

**COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES**  
**Disclosure Form**  
**As required by and provided for in House Rule XI, clause 2(g) and**  
**the Rules of the Committee on Natural Resources**

ANWR: Jobs, Energy and Deficit Reduction  
November 18, 2011

For Individuals:

1. Name:
2. Address:
3. Email Address:
4. Phone Number:

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For Witnesses Representing Organizations:

1. Name: Erich G. Pica
2. Name of Organization(s) You are Representing at the Hearing: Friends of the Earth US
3. Business Address: 1100 15th Street, NW, Suite 1100 Washington, DC 20005
4. Business Email Address: [Information redacted for privacy]
5. Business Phone Number: [Information redacted for privacy]

Name/Organization: Friends of the Earth US

Title/Date of Hearing: ANWR: Jobs, Energy and Deficit Reduction/November 18, 2011

a. Any training or educational certificates, diplomas or degrees or other educational experiences that are relevant to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

BA in Political Science with International Relations Focus, Environmental Studies minor: Economics

b. Any professional licenses, certifications, or affiliations held that are relevant to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

c. Any employment, occupation, ownership in a firm or business, or work-related experiences that relate to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

President of Friends of the Earth US

d. Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) from the *Department of the Interior (and /or other agencies invited)* that you have received in the current year and previous four years, including the source and the amount of each grant or contract.

N/A

e. A list of all lawsuits or petitions filed by you against the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit or petition, the subject matter of the lawsuit or petition, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits or petitions were filed.

N/A

f. Any other information you wish to convey that might aid the Members of the Committee to better understand the context of your testimony.

Over the past decade, I have been widely quoted in major news outlets as an expert on matters relating to environmental tax and budget issues. During this time, I have researched and written more than a dozen reports on federal environmental budget and tax issues including:

Green Scissors: *Cutting Wasteful and Environmental Harmful Spending* (1998-2005)

Running on Empty: *How Environmentally Harmful Energy Subsidies Siphon Billions from Taxpayers* (2002)

Paying for Pollution: *How Taxpayers Subsidize Dangerous and Polluting Energy Programs* (2002)

Welfare for Waste: *How Federal Taxpayer Subsidies Waste Resources and Discourage Recycling* (1999)

Trails of Destruction: *How off-road vehicles gain access and funding on public lands* (1998)

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In addition, I have contributed material to the following tax and spending reports:

Road to Ruin (2004)

Dirty Little Secrets: *Polluter's Save While People Pay: Exposing 15 of the Tax Code's Most Unfair Tax Break* (1995)

Citizens Guide to Environmental Tax Shifting: *For a Cleaner Environment, Stronger Economy, Fairer Tax Code* (1998)

Gas-Guzzler Loophole: *SUV's and Light Trucks Drive off with Billions* (2000)

In addition, for witnesses representing organizations:

g. Any offices, elected positions, or representational capacity held in the organization(s) on whose behalf you are testifying.

President

h. Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) from the Department of the Interior (and /or other agencies invited) that were received in the current year and previous four years by the organization(s) you represent at this hearing, including the source and amount of each grant or contract for each of the organization(s).

None.

i. A list of all lawsuits or petitions filed by the organization(s) you represent at the hearing against the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit or petition, the subject matter of the lawsuit or petition, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits or petitions were filed for each of the organization(s).

2011

*Friends of the Earth, et al v. U.S. State Dept., Dept. of Interior, Fish & Wildlife Service, et al.*

Keystone XL Pipeline in Nebraska

National Environmental Policy Act, Administrative Procedure Act & Endangered Species Act

*Friends of the Earth, et al v. U.S. State Dept. & Sec. Hillary Clinton*

Failure to respond to Freedom of Information Act request

Freedom of Information Act

Petitions

*In re: Government of the District of Columbia, Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System, NPDES Permit No. DC 0000221 – Friends of the Earth, et al. petition to the Environmental Appeals Board to review of conditions of Clean Water Act NPDES permit for the District of Columbia municipal separate storm sewer system (“MS4”), issued by the Regional Administrator, U.S. EPA Region III*

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Petition from Friends of the Earth, et al. to U.S. FDA

Requesting an EIS under the National Environmental Policy Act for genetically engineered salmon application

Petition from Friends of the Earth, et al. to U.S. Dept. of Commerce & NOAA

Requesting a speed limit in National Marine Sanctuaries in California under the National Marine Sanctuaries Act the Endangered Species Act, and the Marine Mammal Protection Act

Petitions from Friends of the Earth, et al. to U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Petition to *Suspend All Pending Reactor Licensing Decisions and Related Rulemaking Decision Pending Investigation of Lessons Learned from Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station Accident* under the Atomic Energy Act and the National Environmental Policy Act

## 2010

*Friends of the Earth, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency* (lawsuit & petitions for reconsideration filed with EPA)

EPA's Renewable Fuels Standard  
Clean Air Act

*Friends of the Earth, et al., v. U.S. EPA*

Compel EPA to regulate greenhouse gas emissions from ocean-going vessels, aircraft, and non-road vehicles  
Clean Air Act & Administrative Procedure Act

### Petitions

Petition from Friends of the Earth, et al. to U.S. EPA

Compel EPA to regulate greenhouse gas emissions from locomotives under the Administrative Procedure Act and the Clean Air Act

## 2009

*Friends of the Earth, et al v. U.S. EPA*

EPA Total Maximum Daily Loads for the Anacostia and Potomac Rivers and Rock Creek  
Clean Water Act

### Petitions

Petition from Friends of the Earth to U.S. EPA

Requesting update of Marine Sanitation Device rules under §312 of the Clean Water Act

Petition from Friends of the Earth, et al. to U.S. EPA

Requesting regulation of greenhouse gases and criteria air pollution from CAFOs under the Clean Air Act

## 2008

*Friends of the Earth, et al v. U.S. EPA*

EPA's Total Maximum Daily Loads for the Anacostia River  
Clean Water Act

Name/Organization: Friends of the Earth US

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*Friends of the Earth (Bluewater Network), et al v. Sec. Ken Salazar, Sec. Daniel Wenk*

Use of personal watercraft (jetskis) in two National Parks

Administrative Procedure Act

Petitions

Petition from Friends of the Earth et al. to U.S. EPA

Requesting regulation of nano-materials as pesticides under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

2007

*Friends of the Earth, et al. v. U.S. EPA*

Criteria air emissions from ocean-going vessels

Clean Air Act & Administrative Procedure Act

*Friends of the Earth v. U.S. EPA*

Cruise Ship wastewater discharge regulations

Clean Water Act & Administrative Procedure Act

j. A list of any countries from which the organization(s) you represent at the hearing have received foreign donations and the total amount of donations received from each country, for the current year and the previous four years, by each organization.

Gf_Type	(Multiple Items)								
Sum of Gf_Amount	Fiscal year								
Gf_CnAdrPrf_ContryLongDscription	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Grand Total		
Algeria		\$ 50					\$ 50		
Australia	\$ 300	\$ 20	\$ 40	\$ 25			\$ 385		
Austria					\$ 65	\$ 35	\$ 100		
Canada	\$ 270	\$ 369	\$ 154	\$ 225	\$ 759	\$ 160	\$ 1,937		
France	\$ 50	\$ 100		\$ 110			\$ 260		
Germany	\$ 3,100	\$ 2,100	\$ 1,000	\$ 800	\$ 2,725	\$ 425	\$ 10,150		
Great Britain	\$ 150					\$ 10	\$ 160		
Hong Kong		\$ 800					\$ 800		
India		\$ 10,000	\$ 5,000				\$ 15,000		
Israel	\$ 10						\$ 10		
Italy					\$ 75		\$ 75		
Japan	\$ 35	\$ 35	\$ 25				\$ 95		
Malaysia			\$ 10				\$ 10		
Mexico					\$ 35		\$ 35		
Netherlands	\$ 25	\$ 50	\$ 24,500			\$ 10,000	\$ 34,575		
Norway			\$ 535				\$ 535		
Peoples Republic of China	\$ 25						\$ 25		
Singapore			\$ 35	\$ 35	\$ 50		\$ 120		
South Africa		\$ 250					\$ 250		
Sweden	\$ 50					\$ 5	\$ 55		
Switzerland	\$ 35				\$ 50		\$ 85		
United Arab Emirates				\$ 50			\$ 50		
United Kingdom	\$ 46,572	\$ 1,425	\$ 45,850	\$ 68,441	\$ 620		\$ 162,908		
Virgin Islands	\$ 200	\$ 200		\$ 300			\$ 700		
Grand Total	\$ 50,822	\$ 15,399	\$ 77,149	\$ 69,986	\$ 4,379	\$ 10,635	\$ 228,369		

k. For tax-exempt organizations and non-profit organizations, copies of the three most recent public IRS Form 990s (including Form 990-PF, Form 990-N, and Form 990-EZ) for each of the organization(s) you represent at the hearing (not including any contributor names and addresses or any information withheld from public inspection by the Secretary of the Treasury under 26 U.S.C. 6104)).

See attached form 990S for FY 10, 09, 08.

**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

**A** For the 2007 calendar year, or tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2007** and ending **JUN 30, 2008**

**B** Check if applicable:

Address change  
 Name change  
 Initial return  
 Termination  
 Amended return  
 Application pending

Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.

**C** Name of organization: **FRIENDS OF THE EARTH**

Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address): **1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW**

Room/suite: **600**

City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4: **WASHINGTON, DC 20036-2002**

**D** Employer identification number: **23-7420660**

**E** Telephone number: **(202) 783-7400**

**F** Accounting method:  Cash  Accrual  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

Hand 1 are not applicable to section 527 organizations.

H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates?  Yes  No

H(b) If "Yes," enter number of affiliates: **N/A**

H(c) Are all affiliates included? **N/A**  Yes  No  
(If "No," attach a list.)

H(d) Is this a separate return filed by an organization covered by a group ruling?  Yes  No

**G** Website: **N/A**

**J** Organization type (check only one)  501(c) ( 3 ) (insert no.)  4947(a)(1) or  527

**K** Check here  if the organization is not a 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. A return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return.

**I** Group Exemption Number: **N/A**

**L** Gross receipts: Add lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b to line 12: **4,067,907.**

**M** Check  if the organization is not required to attach Sch. B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

**Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances**

<b>1</b> Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received:				
<b>Revenue</b>	a Contributions to donor advised funds	1a		
	b Direct public support (not included on line 1a)	1b	3,735,509.	
	c Indirect public support (not included on line 1a)	1c		
	d Government contributions (grants) (not included on line 1a)	1d		
	e Total (add lines 1a through 1d) (cash \$ 3,735,509. noncash \$ )	1e		3,735,509.
	<b>2</b> Program service revenue including government fees and contracts (from Part VII, line 93)	2		
	<b>3</b> Membership dues and assessments	3		
	<b>4</b> Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	4		8,382.
	<b>5</b> Dividends and interest from securities	5		
	<b>6</b> a Gross rents <b>SEE STATEMENT 1</b>	6a	55,209.	
b Less: rental expenses	6b			
c Net rental income or (loss). Subtract line 6b from line 6a	6c		55,209.	
<b>7</b> Other investment income (describe )	7			
<b>8</b> a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(A) Securities	8a		
	(B) Other	8b		
	b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	8c		
	c Gain or (loss) (attach schedule)	8d		
<b>9</b> Special events and activities (attach schedule). If any amount is from gaming, check here <input type="checkbox"/>				
a Gross revenue (not including \$ 98,308. of contributions reported on line 1b)	9a			
b Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	9b	33,667.		
c Net income or (loss) from special events. Subtract line 9b from line 9a <b>SEE STATEMENT 2</b>	9c		-33,667.	
<b>10</b> a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	10a			
	b Less: cost of goods sold	10b		
	c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (attach schedule). Subtract line 10b from line 10a	10c		
<b>11</b> Other revenue (from Part VII, line 103)	11		268,807.	
<b>12</b> Total revenue. Add lines 1e, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6c, 7, 8d, 9c, 10c, and 11	12		4,034,240.	
<b>Expenses</b>	<b>13</b> Program services (from line 44, column (B))	13		3,362,659.
	<b>14</b> Management and general (from line 44, column (C))	14		350,806.
	<b>15</b> Fundraising (from line 44, column (D))	15		258,477.
	<b>16</b> Payments to affiliates (attach schedule)	16		
	<b>17</b> Total expenses. Add lines 13 and 14, column (A)	17		3,971,942.
<b>18</b> Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 17 from line 12	18		62,298.	
<b>Net Assets</b>	<b>19</b> Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 73, column (A))	19		1,777,304.
	<b>20</b> Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20		0.
	<b>21</b> Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18, 19, and 20	21		1,839,602.

