

Form **8879-EO****IRS e-file Signature Authorization
for an Exempt Organization**

OMB No. 1545-1878

For calendar year 2017, or fiscal year beginning JUL 1, 2017, and ending JUN 30, 2018▶ **Do not send to the IRS. Keep for your records.**▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form8879EO for the latest information.****2017**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of exempt organization

**AMERICAN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA LEAGUE
D/B/A LEAGUE OF AMERICAN ORCHESTRAS**

Employer identification number

**** - ***0636**

Name and title of officer

**JESSE ROSEN
PRES/CEO****Part I Type of Return and Return Information** (Whole Dollars Only)

Check the box for the return for which you are using this Form 8879-EO and enter the applicable amount, if any, from the return. If you check the box on line **1a**, **2a**, **3a**, **4a**, or **5a**, below, and the amount on that line for the return being filed with this form was blank, then leave line **1b**, **2b**, **3b**, **4b**, or **5b**, whichever is applicable, blank (do not enter -0-). But, if you entered -0- on the return, then enter -0- on the applicable line below. **Do not** complete more than 1 line in Part I.

1a Form 990 check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue , if any (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1b <u>5,008,329.</u>
2a Form 990-EZ check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue , if any (Form 990-EZ, line 9)	2b _____
3a Form 1120-POL check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total tax (Form 1120-POL, line 22)	3b _____
4a Form 990-PF check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Tax based on investment income (Form 990-PF, Part VI, line 5)	4b _____
5a Form 8868 check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Balance Due (Form 8868, line 3c)	5b _____

Part II Declaration and Signature Authorization of Officer

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I am an officer of the above organization and that I have examined a copy of the organization's 2017 electronic return and accompanying schedules and statements and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I further declare that the amount in Part I above is the amount shown on the copy of the organization's electronic return. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send the organization's return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS (a) an acknowledgement of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, (b) the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and (c) the date of any refund. If applicable, I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) entry to the financial institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of the organization's federal taxes owed on this return, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account. To revoke a payment, I must contact the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent at 1-888-353-4537 no later than 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial institutions involved in the processing of the electronic payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and resolve issues related to the payment. I have selected a personal identification number (PIN) as my signature for the organization's electronic return and, if applicable, the organization's consent to electronic funds withdrawal.

Officer's PIN: check one box only

☒ I authorize **MARKS PANETH LLP** to enter my PIN **12345**
ERO firm name Enter five numbers, but
do not enter all zeros

as my signature on the organization's tax year 2017 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I also authorize the aforementioned ERO to enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

☐ As an officer of the organization, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the organization's tax year 2017 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I will enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

Officer's signature ▶ CLIENT COPY Date ▶ _____

Part III Certification and Authentication

ERO's EFIN/PIN. Enter your six-digit electronic filing identification number (EFIN) followed by your five-digit self-selected PIN.

26298212345

Do not enter all zeros

I certify that the above numeric entry is my PIN, which is my signature on the 2017 electronically filed return for the organization indicated above. I confirm that I am submitting this return in accordance with the requirements of **Pub. 4163**, Modernized e-File (MeF) Information for Authorized IRS e-file Providers for Business Returns.

ERO's signature ▶ _____ Date ▶ _____

**ERO Must Retain This Form - See Instructions
Do Not Submit This Form to the IRS Unless Requested To Do So**

LHA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see instructions.

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Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

▶ Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.

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

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2017Open to Public
Inspection**A** For the 2017 calendar year, or tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2017** and ending **JUN 30, 2018****B** Check if applicable:

- ☐ Address change
☐ Name change
☐ Initial return
☐ Final return/terminated
☐ Amended return
☐ Application pending

C Name of organization**AMERICAN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA LEAGUE
D/B/A LEAGUE OF AMERICAN ORCHESTRAS**Doing business as **LEAGUE OF AMERICAN ORCHESTRAS**

Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address)

33 WEST 60TH STREET 5TH FLOOR

Room/suite

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code

NEW YORK, NY 10023**F** Name and address of principal officer: **JESSE ROSEN****SAME AS C ABOVE****D** Employer identification number**** - ***0636****E** Telephone number**212-262-5161****G** Gross receipts \$ **5,155,034.****H(a)** Is this a group returnfor subordinates? ☐ Yes ☒ No**H(b)** Are all subordinates included? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)

H(c) Group exemption number ▶**I** Tax-exempt status: ☒ 501(c)(3) ☐ 501(c)() (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527**J** Website: ▶ **WWW.AMERICANORCHESTRAS.ORG****K** Form of organization: ☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other ▶**L** Year of formation: **1962** **M** State of legal domicile: **NY****Part I Summary**

Activities & Governance	1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: THE MISSION OF THE LEAGUE OF AMERICAN ORCHESTRAS IS TO LEAD, ENCOURAGE, SUPPORT AND SERVE
	2	Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.
	3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) 3 49
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) 4 41
	5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2017 (Part V, line 2a) 5 38
	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) 6 49
	7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 7a 157,275.
7b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34 7b 28,576.	
Revenue	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) 5,219,873. 3,964,832.
	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) 737,011. 905,390.
	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) 147,176. 122,994.
	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e) 31,735. 15,113.
	12	Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) 6,135,795. 5,008,329.
Expenses	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3) 1,365,530. 1,626,250.
	14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) 0. 0.
	15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10) 3,451,027. 3,095,325.
	16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) 0. 0.
	b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 728,008.
	17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e) 2,244,710. 2,359,297.
	18	Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) 7,061,267. 7,080,872.
19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12 -925,472. -2,072,543.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16) 10,848,176. 9,130,271.
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) 908,168. 975,181.
	22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20 9,940,008. 8,155,090.

Part II Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here	CLIENT COPY		Date
	Signature of officer JESSE ROSEN, PRES/CEO Type or print name and title		
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name MAGDALENA M. CZERNIAWSKI	Preparer's signature MAGDALENA M. CZERNIA	Date
	Firm's name ▶ MARKS PANETH LLP Firm's address ▶ 685 THIRD AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10017	Firm's EIN ▶ ** - ***8842	Phone no. 212-503-8800

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) ☒ Yes ☐ No

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

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

☒ X

- 1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

THE MISSION OF THE LEAGUE OF AMERICAN ORCHESTRAS IS TO LEAD,
ENCOURAGE, SUPPORT AND SERVE ORCHESTRAS AS THEY ASSURE THE VITALITY OF
THE MUSICAL EXPERIENCE, STRENGTHEN THE ENTIRE ORCHESTRAL ORGANIZATION
AND DEEPEN THEIR CONNECTIONS WITH THEIR PUBLIC AND THEIR COMMUNITIES.

