Form 1099-MISC, and/or box 1 of Form 1099-NEC) 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 the 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.

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(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	box,	unles er an	Pos neck ss pe	rson lirecto	than or is both a pr/trusted employee	an	(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/ 1099-MISC/ 1099-NEC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
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President	20.00			Х						
(2) Daniel J. Lincoln	1.00									
Vice President	1.00	Х		Х						
(3) Tamara S. Clarke	1.00									
Director	1.00	Χ								
(4) Jeffery Englehart	1.00									
Director	1.00	Χ								
(5) Daniel L. Lincoln	1.00									
Director	1.00	Χ								
(6) Scott A. Green	1.00									
Director	1.00	Χ								
(7) Nelson Salgado	1.00									
Director	1.00	Χ								
(8) Melissa M. Cornelius	24.00									
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Part VIII	Statement	of	Revenue
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		Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in	n this Part VIII			
			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512–514
Gifts, Grants lar Amounts	1a b c d	Federated campaigns       1a       0         Membership dues       1b       0         Fundraising events       1c       0         Related organizations       1d       0         Government grants (contributions)       1e       0				
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts		All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above Noncash contributions included in lines 1a–1f			3	
	h	Total. Add lines 1a–1f	201,775			
Program Service Revenue	2a b c d e f g	All other program service revenue .  Total. Add lines 2a–2f	0 0 0 0 0 0			
	3 4 5 6a b	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)	0 0 0			
	c d 7a	Rental income or (loss)  Net rental income or (loss)  Gross amount from sales of assets  6c 0 0  0  (i) Securities (ii) Other	0			
Revenue	b c	other than inventory Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses Gain or (loss)       7a       15,965       0         7b       5,929       0         7c       10,036       0				
Other	d 8a	Net gain or (loss)	10,036			
	b c 9a b	Less: direct expenses	0			
	b	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities	-			
Miscellaneous Revenue	11a b	Business Code	0 0			
Miscel Rev	c d e	All other revenue	0 0 0 211 811	0	0	

### Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

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 response or note to any line in this Part IX					
	not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	<b>(D)</b> Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations				
	and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	0			
2	Grants and other assistance to domestic				
	individuals. See Part IV, line 22	0			
3	Grants and other assistance to foreign				
	organizations, foreign governments, and foreign				
	individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	0			
4	Benefits paid to or for members	0			
5	Compensation of current officers, directors,				
	trustees, and key employees	74,074	31,894	42,180	
6	Compensation not included above to disqualified				
	persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and				
	persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	0			
7	Other salaries and wages	0			
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include				
	section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	0			
9	Other employee benefits	0			
10	Payroll taxes	.0			
11	Fees for services (nonemployees):				
a	Management	0			
b	Legal	0			
C	Accounting	3,200		3,200	
d	Lobbying	0			
e	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17	0			
f	Investment management fees	U			
g	(A), amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.)	0		0	
12	Advertising and promotion	0		U	
13	Office expenses	7,233	5,510	1,723	
14	Information technology	2,823	5,510	2,823	
15	Royalties	0		2,020	
16	Occupancy	13,554		13,554	
17	Travel	38		38	
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses				
	for any federal, state, or local public officials	0			
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings.	0			
20	Interest	3,445	3,445		
21	Payments to affiliates	0			
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	0	0	0	0
23	Insurance	0			
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 O.)				
а	Program Services	77,486	77,486		
b		0			
С		0			
d		0			
е	All other expenses	0			
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	181,853	118,335	63,518	0
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 if				
	following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

