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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

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		applicable:	C Name of organization National Association of Veterans' Res	earch and Education	on Foundations			D Employ	er identi	fication number
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	Part I	Sum	nmary						<i>DC</i>	
			escribe the organization's mission	or most signif	icant activities	s:				
m	-		s mission is to advance the succe	_			arch and ed	ducation corpo	rations	
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o ve	,	Check tl	his box ▶☐ if the organization di	scontinued its	operations or	disposed	of more tha	an 25% of its	net asse	ets.
Ü	3	Number	of voting members of the governi	ng body (Part V	l, line 1a) .				3	1 2
S	4	Number	of independent voting members o	f the governing	body (Part VI,	, line 1b)			4	1 2
vitie	5	Total nu	imber of individuals employed in o	calendar year 2	019 (Part V, lii	ne 2a) .			5	3
Activities & Governance	6	Total nu	imber of volunteers (estimate if n	ecessary) .					6	0
ď			related business revenue from Pa						7a	0
	b	Net unre	elated business taxable income fr	om Form 990-T	, line 39 .	<u> </u>	<u> </u>		7b	0
								Prior Year	0.0	Current Year
9			utions and grants (Part VIII, line 1					39,3		153,738
Revenue		-	service revenue (Part VIII, line 2)					614,6		487,825
ä			ient income (Part VIII, column (A), evenue (Part VIII, column (A), line		-			24,8	74	13,391
			venue—add lines 8 through 11 (m			-	,	678,8	59	654,954
	_		and similar amounts paid (Part IX,	-		-	,	<u> </u>		0
			paid to or for members (Part IX, o		-					0
50			, other compensation, employee I		-	lines 5-1	10)	462,9	77	504,433
nse	16	a Professi	ional fundraising fees (Part IX, col	umn (A), line 1	1e)					0
Expenses	ь	Total fund	fraising expenses (Part IX, column (D),	line 25) 58,423						
<u>m</u>	17	Other ex	xpenses (Part IX, column (A), line	es 11a-11d, 11	f-24e)			293,4	89	166,966
	18	Total ex	penses. Add lines 13–17 (must e	equal Part IX, co	olumn (A), line	25)		756,4	66	671,399
		Revenue	e less expenses. Subtract line 18	from line 12 .				-77,6	07	-16,445
Net Assets or Fund Balances							Begin	nning of Curren Year	t	End of Year
set	20	Total as	sets (Part X, line 16)					1,605,3	78	1,576,073
A A	21							421,8		360,953
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	par	er								
US	e Oı	ווא	Firm's address > 4641 MONTGOMERY AV	E STE 515				Phone no. (301)	913-0008	į
			BETHESDA, MD 20814							
			ss this return with the preparer sh	•		s)			.	Yes No
For I	Papei	rwork Red	duction Act Notice, see the separa	ate instructions	i.		Cat. No.	11282Y		Form 990 (2019)

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Briefly describe the organization's mission: NAVREF's mission is to advance the success of the VA-affiliated nonprofit research and education corporations.

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Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?

☐ Yes No If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O. Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program Yes No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O. the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, 208,004 125,000) (Code:) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ 0) (Revenue \$ 4a

Program Development: In collaboration with VA Office of Research & Development, NAVREF initiated the Access to Clinical Trials for Veterans (ACT for Veterans) program. This is a multiyear effort designed to provide Veterans with greater access to industry sponsored clinical trials and make VA a partner of choice for industry sponsored trials. Given that VA serves over 9 million veterans, it is imperative that those veterans be afforded the opportunity to receive the latest innovative treatments without leaving the healthcare system. By engaging multiple stakeholders from VA, pharma, and patient advocacy groups, ACT has been able to identify barriers and propose new procedures to streamline operations. This initiative is largely possible due to financial support from outside donors who recognize the importance of clinical trials to the healthcare of veterans. NAVREF has been actively involved, not only through staff participation, but also by seeking the financial support needed to hire the ACT for Veterans Program Coordinator, and to bring stakeholders together for two face-to-face meetings. One of the most significant products of the initiative has been the joint establishment with VA of the Partnered Research Program (PRP), a dedicated resource for internal and external stakeholders interested in conducting multisite trials withinwithin VA. The PRP is essential to ensuring that Veterans will have greater access to trials within VA. The PRP will shepherd trials through the start-up process (from initial contact through IRB approval), provide education regarding VA procedure, and serve as a clearinghouse of information regarding VA assets and capabilities. NAVREF also pursues an Outreach Program to highlight the VA research program and the

capabilities of the nonprofit foundations. This program involves meeting with dozens of biomedical research organizations and vendors, patient advocacy groups, veterans service organizations, and any stakeholder who supports the health of veterans. NAVREF is establishing an Industry Partner Consortium to focus on information sharing and collaborating with pharma industry partners. Through outreach NAVREF is heightening awareness of VA research and the nonprofits and exploring opportunities to partner and collaborate to benefit veterans' health. 117,012 including grants of \$ 0) (Revenue \$ 70,850) (Code:) (Expenses \$