- 2 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.

- 3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

- 4 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, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code:) (Expenses \$ 3,237,276. including grants of \$ 1,626,250.) (Revenue \$ 752,788.)

LEARNING AND LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

THE LEAGUE OFFERS A VARIETY OF SEMINARS, FELLOWSHIPS, MENTORING
CIRCLES, ONLINE LEARNING, AND MEETINGS THROUGH WHICH ORCHESTRA STAFF,
BOARD MEMBERS, MUSICIANS, AND VOLUNTEERS CAN BUILD VALUABLE LEADERSHIP
SKILLS TO ADDRESS THEIR ORCHESTRAS' SHORT- AND LONG-TERM CHALLENGES AND
EVALUATE AND IMPROVE GOVERNANCE PRACTICE. THE ANNUAL NATIONAL
CONFERENCE OFFERS ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
WHILE PROVIDING A FORUM TO DISCUSS EMERGING ISSUES AND TRENDS, EXCHANGE
IDEAS, AND MODEL POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS TO COMMON PROBLEMS.

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ 966,116. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

COMMUNICATIONS AND PUBLIC RELATIONS

THE LEAGUE PROVIDES ORCHESTRAS AND INDIVIDUALS WITH UPDATES AND NEWS
ABOUT THE FIELD; DEVELOPS STRATEGIC MESSAGING ABOUT THE PUBLIC VALUE OF
ORCHESTRAS, FOR USE NATIONALLY AND BY ORCHESTRAS LOCALLY; FURNISHES
FIELD-WIDE DATA AND CONTEXT TO JOURNALISTS; AND PROVIDES MEDIA
RELATIONS GUIDANCE TO ORCHESTRAS NATIONWIDE.

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ 302,141. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

THE LEAGUE EQUIPS ORCHESTRAS WITH INDUSTRY-SPECIFIC RESEARCH AND
INFORMATION TO FUEL INNOVATION AND PROVIDES THE DATA AND INFORMATION
THEY NEED TO MAKE KEY DECISIONS. THE LEAGUE ALSO CONDUCTS, ANALYZES,
AND DISSEMINATES A RANGE OF SURVEYS-FROM QUICK QUESTIONS FOCUSING ON
SPECIFIC ISSUES, TO ANNUAL, IN-DEPTH STUDIES.

- 4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.)

(Expenses \$ 918,503. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e Total program service expenses 5,424,036.

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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i>	X	
2 Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> ?	X	
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i>		X
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>	X	
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		X
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, Part I</i>		X
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>		X
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i>		X
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>		X
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>	X	
11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI</i>	X	
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII</i>		X
c Did the organization report an amount for investments - program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i>		X
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i>		X
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>	X	
f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>	X	
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i>	X	
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional</i>		X
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		X
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</i>		X
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>		X
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i>		X
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i>		X
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>		X
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		X

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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

	Yes	No
20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H		X
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		
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	X	
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	X	
23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? If "Yes," complete Schedule J	X	
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		X
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 to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		
d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding 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		X
b Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I		X
26 Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II		X
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III		X
28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):		
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
c An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	X	
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M		X
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I		X
32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II		X
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		X
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		X
35a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		X
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		
36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2		X
37 Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI		X
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19?	X	

Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O

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Part V **Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance**

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

		Yes	No
1a Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable	1a 35		
b Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	1b 0		
c Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	X	
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 38		
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	X	
3a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a	X	
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	X	
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		X
b If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).			
5a Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a		X
b Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b		X
c 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		X
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).			
a 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		X
b If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b		
c Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7c		X
d If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	7d		
e Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e		X
f Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f		X
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.			
a 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:			
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	10a		
b Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	10b		
11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:			
a Gross income from members or shareholders	11a		
b Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)	11b		
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	12b		
13 Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.			
a Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.	13a		
b Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans	13b		
c Enter the amount of reserves on hand	13c		
14a Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	14b		

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

	1a	1b	Yes	No
1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year	49			
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 in Schedule O.				
b Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent		41		
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			X
3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?	3			X
4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	4			X
5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?	5			X
6 Did the organization have members or stockholders?	6		X	
7a Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?	7a		X	
b Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?	7b			X
8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:				
a The governing body?	8a		X	
b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b		X	
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 in Schedule O	9			X

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

	Yes	No
10a Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?		X
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?		
11a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	X	
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	X	
b Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	X	
c Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done	X	
13 Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	X	
14 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	X	
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?		
a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	X	
b Other officers or key employees of the organization	X	
If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions).		
16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?		X
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?		

Section C. Disclosure

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

18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 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)

19 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.

20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records: **►**
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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, 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.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

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

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(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
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) AARON FLAGG DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(2) ALAN MASON DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(3) ALAN MCINTYRE DIRECTOR/EX OFFICIO	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(4) ALAN PIERSON DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(5) ALAN VALENTINE DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(6) ALBERTA ARTHURS DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(7) ALFRED MOORE DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(8) ANN HUNTOON (OUTGOING) DIRECTOR/EX OFFICIO	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(9) ANNE PARSONS DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(10) ANTHONY MCGILL DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(11) BRUCE E. CLINTON (OUTGOING) DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(12) BURTON ALTER DIRECTOR/TREASURER	4.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(13) CATHERINE C. MOYE DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(14) CYNTHIA M. SARGENT (OUTGOING) DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(15) DANIEL BERNARD ROUMAIN DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(16) DAVID ALAN MILLER DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(17) DAVID M. ROTH DIRECTOR/SECRETARY	4.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.