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Part X **Balance Sheet** 

		Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X.			
			<b>(A)</b> Beginning of year		<b>(B)</b> End of year
	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing	15,756	1	5,632
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	0	2	
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	0	3	0
	4	Accounts receivable, net	0	4	0
	5	Loans and other receivables from any current or former officer, director,			
		trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35%		4	
		controlled entity or family member of any of these persons	0	5	0
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined			
		under section 4958(f)(1)), and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	0	6	0
ţ	7	Notes and loans receivable, net	0	7	0
Assets	8	Inventories for sale or use	0	8	, i
Ą	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	0	9	
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or	V 0	<u> </u>	
	IUa	other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D 10a 0			
	h	Less: accumulated depreciation	0	10c	0
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities	2,357	11	39,956
	12			12	
		Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11	0		0
	13	Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	0
	14	Intangible assets	0	14	0
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	0	15	0
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33)	18,113	16	45,588
	17	Accounts payable and accided expenses	6,204	17	3,721
	18	Grants payable	0	18	
	19	Deferred revenue	0	19	
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities	0	20	
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D	0	21	
Liabilities	22	Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director,			
Ĕ		trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35%			
jab		controlled entity or family member of any of these persons	0	22	0
_	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	0	23	0
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties	0	24	0
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third			
		parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17–24). Complete			
		Part X of Schedule D	0	25	0
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	6,204	26	3,721
S		Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here X			
Š		and complete lines 27, 28, 32, and 33.			
<u>a</u>	27	Net assets without donor restrictions	11,909	27	41,867
Ã	28	Net assets with donor restrictions	0	28	0
Pur		Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here			
Ţ		and complete lines 29 through 33.			
9	29	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds	0	29	
ets	30	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund	0	30	
SS	31	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds	0	31	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	32	Total net assets or fund balances	11,909		41,867
Ž	33	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	18,113		45,588
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required audit or audits, explain why on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits

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### **SCHEDULE A** (Form 990)

## **Public Charity Status and Public Support**

OMB No. 1545-0047

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

Employer identification number

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Par	t I	Reason for Public Char	<b>ity Status.</b> (All or	ganizations must co	mplete t	his part.)	See instructions.		
The	orga	anization is not a private foundat							
1		A church, convention of church	es, or association o	f churches described in	n <b>section</b>	170(b)(1)	(A)(i).		
2		A school described in section 1	1 <b>70(b)(1)(A)(ii).</b> (Atta	ach Schedule E (Form	990).)		•		
3		A hospital or a cooperative hos	pital service organiz	zation described in <b>sec</b>	tion 170(l	o)(1)(A)(ii	i).		
4		A medical research organizatio	n operated in conjui	nction with a hospital d	lescribed	in <b>section</b>	170(b)(1)(A)(iii), Er	iter the	
		hospital's name, city, and state	· · ·						
5		An organization operated for th section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Com		e or university owned	or operate	ed by a go	vernmental unit desc	cribed in	
6		A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).							
7		An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in <b>section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).</b> (Complete Part II.)							
8		A community trust described in		•	II.)				
9	Ħ	An agricultural research organi				d in conjur	nction with a land-gra	ant collec	ne.
		or university or a non-land-gran university:							,0
10	Х	An organization that normally re	eceives (1) more that	an 33 1/3% of its supp	ort from co	ontribution	s, membership fees	, and gro	SS
		receipts from activities related t	o its exempt functio	ns, subject to certain e	exceptions	; and (2) i	no more than 33 1/3	% of its	
		support from gross investment acquired by the organization af						sses	
44		An organization organized and							
11			•	· / /	•		` ' '		
12		An organization organized and one or more publicly supported							
		Check the box on lines 12a thro							
а		Type I. A supporting organiz							
		the supported organization(s organization. You must con			majority o	of the dire	ctors or trustees of the	ne suppo	rting
b	ı	Type II. A supporting organization	•		on with its	cunnorte	d organization(s) by	, having	
b	ļ	control or management of th							d
		organization(s). You must c			•		· ·	• •	
С		Type III functionally integra						rated wit	h,
	I	its supported organization(s)		•			•	! 4!	(-)
d		Type III non-functionally in that is not functionally integr							
	_	requirement (see instruction							
е		Check this box if the organiz					Type I, Type II, Typ	e III	
_		functionally integrated, or Ty		lly integrated supportir	ng organiz	ation.			
t ~		Enter the number of supported							0
9	(i)	Provide the following information  Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization	(iv) Is the o	rganization	(v) Amount of monetary	(vi) A	mount of
	• • •		, , ,	(described on lines 1–10	listed in you	ır governing	support (see	other s	upport (see
				above (see instructions))	docui	ment?	instructions)	instr	uctions)
					Yes	No			
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Schedule A (Form 990) 2023

Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Sec	tion A. Public Support						
Cale	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2019	<b>(b)</b> 2020	(c) 2021	(d) 2022	(e) 2023	<b>(f)</b> Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						0
2	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						0
3	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						0
<b>4 5</b>	Total. Add lines 1 through 3	0	0	0		0	0
6	Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						0
	ction B. Total Support						
Cale	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2019	<b>(b)</b> 2020	(c) 2021	(d) 2022	(e) 2023	<b>(f)</b> Total
7 8	Amounts from line 4	0	0	0	0	0	0
	similar sources						0
9	Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on	•					0
10	Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						0
11	Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						0
12	Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (se	ee instructions)				12	
13	First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the orga		ond, third, fourth,	or fifth tax year as a	a section 501(c)(3)		1
	organization, check this box and stop here						
Sec	ction C. Computation of Public Su	pport Percenta	age				
14	Public support percentage for 2023 (line 6, c	olumn (f), divided b	y line 11, column	(f))		14	0.00%
15	Public support percentage from 2022 Sched	ule A, Part II, line 1	4			15	0.00%
	33 1/3% support test—2023. If the organiz and stop here. The organization qualifies as	s a publicly support	ed organization .				
b	<b>33 1/3% support test—2022.</b> If the organiz box and <b>stop here</b> . The organization qualified						
17a	10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2023 10% or more, and if the organization meets to Part VI how the organization meets the facts organization.	the facts-and-circur -and-circumstance	nstances test, che s test. The organiz	ck this box and <b>sto</b> cation qualifies as a	<b>op here</b> . Explain in publicly supported	d	
b	10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2022 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization m in Part VI how the organization meets the facorganization	eets the facts-and- cts-and-circumstan	circumstances tes ces test. The orga	t, check this box ar nization qualifies a	nd <b>stop here</b> . Expl s a publicly suppor	ain ted	
18	Private foundation. If the organization did	not check a box on	line 13, 16a, 16b,	17a, or 17b, check	this box and see		
	instructions						

### Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Sec	tion A. Public Support			, I	,		
Cale	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2019	<b>(b)</b> 2020	(c) 2021	(d) 2022	(e) 2023	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees						
•	received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	161,436	163,466	182,867	148,633	201,775	858,177
2	Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities						
	furnished in any activity that is related to the						
	organization's tax-exempt purpose						0
3	Gross receipts from activities that are not an						_
	unrelated trade or business under section 513						0
4	Tax revenues levied for the						
	organization's benefit and either paid to						•
_	or expended on its behalf					_	0
5	The value of services or facilities						
	furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						0
•	-	161 426	162 466	102 067	148,633	201 775	858,177
6	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5	161,436	163,466	182,867	140,033	201,775	000,177
/a	received from disqualified persons	2,000	2,200	1,980	1,800	2,125	10,105
h	Amounts included on lines 2 and 3	2,000	2,200	1,900	1,000	2,125	10,103
b	received from other than disqualified						
	persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000			• 4 7			
	or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year	32,926	Ô	0	0	0	32,926
С	Add lines 7a and 7b	34,926	2,200	1,980	1,800	2,125	43,031
8	Public support (Subtract line 7c from				,		-,
	line 6.)						815,146
Sec	tion B. Total Support					_	·
Cale	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	<b>(a)</b> 2019	<b>(b)</b> 2020	(c) 2021	(d) 2022	(e) 2023	(f) Total
9	Amounts from line 6	161,436	163,466	182,867	148,633	201,775	858,177
10a	Gross income from interest, dividends,	<b>♦</b>					
	payments received on securities loans, rents,	1					
	royalties, and income from similar sources		10,549	19,129	62,746	10,037	102,461
b	Unrelated business taxable income (less						
	section 511 taxes) from businesses						
	acquired after June 30, 1975						0
	Add lines 10a and 10b	0	10,549	19,129	62,746	10,037	102,461
11	Net income from unrelated business						
	activities not included on line 10b, whether						•
40	or not the business is regularly carried on .						0
12	Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets						
	(Explain in Part VI.)						0
13	Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11,						0
13	and 12.)	161,436	174,015	201,996	211,379	211,812	960,638
14	First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the orga					211,012	300,000
•	organization, check this box and <b>stop here</b>						
Sec	ction C. Computation of Public Su						
15	Public support percentage for 2023 (line 8, c		_	(f))		15	84.85%
16	Public support percentage from 2022 Sched	· /·	•	· //		16	80.10%
Sec	tion D. Computation of Investmer						
17	Investment income percentage for 2023 (line			olumn (f))		17	10.67%
18	Investment income percentage from 2022 Se					18	9.72%
19a	33 1/3% support tests—2023. If the organi	zation did not chec	k the box on line 1	4, and line 15 is m	ore than 33 1/3%,	and line 17 is	
	not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and s	-			-		<u>X</u>
b	33 1/3% support tests—2022. If the organi						Γ
	line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this	-	_				<del></del>
20	Private foundation. If the organization did it	not check a box on	line 14, 19a, or 19	b, check this box a	nd see instructions	8	