**PUBLIC INSPECTION**

• If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** and check this box  **X**

**Note.** Only complete Part II if you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

• If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** (on page 1).

**Part II Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time.** You must file original and one copy.

Type or print  File by the extended due date for filing the return. See instructions.	Name of Exempt Organization <b>FRIENDS OF THE EARTH</b>		Employer identification number <b>23-7420660</b>
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. <b>1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW, NO. 600</b>		For IRS use only
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. <b>WASHINGTON, DC 20036-2002</b>		

Check type of return to be filed (File a separate application for each return):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-EZ	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 1041-A	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 8870
<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-BL	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (trust other than above)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 4720	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 6069	

**STOP! Do not complete Part II if you were not already granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.**

• The books are in the care of **FRIENDS OF THE EARTH**  
 Telephone No. **(202) 222-0737** FAX No. \_\_\_\_\_

• If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box

• If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) \_\_\_\_\_. If this is for the whole group, check this box . If it is for part of the group, check this box  and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for.

4 I request an additional 3-month extension of time until **MAY 15, 2009**.

5 For calendar year \_\_\_\_\_, or other tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2007**, and ending **JUN 30, 2008**.

6 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason:  Initial return  Final return  Change in accounting period

7 State in detail why you need the extension  
**ADDITIONAL TIME IS REQUIRED TO GATHER INFORMATION NECESSARY TO CREATE A COMPLETE AND ACCURATE RETURN.**

8a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	8a	\$	
b If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit and any amount paid previously with Form 8868.	8b	\$	
c <b>Balance Due.</b> Subtract line 8b from line 8a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	8c	\$	N/A

**Signature and Verification**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form.

Signature **Amy Fox** Title **CPA** Date **2/13/09**

## Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

OMB No. 1545-1709

▶ File a separate application for each return.

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** and check this box
- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** (on page 2 of this form).

**Do not complete Part II unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.**

**Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time.** Only submit original (no copies needed).

A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension - check this box and complete Part I only

*All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns.*

**Electronic Filing (e-file).** Generally, you can electronically file Form 8868 if you want a 3-month automatic extension of time to file one of the returns noted below (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T). However, you cannot file Form 8868 electronically if (1) you want the additional (not automatic) 3-month extension or (2) you file Forms 990-BL, 6069, or 8870, group returns, or a composite or consolidated Form 990-T. Instead, you must submit the fully completed and signed page 2 (Part II) of Form 8868. For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit [www.irs.gov/efile](http://www.irs.gov/efile) and click on e-file for Charities & Nonprofits.

<b>Type or print</b>	Name of Exempt Organization <b>FRIENDS OF THE EARTH</b>	Employer identification number <b>23-7420660</b>
File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. <b>1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW, NO. 600</b>	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. <b>WASHINGTON, DC 20036-2002</b>	

Check type of return to be filed (file a separate application for each return):

- |  |   |                                    |
|--|---|------------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990 | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (corporation)                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4720 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-BL         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust) | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-EZ         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (trust other than above)      | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 6069 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 1041-A                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8870 |

- The books are in the care of ▶ **FRIENDS OF THE EARTH**  
 Telephone No. ▶ **(202) 222-0737** FAX No. ▶ \_\_\_\_\_
- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) \_\_\_\_\_. If this is for the whole group, check this box . If it is for part of the group, check this box  and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension will cover.

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6-months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until **FEBRUARY 15, 2009**, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:  
 ▶  calendar year \_\_\_\_\_ or  
 ▶  tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2007**, and ending **JUN 30, 2008**.

2 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason:  Initial return  Final return  Change in accounting period

3a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	3a	\$	
b If this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit.	3b	\$	
c Balance Due. Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	3c	\$	N/A

**Caution.** If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions.

LHA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see Instructions.

Form 8868 (Rev. 4-2008)



**Part II Statement of Functional Expenses** All organizations must complete column (A). Columns (B), (C), and (D) are required for section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts but optional for others.

Do not include amounts reported on line 6b, 8b, 9b, 10b, or 16 of Part I.	(A) Total	(B) Program services	(C) Management and general	(D) Fundraising
22a Grants paid from donor advised funds (attach schedule) (cash \$ 0 • noncash \$ 0) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>			<b>STATEMENT 4</b>	
22b Other grants and allocations (attach schedule) (cash \$ 171500 • noncash \$ 0) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	171,500.	171,500.		
23 Specific assistance to individuals (attach schedule)				
24 Benefits paid to or for members (attach schedule)				
25a Compensation of current officers, directors, key employees, etc. listed in Part V-A	277,739.	161,128.	116,611.	0.
b Compensation of former officers, directors, key employees, etc. listed in Part V-B	0.	0.	0.	0.
c Compensation and other distributions, not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
26 Salaries and wages of employees not included on lines 25a, b, and c	1,502,240.	1,232,586.	207,487.	62,167.
27 Pension plan contributions not included on lines 25a, b, and c	28,552.	22,724.	4,435.	1,393.
28 Employee benefits not included on lines 25a - 27	130,371.	112,697.	11,363.	6,311.
29 Payroll taxes	137,927.	109,018.	23,829.	5,080.
30 Professional fundraising fees	432,558.	369,706.	24,864.	37,988.
31 Accounting fees				
32 Legal fees				
33 Supplies	29,547.	6,614.	22,110.	823.
34 Telephone	46,600.	34,316.	9,314.	2,970.
35 Postage and shipping	103,002.	75,777.	10,587.	16,638.
36 Occupancy	419,499.	311,012.	96,862.	11,625.
37 Equipment rental and maintenance	118,766.	111,466.		7,300.
38 Printing and publications	211,091.	185,101.	5,253.	20,737.
39 Travel	88,953.	72,751.	7,659.	8,543.
40 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	52,795.	26,168.	8,479.	18,148.
41 Interest				
42 Depreciation, depletion, etc. (attach schedule)	50,245.	4,433.	25,134.	20,678.
43 Other expenses not covered above (itemize):				
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				
f				
g SEE STATEMENT 3	170,557.	355,662.	-223,181.	38,076.
44 Total functional expenses. Add lines 22a through 43g. (Organizations completing columns (B)-(D), carry these totals to lines 13-15)	3,971,942.	3,362,659.	350,806.	258,477.

Joint Costs. Check  if you are following SOP 98-2.

Are any joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation reported in (B) Program services?  Yes  No  
 If "Yes," enter (i) the aggregate amount of these joint costs \$ N/A ; (ii) the amount allocated to Program services \$ N/A ;  
 (iii) the amount allocated to Management and general \$ N/A ; and (iv) the amount allocated to Fundraising \$ N/A

**Part III** Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (See the instructions.)

Form 990 is available for public inspection and, for some people, serves as the primary or sole source of information about a particular organization. How the public perceives an organization in such cases may be determined by the information presented on its return. Therefore, please make sure the return is complete and accurate and fully describes, in Part III, the organization's programs and accomplishments.

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? ► SEE STATEMENT 7	Program Service Expenses (Required for 501(c)(3) and (4) orgs., and 4947(a)(1) trusts; but optional for others.)
All organizations must describe their exempt purpose achievements in a clear and concise manner. State the number of clients served, publications issued, etc. Discuss achievements that are not measurable. (Section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must also enter the amount of grants and allocations to others.)	
<b>a</b> SEE STATEMENT 5     	
(Grants and allocations \$ 6,500. ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	986,713.
<b>b</b> SEE STATEMENT 6     	
(Grants and allocations \$ 165,000. ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	880,609.
<b>c</b> OUTREACH PROGRAM - EDUCATION OF MEMBERS AND THE PUBLIC ABOUT IMPORTANT ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES SUCH AS GLOBAL WARMING THROUGH ADVERTISEMENTS, MAIL, THE INTERNET, AND A QUARTERLY NEWS MAGAZINE. ASSISTS MEMBERS AND THE PUBLIC IN TAKING ACTION TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF THE ENVIRONMENT.	
(Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	829,475.
<b>d</b> BLUEWATER NETWORK - PROMOTING CLEAN CAR TECHNOLOGIES, INCLUDING PLUG-IN HYBRIDS. PUBLICIZING THE POLLUTION IMPACTS OF CARGO VESSELS, FERRY BOATS, JETSKIS, SNOWMOBILES, AND CRUISE SHIPS. WORKING ON CALIFORNIA AND FEDERAL LEGISLATION ON VESSEL POLLUTION. LEGAL ACTIONS TO ENFORCE ENVIRONMENTAL LAWS AT THE FEDERAL AND STATE LEVEL.	
(Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	582,495.
<b>e</b> Other program services (attach schedule) SEE STATEMENT 8	
(Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	83,367.
<b>f</b> Total of Program Service Expenses (should equal line 44, column (B), Program services) ►	3,362,659.

**Part IV Balance Sheets** (See the instructions.)

Note: Where required, attached schedules and amounts within the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only.

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	45 Cash - non-interest-bearing .....	1,301.	45	1,800.
	46 Savings and temporary cash investments .....	902,465.	46	799,052.
	47 a Accounts receivable .....	47a 77,519.		
	b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts .....	47b	36,129.	47c 77,519.
	48 a Pledges receivable .....	48a 964,652.		
	b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts .....	48b	742,457.	48c 964,652.
	49 Grants receivable .....		49	
	50 a Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, and key employees .....		50a	
	b Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) .....		50b	
	51 a Other notes and loans receivable .....	51a		
	b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts .....	51b		51c
	52 Inventories for sale or use .....		52	
	53 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges .....		90,532.	53 54,258.
	54 a Investments - publicly-traded securities .....	<input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input type="checkbox"/> FMV		54a
	b Investments - other securities .....	<input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input type="checkbox"/> FMV		54b
55 a Investments - land, buildings, and equipment: basis .....	55a			
b Less: accumulated depreciation .....	55b		55c	
56 Investments - other .....			56	
57 a Land, buildings, and equipment: basis .....	57a 741,709.			
b Less: accumulated depreciation <b>STMT 9</b> .....	57b 662,167.	68,946.	57c 79,542.	
58 Other assets, including program-related investments (describe <b>SEE STATEMENT 10</b> ) .....		199,521.	58 179,381.	
59 <b>Total assets</b> (must equal line 74). Add lines 45 through 58 .....		2,041,351.	59 2,156,204.	
Liabilities	60 Accounts payable and accrued expenses .....	126,853.	60	162,218.
	61 Grants payable .....		61	
	62 Deferred revenue .....	1,120.	62	8,115.
	63 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees .....		63	
	64 a Tax-exempt bond liabilities .....		64a	
	b Mortgages and other notes payable .....		64b	
	65 Other liabilities (describe <b>SEE STATEMENT 11</b> ) .....		136,074.	65 146,269.
66 <b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 60 through 65 .....		264,047.	66 316,602.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 67 through 69 and lines 73 and 74.			
	67 Unrestricted .....	172,220.	67	162,774.
	68 Temporarily restricted .....	1,605,084.	68	1,676,828.
	69 Permanently restricted .....		69	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 70 through 74.			
	70 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds .....		70	
	71 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, and equipment fund .....		71	
	72 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds .....		72	
73 <b>Total net assets or fund balances.</b> Add lines 67 through 69 or lines 70 through 72. (Column (A) must equal line 19 and column (B) must equal line 21) .....		1,777,304.	73 1,839,602.	
74 <b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances.</b> Add lines 66 and 73 .....		2,041,351.	74 2,156,204.	