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(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(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
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(18) DEBBIE MCKINNEY (OUTGOING) DIRECTOR/EX OFFICIO	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(19) DOUGLAS M. HAGERMAN DIRECTOR/CHAIR	4.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(20) GARY GINSTLING DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(21) GLORIA DEPASQUALE DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(22) HEATHER CLARKE DIRECTOR/EX OFFICIO	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(23) HELEN SHAFFER DIRECTOR/SECRETARY	2.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(24) HENRY PEYREHRUNE DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(25) HUGH W. LONG, PHD DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(26) JENNIFER MONDIE DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
1b Sub-total								0.	0.	0.
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A								1,283,859.	0.	153,337.
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								1,283,859.	0.	153,337.

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization **8**

	Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any former officer, director, or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>		X
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	X	
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>		X

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 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 with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
NONE		

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization **0**

SEE PART VII, SECTION A CONTINUATION SHEETS

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(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(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
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(27) JESSE ROSEN PRESIDENT AND CEO, DIRECTOR	37.50	X		X				307,759.	0.	27,779.
(28) JIM HASLER DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(29) JONATHAN WEEDMAN (OUTGOING) DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(30) KJRIKSTINE LUND DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(31) LESTER ABBEGER DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(32) LOWELL J. NOTEBOOM DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(33) MARIAN GODFREY DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(34) MARK JUNG DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(35) MARY PATTON DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(36) MATTHEW VANESSEN DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(37) MEGAN BALDA DIRECTOR/EX OFFICIO	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(38) MELANIE CLAFKE DIRECTOR/VICE CHAIR	4.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(39) NATHANIEL SUTTON (OUTGOING) DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(40) PATRICIA A. RICHARDS DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(41) PENNY VAN HERN DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(42) PRATIKHI SHAH DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(43) ROBERT J. WAGNER DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(44) ROBERT LEVINE (OUTGOING) DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(45) SARA MUMMEY DIRECTOR/EX OFFICIO	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(46) SIMON WOODS (OUTGOING) DIRECTOR/EX OFFICIO	2.00	X						5,000.	0.	0.
Total to Part VII, Section A, line 1c										

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(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(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
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(47) STEVE C. PARRISH DIRECTOR/VICE CHAIR	4.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(48) TIFFANY AMMERMAN DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(49) TRINE SORENSEN DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(50) CELESTE WROBLEWSKI VP OF COMMUNICATIONS	37.50			X				161,533.	0.	38,369.
(51) HEATHER NOONAN VP ADVOCACY	37.50			X				161,853.	0.	27,947.
(52) KAREN YAIR VP KNOWLEDGE LEARNING AND LEADERSHIP	37.50			X				157,844.	0.	2,521.
(53) MARC MARTIN FINANCIAL DIRECTOR	37.50			X				107,181.	0.	36,490.
(54) SARAH KELLY VP DEVELOPMENT	37.50			X				173,273.	0.	1,271.
(55) AUDREY ELLIOTT-RISBUD DIRECTOR OF INSTITUTIONAL GIVING	37.50					X		101,551.	0.	3,601.
(56) ROBERT SANDIA CHIEF EDITOR	37.50					X		107,865.	0.	15,359.
Total to Part VII, Section A, line 1c								1,283,859.		153,337.

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Part VIII Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in 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
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1 a	Federated campaigns	1a				
	b	Membership dues	1b	1,994,957.			
	c	Fundraising events	1c				
	d	Related organizations	1d				
	e	Government grants (contributions)	1e	138,500.			
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	1,831,375.			
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$		82,777.			
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f		3,964,832.			
Program Service Revenue	2 a	MEETINGS AND SEMINARS	Business Code 900099	748,115.	748,115.		
	b	SYMPHONY MAGAZINE	541800	157,275.		157,275.	
	c						
	d						
	e						
	f	All other program service revenue					
	g	Total. Add lines 2a-2f		905,390.			
	Other Revenue	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		84,699.		
4		Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds					
5		Royalties					
6 a		Gross rents	(i) Real (ii) Personal				
b		Less: rental expenses					
c		Rental income or (loss)					
d		Net rental income or (loss)					
7 a		Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities (ii) Other				
b		Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses					
c		Gain or (loss)					
d		Net gain or (loss)		38,295.		38,295.	
8 a		Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	a				
b		Less: direct expenses	b				
c		Net income or (loss) from fundraising events					
9 a		Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a				
b		Less: direct expenses	b				
c		Net income or (loss) from gaming activities					
10 a		Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a				
b	Less: cost of goods sold	b					
c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory						
Miscellaneous Revenue							
11 a	OTHER REVENUE	Business Code 900099	13,713.	4,673.		9,040.	
b	MAILING LIST	900099	1,400.			1,400.	
c							
d	All other revenue						
e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d		15,113.				
12	Total revenue. See instructions.		5,008,329.	752,788.	157,275.	133,434.	

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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 ☐

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	1,577,510.	1,577,510.		
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22	48,740.	48,740.		
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	1,213,230.	984,359.	54,402.	174,469.
6 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	1,405,259.	884,909.	271,528.	248,822.
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	4,326.	3,014.	644.	668.
9 Other employee benefits	306,661.	198,448.	49,294.	58,919.
10 Payroll taxes	165,849.	117,727.	22,047.	26,075.
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal	31,417.		31,417.	
c Accounting				
d Lobbying	86,477.		86,477.	
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees	14,328.		14,328.	
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Sch O.)	479,047.	322,957.	147,552.	8,538.
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses	267,204.	222,828.	34,022.	10,354.
14 Information technology	168,905.	119,697.	7,893.	41,315.
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	582,951.	405,757.	81,209.	95,985.
17 Travel	158,871.	140,316.	10,717.	7,838.
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	389,778.	335,165.	23,388.	31,225.
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	39,817.	14,746.	12,497.	12,574.
23 Insurance	15,735.	6,475.	7,732.	1,528.
24 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.)				
a STAFF TRAINING	51,168.	2,765.	47,701.	702.
b EQUIP RENTAL & REPAIRS	41,780.	34,911.	3,257.	3,612.
c BAD DEBT	19,189.	0.	19,189.	0.
d MISCELLENAOUS	12,630.	3,712.	3,534.	5,384.
e All other expenses				
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	7,080,872.	5,424,036.	928,828.	728,008.
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 ☐