#### **Supporting Organizations** Part IV

(Complete only if you checked a box on line 12 of Part I. If you checked box 12a, Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked box 12b, Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked box 12c, Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked box 12d, Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

#### Section A. All Supporting Organizations

- Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.
- Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status, under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).
- 3a Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer lines 3b and 3c below.
- b Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.
- c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2) (B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.
- 4a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes," and if you checked box 12a or 12b in Part I, answer lines 4b and 4c below.
- b Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.
- c Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.
- 5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer lines 5b and 5c below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).
- b Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?
- c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?
- Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (as defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).
- Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described on line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).
- 9a Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons, as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- b Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined on line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- c Did a disqualified person (as defined on line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- 10a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? If "Yes," answer line 10b below.
  - b Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)

1		Yes	NO
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	3a		
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Part l	Supporting Organizations (continued)			
		1	Yes	No
11	Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?			
а	A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described on lines 11b and	44-		
<b>L</b>	11c below, the governing body of a supported organization?	11a		
b C	A family member of a person described on line 11a above?  A 35% controlled entity of a person described on line 11a or 11b above? If "Yes" to line 11a, 11b, or 11c, provide	11b		
C	detail in <b>Part VI.</b>	11c		
Secti	on B. Type I Supporting Organizations	1110		l
			Yes	No
1	Did the governing body, members of the governing body, officers acting in their official capacity, or membership of one or			
	more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's officers.			
	directors, or trustees at all times during the tax year? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s)			
	effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported			
	organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove officers, directors, or trustees were allocated among the			
	supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.	1		
2	Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported			
	organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in Part			
	VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated,	_		
04:	supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.	2		
Secti	on C. Type II Supporting Organizations		V	N.
4	Were a majority of the argenization's directors or trustoes during the tay years less a majority of the directors		Yes	No
1	Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how control			
	or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed			
	the supported organization(s).	1		
Secti	on D. All Type III Supporting Organizations			l
<del></del>	211 217 th Type in Capper and Cap		Yes	No
1	Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the			
	organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax			
	year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the			
	organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?	1		
2	Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported			
	organization(s), or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in Part VI how			
	the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).	2		
3	By reason of the relationship described on line 2, above, did the organization's supported organizations have			
	a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's			
	income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's			
04:	supported organizations played in this regard.	3		
Secti	on E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations			
1	Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see inst	ruction	s).	
а	The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.			
b	The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.			
С	The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a governmental entity (see	ee instruct	tions).	
2	Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b below.		ΥΔς	No
a	Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of		163	140
u	the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>then in</i> <b>Part VI identify</b>			
	those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes,			
	how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined			
	that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.	2a		
b	Did the activities described on line 2a, above, constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement,			
	one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in			
	Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in			
	these activities but for the organization's involvement.	2b		
3	Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer lines 3a and 3b below.			
а	Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or			

trustees of each of the supported organizations? If "Yes" or "No," provide details in Part VI.

Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.

1 Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifyin instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.	g tru:	st on Nov. 20, 1970 <i>(explain l</i>	•
Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Net short-term capital gain	1		
2 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2		
3 Other gross income (see instructions)	3		
4 Add lines 1 through 3.	4	0	0
5 Depreciation and depletion	5	<b>A</b>	
6 Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6		
7 Other expenses (see instructions)	7		
8 Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4)	8	0	0
Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see			
instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):			
a Average monthly value of securities	1a		
<b>b</b> Average monthly cash balances	1b		
c Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c		
d Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d	0	0
e Discount claimed for blockage or other factors			
(explain in detail in <b>Part VI</b> ):			
2 Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2		
3 Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	0	0
<b>4</b> Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 0.015 of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	0	0
5 Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5	0	0
6 Multiply line 5 by 0.035.	6	0	0
7 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7	0	0
8 Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8	0	0
Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1 Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, column A)	1		0
2 Enter 0.85 of line 1.	2		0
3 Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, column A)	3		0
4 Enter greater of line 2 or line 3.	4		0
5 Income tax imposed in prior year	5		
6 Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to			
emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).	6		0
7 Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functional instructions).	ly inte	egrated Type III supporting o	organization (see