Education: Education is a critical component of NAVREF's vision, mission and values. NAVREF offers a variety of educational opportunities to its members. These include: (1) training workshops- typically 2 day events focused on topics of interest, (2) "NPC Essentials"- an annual workshop designed to introduce new executive directors and senior staff to their new roles and responsibilities, key functions of the NPCs, and the relationship between the NPCs and VA, (3) a monthly webinar series - a member-driven program that delivers 1.5 hours of educational contact each month in order to address NPC-related topics and present services to procedures, and finances followed by a site visit to discuss specific issues and solutions with the NPC's executives and board of directors. The centerpiece of

members. In addition, NAVREF offers members a free Best Practice Consultation service which involves an intense preparatory review of bylaws, strategy, policies, NAVREF's educational program is our annual conference. The 3-day event averages 125 attendees from member organizations and focuses on the most relevant topics related to administration, governance, financial management, human resources, and revenue development. Plenary speakers from the US Congress, Department of Veterans Affairs. National Institutes of Health, and the life sciences industry provide keen insight on developing trends and initiatives. NAVREF also negotiates with other non-profit organizations to provide additional educational content for member employees and VA affiliated personnel at no cost to the members.

(Code:) (Expenses \$ 108,879 including grants of \$ 0) (Revenue \$ 415,447)

Member Communications & Services: NAVREF ensures the success of its members by providing both direct and indirect services. Members are encouraged to reach the bi-monthly newsletter produced by staff. This newsletter contains articles, updates, columns, and reminders keeping all members up-to-date on current activities within the non-profit sector, the clinical research industry, and the veteran research community. Over its 28-year history, NAVREF has developed contacts

out to NAVREF staff by phone or email for technical assistance and support. Information is also disseminated to members via the organization's website, email, and with numerous experts in NPC governance, finances, human resources, grants management, advocacy, and research administration. Many of these experts make themselves available to NAVREF and its' members to address emerging issues. NAVREF also provides members with a popular web-based "Member Forum" which allows members to pose questions to other members and NPC staff. In keeping with its vision, NAVREF provides a clinical trial matchmaking service which connects member organizations with clinical research opportunities for veterans. NAVREF staff actively pursue relationships with pharmaceutical companies and contract

research organizations interested in conducting research studies at VA medical centers. NAVREF negotiates with vendors to provide services for member organizations at group discounts.

(Code:) (Expenses \$ 75,502 including grants of \$ 0) (Revenue \$ 0)

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Partnership with Department of Veterans Affairs & Advocacy

including grants of \$

Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.)

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Pa	rt 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)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A 2	1	Yes	
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)?	2		Νo
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		No
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	4	Yes	
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 Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	5		No
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D,</i> Part I	6		No
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		No
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III	8		No
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		No
10	Did the organization, directly of through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments,	10		No

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If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII,

a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete

b Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of

Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that

If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional 🐒

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

Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for

b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year?

14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?

Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other

Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I(see instructions) Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on

domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II

b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?

Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or

Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on

Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E

assistance to or for foreign individuals? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV . . .

investments valued at \$100,000 or more? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV

any foreign organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV

addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)?

VIII, IX, or X as applicable.

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Pa	t IV 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		Νo
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," 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

b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception? . . .

c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year

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

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

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

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a A current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, or substantial contributor? If "Yes,"

c A 35% controlled entity of one or more individuals and/or organizations described in lines 28a or 28b? If "Yes,"

Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M . . .

Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified

Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations

35a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?

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 in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable .

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Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete

Wases " Complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV,

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 . . . Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related

Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization

Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V .

and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19?

c Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable

. Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV

or to a 35% controlled entity (including an employee thereof) or family member of any of these persons?

b A family member of any individual described in line 28a? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV .

d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?

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Part V

"Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I

If "Yes," completeSchedule L,Part III

conservation contributions?

sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3?

entity or family member of any of these persons?

instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):

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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	3		
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)	2b	Yes	
За	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a		Νo
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in 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	4a		No
b	accodes;t)enter the name of the foreign country:			
5a	See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts WBAND organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a		No
	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b		No
	If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5c		
	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the	6a		No
ou	organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?	- Ga		110
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or governot tax deductible?	gifts 6b		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).			
	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods are services provided to the payor?			No
	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?			
	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was require file Form 8282?	d to 7c		No
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year			
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e		Νo
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f		Νo
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 889 required?	9 as 7g		
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file Form 1098-C?	a 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.			
a	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a		
	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			
ь 11	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:			
	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			
c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand			
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a		No
	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	14b		<u> </u>
15	Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration excess parachute payment(s) during the year?	or 15		
16	If these rosami in the section 4968 excise tax on net investment incom	ne? 16		

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year by the following: **a** The governing body? .

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Form 990 (2019) Part VI

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

Section A. Governing Body and Management Yes No 1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax 12 Yeffiere 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 in Schedule O.

Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct

Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was

Bild the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets? .

7a Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or

b Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders,

Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the

Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O

b If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters,

b Describe in 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? If "No," go to line 13 . . .

affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes? 11a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing

b Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give

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?

16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a

.

b If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its 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?

Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe

supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person? .

Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are

other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?

Did the organization have members or stockholders?

b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?

10a Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates? .

Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?

b Other officers or key employees of the organization

List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed

Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? .

If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions).

a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official . .

in Schedule O how this was done

taxable entity during the year? .