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing	300.	1	300.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	1,301,042.	2	1,333,332.
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net	4,336,917.	3	2,450,533.
	4 Accounts receivable, net	129,031.	4	104,659.
	5 Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instr). Complete Part II of Sch L		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	72,353.	9	121,440.
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	2,416,765.		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	2,352,049.		
	11 Investments - publicly traded securities	84,826.	10c	64,716.
	12 Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11	4,781,898.	11	4,912,282.
	13 Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	14 Intangible assets		13	
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	141,809.	14	143,009.
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	10,848,176.	15	143,009.	
17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	195,392.	16	9,130,271.	
18 Grants payable		17	340,686.	
19 Deferred revenue	555,141.	18		
20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		19	528,652.	
21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		20		
22 Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		21		
23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		22		
24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		23		
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	157,635.	24		
26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	908,168.	25	105,843.	
27 Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.		26	975,181.	
28 Unrestricted net assets	768,536.	27	989,388.	
29 Temporarily restricted net assets	5,610,341.	28	3,604,571.	
30 Permanently restricted net assets	3,561,131.	29	3,561,131.	
31 Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.				
32 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30		
33 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31		
34 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32		
35 Total net assets or fund balances	9,940,008.	33	8,155,090.	
36 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	10,848,176.	34	9,130,271.	

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Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

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

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1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	5,008,329.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	7,080,872.
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-2,072,543.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	9,940,008.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	317,201.
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	-29,576.
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	8,155,090.

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

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

☒ **X**

		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		X
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis	X	
c	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.	X	
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		X
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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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.

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Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 12, check only one box.)

- 1 ☐ A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
- 2 ☐ A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ).)
- 3 ☐ A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**
- 4 ☐ 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: _____
- 5 ☐ 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.)
- 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 **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
- 8 ☐ A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
- 9 ☐ An agricultural research organization described in **section 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: _____
- 10 ☐ An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33 1/3% 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 33 1/3% 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.)
- 11 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4).**
- 12 ☐ 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.
- a ☐ **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.**
- 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.**
- 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.**
- d ☐ **Type III non-functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.**
- e ☐ Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.

f Enter the number of supported organizations _____

g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-10 above (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document?		(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
			Yes	No		
Total						

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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.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	4569988.	4680526.	8131172.	5219873.	3964832.	26566391.
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3	4569988.	4680526.	8131172.	5219873.	3964832.	26566391.
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)						6186886.
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.						20379505.

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4	4569988.	4680526.	8131172.	5219873.	3964832.	26566391.
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources	88,393.	100,801.	73,944.	73,913.	84,699.	421,750.
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)	12,138.	20,305.	10,433.	31,735.	15,113.	89,724.
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						27077865.
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	2,805,606.

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) organization, check this box and **stop here** ☐

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2017 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	75.26 %
15 Public support percentage from 2016 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	75.39 %

16a **33 1/3% support test - 2017.** If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ☒

b **33 1/3% support test - 2016.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ☐

17a **10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2017.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ☐

b **10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2016.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ☐

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 ☐

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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.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
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						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 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						
8 Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 5						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 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.)						

14 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, check this box and **stop here** ► ☐

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2017 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2016 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2017 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2016 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	%

19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2017. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 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 - 2016. 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 ► ☐

20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions ► ☐

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Part IV Supporting Organizations

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

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 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.		
2 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 (b) and (c) 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 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) 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 (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 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?		
6 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 .		
7 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 regard to a substantial contributor? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).		
8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).		
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 in 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 in 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 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.)		

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	Yes	No
11 Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
a 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?		
b A family member of a person described in (a) above?		
c A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? <i>If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
11a		
11b		
11c		

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? <i>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.</i>		
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? <i>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.</i>		
1		
2		

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)? <i>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 organization(s).</i>		
1		

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

	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?		
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? <i>If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).</i>		
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? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.</i>		
1		
2		
3		

Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions).		
a <input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.		
b <input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.		
c <input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see instructions).		
2 Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.		
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? <i>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 constituted substantially all of its activities.</i>		
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? <i>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.</i>		
3 Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer (a) and (b) below.		
a 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? <i>Provide details in Part VI.</i>		
b Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.</i>		
2a		
2b		
3a		
3b		

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Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations

- 1** ☐ Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970 (explain in Part VI.) **See instructions.** All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

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		
5 Depreciation and depletion	5		
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		

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 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		
e Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI):			
2 Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2		
3 Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3		
4 Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4		
5 Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5		
6 Multiply line 5 by .035	6		
7 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7		
8 Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8		

Section C - Distributable Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year
1 Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	1		
2 Enter 85% of line 1	2		
3 Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	3		
4 Enter greater of line 2 or line 3	4		
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		
7 <input type="checkbox"/> Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).			

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Section D - Distributions	Current Year
1 Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	
2 Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	
3 Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	
4 Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	
5 Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)	
6 Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions.	
7 Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.	
8 Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in Part VI). See instructions.	
9 Distributable amount for 2017 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-2017	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2017
1 Distributable amount for 2017 from Section C, line 6			
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2017 (reasonable cause required- explain in Part VI). See instructions.			
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2017			
a			
b From 2013			
c From 2014			
d From 2015			
e From 2016			
f Total of lines 3a through e			
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h Applied to 2017 distributable amount			
i Carryover from 2012 not applied (see instructions)			
j Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
4 Distributions for 2017 from Section D, line 7: \$			
a Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b Applied to 2017 distributable amount			
c Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2017, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI . See instructions.			
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2017. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI . See instructions.			
7 Excess distributions carryover to 2018. Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8 Breakdown of line 7:			
a Excess from 2013			
b Excess from 2014			
c Excess from 2015			
d Excess from 2016			
e Excess from 2017			

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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.)

SCHEDULE A, PART II, LINE 10, EXPLANATION FOR OTHER INCOME:

OTHER REVENUE

2013 AMOUNT: \$ 12,138.

2014 AMOUNT: \$ 20,305.

2015 AMOUNT: \$ 10,433.

2016 AMOUNT: \$ 31,735.

2017 AMOUNT: \$ 15,113.

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AMERICAN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA LEAGUE
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Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

☒ 501(c)(3) (enter number) organization☐ 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 foundationCheck 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(e)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000; or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.
- ☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.
- ☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year ▶ \$

Caution: An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "Nc" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

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Part I Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS 400 7TH STREET SW WASHINGTON, DC 20506	\$ 90,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
2	MARTHA RIVERS INGRAM ADVISED FUND, THE COMMUNITY FDN OF MIDDLE TENNESSEE 3833 CLEGHORN AVE, SUITE 400 NASHVILLE, TN 37215	\$ 100,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
3	SARGENT FAMILY FOUNDATION PO BOX 620 WINNETKA, IL 60093	\$ 100,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
4	VIRGINIA B. TOULMIN FOUNDATION 530 FIFTH AVE, 24/F NEW YORK, NY 10036	\$ 150,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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Part III

Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this info. once.) ▶ \$

Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee

SCHEDULE C
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527
▶ **Complete if the organization is described below.** ▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**
▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.**

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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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Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.