Part VI Other Information (continued)		Yes	No
82 a	Did the organization receive donated services or the use of materials, equipment, or facilities at no charge or at substantially less than fair rental value? .....		X
b	If "Yes," you may indicate the value of these items here. Do not include this amount as revenue in Part I or as an expense in Part II. (See instructions in Part III.) ..... <b>82b</b> N/A		
83 a	Did the organization comply with the public inspection requirements for returns and exemption applications? .....	X	
b	Did the organization comply with the disclosure requirements relating to <i>quid pro quo</i> contributions? .....	X	
84 a	Did the organization solicit any contributions or gifts that were not tax deductible? .....		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible? .....		
85 a	501(c)(4), (5), or (6). Were substantially all dues nondeductible by members? .....		
b	Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less? .....		
	If "Yes" was answered to either 85a or 85b, do not complete 85c through 85h below unless the organization received a waiver for proxy tax owed for the prior year.		
c	Dues, assessments, and similar amounts from members .....		
d	Section 162(e) lobbying and political expenditures .....		
e	Aggregate nondeductible amount of section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices .....		
f	Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (line 85d less 85e) .....		
g	Does the organization elect to pay the section 6033(e) tax on the amount on line 85f? .....		
h	If section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices were sent, does the organization agree to add the amount on line 85f to its reasonable estimate of dues allocable to nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures for the following tax year? .....		
86	501(c)(7) organizations. Enter: a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 12 .....		
b	Gross receipts, included on line 12, for public use of club facilities .....		
87	501(c)(12) organizations. Enter: a Gross income from members or shareholders .....		
b	Gross income from other sources. (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.) .....		
88 a	At any time during the year, did the organization own a 50% or greater interest in a taxable corporation or partnership, or an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? If "Yes," complete Part IX .....		X
b	At any time during the year, did the organization, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Part XI .....		X
89 a	501(c)(3) organizations. Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ▶ 0.; section 4912 ▶ 0.; section 4955 ▶ 0.		
b	501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or did it become aware of an excess benefit transaction from a prior year? If "Yes," attach a statement explaining each transaction .....		X
c	Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 .....		
d	Enter: Amount of tax on line 89c, above, reimbursed by the organization .....		
e	All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? .....		X
f	All organizations. Did the organization acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract? .....		X
g	For supporting organizations and sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did the supporting organization, or a fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year? N/A .....		
90 a	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ▶ SEE STATEMENT 13		
b	Number of employees employed in the pay period that includes March 12, 2007 .....	90b	30
91 a	The books are in care of ▶ FRIENDS OF THE EARTH Telephone no. ▶ (202) 783-7400 Located at ▶ 1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW, WASHINGTON, DC ZIP + 4 ▶ 20036-2002		
b	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)? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶ N/A See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.	91b	X

**Part VI Other Information** (continued)

c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the United States? 91c  Yes  No  
 If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country N/A

92 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041- Check here  and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year 92 N/A

**Part VII Analysis of Income-Producing Activities** (See the instructions.)

Note: Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.

	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(E) Related or exempt function income
	(A) Business code	(B) Amount	(C) Exclu- sion code	(D) Amount	
93 Program service revenue:					
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
f Medicare/Medicaid payments					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
94 Membership dues and assessments					
95 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			14	8,382.	
96 Dividends and interest from securities					
97 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:					
a debt-financed property					
b not debt-financed property			16	55,209.	
98 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
99 Other investment income					
100 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory					
101 Net income or (loss) from special events					-33,667.
102 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
103 Other revenue:					
a MAILING LIST SALES			01	12,244.	
b REIMBURSED EXP			01	232,231.	
c OTHER			01	24,332.	
d					
e					
104 Subtotal (add columns (B), (D), and (E))		0.		332,398.	-33,667.
105 Total (add line 104, columns (B), (D), and (E))					298,731.

Note: Line 105 plus line 1e, Part I, should equal the amount on line 12, Part I.

**Part VIII Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes** (See the instructions.)

Line No.	Explain how each activity for which income is reported in column (E) of Part VII contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the organization's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes).
1	SEE STATEMENT 14

**Part IX Information Regarding Taxable Subsidiaries and Disregarded Entities** (See the instructions.)

(A) Name, address, and EIN of corporation, partnership, or disregarded entity	(B) Percentage of ownership interest	(C) Nature of activities	(D) Total income	(E) End-of-year assets
N/A	%			
	%			
	%			
	%			

**Part X Information Regarding Transfers Associated with Personal Benefit Contracts** (See the instructions.)

(a) Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?  Yes  No

(b) Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?  Yes  No

Note: If "Yes" to (b), file Form 8870 and Form 4720 (see instructions).

**Part XI** Information Regarding Transfers To and From Controlled Entities. Complete only if the organization is a controlling organization as defined in section 512(b)(13). N/A

106 Did the reporting organization make any transfers to a controlled entity as defined in section 512(b)(13) of the Code? If "Yes," complete the schedule below for each controlled entity.

Yes	No

	(A) Name, address, of each controlled entity	(B) Employer Identification Number	(C) Description of transfer	(D) Amount of transfer
a	----- -----			
b	----- -----			
c	----- -----			
Totals				

107 Did the reporting organization receive any transfers from a controlled entity as defined in section 512(b)(13) of the Code? If "Yes," complete the schedule below for each controlled entity.

Yes	No

	(A) Name, address, of each controlled entity	(B) Employer Identification Number	(C) Description of transfer	(D) Amount of transfer
a	----- -----			
b	----- -----			
c	----- -----			
Totals				

108 Did the organization have a binding written contract in effect on August 17, 2006, covering the interest, rents, royalties, and annuities described in question 107 above?

Yes	No

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.

Please Sign Here

Signature of officer: Brent Blackwelder Date: March 13, 2009

Type or print name and title: Brent Blackwelder President

Paid Preparer's Use Only

Preparer's signature: Robert A. Casey CPA Date: 3/1/09 Check if self-employed:

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4: LARSONALLEN LLP  
2900 SOUTH QUINCY STREET SUITE 150  
ARLINGTON, VA 22206

Preparer's SSN or PTIN (See Gen. Inst. X): \_\_\_\_\_ EIN: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone no.: (703) 998-5100



**SCHEDULE A**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

**Organization Exempt Under Section 501(c)(3)**

OMB No. 1545-0047

(Except Private Foundation) and Section 501(e), 501(f), 501(k),  
501(n), or 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust

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**Supplementary Information-(See separate instructions.)**  
▶ **MUST be completed by the above organizations and attached to their Form 990 or 990-EZ**

Name of the organization: **FRIENDS OF THE EARTH**  
Employer identification number: **23 7420660**

**Part I Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Employees Other Than Officers, Directors, and Trustees**  
(See page 1 of the instructions. List each one. If there are none, enter "None.")

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
CHEATHAM, HUGH E. 3102 GLISSADE CT, CLINTON, MD 20735	CFO 37.50	95,216.	2,856.	
MATHER THRIFT, MARSHA 350 STARLING RD, MIL VALLEY, CA 94941	DEVELOPMENT DIR. 37.50	86,417.	14,027.	
TORFS, JOHANNA 3613 17TH ST., NE,, WASHINGTON, DC 20	FOEI INT'L COORD 37.50	82,897.	12,154.	
HIRSCH, DAVID 5315 CT AVE, NW, #607, WASHINGTON, DC	DIR OF PROG & OP 37.50	81,893.	11,680.	
HILGART, JOSHUA 1535 FRANCIS ST.,, CROCKETT, CA 94525	FIELD DIRECTOR 37.50	78,925.	4,860.	
Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000	6			

**Part II-A Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Independent Contractors for Professional Services**  
(See page 2 of the instructions. List each one (whether individuals or firms). If there are none, enter "None.")

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
PODESTA GROUP 1001 G STREET, NW, SUITE 900, WASHINGTON, DC 2000	LOBBYING/CONSULTING - NUCLEAR PROJ	140,000.
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services	0	

**Part II-B Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Independent Contractors for Other Services**  
(List each contractor who performed services other than professional services, whether individuals or firms. If there are none, enter "None." See page 2 of the instructions.)

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		
Total number of other contractors receiving over \$50,000 for other services	0	

<b>Part III</b> Statements About Activities (See page 2 of the instructions.)		Yes	No
1	During the year, has the organization attempted to influence national, state, or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum? If "Yes," enter the total expenses paid or incurred in connection with the lobbying activities ▶ \$ _____ \$ <u>188,259.</u> (Must equal amounts on line 38, Part VI-A, or line i of Part VI-B.) Organizations that made an election under section 501(h) by filing Form 5768 must complete Part VI-A. Other organizations checking "Yes" must complete Part VI-B AND attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities. VI-A, LINE 38B	<b>1</b>	<b>X</b>
2	During the year, has the organization, either directly or indirectly, engaged in any of the following acts with any substantial contributors, trustees, directors, officers, creators, key employees, or members of their families, or with any taxable organization with which any such person is affiliated as an officer, director, trustee, majority owner, or principal beneficiary? (If the answer to any question is "Yes," attach a detailed statement explaining the transactions.)		
a	Sale, exchange, or leasing of property? .....	2a	X
b	Lending of money or other extension of credit? .....	2b	X
c	Furnishing of goods, services, or facilities? .....	2c	X
d	Payment of compensation (or payment or reimbursement of expenses if more than \$1,000)? .....	2d	X
e	Transfer of any part of its income or assets? .....	2e	X
3	Did the organization make grants for scholarships, fellowships, student loans, etc.? (If "Yes," attach an explanation of how the organization determines that recipients qualify to receive payments.) .....	3a	X
b	Did the organization have a section 403(b) annuity plan for its employees? .....	3b	X
c	Did the organization receive or hold an easement for conservation purposes, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas or historic structures? If "Yes," attach a detailed statement .....	3c	X
d	Did the organization provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? .....	3d	X
4	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," complete lines 4b through 4g. If "No," complete lines 4f and 4g .....	4a	X
b	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966? .....	4b	N/A
c	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person? .....	4c	N/A
d	Enter the total number of donor advised funds owned at the end of the tax year .....	▶ N/A	
e	Enter the aggregate value of assets held in all donor advised funds owned at the end of the tax year .....	▶ N/A	
f	Enter the total number of separate funds or accounts owned at the end of the year (excluding donor advised funds included on line 4d) where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts .....	▶ 0.	
g	Enter the aggregate value of assets in all funds or accounts included on line 4f at the end of the tax year .....	▶ 0.	

**Part IV Reason for Non-Private Foundation Status** (See pages 4 through 8 of the instructions.)

I certify that the organization is not a private foundation because it is: (Please check only **ONE** applicable box.)

- 5  A church, convention of churches, or association of churches. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).
- 6  A school. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Also complete Part V.)
- 7  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).
- 8  A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).
- 9  A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). Enter the hospital's name, city, and state
- 10  An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)
- 11a  An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)
- 11b  A community trust. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)
- 12  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 charitable, etc., 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). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)
- 13  An organization that is not controlled by any disqualified persons (other than foundation managers) and otherwise meets the requirements of section 509(a)(3). Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization:  
 Type I       Type II       Type III-Functionally Integrated       Type III-Other

Provide the following information about the supported organizations. (See page 8 of the instructions.)

(a) Name(s) of supported organization(s)	(b) Employer identification number (EIN)	(c) Type of organization (described in lines 5 through 12 above or IRC section)	(d) Is the supported organization listed in the supporting organization's governing documents?		(e) Amount of support
			Yes	No	
<b>Total</b> .....					▶

- 14  An organization organized and operated to test for public safety. Section 509(a)(4). (See page 8 of the instructions.)

**Part IV-A Support Schedule** (Complete only if you checked a box on line 10, 11, or 12.) **Use cash method of accounting.**  
 Note: You may use the worksheet in the instructions for converting from the accrual to the cash method of accounting.