Section C. Disclosure

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Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any

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Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024-A if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply. Own website 🔽 Another's website 🔽 Upon request 🗌 Other (explain in Schedule O) Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year. State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records: ▶Richard Starrs 1717 K ST NW Ste 900 Washington, D C 20006 (301) 656-5005

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Part VII

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

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, or 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

See instructions for the order in which to list t $\ \square$ Check this box if neither the organization n	•		ation	cor	npe	nsate	d an	ny current officer,	director, or truste	e.
(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	more pers	than on is a dir	one bot ecto	not bo: h ar or/ti	check, unla officerustee Highest compensated	ess er	(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099- MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099- MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
(1) Ron Hakes Chair	5.00	х		х				0	0	0
(2) Danielle Fleumer Vice Chair	5.00	х		х				0	0	0
(3) Peggy Bradley Treasurer	3.00	х		х				0	0	0
(4) Jeffrey Moore Director	2.00	х						0	0	0
(5) Michele Packard-Milam Director	3.00	Х						0	0	0
(6) Cindy Reutzel Director	2.00	х						0	0	0
(7) Tinesar Forrest Director	2.00	Х						0	0	0
(8) Paul Russo Director	2.00	Х						0	0	0
(9) Scott Gruber Chief of Staff	2.00	Х						0	0	0
(10) Gery Schulteis Associate Chief of Staff	2.00	Х						0	0	0
(11) Robert Forrester Director	3.00	Х						0	0	0
(12) Matthew Collier Director	3.00	х						0	0	0
(13) Richard Starrs Chief Executive Director	40.00			Х	х	х		230,000	0	17,250
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1b Sub-Total . . .

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Section A. Officers, I	Directors, Trustee	s, Key	Emp	oloy	ees	, and	Hig	ghest Compensat	ted Employees (continued)
(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	more pers and	than on is a dir	one both	not box h an or/tr	check c, unle office ustee Highest compens	ess er	(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Φ	Trustee			sated				

230,000 d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)

Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization > 1

Did the organization list any former officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual . . . For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the

organi <i>individ</i>			nd r	elat	ed oi	rgan	nizat	ions	gre	eate	r th	an \$	150	,000	? <i>If</i>	"Ye	s," (comp	lete	Sch	nedu	le J	for s	uch
			•					•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•			•			•
Did an	ту ре	ersoi	n list	ed o	n lin	ne 1	a re	ceive	e or	acc	rue	com	pen	satio	n fr	om	any	uni	elat	ed o	orga	niza	tion	or ir
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c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A

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		17,250
	Yes	No
3		Νo
4	Yes	

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	Νo
Yes	
	Νo

or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person **Section B. Independent Contractors** Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of

compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending w	ith or within the organization's	tax year.
(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compen

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
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Part	VIII					nonse or note to	any line in this Pa	rt VIII		г
		GREEK II GERE	dure	Contain	3 4 103	ponde or note to	(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections
	12	Federated camp	naigr	ns	1a			revenue		512 - 514
nts nts	1	b Membership du	_		1b					
iza no	١,	c Fundraising eve			1c					
S, G	١,	d Related organiz	atio	ns	1d					
ar E	•	e Government grants	(con	tributions)	1e					
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts										
		 All other contribution and similar amount above Noncash contribution 	s not	included	1f	153,738				
	,	lines 1a - 1f:\$			1g					
		h Total. Add lines	1a-	1f			153,738	1		1
						Business Code	415,447		0	
d)	2a	Membership Dues				541990	413,447			`
Program Service Revenue	b	Conference and Work	kshop	os		541990	70,850		0	
vice R	С	Other				541990	1,528		0	
Ser	d	-				-				
am	-									
LOG .	е									
Δ.	f	All other program	ı ser	vice reveni	II A					
		Total. Add lines				487,825				
		Investment income						T	T	
	otl	her					13,39	91	(13,39
		rimeilareamonnita)es -				bond proceeds	•			
	5 1	Royalties		(i) Re		(ii) Personal	-			
			1	(1) Ke	aı	(II) Personal	-			
	6a	Gross rents	6a							
	b	Less: rental expenses	6b							
	С	Rental								
		income or	6 c							
	a	(Nets)ental incom	ie or			(ii) Other				
	72	Gross amount	1	(i) Secu	rities	(II) Other	_			
	<i>,</i> a	from sales of assets other	7a							
		than inventory								
	b	Less: cost or other basis and	7b							
		sales expenses					4			
	С	Gain or (loss)	7 c							
		Net gain or (loss				•				
Other Revenue		Gross income from fu (not including \$ contributions reported See Part IV, line 18	d on l	of line 1c).	8a					
Re		Less: direct expe Net income or (lo			8b	events				
Jer		01 (10	,	ranur		•				
0	0-	Gross income fro								
		activities.	_	•	9a					
	b	See Part IV, line I Less: direct expe	19 ense	 :S	9b					
	С	Net income or (lo	ss)	from gamir	ng activ	vities 🕨				
	10-	Cross sales of in	vont	ony loca						
	±∪ā	Gross sales of inv returns and allow			10a					
	b	Less: cost of goo	ds s	sold	10b					
	c	Net income or (lo	ss) i	from sales	of inve	entory				
						•				
	11	Miscellaneo a	us F	Revenue		Business Code				
	b						1			
	J									
	С									
	d	All other revenue								
		Total. Add lines		-11d		•				
	12	Total revenue. Se	e in	structions						
		- Juli Cremaer 36	11	.50. 40010113	• •	•	654,95	487,82	25 (13,39