1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV.

2 Political campaign activity expenditures ▶ \$ _____

3 Volunteer hours for political campaign activities ▶ _____

Part 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

b If "Yes," describe in Part IV.

Part I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).

1 Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$ _____

2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$ _____

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 ☐ No

5 Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which the filing organization made payments. For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization's funds. Also enter the amount of political contributions received that were promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a 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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Part II-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

A Check ☐ if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV each affiliated group member's name, address, EIN, expenses, and share of excess lobbying expenditures).

B Check ☐ if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply.

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)	(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals												
1a Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)	9,865.													
b Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)	76,612.													
c Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)	86,477.													
d Other exempt purpose expenditures	7,023,971.													
e Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)	7,110,448.													
f Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table in both columns.	505,522.													
<table border="1" style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width:35%;">If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:</th> <th style="width:65%;">The lobbying nontaxable amount is:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Not over \$500,000</td> <td>20% of the amount on line 1e.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000</td> <td>\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000</td> <td>\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$1,000,000.</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:	Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e.	Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000.	Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.	Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000.	Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000.		
If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:													
Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e.													
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000.													
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.													
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000.													
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000.													
g Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)	126,381.													
h Subtract line 1g from line 1a. If zero or less, enter -0-	0.													
i Subtract line 1f from line 1c. If zero or less, enter -0-	0.													
j If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No												

4-Year Averaging Period Under section 501(h)

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below.

See the separate instructions for lines 2a through 2f.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period					
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) Total
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount	447,650.	407,875.	503,063.	505,522.	1,864,110.
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					2,796,165.
c Total lobbying expenditures	96,605.	67,663.	76,995.	86,477.	327,740.
d Grassroots nontaxable amount	111,913.	101,969.	125,766.	126,381.	466,029.
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					699,044.
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures	8,515.	5,006.	4,950.	9,865.	28,336.

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

For each "Yes," response on lines 1a through 1i below, provide in Part IV a detailed description of the lobbying activity.	(a)		(b)
	Yes	No	Amount
1 During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of:			
a Volunteers?			
b Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?			
c Media advertisements?			
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?			
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements?			
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?			
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?			
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?			
i Other activities?			
j Total. Add lines 1c through 1i			
2a Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?			
b If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912			
c If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912			
d If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?			

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
1 Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?		
2 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?		
3 Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political campaign activity 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."

1 Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	1	
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).		
a Current year	2a	
b Carryover from last year	2b	
c Total	2c	
3 Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	3	
4 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	
5 Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)	5	

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-3, line 1. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

PART I-A, LINE 1:

THE LEAGUE CONDUCTED DIRECT LOBBYING ON BEHALF OF ITS CONSTITUENT
ORCHESTRA MEMBERS, AND GRASSROOTS LOBBYING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH OTHER
NATIONAL ARTS AND NONPROFIT SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS, RELATED TO
APPROPRIATIONS FOR NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS, INTERNATIONAL
CULTURAL EXCHANGE AND ARTS EDUCATION PROGRAMMING, AND SUPPORT FOR ARTS

Part IV **Supplemental Information** *(continued)*

EDUCATION IN THE REAUTHORIZATION OF THE ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY
EDUCATION ACT. LEAGUE STAFF WERE ALSO INVOLVED IN EFFORTS RELATED TO
VISA AND TAX REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL GUEST ARTISTS, CHARITABLE
GIVING INCENTIVES, PROTECTING THE USE OF WIRELESS MICROPHONES, AND
SUPPORTIVE POLICIES FOR DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL AND USE OF
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

SCHEDULE D
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

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

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Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year		
2 Aggregate value of contributions to (during year)		
3 Aggregate value of grants from (during year)		
4 Aggregate value at end of year		
5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply).

<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or education)	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of a historically important land area
<input type="checkbox"/> Protection of natural habitat	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of a certified historic structure
<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of open space	

2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year.

	Held at the End of the Tax Year
a Total number of conservation easements	2a
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	2b
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)	2c
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 7/25/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register	2d

3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶

4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶

5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?

☐ Yes ☐ No

6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \$

8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(n)(4)(B)(ii)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items.

b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items:

(i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1	▶ \$
(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X	▶ \$

2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items:

a Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1	▶ \$
b Assets included in Form 990, Part X	▶ \$

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets (continued)

- 3** Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):
- a** ☐ Public exhibition **d** ☐ Loan or exchange programs
- b** ☐ Scholarly research **e** ☐ Other _____
- c** ☐ Preservation for future generations
- 4** Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.
- 5** During the year did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

- 1a** Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table:
- | | Amount |
|--|--------|
| c Beginning balance | |
| d Additions during the year | |
| e Distributions during the year | |
| f Ending balance | |
- 2a** Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided on Part XIII ☐

Part V Endowment Funds. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	4,341,007.	4,043,032.	4,111,835.	4,350,577.	4,092,055.
b Contributions				100,000.	
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses	348,276.	497,975.	181,197.	-88,742.	483,522.
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs	341,847.	200,000.	250,000.	250,000.	225,000.
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance	4,347,436.	4,341,007.	4,043,032.	4,111,835.	4,350,577.

- 2** Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:
- a** Board designated or quasi-endowment ☐ %
- b** Permanent endowment ☒ 81.91 %
- c** Temporarily restricted endowment ☒ 18.09 %
- The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.
- 3a** Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:
- (i) unrelated organizations ☐ Yes ☒ No
- (ii) related organizations ☐ Yes ☒ No
- b** If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? ☐ Yes ☒ No

- 4** Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings				
c Leasehold improvements		904,923.	904,923.	0.
d Equipment		216,737.	216,625.	112.
e Other		1,295,105.	1,230,501.	64,604.
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.)				64,716.