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Part	Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3	) Supporting Organi	zations (continue	d)	
Section	on D - Distributions				Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exe	empt purposes		1	
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt	ot purposes of supported	1		
	organizations, in excess of income from activity	2			
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purpos	ations	3		
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets				
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required—	provide details in <b>Part V</b> i	)	5	
6	Other distributions (describe in <b>Part VI</b> ). See instructions.			6	
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.			7	0
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the	ne organization is respor	nsive		
	(provide details in <b>Part VI</b> ). See instructions.			8	
9	Distributable amount for 2023 from Section C, line 6			9	0
10	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount			10	0.000
;	Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistribution Pre-2023	าร	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2023
1	Distributable amount for 2023 from Section C, line 6				0
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2023	•			
	(reasonable cause required—explain in Part VI). See				
	instructions.				
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2023				
a	From 2018 0				
b	From 2019 0				
C	From 2020				
d	From 2021				
<u>e</u>	From 2022				
f	J	0			
g	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			0	
h	Applied to 2023 distributable amount				0
i	Carryover from 2018 not applied (see instructions)				
i	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f.	0			
4	Distributions for 2023 from Section D, line 7: \$ 0				
a	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			0	
b	Applied to 2023 distributable amount				0
c	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4.	0			
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2023, if				
	any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result				
	greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			0	
6	Remaining underdistributions for 2023. Subtract lines 3h				
	and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain				
	in Part VI. See instructions.				0
7	Excess distributions carryover to 2024. Add lines 3j				
	and 4c.	0			
8	Breakdown of line 7.				
<u>a</u>	Excess from 2019				
<u> </u>	Excess from 2020 0				
<u>C</u>	Excess from 2021 0				
<u>d</u>	Excess from 2022 0				
е	Excess from 2023 0				

Part VI	Supplemental Information. Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; Part III, line 12; Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a, and 3b; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V, Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions.)
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# Schedule B (Form 990)

### **Schedule of Contributors**

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Name of the organization

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Blessing the Children International 38-3591372 Organization type (check one): Filers of: Section: 501(c)( ) (enter number) organization Form 990 or 990-EZ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust not 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** 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), 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 

**Caution:** An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990), 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).

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Part I	Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copie	es of Part I if additional space is r	needed.
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	Leon, Cecilia  189 Waterstone Dr  Lexington SC 29072  Foreign State or Province: Foreign Country:	\$6,512	Person X Payroll
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
2	Osborn, Tim & Maria 215 W. Dahil Rd Tucson AZ 85705 Foreign State or Province: Foreign Country:	\$	Person X Payroll
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
3	McVey, Hal and Retha 13215 Braun Road Golden CO 80401-1642 Foreign State or Province: Foreign Country:	\$6,400_	Person X Payroll
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
4	Fidelity Charitable PO Box 770001 Cincinnati OH 45277-0053 Foreign State or Province: Foreign Country:	\$ <u>7,919</u>	Person X Payroll
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
5	McVey, Helen 640 11Th St Unit 305 Golden CO 80401-0737 Foreign State or Province: Foreign Country:	\$50,000	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
6	Gillock, Deanne & Curtis  5837 NE 32nd Ave  Portland OR 97211-6701  Foreign State or Province:  Foreign Country:	\$6,510	Person X Payroll  Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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Part I	Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copie	tors (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			
7	Redeeming Love Christian Embassy  4521 Monitor Rd STE A  Bay City  MI  48706  Foreign State or Province: Foreign Country:	\$6,343	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			
88	Lin, Yu-Tang Josh 2531 Arlington Blvd El Cerrito CA 94530 Foreign State or Province: Foreign Country:	\$	Person X Payroll			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
9	Hayton, Susan  10034 Sesame Street  Dillsboro IN 47018  Foreign State or Province: Foreign Country:	\$5,160_	Person X Payroll			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
	Foreign State or Province: Foreign Country:	\$	Person Payroll Oncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
	Foreign State or Province: Foreign Country:	\$	Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
	Foreign State or Province: Foreign Country:	\$	Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			

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Part II	Noncash Property (see instructions). Use duplicate co	pies of Part II if additional spa	ce 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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Part III	e Children International  Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., co	antributions to	organizations describe	38-3591372				
Part III	(10) that total more than \$1,000 for the y		_					
	the following line entry. For organizations of	_						
	contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year							
	Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional	space is need	ed.					
(a) No.	4) 5	,		(N.B				
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		(e) T	ransfer of gift					
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	For. Prov. Country							
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	(e) Transfer of gift							
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	For. Prov. Country							
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### SCHEDULE F (Form 990)

### **Statement of Activities Outside the United States**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 14b, 15, or 16.