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Par	Statement of Functional Expenses				
	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to	•	•	•	` ' —
Do n	not include amounts reported on lines 6b,	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
	b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	Total expenses	Program service expenses	Management and general expenses	Fundraising expenses
	Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21				
	Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22				
	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				
	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	230,001	201,716	21,059	7,226
	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7	Other salaries and wages	211,077	185,120	19,326	6,631
	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	29,707	26,054	2,720	933
9	Other employee benefits	5,400	4,736	494	170
	Payroll taxes	28,248	24,775	2,586	887
	Fees for services (non-employees):				
а	Management				
ь	Legal				
	Accounting				
	Lobbying				
	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
	Investment management fees				
g	Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule 0)	91,948	3,067	46,817	42,064
12	Advertising and promotion				
13	Office expenses	12,695	6,663	6,000	32
14	Information technology				
15	Royalties				
16	Occupancy	10,780	9,488	941	351
17	Travel				
	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials .				
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	35,232	31,896	3,300	36
20	Interest				
21	Payments to affiliates				
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization				
23	Insurance				
	Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
а	Other/Miscellaneous	3,267	3,105	152	10
<u>-</u>	Bank service charge	0	0	0	0
_	Memberships	13,044	12,777	184	83
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<u>d</u>					
_	All other expenses	671,399	509,397	103,579	58,423
-	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization	0/1,399	303,337	103,379	30,423
	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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Pa	art X	Balance Sheet			
		Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX $$.			🗀
			(A)		(B)
	ı		Beginning of year		End of year
	1	Cash-non-interest-bearing	421,151	1	351,461
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	1,153,301	2	1,164,928
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	8,702	3	45,293
	4	Accounts receivable, net		4	
	5	Loans and other 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		5	
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section $4958(f)(1)$), and persons described in section $4958(c)(3)(B)$			
	_			6	
ets	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
ssets	8	Inventories for sale or use	40.054	8	40.040
A	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	19,054	9	12,642
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D 10a 49,835			
	ь	Less: accumulated depreciation 10b 48,086	2,671	10c	1,749
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities		11	
	12	Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13	Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14	Intangible assets		14	
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	499	15	
	16	Total assets: Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	1,605,378	16	1,576,073
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	139,336	17	46,382
	18	Grants payable		18	
	19	Deferred revenue	282,540	19	314,571
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	-
S	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	-
Liabilities	22	Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee,			
Pig		key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35%			
<u>.e</u>		controlled entity or family member of any of these persons		22	
-	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).		25	
		Complete Part X of Schedule D			
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	421,876	26	360,953
ses		Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here 🕨 🗹 and complete			
anc	27	lines 27, 28, 32, and 33. Net assets without donor restrictions	1,183,502	27	1,210,993
Sali	_/	Net assets without dollor restrictions	1,100,002	۷,	1,210,090
P	28	Net assets with donor restrictions		28	4,127
Assets or Fund Balances		Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here ▶ ☐ and			
or		complete lines 29 through 33.			
ts	29	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		29	_
se	30	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund		30	_
As	31	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds	4 400 500	31	4.045.400
Net	32	Total net assets or fund balances	1,183,502	32	1,215,120
_	33	Total liabilities and het assets/fund balances	1,605,378	33	1,576,073
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b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits.

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Name of the organization

SCHEDULE A

Public Charity Status and Public Support 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.

Inspection

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National Association of Veterans' Research and Education Foundations Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions. Part I The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 12, check only one box.) A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(i). A school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ).) A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).

A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). Enter the hospital's name, city, and state:

An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in section **170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II.) A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(v). An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.) A community trust described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.)

An agricultural research organization described in 170(b)(1)(A)(ix) operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land grant college of agriculture. See instructions. Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university:

An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 331/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross

receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 331/3% of its support

from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the

organization after June 30, 1975. See section 509(a)(2). (Complete Part III.)

An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See section 509(a)(4).

An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2). See section 509(a)(3). Check the box in lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g.

Type I. A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.

Type II. A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.

Type III functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.

Type III non-functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is (see instructions). You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.

not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type II, Type III, functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.