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2006	(b) 2005	(c) 2004	(d) 2003	(e) Total
15 Gifts, grants, and contributions received. (Do not include unusual grants. See line 28.)	3,641,198.	2,743,802.	3,446,939.	4,057,251.	13,889,190.
16 Membership fees received					
17 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or furnishing of facilities in any activity that is related to the organization's charitable, etc., purpose		0.	245.	2,790.	3,035.
18 Gross income from interest, dividends, amounts received from payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), rents, royalties, income from similar sources, and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975	81,272.	56,379.	121,863.	152,410.	411,924.
19 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 18					
20 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to it or expended on its behalf					
21 The value of services or facilities furnished to the organization by a governmental unit without charge. Do not include the value of services or facilities generally furnished to the public without charge					
22 Other income. Attach a schedule. Do not include gain or (loss) from sale of capital assets	134,058.	153,948.	SEE STATEMENT 17 54,263.	55,073.	397,342.
23 Total of lines 15 through 22	3,856,528.	2,954,129.	3,623,310.	4,267,524.	14,701,491.
24 Line 23 minus line 17	3,856,528.	2,954,129.	3,623,065.	4,264,734.	14,698,456.
25 Enter 1% of line 23	38,565.	29,541.	36,233.	42,675.	
26 Organizations described on lines 10 or 11: a Enter 2% of amount in column (e), line 24					26a 293,969.
b Prepare a list for your records to show the name of and amount contributed by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) whose total gifts for 2003 through 2006 exceeded the amount shown in line 26a. Do not file this list with your return. Enter the total of all these excess amounts					26b 4,976,543.
c Total support for section 509(a)(1) test: Enter line 24, column (e)					26c 14,698,456.
d Add: Amounts from column (e) for lines: 18 411,924. 19 _____ 22 397,342. 26b 4,976,543.					26d 5,785,809.
e Public support (line 26c minus line 26d total)					26e 8,912,647.
f Public support percentage (line 26e (numerator) divided by line 26c (denominator))					26f 60.6366%
27 Organizations described on line 12: a For amounts included in lines 15, 16, and 17 that were received from a "disqualified person," prepare a list for your records to show the name of, and total amounts received in each year from, each "disqualified person." Do not file this list with your return. Enter the sum of such amounts for each year: N/A (2006) _____ (2005) _____ (2004) _____ (2003) _____					
b For any amount included in line 17 that was received from each person (other than "disqualified persons"), prepare a list for your records to show the name of, and amount received for each year, that was more than the larger of (1) the amount on line 25 for the year or (2) \$5,000. (Include in the list organizations described in lines 5 through 11b, as well as individuals.) Do not file this list with your return. After computing the difference between the amount received and the larger amount described in (1) or (2), enter the sum of these differences (the excess amounts) for each year: N/A (2006) _____ (2005) _____ (2004) _____ (2003) _____					
c Add: Amounts from column (e) for lines: 15 _____ 16 _____ 17 _____ 20 _____ 21 _____					27c N/A
d Add: Line 27a total _____ and line 27b total _____					27d N/A
e Public support (line 27c total minus line 27d total)					27e N/A
f Total support for section 509(a)(2) test: Enter amount on line 23, column (e)					27f N/A
g Public support percentage (line 27e (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))					27g N/A %
h Investment income percentage (line 18, column (e) (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))					27h N/A %
28 Unusual Grants: For an organization described in line 10, 11, or 12 that received any unusual grants during 2003 through 2006, prepare a list for your records to show, for each year, the name of the contributor, the date and amount of the grant, and a brief description of the nature of the grant. Do not file this list with your return. Do not include these grants in line 15.					NONE

**Part V Private School Questionnaire** (See page 9 of the instructions.)

N/A

(To be completed ONLY by schools that checked the box on line 6 in Part IV)

		Yes	No
29	Does the organization have a racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students by statement in its charter, bylaws, other governing instrument, or in a resolution of its governing body? .....		
30	Does the organization include a statement of its racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students in all its brochures, catalogues, and other written communications with the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships? .....		
31	Has the organization publicized its racially nondiscriminatory policy through newspaper or broadcast media during the period of solicitation for students, or during the registration period if it has no solicitation program, in a way that makes the policy known to all parts of the general community it serves? .....		
	If "Yes," please describe; if "No," please explain. (If you need more space, attach a separate statement.)		
	_____		
	_____		
	_____		
32	Does the organization maintain the following:		
a	Records indicating the racial composition of the student body, faculty, and administrative staff? .....		
b	Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on a racially nondiscriminatory basis? .....		
c	Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships? .....		
d	Copies of all material used by the organization or on its behalf to solicit contributions? .....		
	If you answered "No" to any of the above, please explain. (If you need more space, attach a separate statement.)		
	_____		
33	Does the organization discriminate by race in any way with respect to:		
a	Students' rights or privileges? .....		
b	Admissions policies? .....		
c	Employment of faculty or administrative staff? .....		
d	Scholarships or other financial assistance? .....		
e	Educational policies? .....		
f	Use of facilities? .....		
g	Athletic programs? .....		
h	Other extracurricular activities? .....		
	If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain. (If you need more space, attach a separate statement.)		
	_____		
	_____		
34 a	Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency? .....		
b	Has the organization's right to such aid ever been revoked or suspended? .....		
	If you answered "Yes" to either 34a or b, please explain using an attached statement.		
35	Does the organization certify that it has complied with the applicable requirements of sections 4.01 through 4.05 of Rev. Proc. 75-50, 1975-2 C.B. 587, covering racial nondiscrimination? If "No," attach an explanation .....		

**Part VI-A Lobbying Expenditures by Electing Public Charities** (See page 11 of the instructions.)  
(To be completed ONLY by an eligible organization that filed Form 5768)

Check  **a** if the organization belongs to an affiliated group. Check  **b** if you checked "a" and "limited control" provisions apply.

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)		(a) Affiliated group totals	(b) To be completed for all electing organizations
		N/A	
36	Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grassroots lobbying) .....	36	10,992.
37	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying) .....	37	177,267.
38	Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 36 and 37) .....	38	188,259.
39	Other exempt purpose expenditures .....	39	3,525,202.
40	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 38 and 39) .....	40	3,713,461.
41	Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table - If the amount on line 40 is -                      The lobbying nontaxable amount is - Not over \$500,000                                      20% of the amount on line 40 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	41	335,673.
42	Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 41) .....	42	83,918.
43	Subtract line 42 from line 36. Enter -0- if line 42 is more than line 36 .....	43	
44	Subtract line 41 from line 38. Enter -0- if line 41 is more than line 38 .....	44	

**Caution:** If there is an amount on either line 43 or line 44, you must file Form 4720.

**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 instructions for lines 45 through 50 on page 13 of the instructions.)

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period				
	(a) 2007	(b) 2006	(c) 2005	(d) 2004	(e) Total
45	335,673.	301,814.	305,568.	288,657.	1,231,712.
46					1,847,568.
47	188,259.	61,920.	78,878.	106,166.	435,223.
48	83,918.	75,454.	76,392.	72,164.	307,928.
49					461,892.
50	10,992.	26,999.	39,158.	61,238.	138,387.

**Part VI-B Lobbying Activity by Nonelecting Public Charities**  
(For reporting only by organizations that did not complete Part VI-A) (See page 14 of the instructions.)

During the year, did the organization attempt to influence national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of:	Yes	No	Amount
a Volunteers .....		X	
b Paid staff or management (Include compensation in expenses reported on lines c through h.) .....		X	
c Media advertisements .....		X	
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public .....		X	
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements .....		X	
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes .....		X	
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body .....		X	
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any other means .....		X	
i Total lobbying expenditures (Add lines c through h.) .....			0.

If "Yes" to any of the above, also attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities.



Schedule A

Identification of Excess Contributions  
Included on Part IV-A, Line 26b

2007

\*\* Do Not File \*\*  
\*\*\* Not Open to Public Inspection \*\*\*

Contributor's Name	Total Contributions	Excess Contributions
GABEL, F. DANIEL MR. & MRS.	1,209,000.	915,031.
CHARLES STEWART MOTT FDN	900,000.	606,031.
OGILVY, AVIS (MOORE)	460,750.	166,781.
RICHARD & RHODA GOLDMAN FUND	502,000.	208,031.
PUBLIC WELFARE FOUNDATION	400,000.	106,031.
ANONYMOUS	325,000.	31,031.
WALLACE GLOBAL FOUNDATION (GENETIC)	327,000.	33,031.
TIDES FOUNDATION	350,114.	56,145.
THE OAK FOUNDATION	360,026.	66,057.
FOUNDATION FOR THE CAROLINAS	300,000.	6,031.
AMOUNTS UNDER \$5,000	3,076,312.	2,782,343.
Total Excess Contributions to Schedule A, Line 26b .....		4,976,543.



**Schedule B**

(Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Schedule of Contributors**

Supplementary Information for  
line 1 of Form 990, 990-EZ, and 990-PF (see instructions)

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2007**

Name of organization

FRIENDS OF THE EARTH

Employer identification number

23-7420660

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 foundation

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

**General Rule-**

For organizations filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. (Complete Parts I and II.)

**Special Rules-**

For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1)/170(b)(1)(A)(vi), and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of \$5,000 or 2% of the amount on line 1 of these forms. (Complete Parts I and II.)

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that received from any one contributor, during the year, aggregate contributions or bequests of more than \$1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. (Complete Parts I, II, and III.)

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that received from any one contributor, during the year, some contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not aggregate to 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. Do not complete any of the Parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year.) ..... ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Caution:** Organizations that are not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules do not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but they **must** check the box in the heading of their Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or on line 2 of their Form 990-PF, to certify that they do not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

LHA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions  
for Form 990, Form 990-EZ, and Form 990-PF.

Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2007)

Name of organization <b>FRIENDS OF THE EARTH</b>	Employer identification number <b>23-7420660</b>
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**Part I Contributors** (See Specific Instructions.)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1		\$ <u>75,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
2		\$ <u>200,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
3		\$ <u>100,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
4		\$ <u>120,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
5		\$ <u>75,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
6		\$ <u>100,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

Name of organization <b>FRIENDS OF THE EARTH</b>	Employer identification number <b>23-7420660</b>
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**Part I Contributors** (See Specific Instructions.)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7		\$ 100,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
8		\$ 200,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
9		\$ 84,690.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
10		\$ 200,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
11		\$ 100,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
12		\$ 100,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

Name of organization

Employer identification number

**FRIENDS OF THE EARTH**

23-7420660

**Part I Contributors** (See Specific Instructions.)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
13		\$ 150,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
14		\$ 200,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
15		\$ 135,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

FORM 990 RENTAL INCOME STATEMENT 1

KIND AND LOCATION OF PROPERTY	ACTIVITY NUMBER	GROSS RENTAL INCOME
	1	55,209.
TOTAL TO FORM 990, PART I, LINE 6A		55,209.

FORM 990 SPECIAL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES STATEMENT 2

DESCRIPTION OF EVENT	GROSS RECEIPTS	CONTRIBUT. INCLUDED	GROSS REVENUE	DIRECT EXPENSES	NET INCOME OR (LOSS)
FOE ANNUAL FUNDRAISER/GREEN BALL	98,308.	98,308.		33,667.	-33,667.
TO FM 990, PART I, LINE 9	98,308.	98,308.		33,667.	-33,667.

FORM 990 OTHER EXPENSES STATEMENT 3

DESCRIPTION	(A) TOTAL	(B) PROGRAM SERVICES	(C) MANAGEMENT AND GENERAL	(D) FUNDRAISING
TEMPS/INTERNS	1,877.	1,877.		
DUPLICATING	16,419.	3,772.	10,652.	1,995.
COMPUTER EXPENSES	39,249.	35,719.	2,061.	1,469.
DUES & MEMBERSHIPS	26,371.	24,581.	1,740.	50.
ADVERTISING	29,686.	23,184.	2,725.	3,777.
CORP FEES & TAXES	7,364.		1,983.	5,381.
PROFESSIONAL FEES	0.			
APPLIED OVERHEAD	0.	246,886.	-257,542.	10,656.
INSURANCE	4,751.		4,751.	
CONTRIBUTIONS	0.			
OTHER	44,840.	19,643.	10,449.	14,748.
TOTAL TO FM 990, LN 43	170,557.	355,662.	-223,181.	38,076.

FORM 990	CASH GRANTS AND ALLOCATIONS TO OTHERS	STATEMENT	4
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CLASS OF ACTIVITY/DONEE'S NAME AND ADDRESS	AMOUNT
ACTION AID INTERNATIONAL USA 1420 K STREET, NW, SUITE 900, WASHINGTON, DC 20005	40,000.
BEYOND NUCLEAR 6930 CARROLL AVE., SUITE 400, TAKOMA PARK, MD 20912	1,500.
CFACP/VOTERS FOR PEACE 2842 N. CALVERT STREET, BALTIMORE, MD 21218	20,000.
OIL CHANGE INTERNATIONAL 2228 12TH PLACE, NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20009	40,000.
OXFAM AMERICA 1100 15TH STREET, NW, SUITE 600 WASHINGTON, DC 20005	40,000.
TAXPAYERS FOR COMMON SENSE 651 PENNSYLVANIA AVE., SE WASHINGTON, DC 20003	5,000.
US CLIMATE ACTION NETWORK 1326 14TH STREET, NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20005	25,000.
TOTAL INCLUDED ON FORM 990, PART II, LINE 22B	171,500.

DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM SERVICE ONE

DOMESTIC - ANALYSIS OF THE SUBSIDIES PROVIDED TO VARIOUS FORMS OF ENERGY. EVALUATION OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AND FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION, ESPECIALLY ENERGY AND GLOBAL WARMING LEGISLATION, AND OTHER PUBLIC POLICY PROPOSALS. ADVOCACY OF FEWER DAMAGING HIGHWAYS AND MORE PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION. PROMOTION OF POLICIES TO PREVENT CANCERS THAT ARE RELATED TO ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS SUCH AS TOXIC CHEMICALS. PUBLICATION OF REPORTS ON THE LACK OF INDEPENDENT SAFETY STUDIES ON CONSUMER PRODUCTS CONTAINING NANOPARTICLES. SCIENTIFIC AND POLICY RESEARCH AND PUBLIC EDUCATION ON THE RISKS OF GENETICALLY ENGINEERED FOOD INGREDIENTS AND THE ENGINEERING OF CROPS TO CONTAIN DRUGS AND INDUSTRIAL CHEMICALS. HIGHLIGHTING THE DANGERS OF GENETICALLY ENGINEERED ANIMALS AND HUMAN BEINGS. CAMPAIGNING FOR SAFER FOODS AND SAFER FARMS. CAMPAIGNING TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF THE ENVIRONMENT IN THE GREATER METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON, DC AREA.

	GRANTS	EXPENSES
TO FORM 990, PART III, LINE A	6,500.	986,713.





FORM 990 DEPRECIATION OF ASSETS NOT HELD FOR INVESTMENT STATEMENT 9

DESCRIPTION	COST OR OTHER BASIS	ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION	BOOK VALUE
FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT	741,709.	662,167.	79,542.
TOTAL TO FORM 990, PART IV, LN 57	741,709.	662,167.	79,542.

FORM 990 OTHER ASSETS STATEMENT 10

DESCRIPTION	BEGINNING OF YEAR	END OF YEAR
POOLED INCOME FUND DEPOSITS	10,083.	6,327.
DUE FROM FRIENDS OF THE EARTH (ACTION)	30,403.	32,203.
CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITY	54,662.	45,860.
TOTAL TO FORM 990, PART IV, LINE 58	104,373.	94,991.
	199,521.	179,381.

FORM 990 OTHER LIABILITIES STATEMENT 11

DESCRIPTION	BEGINNING OF YEAR	END OF YEAR
ACCRUED LEAVE	89,306.	100,329.
CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITY LIABILITY	46,768.	45,940.
TOTAL TO FORM 990, PART IV, LINE 65	136,074.	146,269.

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 FORM 990      PART V-A - LIST OF CURRENT OFFICERS, DIRECTORS,      STATEMENT 12  
 TRUSTEES AND KEY EMPLOYEES
 

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NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVRG HRS/WK	COMPEN- SATION	EMPLOYEE	
			BEN PLAN CONTRIB	EXPENSE ACCOUNT
WHITEY BLUESTEIN 70 BRUSHWOOD LANE SAN RAFAEL, CA 94904	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
JAYNI CHASE 48 FOX LANE BEDFORD CORNERS, NY 10549	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
HARRIETT CROSBY 6515 79TH PLACE CABIN JOHN, MD 20818	VICE CHAIR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
CLARENCE DITLOW 1825 CONN. AVE, #330 WASHINGTON, DC 20009	SECRETARY 1.00	0.	0.	0.
MARION EDEY 10019 MENLO AVE SILVER SPRING, MD 20910	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
DAN GABEL 72 JANE ST. NEW YORK, NY 10014	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
JEFF GLUECK 325 HUDSON ST., 10TH FL NEW YORK, NY 10013	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
MICHAEL J. HERZ 29 WATER STREET DAMARISCOTTA, ME 04543	CHAIRMAN 1.00	0.	0.	0.
DOUGLAS LEGUM 10516 GAINSBOROUGH POTOMAC, MD 20854	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
RUSSELL LONG 311 CALIFORNIA ST, 5TH FL SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94104	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
PATRICIA MATTHEWS 11 HARRISON STREET NEW YORK, NY 10013	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.





## GENERAL EXPLANATION

STATEMENT 16

FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT ARE RECORDED AT COST AND DEPRECIATED ON THE STRAIGHT-LINE BASIS OVER THE ESTIMATED USEFUL LIVES OF THE ASSETS (3 TO 5 YEARS). LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS ARE AMORTIZED ON THE STRAIGHT-LINE BASIS OVER THE REMAINING TERM OF THE LEASE. DONATED FIXED ASSETS ARE RECORDED AT FAIR MARKET VALUE AT TIME OF DONATION. THE ORGANIZATION CAPITALIZES ALL FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT EXPENDITURES GREATER THAN \$250 WITH A USEFUL LIFE OF GREATER THAN ONE YEAR.

DEPRECIATION EXPENSE FOR FYE 06/30/2008 = \$50,245

## SCHEDULE A

## OTHER INCOME

STATEMENT 17

DESCRIPTION	2006 AMOUNT	2005 AMOUNT	2004 AMOUNT	2003 AMOUNT
MISCELLANEOUS	89,118.	103,374.	2,770.	9,584.
RETIREMENT LIAB ADJUSTMENT	44,940.	50,574.	51,493.	45,489.
TOTAL TO SCHEDULE A, LINE 22	134,058.	153,948.	54,263.	55,073.

# Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

▶ File a separate application for each return.

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** and check this box  **X**
  - If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** (on page 2 of this form).
- Do not complete **Part II** unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

**Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time.** Only submit original (no copies needed).

A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension - check this box and complete Part I only

All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns.

**Electronic Filing (e-file).** Generally, you can electronically file Form 8868 if you want a 3-month automatic extension of time to file one of the returns noted below (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T). However, you cannot file Form 8868 electronically if (1) you want the additional (not automatic) 3-month extension or (2) you file Forms 990-BL, 6069, or 8870, group returns, or a composite or consolidated Form 990-T. Instead, you must submit the fully completed and signed page 2 (Part II) of Form 8868. For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit [www.irs.gov/efile](http://www.irs.gov/efile) and click on e-file for Charities & Nonprofits.

Type or print	Name of Exempt Organization <b>FRIENDS OF THE EARTH</b>	Employer identification number <b>23-7420660</b>
File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. <b>1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW, NO. 600</b>	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. <b>WASHINGTON, DC 20036-2002</b>	

Check type of return to be filed (file a separate application for each return):

- |  |   |                                    |
|--|---|------------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990 | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (corporation)                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4720 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-BL         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust) | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-EZ         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (trust other than above)      | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 6069 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 1041-A                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8870 |

- The books are in the care of ▶ **FRIENDS OF THE EARTH**  
 Telephone No. ▶ **(202) 783-7400** FAX No. ▶ \_\_\_\_\_
- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) \_\_\_\_\_. If this is for the whole group, check this box . If it is for part of the group, check this box  and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension will cover.

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6-months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until **FEBRUARY 15, 2009**, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:  
 ▶  calendar year \_\_\_\_\_ or  
 ▶  tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2007**, and ending **JUN 30, 2008**.

2 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason:  Initial return  Final return  Change in accounting period

3a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	3a	\$	
b If this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit.	3b	\$	
c <b>Balance Due.</b> Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	3c	\$	N/A

**Caution.** If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions.

- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** and check this box  **X**
- Note.** Only complete Part II if you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.
- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** (on page 1).

<b>Part II</b> <b>Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time.</b> You must file original and one copy.		
Type or print File by the extended due date for filing the return. See instructions.	Name of Exempt Organization <b>FRIENDS OF THE EARTH</b>	Employer identification number <b>23-7420660</b>
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. <b>1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW, NO. 600</b>	For IRS use only
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. <b>WASHINGTON, DC 20036-2002</b>	

- Check type of return to be filed (File a separate application for each return):
- |  |                                      |   |                                      |                                    |                                    |
|--|--------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990 | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-EZ | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust) | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 1041-A | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227 | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8870 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-BL         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (trust other than above)      | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4720   | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 6069 |                                    |

**STOP!** Do not complete Part II if you were not already granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

- The books are in the care of **FRIENDS OF THE EARTH**  
Telephone No. **(202) 783-7400** FAX No. \_\_\_\_\_
- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) \_\_\_\_\_. If this is for the whole group, check this box . If it is for part of the group, check this box  and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for.

4 I request an additional 3-month extension of time until MAY 15, 2009.

5 For calendar year \_\_\_\_\_, or other tax year beginning JUL 1, 2007, and ending JUN 30, 2008.

6 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason:  Initial return,  Final return,  Change in accounting period

7 State in detail why you need the extension  
**ADDITIONAL TIME IS REQUIRED TO GATHER INFORMATION NECESSARY TO CREATE A COMPLETE AND ACCURATE RETURN.**

<b>8a</b> If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	<b>8a</b>	\$	
<b>b</b> If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit and any amount paid previously with Form 8868.	<b>8b</b>	\$	
<b>c Balance Due.</b> Subtract line 8b from line 8a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	<b>8c</b>	\$	N/A

**Signature and Verification**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form.

Signature  Title  Date

# 2007 TAX RETURN FILING INSTRUCTIONS

FORM 4720

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JUNE 30, 2008

Prepared for	FRIENDS OF THE EARTH 1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW NO. 600 WASHINGTON, DC 20036-2002
Prepared by	LARSONALLEN LLP 2900 SOUTH QUINCY STREET SUITE 150 ARLINGTON, VA 22206
Amount due	NO PAYMENT REQUIRED.
Make check payable to	NOT APPLICABLE
Mail tax return and check to	DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE CENTER OGDEN, UT 84201-0027
Return must be mailed on or before	AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
Special Instructions	THE RETURN SHOULD BE SIGNED AND DATED.



**Return of Certain Excise Taxes Under Chapters 41 and 42 of the Internal Revenue Code**

**2007**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

(Sections 170(f)(10), 664(c)(2), 4911, 4912, 4941, 4942, 4943, 4944, 4945, 4955, 4958, 4965, 4966, and 4967)

See separate instructions.

For calendar year 2007 or other tax year beginning **JUL 1**, 2007, and ending **JUN 30**, 2008.

Name of organization or entity <b>FRIENDS OF THE EARTH</b>	Employer identification number <b>23-7420660</b>
Number, street, and room or suite no. (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) <b>1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW, NO. 600</b>	Check box for type of annual return: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990 <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990EZ <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF <input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227
City or town, state, and ZIP code <b>WASHINGTON, DC 20036-2002</b>	

A Is the organization a foreign private foundation within the meaning of section 4948(b)?	Yes	No
B Has corrective action been taken on any taxable event that resulted in Chapter 42 taxes being reported on this form? (Enter "N/A" if not applicable)		X
If "Yes," attach a detailed description and documentation of the corrective action taken and, if applicable, enter the fair market value of any property recovered as a result of the correction ► \$ . If "No," (i.e., any uncorrected acts, or transactions), attach an explanation (see page 4 of the instructions).		