Attach to Form 990.

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Par	General Inform Form 990, Part IV		vities Outside	e the United States. Com	plete if the organization ans	wered "Yes" on
1	_	antees' eligibility	for the grants or	ds to substantiate the amount	_	Yes No
2	For grantmakers. Descoutside the United State		e organization's	procedures for monitoring the	use of its grants and other	assistance
3	Activities per Region. (T	he following Par	t I, line 3 table c	an be duplicated if additional	space is needed.)	
	(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in the region	(d) Activities conducted in the region (by type) (such as, fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in the region	(f) Total expenditures for and investments in the region
(1)	Middle East and North Africa	1	6	Program Services	Providing food, education and housing to orphans	
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	Part	IV, line 15, for an	y recipient who rece	ived more than \$5,0	00. Part II can be	duplicated if addition	nal space is nee	ded.	
1	(a) Name of organization	(b) IRS code section and EIN (if applicable)	(c) Region	( <b>d</b> ) Purpose of grant	(e) Amount of cash grant	(f) Manner of cash disbursement	(g) Amount of noncash assistance	(h) Description of noncash assistance	(i) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
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Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, Part III line 16. Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed. (a) Type of grant or assistance (c) Number of (e) Manner of (h) Method of (b) Region (d) Amount of (f) Amount of (g) Description valuation recipients cash grant cash noncash of noncash assistance (book, FMV, disbursement assistance appraisal, other) (10)(11) (12) (13) (14)(15) (16) (17)

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Part IV	Foreign	<b>Forms</b>
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1	Was the organization a U.S. transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 926, Return by a U.S. Transferor of Property to a Foreign Corporation (see the Instructions for Form 926)
2	Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to separately file Form 3520, Annual Return To Report Transactions With Foreign Trusts and Receipt of Certain Foreign Gifts, and/or Form 3520-A, Annual Information Return of Foreign Trust With a U.S. Owner (see the Instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A; don't file with Form 990)
3	Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign corporation during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5471, Information Return of U.S. Persons With Respect to Certain Foreign Corporations. (see the Instructions for Form 5471)
4	Was the organization a direct or indirect shareholder of a passive foreign investment company or a qualified electing fund during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8621, Information Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund. (see the Instructions for Form 8621)
5	Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign partnership during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8865, Return of U.S. Persons With Respect to Certain Foreign Partnerships. (see the Instructions for Form 8865)
6	Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to separately file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see the Instructions for Form 5713; don't file with Form 990)

Part V	Provide the information Provide the information required by Part I, line 2 (monitoring of funds); Part I, line 3, column (f) (accounting method; amounts of investments vs. expenditures per region); Part II, line 1 (accounting method); Part III (accounting method);
	and Part III, column (c) (estimated number of recipients), as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information. See instructions.
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### SCHEDULE O (Form 990)

### 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 Form 990-EZ.

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Blessing the Children International 38-3591372 Form 990, Part IV, Section A, Line 2: Daniel J Lincoln & Daniel L Lincoln are father/son, and Keith Strawn & Melissa Cornelius are father/daughter Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 11b: The 990 was distributed via email and then reviewed and accepted during the annual meeting of the board of directors. Form 990, Part VI, Section C, Line 19: The 990 for public inspection, conflict of interest policy, and other policies are posted on our public website and available upon written request.

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# Form **8453-TE**

### Tax Exempt Entity Declaration and Signature for E-file

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EIN or SSN

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of filer

For calendar year 2023, or tax year beginning , 2023, and ending , 20 ...

For use with Forms 990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, 990-T, 1120-POL, 4720, 8868, 5227, 5330, and 8038-CP

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Part I	Ту	pe of Return and Retu	rn Informa	ation						
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9a Fo	orm 53	30 check here			_	ne 19)	•		9b	0
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The following questions should be answered in the context of the **FEDERAL** return being electronically filed. Responses for state efiles are below.