Provide the following information about the supported organization(s). (i) Name of supported (ii) EIN (iv) Is the organization (iii) Type of (v) Amount of organization organization listed in your governing monetary support (described on lines document? (see instructions)

(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions) 1- 10 above (see instructions)) Yes No

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2019 Page 2 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 failed to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.) Section A. Public Support Calendar year (a) 2015 **(b)** 2016 (c) 2017 (d) 2018 (e) 2019 (f) Total (or fiscal year beginning in) 1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grant.") . . 2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge... 4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3 **5** The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f) **Public support.** Subtract line 5 from line 4. Section B. Total Support Calendar year (a) 2015 **(b)** 2016 (c) 2017 (d) 2018 (e) 2019 (f) Total (or fiscal year beginning in) 7 Amounts from line 4. . 8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties

and income from similar sources

business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on

Public support percentage for 2018 Schedule A, Part II, line 14

Public support percentage for 2019 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3)

Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2019

Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.).
 Total support. Add lines 7 through

9 Net income from unrelated

347,312

3,040,762

3,388,074

0

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3,388,074

3,388,074

108,216

108,216

96.900 %

97.590 %

3.100 %

2.410 %

(f) Total

0

(f) Total

(b) 2016

22,730

636,595

659,325

(c) 2017

131,462

696,491

827,953

827,953

25,829

25,829

(c) 2017

(d) 2018

39,382

614,603

653,985

653,985

33,242

33,242

(d) 2018

(e) 2019

153,738

478,429

632,167

632,167

27,138

27,138

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2019

(e) 2019

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.)

614,644

614,644

(a) 2015

Section A. Public Support

Calendar y	year
(or fiscal	year beginning in) 🕨

Gifts, grants, contributions, and

membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") .

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

Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513

Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf

The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to

the organization without charge **Total.** Add lines 1 through 5

and 3 received from disqualified persons **b** Amounts included on lines 2 and 3

7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, received from other than disqualified persons that exceed

the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year. c Add lines 7a and 7b. .

from line 6.)

Public support. (Subtract line 7c Section B. Total Support Calendar year

(or fiscal year beginning in) **9** Amounts from line 6. . . Gross income from interest,

dividends, payments received on

securities loans, rents, royalties

and income from similar sources Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes)

from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975. c Add lines 10a and 10b.

Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the

business is regularly carried on. 12 Other income. Do not include gain

or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.) . .

13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c,

11, and 12.). . First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization,

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Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

5,535

(a) 2015 614,644

5,535

Public support percentage for 2019 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))

Investment income percentage for 2019 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))

Public support percentage from 2018 Schedule A, Part III, line 15

Investment income percentage from 2018 Schedule A, Part III, line 17

(b) 2016 659,325

16,472

16,472

19a 331/3% support tests—2019. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than $\overline{33}$ 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization b 33 1/3% support tests-2018. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3% and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization 🕨 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).

amendment to the organizing document).

organization's organizing document?

checked 12b of

12d of Part I, complete

and (c) below.

made the determination.

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No

you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.

"Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

(1) or (2))? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.

organizations)? If "Yes," answer line 10b below.

whether the organization had excess business holdings).

or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.

describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.

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,

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

Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer (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

Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B)

Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes" and if

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

Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) 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

Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the

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

Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with

Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? If

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)

Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from,

Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine

b Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the

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

assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.

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

purposes? If "Yes," explain in **Part VI** what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.

all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.

Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?

regard to a substantial contributor? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

the filing organization's supported organizations? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.

supporting organization had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.

(Complete only if you checked a box on line 12 of Part I. If you checked 12a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you

Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 12c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

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10b Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2019

Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer (a) and (b) below.

each of the supported organizations? Provide details in Part VI.

a Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of

b Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs and activities of each of

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Ρē	Supporting Organizations (continued)			
			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 in (b) and (c) below, the governing body of a supported organization?	11a		
b	A family member of a person described in (a) above?	11b		
c	A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI .	11c		
S	Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's 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 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, supervised or controlled the supporting organization.			
S	Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations			
			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 Part VI how control or			
	management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported	1		
S	Section ^z D ^{:/} เล้เก๋ Type III Supporting Organizations			
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	Yes	No
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 in (2), 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 supported organizations played in this	3		
-	Section. 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 ins	tructio	ne).	
_	a 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.			
	c The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity	(500		
	instructions)	(566		
2	Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.		Yes	No
	a Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in Part VI identify 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		. 65	
	constituted substantially all of its activities.			
	b Did the activities described in (a) 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		

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Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally-integrated Type III supporting organization (see

1 Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes

Section DOrganizations

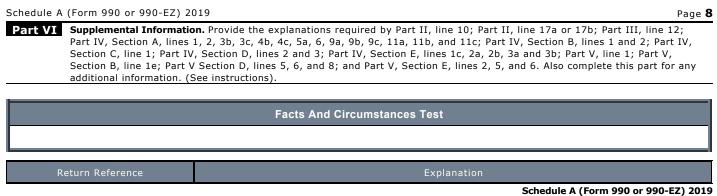
d Excess from 2018.

e Excess from 2019. . . .

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2 Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers excess of income from activity			
3 Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt	nizations	_	
4 Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets			
5 Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval requi	ired)		
6 Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instruc	tions		
7 Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.			
8 Distributions to attentive supported organizations to details in Part VI). See instructions	which the organization is res	sponsive (provide	
9 Distributable amount for 2019 from Section C, line 6			
10 Line 8 amount divided by Line 9 amount			
Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2019	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2019
1 Distributable amount for 2019 from Section C, line 6			
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2019 (reasonable cause required explain in Part VI).			
See instructions.			
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2019:			
a From 2014			
b From 2015			
c From 2016			
d From 2017			
e From 2018			
f Total of lines 3a through e			
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years h Applied to 2019 distributable amount			
i Carryover from 2014 not applied (see instructions)			
j Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
4 Distributions for 2019 from Section D, line 7:			
\$			
a Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b Applied to 2019 distributable amount			
c Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2019, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. If the amount is greater than zero, explain in Part VI			
See instructions.			
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2019. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. If the amount is greater than zero, explain in Part VI . See instructions.			
7 Excess distributions carryover to 2020. Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8 Breakdown of line 7:			
a Excess from 2015			
b Excess from 2016			
c Excess from 2017			



SCHEDULE C (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

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▶ Complete if the organization is described below. ▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ►Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, Line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then Section 501(c)(3) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and B. Do not complete Part I-C.

- Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and C below. Do not complete Part I-B.
- Section 527 organizations: Complete Part I-A only.

If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, Line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

 Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-A. Do not complete Part II-B. Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-B. Do not complete Part II-A. If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, Line 5 (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions) or Form 990-EZ, Part V,

line 35c (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions), then Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations: Complete Part III.

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		52-1784596	5					
Part	t I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a	section 52	7 organizati	ion.				
1	Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Pa definition of "political campaign activities")	rt IV (see inst	ructions for					
2	Political campaign activity expenditures (see instructions)	▶	\$					
3	Volunteer hours for political campaign activities (see instructions)							
Part	t I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section $501(c)(3)$.							
1	Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955		\$					
2	Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955		\$					
3	If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?		Yes	☐ No				
4a	Was a correction made?		Yes	☐ No				
	If "Yes," describe in Part IV.							
Par	art I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section $501(c)$, except section $501(c)(3)$.							

3	Total exempt function expenditures. Add lines 1 and 2. Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b	\$		
4	Did the filing organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	_	Yes	

Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities

Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities

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 political action committee (PAC). If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV.							
(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds. If none, enter -0	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization. If none, enter -0			
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filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

Part II-B

(b)

(a)

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For each "Yes" response on lines 1a through 1i below, provide in Part IV a detailed description of the lobbying activity. Yes | No Amount During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state or local 1 legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of: Volunteers? Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)? Media advertisements? Mailings to members, legislators, or the public? Publications, or published or broadcast statements? Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes? Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body? Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means? Other activities? Total. Add lines 1c through 1i Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)? 2a If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912 If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912 If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year? Part III-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6). Yes No Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members? 1 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less? 2 2 Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year? Part III-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) and if either (a) BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2, are answered "No" OR (b) Part III-A, line 3, is answered "Yes." Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members 2 Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid). 2a Current year 2b Carryover from last year Total 2c Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues . 3 If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and political expenditure next year? 4 Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)

Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and has NOT

Part IV **Supplemental Information**

Provide 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, lines 1 and

2 (see instructions), and Part II-B, line 1. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

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. 2019

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Na	ame of the organization	on			Employer identi	fication number
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P		ions Maintaining Donor A f the organization answered			52-1784596 unds or Accou	nts.
	Complete	the organization unswered		advised funds	(b) Funds a	nd other accounts
	Total number at end	of year				
2	Aggregate value of c	ontributions to (during year)				
;	Aggregate value of g	rants from (during year)				
ļ	Aggregate value at e	end of year				
5	-	n inform all donors and donor adv property, subject to the organizat	_			re Yes No
5	charitable purposes	n inform all grantees, donors, and and not for the benefit of the don te benefit?	nor or donor adviso	r, or for any other purpo	ose conferring .	for Yes No
Pa		tion Easements. f the organization answered '	"Yes" on Form 99	00, Part IV, line 7.		
	_' ` ` '	ervation easements held by the o land for public use (e.g., recreati	•		historically impor	tant land area
	Protection of na		,	Preservation of a		
	Preservation of	open space				
2		hrough 2d if the organization hel	d a qualified conse	rvation contribution in t		ervation the End of the Year
а		servation easements			2a	ile Eliu oi tile Teal
b	Total acreage restri	cted by conservation easements	;		2b	
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С.		tion easements on a certified his		. ,	2c	
d	historic structure lis	ation easements included in (c) a sted in the National Register			2d	
5	Number of conservation tax year	ation easements modified, transfe	erred, released, ext	inguished, or terminate	d by the organizat	ion during the
Ļ	Number of states w	here property subject to conserv	ation easement is	located 🕨		
5	_	on have a written policy regardin prcement of the conservation eas	• •		_	Yes No
5	Staff and volunteer year	hours devoted to monitoring, ins	specting, handling o	f violations, and enforc	ing conservation e	asements during the
,	Amount of expenses	s incurred in monitoring, inspecti	ng, handling of vio	ations, and enforcing c	onservation easem	ents during the year
3		ation easement reported on line 270(h)(4)(B)(ii)?				Yes No
•	balance sheet, and	oe how the organization reports of include, if applicable, the text of accounting for conservation ease	the footnote to the			•
a	rt IIII Organizat	ions Maintaining Collection the organization answered	ons of Art, Hist		or Other Simil	ar Assets.
la	works of art, histori	elected, as permitted under SFA: ical treasures, or other similar as Part XIII, the text of the footno	sets held for public	exhibition, education,	or research in furt	
b	works of art, histori	elected, as permitted under SFA ical treasures, or other similar as a following amounts relating to th	sets held for public			
	(i) Revenue included	on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 .			> \$	
((ii) Assets included in	Form 990, Part X			> \$	
2		received or held works of art, his required to be reported under SF				ovide the
а	Revenue included o	on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1			> \$	