<b>Part I Taxes on Organization</b> (Sections 170(f)(10), 664(c)(2), 4911(a), 4912(a), 4942(a), 4943(a), 4944(a)(1), 4945(a)(1), 4955(a)(1), 4965(a)(1), and 4966(a)(1))		
1 Tax on undistributed income - Schedule B, line 4		1
2 Tax on excess business holdings - Schedule C, line 7		2
3 Tax on investments that jeopardize charitable purpose - Schedule D, Part I, column (e)		3
4 Tax on taxable expenditures - Schedule E, Part I, column (g)		4
5 Tax on political expenditures - Schedule F, Part I, column (e)		5
6 Tax on excess lobbying expenditures - Schedule G, line 4		6
7 Tax on disqualifying lobbying expenditures - Schedule H, Part I, column (e)		7
8 Tax on premiums paid on personal benefit contracts		8
9 Tax on being a party to prohibited tax shelter transactions - Schedule J, Part I, column (h)		9
10 Tax on taxable distributions - Schedule K, Part I, column (f)		10
11 Tax on charitable remainder trust's unrelated business taxable income. Attach schedule		11
12 Total (add lines 1 - 11)		12

**Part II-A Taxes on Managers, Self-Dealers, Disqualified Persons, Donors, Donor Advisors, and Related Persons**  
(Sections 4912(b), 4941(a), 4944(a)(2), 4945(a)(2), 4955(a)(2), 4958(a), 4965(a)(2), 4966(a)(2), and 4967(a))

(a) Name and address of person subject to tax		(b) Taxpayer identification number	
a			
b			
c			
d			
(c) Tax on self-dealing - Schedule A, Part II, col. (d), and Part III, col. (d)	(d) Tax on investments that jeopardize charitable purpose - Schedule D, Part II, col. (d)	(e) Tax on taxable expenditures - Schedule E, Part II, col. (d)	(f) Tax on political expenditures - Schedule F, Part II, col. (d)
a			
b			
c			
d			
(g) Tax on disqualifying lobbying expenditures - Sch H, Part II, col. (d)	(h) Tax on excess benefit transactions - Sch I, Part II, col. (d), and Part III, col. (d)	(i) Tax on being a party to prohibited tax shelter transactions - Schedule J, Part II, col. (d)	(j) Tax on taxable distributions - Schedule K, Part II, col. (d)
a			
b			
c			
d			
(k) Tax on prohibited benefits - Sch L, Part II, col. (d) and Part III, col. (d)			(l) Total - Add cols. (c) through (k)
a			
b			
c			
d			
Total			

<b>Part II-B Summary of Taxes</b> (See <b>Tax Payments</b> on page 3 of the instructions)	
1 Enter the taxes listed in Part II-A, column (I), that apply to managers, self-dealers, disqualified persons, donors, donor advisors, and related persons who sign this form. If all sign, enter the total amount from Part II-A, column (I) .....	1
2 <b>Total tax.</b> Add Part I, line 12, and Part II-B, line 1. (Make check(s) or money order(s) payable to the United States Treasury.) .....	2

**SCHEDULE A - Initial Taxes on Self-Dealing** (Section 4941)

<b>Part I Acts of Self-Dealing and Tax Computation</b>			
(a) Act number	(b) Date of act	(c) Description of act	(d) Question number from Form 990-PF, Part VII-B, or Form 5227, Part VI-B, applicable to the act
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			

(e) Amount involved in act	(f) Initial tax on self-dealing (10% of col. (c))	(g) Tax on foundation managers (if applicable) (lesser of \$20,000 or 5% of col. (c))

<b>Part II Summary of Tax Liability of Self-Dealers and Proration of Payments</b>			
(a) Names of self-dealers liable for tax	(b) Act no. from Part I, col. (a)	(c) Tax from Part I, col. (f), or prorated amount	(d) Self-dealer's total tax liability (add amounts in col. (c)) (see page 6 of the instructions)

<b>Part III Summary of Tax Liability of Foundation Managers and Proration of Payments</b>			
(a) Names of foundation managers liable for tax	(b) Act no. from Part I, col. (a)	(c) Tax from Part I, col. (g), or prorated amount	(d) Manager's total tax liability (add amounts in col. (c)) (see page 6 of the instructions)

**SCHEDULE B - Initial Tax on Undistributed Income** (Section 4942)

1 Undistributed income for years before 2006 (from Form 990-PF for 2007, Part XIII, line 6d) .....	1
2 Undistributed income for 2006 (from Form 990-PF for 2007, Part XIII, line 6e) .....	2
3 Total undistributed income at end of current tax year beginning in 2007 and subject to tax under section 4942 (add lines 1 and 2) .....	3
4 <b>Tax</b> - Enter 30% of line 3 here and on page 1, Part I, line 1 .....	4

**SCHEDULE C - Initial Tax on Excess Business Holdings** (Section 4943)

**Business Holdings and Computation of Tax**

If you have taxable excess holdings in more than one business enterprise, attach a separate schedule for each enterprise. Refer to the instructions on page 7 for each line item before making any entries.

Name and address of business enterprise

Employer identification number

Form of enterprise (corporation, partnership, trust, joint venture, sole proprietorship, etc.)

		(a) Voting stock (profits interest or beneficial interest)	(b) Value	(c) Nonvoting stock (capital interest)
1	Foundation holdings in business enterprise	1		
2	Permitted holdings in business enterprise	2		
3	Value of excess holdings in business enterprise	3		
4	Value of excess holdings disposed of within 90 days; or, other value of excess holdings not subject to section 4943 tax (attach explanation)	4		
5	Taxable excess holdings in business enterprise - line 3 minus line 4	5		
6	Tax - Enter 10% of line 5	6		
7	<b>Total tax</b> - Add amounts on line 6, columns (a), (b), and (c); enter total here and on page 1, Part I, line 2	7		

**SCHEDULE D - Initial Taxes on Investments That Jeopardize Charitable Purpose** (Section 4944)

**Part I Investments and Tax Computation**

(a) Investment number	(b) Date of investment	(c) Description of investment	(d) Amount of investment	(e) Initial tax on foundation (10% of col. (d))	(f) Initial tax on foundation managers (if applicable) - (lesser of \$10,000 or 10% of col. (d))
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					
<b>Total</b> - column (e). Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 3					
<b>Total</b> - column (f). Enter total (or prorated amount) here and in Part II, column (c), below					

**Part II Summary of Tax Liability of Foundation Managers and Proration of Payments**

(a) Names of foundation managers liable for tax	(b) Investment no. from Part I, col. (a)	(c) Tax from Part I, col. (f), or prorated amount	(d) Manager's total tax liability (add amounts in col. (c)) (see page 10 of the instructions)

**SCHEDULE E - Initial Taxes on Taxable Expenditures** (Section 4945)

<b>Part I Expenditures and Computation of Tax</b>				
(a) Item number	(b) Amount	(c) Date paid or incurred	(d) Name and address of recipient	(e) Description of expenditure and purposes for which made
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
(f) Question number from Form 990-PF, Part VII-B, or Form 5227, Part VI-B, applicable to the expenditure			(g) Initial tax imposed on foundation (20% of col. (b))	(h) Initial tax imposed on foundation managers (if applicable)- (lesser of \$10,000 or 5% of col. (b))
Total - column (g). Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 4				
Total - column (h). Enter total (or prorated amount) here and in Part II, column (c), below				

<b>Part II Summary of Tax Liability of Foundation Managers and Proration of Payments</b>			
(a) Names of foundation managers liable for tax	(b) Item no. from Part I, col. (a)	(c) Tax from Part I, col. (h), or prorated amount	(d) Manager's total tax liability (add amounts in col. (c)) (see page 10 of the instructions)

**SCHEDULE F - Initial Taxes on Political Expenditures** (Section 4955)

<b>Part I Expenditures and Computation of Tax</b>					
(a) Item number	(b) Amount	(c) Date paid or incurred	(d) Description of political expenditure	(e) Initial tax imposed on organization or foundation (10% of col. (b))	(f) Initial tax imposed on managers (if applicable) (lesser of \$5,000 or 2 1/2% of col. (b))
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					
Total - column (e). Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 5					
Total - column (f). Enter total (or prorated amount) here and in Part II, column (c), below					

<b>Part II Summary of Tax Liability of Organization Managers or Foundation Managers and Proration of Payments</b>			
(a) Names of organization managers or foundation managers liable for tax	(b) Item no. from Part I, col. (a)	(c) Tax from Part I, col. (f), or prorated amount	(d) Manager's total tax liability (add amounts in col. (c)) (see page 11 of the instructions)

**SCHEDULE G - Tax on Excess Lobbying Expenditures** (Section 4911)

1	Excess of grassroots expenditures over grassroots nontaxable amount (from Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part VI-A, column (b), line 43). (See page 11 of the instructions before making entry.)	1
2	Excess of lobbying expenditures over lobbying nontaxable amount (from Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part VI-A, column (b), line 44). (See page 11 of the instructions before making entry.)	2
3	Taxable lobbying expenditures - enter the larger of line 1 or line 2	3
4	Tax - Enter 25% of line 3 here and on page 1, Part I, line 6	4

**SCHEDULE H - Taxes on Disqualifying Lobbying Expenditures** (Section 4912)

<b>Part I Expenditures and Computation of Tax</b>					
(a) Item number	(b) Amount	(c) Date paid or incurred	(d) Description of lobbying expenditures	(e) Tax imposed on organization (5% of col. (b))	(f) Tax imposed on organization managers (if applicable) (5% of col. (b))
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					
Total - column (e). Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 7					
Total - column (f). Enter total (or prorated amount) here and in Part II, column (c), below					

<b>Part II Summary of Tax Liability of Organization Managers and Proration of Payments</b>			
(a) Names of organization managers liable for tax	(b) Item no. from Part I, col. (a)	(c) Tax from Part I, col. (f), or prorated amount	(d) Manager's total tax liability (add amounts in col. (c)) (see page 11 of the instructions)

**SCHEDULE I - Initial Taxes on Excess Benefit Transactions** (Section 4958)

<b>Part I Excess Benefit Transactions and Tax Computation</b>		
(a) Transaction number	(b) Date of transaction	(c) Description of transaction
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
(d) Amount of excess benefit	(e) Initial tax on disqualified persons (25% of col. (d))	(f) Tax on organization managers (if applicable) (lesser of \$20,000 or 10% of col. (d))









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 taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Signature of officer or trustee	Title	Date
Signature (and organization or entity name if applicable) of manager, self-dealer, disqualified person, donor, donor advisor, or related person		Date
Signature (and organization or entity name if applicable) of manager, self-dealer, disqualified person, donor, donor advisor, or related person		Date
Signature (and organization or entity name if applicable) of manager, self-dealer, disqualified person, donor, donor advisor, or related person		Date
Signature (and organization or entity name if applicable) of manager, self-dealer, disqualified person, donor, donor advisor, or related person		Date
Signature of individual or firm preparing the return		Date

LARSONALLEN LLP  
2900 SOUTH QUINCY STREET SUITE 150  
ARLINGTON, VA 22206

Address of preparer

(703) 998-5100

Phone no. of preparer

Form **990**

# Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No. 1545-0047

## 2008

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

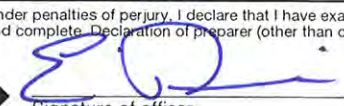

Open to Public Inspection

The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

**A** For the 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2008** and ending **JUN 30, 2009**

<b>B</b> Check if applicable: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Termination <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	Please use IRS label or print or type.  See Specific Instructions.	<b>C</b> Name of organization <b>FRIENDS OF THE EARTH</b>		<b>D</b> Employer identification number <b>23-7420660</b>
		Doing Business As		<b>E</b> Telephone number <b>(202) 783-7400</b>
		Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite <b>1100 15TH STREET NW, 11TH FLOOR</b>		<b>G</b> Gross receipts \$ <b>4,945,620.</b>
		City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 <b>WASHINGTON, DC 20005</b>		<b>H(a)</b> Is this a group return for affiliates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>H(b)</b> Are all affiliates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. (see instructions) <b>H(c)</b> Group exemption number ▶
<b>F</b> Name and address of principal officer: <b>ERICH PICA</b> <b>SAME AS C ABOVE</b>		<b>I</b> Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) ( <b>3</b> ) ◀ (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527		
<b>J</b> Website: ▶ <b>N/A</b>		<b>K</b> Type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶		
		<b>L</b> Year of formation: <b>1969</b>		<b>M</b> State of legal domicile: <b>DC</b>

Part I Summary		Prior Year	Current Year
Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <b>FRIENDS OF THE EARTH DEFENDS THE ENVIRONMENT AND CHAMPIONS A HEALTHY AND JUST WORLD.</b>		
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its assets.		
	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	16
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	16
	5 Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a)	5	43
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	0
	7a Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, line 12, column (C)	7a	0.
b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	0.	
Revenue	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	3,735,509.	4,710,039.
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	8,382.	-12,443.
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	290,349.	182,783.
	12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	4,034,240.	4,880,379.
Expenses	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	171,500.	162,000.
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	1,938,902.	2,411,330.
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	432,558.	82,033.
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ <b>306,926.</b>		
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f)	1,428,982.	1,797,636.
18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	3,971,942.	4,452,999.	
19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	62,298.	427,380.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Year 2,156,204.	End of Year 2,588,668.
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	316,602.	321,686.
	22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	1,839,602.	2,266,982.