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Part VII Investments - Other Securities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely-held equity interests		
(3) Other		
(A)		
(B)		
(C)		
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
Total. (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) ▶		

Part VIII Investments - Program Related.

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

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

Part IX Other Assets.

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

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
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Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.) ▶	

Part X Other Liabilities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2) DEFERRED RENT	105,843.
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
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(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) ▶	

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740). Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII ☒

Schedule D (Form 990) 2017

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Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	5,325,530.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:		
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a	317,201.
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	317,201.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	5,008,329.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)	5	5,008,329.

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	7,110,448.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Other losses	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	29,576.
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	29,576.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	7,080,872.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0.
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	5	7,080,872.

Part XIII Supplemental Information.

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

PART V, LINE 4:

THE LEAGUE'S ENDOWMENT INVESTMENT POLICY IS TO INVEST ASSETS INTO INVESTMENT INSTRUMENTS APPROVED BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, OR THE INVESTMENT COMMITTEE SUBCOMMITTEE THEREOF, WITH THE ALLOCATION OF FUNDS BASED UPON SPECIFIED TARGET PERCENTAGES (OR RANGE OF TARGET PERCENTAGES) FOR EACH TYPE OF INVESTMENT INSTRUMENT. THE OVERALL INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE IS TO MAXIMIZE THE TOTAL RETURN FROM INCOME (DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST) AND THE APPRECIATION OF INVESTMENTS. ANY INCOME ON THE ENDOWMENT FUNDS AND ANY INCREASE IN VALUE OVER THE HISTORICAL DOLLAR VALUE AT THE TIME OF THE DONATION ARE GENERALLY TRANSFERRED TO GENERAL OPERATING FUNDS WITHIN THE YEAR EARNED FOR PROGRAM PURPOSES, INCLUDING, WHERE REQUIRED, THE PURPOSE AUTHORIZED BY THE RELEVANT

Part XIII Supplemental Information (continued)

CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE ENDOWMENT. CURRENTLY IT IS THE POLICY OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS THAT TRANSFERS FROM THE ENDOWMENT FUNDS DO NOT DEplete THE VALUE OF THE ENDOWMENT FUNDS BELOW HISTORICAL DOLLAR VALUE AT THE TIME OF DONATION.

PART X, LINE 2:

THE LEAGUE BELIEVES IT HAS NO UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS AS OF JUNE 30, 2018 AND 2017, IN ACCORDANCE WITH ACCOUNTING STANDARDS CODIFICATION ("ASC") TOPIC 740 ("INCOME TAXES"), WHICH PROVIDES STANDARDS FOR ESTABLISHING AND CLASSIFYING ANY TAX PROVISIONS FOR UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS.

PART XII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

TRANSPORTATION BENEFITS NOT DEDUCTIBLE	29,576.
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**SCHEDULE I
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

**Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,
Governments, and Individuals in the United States**
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.

► Attach to Form 990.

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

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Name of the organization **AMERICAN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA LEAGUE**
D/B/A LEAGUE OF AMERICAN ORCHESTRAS

Employer identification number
-*0636

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? ☒ Yes ☐ No

2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States.

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1 (a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section (if applicable)	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
ALBANY SYMPHONY 19 CLINTON AVENUE ALBANY, NY 12207	**_***3010	501 (C)(3)	40,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
AMERICAN COMPOSERS ORCHESTRA 244 WEST 54TH STREET, SUITE 805 NEW YORK, NY 10019	**_***8450	501 (C)(3)	45,000.	0.			WOMEN COMPOSER COMMISSION
AMERICAN YOUTH PHILHARMONIC 4026 HUMMER ROAD ANNANDALE, VA 22003	**_***4716	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
BOSTON SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 301 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE BOSTON, MA 02115	**_***3550	501 (C)(3)	75,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
CALIFORNIA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 1475 N BROADWAY, SUITE 420 WALNUT CREEK, CA 94596	**_***4038	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
CENTRAL OHIO SYMPHONY P.O. BOX 619 24 E. WINTER STREET DELAWARE, OH 43015	**_***9672	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table **45.**

3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table

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Schedule I (Form 990) (2017)

AMERICAN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA LEAGUE

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(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
CHICAGO SINFONIETTA 70 E LAKE STREET, SUITE 1430 CHICAGO, IL 60601	**-***7987	501 (C)(3)	5,010.	0.			FEE FOR CONFERENCE PERFORMANCE
CHICAGO YOUTH SYMPHONY ORCHESTRAS 410 S. MICHIGAN AVENUE, SUITE 833 CHICAGO, IL 60605	**-***9808	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
CONTEMPORARY YOUTH ORCHESTRA 12210 EUCLID AVENUE CLEVELAND, OH 44106	**-***0263	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
DALLAS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 2301 FLORA STREET DALLAS, TX 75201	**-***5442	501 (C)(3)	75,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 3711 WOODWARD AVE DETROIT, MI 48201	**-***6132	501 (C)(3)	75,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
EL PASO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 1 CIVIC CENTER PLAZA EL PASO, TX 79901	**-***0772	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
EMPIRE STATE YOUTH ORCHESTRA 432 STATE STREET SCHENECTADY, NY 12305	**-***7557	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
EVANSVILLE PHILHARMONIC P.O. BOX 84 EVANSVILLE, IN 47701	**-***5634	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
FOX VALLEY SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 111 W. COLLEGE AVENUE, SUITE 550 APPLETON, WI 54911	**-***9489	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT

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D/B/A LEAGUE OF AMERICAN ORCHESTRAS**