	Fo	rm family	applicabil	ity
Check ("x") this column to see more information, when available.	1065	1120/F	1120S	990
Name of signing officer or fiduciary <u>Keith</u> Strawn				
Check ("X") if foreign officer and does not have a SSN/TIN				
OR Check ("X") if officer opts not to provide SSN/ITIN				
OR				
Enter SSN/EIN of signing officer or fiduciary	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ
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Total Income from Prior Year return	Y	Y	Y	
If claiming deduction for Salary & Wages on current year return, mark this box				
and enter the <b>COUNT</b> of original W2's reported to SSA for this tax year.	Υ	Υ	Υ	
If claiming Compensation of Officers on current year return, mark this box		\ \ \		
and enter the number of officers		Y	Y	
Parent Company Name				
Parent Company EIN	Υ	Υ	Υ	
Business's Primary Physical Address:				
Street				
Line 2 City St Zip				
Country Province Postal Code	Y	Y	Υ	
Grantor Name				
Grantor SSN				
Indicate which, if any, of the following forms this entity is required to file.				
720 990 1042				
940 941 943 944 945	Υ	Υ	Υ	
Were estimated tax payments made for this entity towards the current tax year's liability?  Yes  No		Y	Υ	
Note: For EFTPS Confirmation Number, if more than 15 digits, enter the first 15 digits.		ı	ı	
First Payment, regardless of quarter or date paid.				
Method Direct Debit/ACH Cash Check EFTPS				
Amount paid with first quarter				
Date payment was requested to be debited				
For Cash payments, date cash was deposited. For Check payments, date on check.				
Last 4 digits of account number for Direct Debit/ACH or EFTPS payment				
EFTPS Confirmation Number				
Note: For EFTPS Confirmation Number, if more than 15 digits, enter the first 15 digits.				
Last Payment, regardless of quarter or date paid.  Do NOT use if only one estimated payment was made.				
Method Direct Debit/ACH Cash Check EFTPS				
Amount of last payment				
Date payment was requested to be debited				
For Cash payments, date cash was deposited. For Check payments, date on check.				
Last 4 digits of account number for Direct Debit/ACH or EFTPS payment				
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Part VIII, Lines 1a-h (990) - Contributions, Gifts, Grants, and Other Amounts

		_	Cash	Noncash
1	Federated Campaigns	1 _		
2	Membership dues	. 2		
	Fundraising events			
	Related organizations			
	Government grants (contributions)			
	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above:			
	Donations from the general public	_	201,775	
		_		
	Other contributions total	6	201,775	0
7	Total	7	201,775	0

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# Part VIII, Line 7 (990) - Gain/Loss from Sale of Assets Other than Inventory

	Gross	Cost, other
	sales	basis and expenses
Total Public Securities:	15,965	5,929
Total Non-Public Securities:	0	0
Total Other Sales:	0	0

			Check if	Check if									Expense		
			gain/loss is	gain/loss is	Check if						Cost or ot	her basis	of sale and		
			from sale	from sale of	purchaser						(Enter one	(Enter one field only)			
			of public	non public	is a		Date	Acquisition	Date	Gross sales		Donated	improve-		Description of
	Description	CUSIP#	securities	securities	business	Purchaser	acquired	method	sold	price	Cost	value	ments	Depreciation	Basis Method
1	Tesla Inc	88160R101	Χ				9/25/2019		1/12/2023	3,986	499				Cash
2	Tesla Inc	88160R101	Χ				9/25/2019		2/16/2023	2,793	197				Cash
3	Tesla Inc	88160R101	Χ				8/2/2023		9/11/2023	273	254				Cash
4	Tesla Inc	88160R101	Χ				7/26/2023		9/11/2023	4,907	4,737				Cash
5	Tesla Inc	88160R101	Х				9/25/2019		12/14/2023	4,006	242				Cash

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# Part X, Lines 11 and 12 (990) - Investments - Securities

					Total:	0	2,357	39,956
		Check if		Check if			Beginning	Ending
		Publicly	Check if	Closely-Held	Number	Value	Balance	Balance
		Traded	Financial	Equity	of Shares/	at Time of	Book Value	Book Value
	Description	Securities?	Derivatives	Interests	Face Value	Donation	Cost	Cost
1	Tesla Stock	Х			300.00		2,357	39,956
2	MSFT Stock	Х			0.00		0	0
3	V Stock	X			0.00		0	0