Par	tIII Organizations Maintaining C	ollection	ıs of Art, H	istorical T	reasu	res, or (Other Sim	nilar Asse	ts (co	ntinued)
3	Using the organization's acquisition, access	ion, and ot	her records, c	heck any of t	the follow	wing that	are a signifi	icant use of	its	
а	collection items (check all that apply): Public exhibition		d	□ Loon	or oveh-	ange prog	rame			
	Public exhibition									
b	Scholarly research		е	Other	r					
С	Preservation for future generations									
4	Provide a description of the organization's c Part XIII.	ollections a	and explain ho	w they furth	er the or	ganizatio	n's exempt p	ourpose in		
5	During the year, did the organization solicit assets to be sold to raise funds rather than							Yes	- No	
Pa	rt IV Escrow and Custodial Arrange Complete if the organization and Part X, line 21.			990, Part 1	IV, line	9, or rep	orted an a	amount on	Form	n 990,
1a	Is the organization an agent, trustee, custo included on Form 990, Part X?							Yes	No	
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XI	II and com	nlete the follo	wing table:			A	mount		_
c	Beginning balance		•	•		1c				_
d	Additions during the year					1d				_
e	Distributions during the year					1e				_
f	Ending balance					1f				_
	-					L		□ voc □	No	_
2a	Did the organization include an amount on	Form 990,	Part X, line 21	, for escrow	or custo	dial accou	int liability?	i res i	NO	
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part X	III. Check l	here if the exp	lanation has	been pr	ovided in	Part XIII .	□		
Pa	rt V Endowment Funds.									
	Complete if the organization ans						1			
1-	Deginning of year balance	(a) Curre	ent year (b) Prior year	(c) Iwo	years back	(d) Three year	ars back (e) i	our yea	ars back
	Beginning of year balance									
	Contributions									
С	Net investment earnings, gains, and losses									
d	Grants or scholarships]						
e	Other expenditures for facilities and programs									
f	Administrative expenses									
	End of year balance									
2	Provide the estimated percentage of the cur	rent year e	end balance (li	ne 1g, colum	ın (a)) h	eld as:		I.		
а	Board designated or quasi-endowment	•	•	3,	(),					
ь	Permanent endowment									
c	Temporarily restricted endowment									
	The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c sh	ould equal	100%.							
3a	Are there endowment funds not in the posse	ession of th	e organization	that are hel	d and ad	Iministere	d for the			
	organization by:							- m	Yes	No
	(i) unrelated organizations							3a(i) 3a(ii)		
b	(ii) related organizations			Schedule R				3b		
-			as . equ eu e							
4	Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of t	he organiza	ation's endown	nent funds.						
Pa	rt VI Land, Buildings, and Equipm			000 0		11- C-) D+ V I	: 1	0
	Complete if the organization and Description of property (a) Cost or oth (investme	er basis	(b) Cost or other			cumulated d			ook valu	
	(iiivesaine									
1a	Land	0								0
b	Buildings									
С	Leasehold improvements									
d	Equipment			4,014	1		2,265			1,749
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Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)

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Part VII	Investments—Other Securities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 9	990. Part I\	/. line	11b.See Form 9	90. Part X	. line 12.
	(a) Description of security or category	(b) Book value		(c) Method	d of valuation	on:
(1) Financia	(including name of security) al derivatives	value		Cost or end-of	-year marki	et value
	-held equity interests					
(B)						
(C)						
(D)						
(E)						
(F)						
(G)						
(H)						
(I)						
Total. (Colum	nn (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.)	•				
Part VIII	Investments—Program Related. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 9	990. Part I\	/. line	11c. See Form ^Q	90. Part)	C. line 13.
V	(a) Description of investment	, 50 / Tare 11	7	(b) Book value	(c) Meth	nod of valuation: nd-of-year market
(2)						value
(3)						
(4)						
(5)						
(6)						
(7)						
(8)						
(9)						
(10)						
Total. (Colum	nn (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col.(B) line 13.)		•			
Part IX	Other Assets. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 9	90, Part IV	, line :	l 1d. See Form 990		
(2)	(a) Description				- (1	b) Book value
(3)						
(4)						
(5)						
(6)						
(7)						
(8)						
(9)						
(10)						
Total. (Colu	mn (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col.(B) line 15.)				b	
Part X	Other Liabilities. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 99	90, Part IV	, line 1	l1e or 11f.		
1.	See Form 990, Part X, line 25. (a) Description of liability	ility				(b) Book value
(1) Federal	income taxes					
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
(5)						
(6)						
(7)						
(8)						
(9)						
Total. (Colum	nn (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 FIN 48 (ASC 740). Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part

Part XIII

Supplemental Information

Return Reference

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.

Explanation

Schedule D (Form 990) 2019

(Form 990) For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest **Compensated Employees** ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23. Department of the Treasury

Schedule J

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Compensation Information

52-1784596 **Questions Regarding Compensation** No Yes Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items. First-class or charter travel Housing allowance or residence for personal use Travel for companions Payments for business use of personal residence Tax idemnification and gross-up payments Health or social club dues or initiation fees Discretionary spending account Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef) If any of the boxes on Line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain 1b Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked on Line 1a? . . . Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III. Compensation committee Written employment contract

Independent compensation consultant Compensation survey or study Form 990 of other organizations Approval by the board or compensation committee During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization: 4a

Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement? If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.