Part II Continuation of Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States (Schedule I (Form 990), Part II.)							
(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
GREATER AKRON MUSICAL ASSOCIATION 92 NORTH MAIN STREET AKRON, OH 44308	** - ***3828	501 (C)(3)	6,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
GREENSBORO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 200 NORTH DAVLE STREET, BOX 10 GREENSBORO, NC 27401	** - ***3111	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
HANDEL AND HAYDN SOCIETY 9 HARCOURT STREET BOSTON, MA 02116	** - ***6598	501 (C)(3)	40,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
HOUSTON SYMPHONY SOCIETY 615 LOUISIANA STREET, SUITE 102 HOUSTON, TX 77002	** - ***7373	501 (C)(3)	75,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
INNER CITY YOUTH ORCHESTRA OF LOS ANGELES - 6820 S. LA TIJERA BOULEVARD, SUITE 201 - LOS ANGELES, CA 90045	** - ***2466	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
INTERSCHOOL ORCHESTRAS OF NEW YORK 121 W 27TH STREET, SUITE 902 NEW YORK, NY 10001	** - ***1867	501 (C)(3)	6,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
KNOXVILLE SYMPHONY SOCIETY P.O. BOX 360 KNOXVILLE, TN 37901	** - ***8097	501 (C)(3)	40,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
LIMA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 133 N. ELIZABETH STREET LIMA, OH 45801	** - ***5022	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
LOS ANGELES PHILHARMONIC 151 SOUTH GRAND AVENUE LOS ANGELES, CA 90012	** - ***6734	501 (C)(3)	75,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT

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(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
LUBBOCK SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 601 AVENUE K LUBBOCK, TX 79401	**_***1993	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
MINNESOTA ORCHESTRA ASSOCIATION 1111 NICOLLET MALL MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55403	**_***3875	501 (C)(3)	75,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
NASHVILLE SYMPHONY ASSOCIATION ONE SYMPHONY PLACE NASHVILLE, TN 37201	**_***0979	501 (C)(3)	75,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
NEW BEDFORD SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 128 UNION STREET, SUITE 204 NEW BEDFORD, MA 02740	**_***8082	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
NEW HAVEN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 545 LONG WHARF DRIVE, 6/F NEW HAVEN, CT 06511	**_***0592	501 (C)(3)	40,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
NEW WORLD SYMPHONY 500 17TH STREET MIAMI BEACH, FL 33139	**_***9056	501 (C)(3)	40,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC 10 LINCOLN CENTER PLAZA NEW YORK, NY 10023	**_***4054	501 (C)(3)	75,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
NORTHERN OHIO YOUTH ORCHESTRAS 39 SOUTH MAIN STREET, SUITE 244 OBERLIN, OH 44074	**_***0528	501 (C)(3)	6,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
OAKLAND SYMPHONY 1440 BROADWAY, SUITE 405 OAKLAND, CA 94612	**_***1554	501 (C)(3)	40,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT

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Part II Continuation of Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States (Schedule I (Form 990), Part II.)							
(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
ORCHESTRA OF ST LUKE'S 450 WEST 37TH STREET, SUITE 502 NEW YORK, NY 10018	** - ***1839	501 (C)(3)	40,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
PACIFIC SYMPHONY 3631 SOUTH HARBOR BOULEVARD, SUITE SANTA ANA, CA 92704	** - ***5496	501 (C)(3)	40,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
PORTLAND SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA P.O. BOX 3573 PORTLAND, ME 04104	** - ***6058	501 (C)(3)	40,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
PROJECT 440 1315 WALNUT STREET, SUITE 320 PHILADELPHIA, PA 19107	** - ***5597	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
RICHMOND SYMPHONY 612 EAST GRACE STREET, SUITE 401 RICHMOND, VA 23219	** - ***4033	501 (C)(3)	40,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
SAN DIEGO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 1245 7TH AVE SAN DIEGO, CA 92101	** - ***0874	501 (C)(3)	75,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
SAN FRANCISCO SYMPHONY 201 VAN NESS AVENUE SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94102	** - ***6284	501 (C)(3)	75,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
SEATTLE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA P.O. BOX 21906 SEATTLE, WA 98111	** - ***7412	501 (C)(3)	75,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT
THE BOSTON MODERN ORCHESTRA 376 WASHINGTON STREET, SUITE 101 MALDEN, MA 02148	** - ***8554	501 (C)(3)	15,000.	0.			FUTURE'S FUND GRANT

Schedule I (Form 990)

AMERICAN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA LEAGUE

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(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of noncash assistance
FORD MUSICIAN AWARD	7	13,200.	0.		
FUTURE'S FUND	14	3,700.	0.		
NATIONAL CONDUCTING PREVIEW	3	1,840.	0.		
WOMEN'S COMPOSER COMMISSIONS	4	30,000.	0.		

Part IV

Supplemental Information. Provide the information required in Part I, line 2; Part III, column (b); and any other additional information.

PART I, LINE 2:

EACH GRANTEE IS REQUIRED TO SUBMIT TWO GRANT REPORTS: AN INTERIM REPORT AND FINAL REPORT. GRANTEES ARE ASKED TO DESCRIBE HOW THE FUNDS WERE ULTIMATELY USED FOR THEIR WORK. THE SECOND-YEAR GRANT PAYMENT IS CONTINGENT ON DEMONSTRATION OF THE GRANTEE'S FULLFILLMENT OF ITS INTENDED WORK.

**SCHEDULE J
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Compensation Information

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.

▶ Attach to Form 990.

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

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Name of the organization

**AMERICAN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA LEAGUE
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Employer identification number

**** - *** 0636**

Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

1a 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.

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions | <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments | <input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (such as, maid, chauffeur, chef) |

b 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

2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, and officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked on line 1a?

3 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.

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee |

4 During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:

a Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?

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

c 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 section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.

5 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:

a The organization?

b Any related organization?

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

6 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:

a The organization?

b Any related organization?

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

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

8 Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III

9 If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?

Yes No

1b

2

4a

4b

4c

5a

5b

6a

6b

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X

X

X

X

X

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X

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Schedule J (Form 990) 2017

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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 instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that aren't listed on Form 990, Part VII.

Note: The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation				(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
	(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation					
(1) JESSE ROSEN PRESIDENT AND CEO, DIRECTOR	(i) 289,759.	0.	18,000.	0.	0.	27,779.	335,538.	0.
	(ii) 0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(2) CELESTE WROBLEWSKI VP OF COMMUNICATIONS	(i) 161,533.	0.	0.	0.	0.	38,369.	199,902.	0.
	(ii) 0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(3) HEATHER NOONAN VP ADVOCACY	(i) 149,853.	0.	12,000.	0.	0.	27,947.	189,800.	0.
	(ii) 0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(4) KAREN YAIR VP KNOWLEDGE LEARNING AND LEADERSHIP	(i) 157,844.	0.	0.	0.	0.	2,521.	160,365.	0.
	(ii) 0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(5) SARAH KELLY VP DEVELOPMENT	(i) 173,273.	0.	0.	0.	0.	1,271.	174,544.	0.
	(ii) 0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
	(i)							
	(ii)							
	(i)							
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	(i)							
	(ii)							
	(i)							
	(ii)							

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Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

PART II, COLUMN B(III)

AMOUNT IN THIS COLUMN FOR CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS REPRESENTS CONTRIBUTIONS

TO 457(B) RETIREMENT.