<b>Part II Signature Block</b>			
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		Date <b>6/24/2010</b>	
	Signature of officer		
	Type or print name and title <b>ERICH PICA</b>		
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature 	Date <b>6/24/10</b>	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 <b>LARSONALLEN LLP</b> <b>2900 SOUTH QUINCY STREET SUITE 150</b> <b>ARLINGTON, VA 22206</b>		Preparer's identifying number (see instructions)
		EIN ▶	Phone no. ▶ <b>(703) 998-5100</b>

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

# Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

▶ **File a separate application for each return.**

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** and check this box  ▶
- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** (on page 2 of this form).

**Do not complete Part II unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.**

**Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time.** Only submit original (no copies needed).

A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension - check this box and complete Part I only  ▶

*All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns.*

**Electronic Filing (e-file).** Generally, you can electronically file Form 8868 if you want a 3-month automatic extension of time to file one of the returns noted below (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T). However, you cannot file Form 8868 electronically if (1) you want the additional (not automatic) 3-month extension or (2) you file Forms 990-BL, 6069, or 8870, group returns, or a composite or consolidated Form 990-T. Instead, you must submit the fully completed and signed page 2 (Part II) of Form 8868. For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit [www.irs.gov/efile](http://www.irs.gov/efile) and click on *e-file for Charities & Nonprofits*.

<b>Type or print</b>	Name of Exempt Organization <b>FRIENDS OF THE EARTH</b>	Employer identification number <b>23-7420660</b>
File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. <b>1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW, NO. 600</b>	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. <b>WASHINGTON, DC 20036-2002</b>	

**Check type of return to be filed**(file a separate application for each return):

- |  |   |                                    |
|--|---|------------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990 | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (corporation)                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4720 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-BL         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust) | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-EZ         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (trust other than above)      | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 6069 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 1041-A                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8870 |

**FRIENDS OF THE EARTH - 1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW, NO.**

- The books are in the care of ▶ **600 - WASHINGTON, DC 20036-2002**  
 Telephone No. ▶ **(202)222-0737** FAX No. ▶ \_\_\_\_\_
- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box  ▶
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) \_\_\_\_\_. If this is for the whole group, check this box . If it is for part of the group, check this box  and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension will cover.

**1** I request an automatic 3-month (6-months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until **FEBRUARY 15, 2010**, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:  
 ▶  calendar year \_\_\_\_\_ or  
 ▶  tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2008**, and ending **JUN 30, 2009**.

**2** If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason:  Initial return  Final return  Change in accounting period

<b>3a</b> If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	<b>3a</b>	\$	
<b>b</b> If this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit.	<b>3b</b>	\$	
<b>c</b> <b>Balance Due.</b> Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	<b>3c</b>	\$	<b>N/A</b>

**Caution.** If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions.

- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only Part II and check this box  **X**.
- Note.** Only complete Part II if you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.
- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only Part I (on page 1).

**Part II: Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time.** Only file the original (no copies needed).

Type or print  File by the extended due date for filing the return. See instructions.	Name of Exempt Organization	Employer identification number
	FRIENDS OF THE EARTH	23-7420660
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW, NO. 600	For IRS use only
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. WASHINGTON, DC 20036-2002	

Check type of return to be filed (File a separate application for each return):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-EZ	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 1041-A	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 8870
<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-BL	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (trust other than above)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 4720	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 6069	

**STOP! Do not complete Part II if you were not already granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.**

FRIENDS OF THE EARTH - 1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW, NO.

• The books are in the care of **600 - WASHINGTON, DC 20036-2002**  
 Telephone No. **(202) 222-0737** FAX No. \_\_\_\_\_

- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) \_\_\_\_\_. If this is for the whole group, check this box . If it is for part of the group, check this box  and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for.

4 I request an additional 3-month extension of time until **MAY 15, 2010**

5 For calendar year \_\_\_\_\_, or other tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2008**, and ending **JUN 30, 2009**

6 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason:  Initial return  Final return  Change in accounting period

7 State in detail why you need the extension  
**ADDITIONAL TIME IS NEEDED TO GATHER INFORMATION NECESSARY TO CREATE A COMPLETE AND ACCURATE RETURN.**

8a	If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	8a	\$	
b	If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit and any amount paid previously with Form 8868.	8b	\$	
c	Balance Due. Subtract line 8b from line 8a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	8c	\$	N/A

**Signature and Verification**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form.

Signature **Cinzel Ngando** Title **Enrolled Agent** Date **2-12-2010**

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (see instructions)

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission: FRIENDS OF THE EARTH DEFENDS THE ENVIRONMENT AND CHAMPIONS A HEALTHY AND JUST WORLD.

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 [X] 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 [X] No If "Yes", describe these changes on Schedule O.

4 Describe the exempt purpose achievements for each of the organization's three largest program services by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

SEE SCHEDULE O FOR CONTINUATION(S)

4a (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 1,204,874. including grants of \$ 5,000. ) (Revenue \$ 1,414,960. ) DOMESTIC

WORKED WITH CONGRESS TO ATTEMPT TO PASS LEGISLATION THAT DRAMATICALLY REDUCES GREENHOUSE GAS POLLUTION, HASTENS OUR TRANSITION TO CLEAN ENERGY, SUPPORTS CLIMATE ADAPTATION AND CLEAN ENERGY PRODUCTION IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, AND CREATES MILLIONS OF GREEN JOBS. CAMPAIGNED TO SHIFT TRANSPORTATION INVESTMENTS IN THE ECONOMIC RECOVERY BILL AWAY FROM NEW ROAD PROJECTS AND TOWARD SMART TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, RESULTING IN \$17 BILLION FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION AND \$8 BILLION FOR HIGH SPEED RAIL. WE ALSO STOPPED A SENATE ATTEMPT TO TURN ECONOMIC RECOVERY LEGISLATION INTO A BAILOUT FOR THE NUCLEAR POWER INDUSTRY, HELPING TO STRIP UP TO \$50 BILLION IN LOAN GUARANTEES FOR NUCLEAR POWER FROM THE BILL. OPPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF NEW NUCLEAR REACTORS. EDUCATED

4b (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 927,165. including grants of \$ 157,000. ) (Revenue \$ 1,133,482. ) INTERNATIONAL

A. INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM. WORKED TO CHANGE UNJUST GLOBAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND TRADE RULES AND SUPPORT A GLOBAL ECONOMIC SYSTEM THAT PUTS PEOPLE BEFORE PROFITS. WON A KEY VICTORY IN A FEDERAL LAWSUIT FORCING THE U.S. EXPORT-IMPORT BANK (EX-IM) AND THE OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION (OPIC) TO ADDRESS THE GLOBAL WARMING IMPLICATIONS OF THEIR OVERSEAS FINANCING ACTIVITIES. ATTENDED INTERNATIONAL CLIMATE NEGOTIATING SESSIONS TO PUSH THE U.S. TO LEAD THE WORLD IN FORGING EQUITABLE SOLUTIONS TO THE CLIMATE CRISIS. SECURED INTERNATIONAL CLIMATE ADAPTATION AND CLEAN TECHNOLOGY FUNDING IN THE CLIMATE AND ENERGY LEGISLATION THAT PASSED OUT OF THE HOUSE IN JUNE 2009 AND IN THE DRAFT SENATE BILL INTRODUCED IN SEPTEMBER 2009.

4c (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 925,871. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 330,852. ) OUTREACH PROGRAM

A. OUTREACH PROGRAM. EDUCATED OUR MEMBERS AND ACTIVISTS AS WELL AS THE GREATER PUBLIC THROUGH ONLINE ACTION ALERTS, PRINT AND ONLINE ADVERTISING, MAILINGS AND QUARTERLY NEWSMAGAZINE (TO DONORS), MONTHLY E-NEWSLETTERS, AS WELL AS SOCIAL MEDIA SITS LIKE FACEBOOK, TWITTER, YOUTUBE AND FLICKR. CONDUCTED TV, RADIO AND PRINT INTERVIEWS. HOSTED KEY CIVIL SOCIETY REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE GLOBAL SOUTH TO ADVANCE PERSPECTIVES FOR EQUITABLE GLOBAL SOLUTIONS TO CLIMATE CHANGE. LEAD AND PARTICIPATE ON PANELS AT CONFERENCES LIKE NETROOTS NATION, THE WORLD SOCIAL FORUM, AND HOST CONFERENCES ON EMERGING TECHNOLOGY, AND BIOFUELS, AMONG OTHERS.

4d Other program services. (Describe in Schedule O.) (Expenses \$ 750,222. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 639,750. )

4e Total program service expenses \$ 3,808,132. (Must equal Part IX, Line 25, column (B).)

**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 Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	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	<b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>	X	
5	<b>Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations.</b> Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any accounts where 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; 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 hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>		X
11	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, lines 10, 12, 13, 15, or 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable</i>	X	
12	Did the organization receive an audited financial statement for the year for which it is completing this return that was prepared in accordance with GAAP? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII</i>	X	
13	Is the organization a school as 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 U.S.?		X
14b	<b>b</b> Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the U.S.? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I</i>		X
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II</i>		X
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III</i>		X
17	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i>	X	
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total 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 on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		X
20	Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		X
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>	X	
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>		X
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, questions 3, 4, or 5? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>		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? <i>If "Yes," answer questions 24b-24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to question 25</i>		X
24b	<b>b</b> Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		
24c	<b>c</b> Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		
24d	<b>d</b> Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		
25a	<b>Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		X
25b	<b>b</b> Did the organization become aware that it had engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person from a prior year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		X
26	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>		X
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, or substantial contributor, or to a person related to such an individual? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>		X

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules** (continued)

		Yes	No
28	During the tax year, did any person who is a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee:		
a	Have a direct business relationship with the organization (other than as an officer, director, trustee, or employee), or an indirect business relationship through ownership of more than 35% in another entity (individually or collectively with other person(s) listed in Part VII, Section A)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
b	Have a family member who had a direct or indirect business relationship with the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
c	Serve as an officer, director, trustee, key employee, partner, or member of an entity (or a shareholder of a professional corporation) doing business with the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		X
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		X
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>		X
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>		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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>		X
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1</i>	X	
35	Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		X
36	<b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>		X

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

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096, Annual Summary and Transmittal of U.S. Information Returns. Enter -0- if not applicable		
1a			14
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?	X	
1c			
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			43
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? <b>Note.</b> If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file this return. (see instructions)	X	
2b			
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?		X
3a			
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O		
3b			
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?		X
4a			
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		
4b			
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?		X
5a			
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		X
5b			
c	If "Yes," to question 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, Disclosure by Tax-Exempt Entity Regarding Prohibited Tax Shelter Transaction?		
5c			
6a	Did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?		X
6a			
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		
6b			
7	<b>Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).</b>		
a	Did the organization provide goods or services in exchange for any quid pro quo contribution of more than \$75?		X
7a			
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?		X
7c			
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year		
7d			
e	Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?		X
7e			
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		X
7f			
g	For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		X
7g			
h	For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C as required?		X
7h			
8	<b>Section 501(c)(3) and other sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations.</b> Did the supporting organization, or a fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?		
8			
9	<b>Section 501(c)(3) and other sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.</b>		
a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		
9a			
b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		
9b			
10	<b>Section 501(c)(7) organizations.</b> Enter: <b>N/A</b>		
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	<b>Section 501(c)(12) organizations.</b> Enter: <b>N/A</b>		
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	<b>Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.</b> 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 <b>N/A</b>		
12b			



**Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure** (Sections A, B, and C request information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

**Section A. Governing Body and Management**

		Yes	No
For each "Yes" response to lines 2-7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8 or 9b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.			
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body	1a	16
b	Enter the number of voting members that are independent	1b	16
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 organizational documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	4	X
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's assets?	5	X
6	Does the organization have members or stockholders?	6	X
7a	Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body?	7a	X
b	Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons?	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
9a	Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	9a	X
b	If "Yes," does the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with those of the organization?	9b	
10	Was a copy of the Form 990 provided to the organization's governing body before it was filed? All organizations must describe in Schedule O the process, if any, the organization uses to review the Form 990	10	X
11	Is there any officer, director or 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	11	X

**Section B. Policies**

		Yes	No
12a	Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	12a	X
b	Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	12b	X
c	Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this is done	12c	X
13	Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13	X
14	Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	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?	15a	X
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization? Describe the process in Schedule O. (see instructions)	15b	X
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?	16a	X
b	If "Yes," has the organization adopted a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and taken steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	16b	

**Section C. Disclosure**

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed **AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, IL, KS**
- 18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.  
 Own website     Another's website     Upon request
- 19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public.
- 20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization: **FRIENDS OF THE EARTH - (202)783-7400**  
**1100 15TH STREET NW, 11TH FLOOR, WASHINGTON, DC 20005**

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

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

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Use Schedule J-2 if additional space is needed.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation, and **current** key employees. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- 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 the organization did not compensate any officer, director, trustee, or key employee.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	(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			
MICHAEL J. HERZ CHAIRMAN	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
HARRIETT CROSBY VICE CHAIRMAN	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
DAVID ZWICK TREASURER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
CLARENCE DITLOW SECRETARY	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
JAYNI CHASE BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
MARION EDEY BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
DAN GABEL BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
JEFF GLUECK BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
DOUGLAS LEGUM BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
RUSSELL LONG BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
PATRICIA MATTHEWS BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
AVIS OGILVY MOORE BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
ARLIE SCHARDT BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
DORIA STEEDMAN BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
RICK TAKETA BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
PEYTON WEST BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
BRENT BLACKWELDER PRESIDENT	37.50			X			125,975.	0.	0.	