Only 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9. For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of: The organization?

Any related organization?

If "Yes," on line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.

compensation contingent on the net earnings of:

If "Yes," on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.

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Any related organization?

Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?

For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any

For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any nonfixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III

subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe

Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accured pursuant to a contract that was

Name of the organization National Association of Veterans' Research and Education Foundations

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8 If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990. Cat. No. 50053T Schedule J (Form 990) 2019

Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space 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

Note. The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must e (A) Name and Title					(C) Retirement			(F)
(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			and other deferred	benefits	columns	Compensation in column (B)
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation	compensation		(B)(i)-(D)	reported as deferred on prio Form 990
1Richard Starrs	(i)	230,000	0	0	17,250	0	247,250	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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Return Reference	Explanation							
Pt VI, Line 6	Explanation of Classes of Members or Shareholder							
Pt VI, Line 6	NAVREF is the membership association of VA-affiliated nonprofit research and education corporations established in accordance with 38 USC 7361-7366.							
Pt VI, Line 7a	How Members or Shareholders Elect Governing Body							
Pt VI, Line 7a	All members have the right to elect Class A board members during regularly scheduled annual elections. When a Class A position becomes vacant between elections, the governing board appoints a replacement to complete the year for the vacated postion until the next election. Class B board members are appointed by the governing body for renewable one-year terms.							
Pt VI, Line 11b	Form 990 Review Process							
Pt VI, Line 11b	NAVREF's IRS Form 990 is prepared and reviewed in a multi-step process. The organization's outside preparer presents the form to the CEO and the Finance & Audit Committee and answers all questions. After the review and discussion, the preparer updates the draft and presents to the full board in a board meeting. After the review and discussion, the preparer finalizes the form and sends it to the NAVREF CEO. The CEO reviews the form again and signs it. The CEO then sends the electronic copy to each board member before returning it to the preparer for filing with the IRS.							
Pt VI, Line 12c	Explanation of Monitoring and Enforcement of Conflicts							
Pt VI, Line 12c	Annually during the fall board meeting, board members and the executive director review the conflict of interest policy and complete their disclosure forms. The disclosure forms are evaluated by the executive director and/or chair. In addition, on ever quarterly board agenda the following statement is printed, "Prior to the start of the meeting or at any time during the meeting, please disclose any potential conflicts of interest pertinent to service on the NAVREF board that were not reported on your mo recent conflict of interest disclosure form." If a conflict is identified, the board will recuse the member from any applicable matter.							
Pt VI, Line 15a	Compensation Review & Approval Process for CEO, Exec. Dir., or Top Management - NAVREF's process for determining compensation for the CEO begins with the annual performance evaluation. The board chair provides other board members with the draft evaluation every year and every third year the board engages in discussion with NAVREF's compensation consultant or other external sources on the appropriate range for the CEO's compensation. The chair and the consultant consider the CEO's job description and performance evaluation, NAVREF's pay philosophy, the national increase in the cost of living and average cost of living increases provided in the Washington, DC area as well as comparable cities nationwide. The consultant reviews national and local salary surveys and assembles data that demonstrates the salary range for similarly qualified individuals in comparable positions. The chair provides the draft evaluation and the results of the consultant's work to the full board along with a recommendation for the CEO's compensation. After excusing the CEO and board members who may have a conflict of interest (if any), the remaining board members review and discuss these materials, including the comparability data, and then approve the CEO's compensation. The board's deliberations and decision are recorded in the meeting minutes. The board engaged an outside consultant in FY2016 for the CEO's compensation review. In preparation for the FY2019 review, the board engaged an outside consultant and used the consultant's input to establish the CEO's compensation for 2019.							
Pt VI, Line 19	Other Organization Documents Publicly Available. Available on site upon request.							
Pt VI, Line 8b	No committees have the authority to make decisions on behalf of the governing board							
Pt VI, Line 7b	NAVREF members vote on bylaws.							
Other	NAVREF engages with the VA and other federal agencies on issues and policy matters of importance to the Non-Profit Corporations and VA research. These other agencies included the National Institutes of Health, Department of Defense, Office of Government Ethics, and Office of Management and Budget. Additionally, NAVREF works with non-profit organizations, scientific professional societies and pharmaceutical industry partners on matters of mutual interest. Operating and leading a VA-affiliated NPC requires significant cooperation and collaboration with U.S. Department of Veterans' Affairs at the local medical center level and the central office level. NAVREF facilitates exchanges between VA and its' members by identifying issues/concerns and proposing solutions through engagement with numerous VA offices: Office of Research & Development, Non-Profit Program Office, Technology Transfer Program, Office of General Counsel, Office of Academic Affiliation. Primary working relationships exist with VA's Office of Research & Development. NAVREF regularly attends meetings of the National Research Advisory Council, among other forums, to foster relationships with VA research leaders and maintain awareness of emerging issues and programs.							
Form 990, Part III, Line 4d	Partnership with Department of Veterans Affairs & Advocacy 75502. 0. 0.							
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