SCHEDULE M
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Noncash Contributions

- ▶ **Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990.**
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Employer identification number
****-***0636**

Part I **Types of Property**

	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts
1 Art - Works of art				
2 Art - Historical treasures				
3 Art - Fractional interests				
4 Books and publications				
5 Clothing and household goods				
6 Cars and other vehicles				
7 Boats and planes				
8 Intellectual property				
9 Securities - Publicly traded	X	5	82,777. FMV	
10 Securities - Closely held stock				
11 Securities - Partnership, LLC, or trust interests				
12 Securities - Miscellaneous				
13 Qualified conservation contribution - Historic structures				
14 Qualified conservation contribution - Other				
15 Real estate - Residential				
16 Real estate - Commercial				
17 Real estate - Other				
18 Collectibles				
19 Food inventory				
20 Drugs and medical supplies				
21 Taxidermy				
22 Historical artifacts				
23 Scientific specimens				
24 Archeological artifacts				
25 Other ▶ (.....				
26 Other ▶ (.....				
27 Other ▶ (.....				
28 Other ▶ (.....				

29 Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee Acknowledgement

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30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1 through 28, that it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which isn't required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period?

b If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II.

31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any nonstandard contributions?

32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash contributions?

b If "Yes," describe in Part II.

33 If the organization didn't report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II.

	Yes	No
30a		X
31		X
32a		X

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Part II

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

SCHEDULE M, PART I, COLUMN (B):

THE NUMBER SHOWN ON LINE 9 COLUMN (B) REFLECTS THE NUMBER OF
CONTRIBUTIONS.

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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FORM 990, PART I, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION:

ORCHESTRAS AS THEY ASSURE THE VITALITY OF THE MUSICAL EXPERIENCE,
STRENGTHEN THE ENTIRE ORCHESTRAL ORGANIZATION AND DEEPEN THEIR
CONNECTIONS WITH THEIR PUBLIC AND THEIR COMMUNITIES.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4D, OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES:

ADVOCACY

THE LEAGUE REPRESENTS THE INTERESTS OF AMERICAN ORCHESTRAS TO MEMBERS
OF CONGRESS AND THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH ON ISSUES AFFECTING THE ORCHESTRA
FIELD; DISTRIBUTES UPDATES ON PENDING LEGISLATION, WITH RECOMMENDATIONS
FOR LOCAL ACTION; AND PROVIDES ASSISTANCE TO ORCHESTRAS TO BUILD THEIR
CAPACITY FOR LOCAL AND STATE ADVOCACY.

EXPENSES \$ 466,471. INCLUDING GRANTS OF \$ 0. REVENUE \$ 0.

MEMBER SERVICES

THE LEAGUE PROVIDES MORE THAN 800 MEMBERS WITH EXTENSIVE INFORMATION
ABOUT THE FIELD, INCLUDING TRENDS, OPEN POSITIONS AND NEW APPOINTMENTS
AND THE MANY OTHER ACTIVITIES OF THE NATION'S ORCHESTRAS. MEMBERS ARE
INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN LIST-SERVES, A CONFIDENTIAL SPACE WHERE THEY
CAN SHARE THEIR EXTENSIVE KNOWLEDGE AND LEARN ABOUT BEST PRACTICES
THROUGHOUT THE FIELD.

EXPENSES \$ 452,032. INCLUDING GRANTS OF \$ 0. REVENUE \$ 0.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 6:

THE ORGANIZATION IS A MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATION.

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FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7A:

MEMBERS ARE INVOLVED IN GOVERNANCE DECISIONS IN REGARDS TO THE ELECTION OF BOARD MEMBERS.

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

MANAGEMENT REVIEWS THE 990 DRAFT IN DETAIL BEFORE SUBMITTING IT TO THE CEO WHO THEN REVIEWS IT IN DETAIL. ONCE APPROVED BY MANAGEMENT, THE DRAFT 990 IS THE SENT TO THE ENTIRE BOARD WITH A COMMENT PERIOD. ONCE THE REVIEW PERIOD EXPIRES AND, IF THERE ARE NO CHANGES, THE FORM IS FILED WITH THE IRS. IF CHANGES ARE REQUIRED, THE FORM IS UPDATED AND FILED WITH THE IRS PRIOR TO ITS DUE DATE.

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

A DISCLOSURE STATEMENT IS DISTRIBUTED TO ALL BOARD MEMBERS AND COLLECTED ANNUALLY AND IS DISCUSSED AT THE TIME THAT IT IS CIRCULATED. THE LEAGUE ALSO INVESTIGATES ANY CONFLICT(S) THAT MAY BE REPORTED BY ANY BOARD MEMBER.

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

A STUDY WAS DONE TO DETERMINE THE PROPER COMPENSATION FOR THE CEO WHEN HIS CONTRACT WAS SIGNED IN 2008. THE FULL BOARD APPROVED THE CONTRACT. FOR OTHER KEY EMPLOYEES HIRED DURING THE YEAR, THE ORGANIZATION ESTABLISHES SALARY LEVELS THAT ARE COMPARABLE TO THE LARGER ORCHESTRAS THROUGHOUT THE US. THE FULL BOARD ALSO APPROVES SALARIES OF KEY EMPLOYEES.

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

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS APPEAR ON THE LEAGUE'S WEBSITE. COPIES ARE ALSO MADE AVAILABLE TO ALL MEMBERS AT THE LEAGUE'S ANNUAL MEETING WHICH IS HELD DURING THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE. COPIES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC UPON

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FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 9, CHANGES IN NET ASSETS:

TRANSPORTATION BENEFITS NOT DEDUCTIBLE -29,576.

FORM 990, PART XII, LINE 2C:

THERE WAS NO CHANGE FROM PRIOR YEAR.