Part VIII Statement of Revenue		(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts	1 a Federated campaigns	1a				
	b Membership dues	1b				
	c Fundraising events	1c	95,978.			
	d Related organizations	1d				
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e				
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	4,614,061.			
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$					
	<b>h Total. Add lines 1a-1f</b>		<b>4710039.</b>			
Program Service Revenue	2 a	Business Code				
	b					
	c					
	d					
	e					
	f All other program service revenue					
	<b>g Total. Add lines 2a-2f</b>					
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		-12,443.		-12,443.	
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds					
	5 Royalties					
	6 a Gross Rents	(i) Real	56,921.			
		(ii) Personal				
		b Less: rental expenses				
		c Rental income or (loss)	56,921.			
	d Net rental income or (loss)		56,921.		56,921.	
	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)					
	8 a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 95,978. of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	a				
	b Less: direct expenses	b	65,241.			
c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events		-65,241.		-65,241.		
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		Business Code				
11 a REIMBURSED EXP		900099	146,234.		146,234.	
b OTHER		900099	38,084.		38,084.	
c MAILING LIST SALES		900099	6,785.		6,785.	
d All other revenue						
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d			191,103.			
<b>12 Total Revenue. Add lines 1h, 2g, 3, 4, 5, 6d, 7d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e</b>			<b>4880379.</b>	<b>0.</b>	<b>0.</b>	<b>170,340.</b>

**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) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).

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 governments and organizations in the U.S. See Part IV, line 21	162,000.	162,000.		
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U.S. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U.S. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	225,136.	104,805.	120,331.	
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	1,806,554.	1,461,209.	266,042.	79,303.
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	44,744.	35,107.	8,075.	1,562.
9 Other employee benefits	166,319.	132,606.	26,097.	7,616.
10 Payroll taxes	168,577.	124,876.	37,547.	6,154.
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal	90,761.	85,128.	5,633.	
c Accounting	19,595.		19,595.	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17	82,033.			82,033.
f Investment management fees				
g Other	368,359.	258,892.	102,362.	7,105.
12 Advertising and promotion	150,834.	149,919.	180.	735.
13 Office expenses	402,661.	281,686.	47,742.	73,233.
14 Information technology	78,970.	52,885.	19,672.	6,413.
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	430,984.	297,521.	124,212.	9,251.
17 Travel	103,254.	79,511.	17,029.	6,714.
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	32,470.	14,341.	4,616.	13,513.
20 Interest	649.		649.	
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	50,593.	4,513.	24,817.	21,263.
23 Insurance	5,435.		5,435.	
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (Expenses grouped together and labeled miscellaneous may not exceed 5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below.)				
a OTHER	68,906.	20,508.	22,088.	26,310.
b DUES & MEMBERSHIP	22,648.	22,106.	480.	62.
c DUPLICATING	22,399.	4,737.	17,571.	91.
d CORP FEES & TAXES	8,481.		1,570.	6,911.
e CONTRIBUTIONS	5,100.	5,000.	100.	
f All other expenses	-64,463.	510,782.	-533,902.	-41,343.
<b>25 Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 1 through 24f	<b>4,452,999.</b>	<b>3,808,132.</b>	<b>337,941.</b>	<b>306,926.</b>
<b>26 Joint Costs.</b> Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation ...				

**Part X Balance Sheet**

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year	
Assets	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing	1,800.	1	1,600.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	799,052.	2	1,470,266.
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	964,652.	3	726,973.
	4	Accounts receivable, net	77,519.	4	36,152.
	5	Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, or other related parties. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6	Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B). Complete Part II of Schedule L		6	
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8	Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	54,258.	9	97,057.
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost basis	10a 809,822.		
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10b 712,759.		
			79,542.	10c	97,063.
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities		11	
	12	Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13	Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14	Intangible assets		14	
15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	179,381.	15	159,557.	
16	<b>Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	2,156,204.	16	2,588,668.	
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	162,218.	17	114,575.
	18	Grants payable		18	
	19	Deferred revenue	8,115.	19	7,737.
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21	Escrow account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22	Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		22	
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable		24	
	25	Other liabilities. Complete Part X of Schedule D	146,269.	25	199,374.
	26	<b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25	316,602.	26	321,686.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.				
	27	Unrestricted net assets	162,774.	27	12,466.
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets	1,676,828.	28	2,254,516.
	29	Permanently restricted net assets		29	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.				
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31	
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
33	<b>Total net assets or fund balances</b>	1,839,602.	33	2,266,982.	
34	<b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b>	2,156,204.	34	2,588,668.	

**Part XI Financial Statements and Reporting**

		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?	2a	X
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	2b	X
c	If "Yes" to lines 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?	2c	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?	3a	X
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits?	3b	



**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.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	3,412,526.	3,362,462.	3,269,930.	3,735,509.	4,710,039.	18,490,466.
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 - 3	3,412,526.	3,362,462.	3,269,930.	3,735,509.	4,710,039.	18,490,466.
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)						3,127,630.
6 Public Support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						15,362,836.

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4	3,412,526.	3,362,462.	3,269,930.	3,735,509.	4,710,039.	18,490,466.
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	48,123.	55,763.	81,272.	63,591.	44,478.	293,227.
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)	121,057.	154,564.	134,058.	244,475.	191,103.	845,257.
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						19,628,950.
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	245.

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 2008 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	78.27 %
15 Public support percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 26f	15	60.64 %

16a 33 1/3% support test - 2008. 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 - 2007. 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 - 2008. 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 IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2007. 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 IV 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



**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)** (Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(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 - 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 1% of the total of lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12 for the year or \$5,000						
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) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
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 IV.)						
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 2008 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27g	16	%

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

17 Investment income percentage for 2008 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27h	18	%

19a **33 1/3% support tests - 2008.** 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 - 2007.** 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

**Schedule B**

(Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Schedule of Contributors**

▶ Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, and 990-PF.

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2008**

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

FRIENDS OF THE EARTH

23-7420660

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 foundation

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

**General Rule**

For organizations filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II.

**Special Rules**

For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1)/170(b)(1)(A)(vi), and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h or 2% of the amount on Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that received from any one contributor, during the year, aggregate contributions or bequests of more than \$1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that received from any one contributor, during the year, some contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not aggregate to 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. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year.) ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Caution.** Organizations that are not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules do not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but they **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2 of their Form 990, or check the box in the heading of their Form 990-EZ, or on line 2 of their Form 990-PF, to certify that they do not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

LHA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990. These instructions will be issued separately.

Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2008)

Name of organization

Employer identification number

FRIENDS OF THE EARTH

23-7420660

**Part I Contributors** (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
17		\$ 200,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
16		\$ 100,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
1		\$ 100,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
2		\$ 250,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
3		\$ 100,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
4		\$ 125,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

Name of organization

Employer identification number

FRIENDS OF THE EARTH

23-7420660

**Part I Contributors** (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
5		\$ 325,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
6		\$ 137,500.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
7		\$ 130,924.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
8		\$ 313,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
9		\$ 150,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
10		\$ 180,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

Name of organization

Employer identification number

FRIENDS OF THE EARTH

23-7420660

**Part I Contributors** (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
11		\$ 100,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
12		\$ 100,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
13		\$ 250,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
14		\$ 170,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
15		\$ 100,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
		\$ _____.	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

# Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

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

**2008**  
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▶ To be completed by organizations described below.  
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, 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," to 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," to Form 990, Part IV, line 5 (Proxy Tax), then

- Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations: Complete Part III.

Name of organization **FRIENDS OF THE EARTH** Employer identification number **23-7420660**

**Part I-A To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c) and section 527 organizations.**

See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

- 1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV.
- 2 Political expenditures ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 Volunteer hours \_\_\_\_\_

**Part I-B To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3).**

See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

- 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 To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).**

See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

- 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 of direct and indirect exempt function expenditures. Add lines 1 and 2 and enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 Did the filing organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?  Yes  No
- 5 State the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which payments were made. Enter the amount paid and indicate if the amount was paid from the filing organization's funds or were political contributions received and 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-

**Part II-A** To be completed by organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) that filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)). See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

- A** Check  if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group.  
**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												
<b>1a</b>	Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grassroots lobbying)	4,954.													
<b>b</b>	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)	119,214.													
<b>c</b>	Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)	124,168.													
<b>d</b>	Other exempt purpose expenditures	4,021,904.													
<b>e</b>	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)	4,146,072.													
<b>f</b>	Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table in both columns.	357,304.													
<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:</th> <th>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.		
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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.														
<b>g</b>	Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)	89,326.													
<b>h</b>	Subtract line 1g from line 1a. Enter -0- if line g is more than line a	0.													
<b>i</b>	Subtract line 1f from line 1c. Enter -0- if line f is more than line c	0.													
<b>j</b>	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 instructions for lines 2a through 2f of the instructions.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period					
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) Total
<b>2a</b> Lobbying non-taxable amount	305,568.	301,814.	335,673.	357,304.	1,300,359.
<b>b</b> Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					1,950,539.
<b>c</b> Total lobbying expenditures	78,878.	61,920.	188,259.	124,168.	453,225.
<b>d</b> Grassroots non-taxable amount	76,392.	75,454.	83,918.	89,326.	325,090.
<b>e</b> Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					487,635.
<b>f</b> Grassroots lobbying expenditures	39,158.	26,999.	10,992.	4,954.	82,103.

**Part II-B** To be completed by organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)). See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

	(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?		X	
b Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?		X	
c Media advertisements?		X	
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?		X	
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements?		X	
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?		X	
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?		X	
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any other means?		X	
i Other activities? If "Yes," describe in Part IV		X	
j Total 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** To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6). See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

	Yes	No
1 Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?	1	
2 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?	2	
3 Did the organization agree to carryover lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?	3	

**Part III-B** To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) if BOTH Part III-A, questions 1 and 2 are answered "No" OR if Part III-A, question 3 is answered "Yes." See Schedule C instructions for details.

1 Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	1	
2 Section 162(e) non-deductible 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 (line 2c total minus 3 and 4)	5	

**Part IV Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1; Part I-B, line 4; Part I-C, line 5; and Part II-B, line 1i. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

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Schedule D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12.

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Name of the organization

FRIENDS OF THE EARTH

Employer identification number

23-7420660

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

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include: 1 Total number at end of year, 2 Aggregate contributions to (during year), 3 Aggregate grants from (during year), 4 Aggregate value at end of year, 5 Did the organization inform all donors...?, 6 Did the organization inform all grantees...?

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

Form with multiple sections: 1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization, 2 Complete lines 2a-2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution... a Total number of conservation easements, b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements, c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a), d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, 3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the taxable 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, violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?, 6 Staff or volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing easements during the year, 7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing 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(h)(4)(B)(ii)?, 9 In Part XIV, 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" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

Form with sections: 1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, 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 XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items. b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, 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) Revenues included in 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 relating to these items: a Revenues included in 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 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
- b  Scholarly research
- c  Preservation for future generations
- d  Loan or exchange programs
- e  Other \_\_\_\_\_

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIV.

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 Trust, Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.** Complete if organization answered "Yes" to 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 XIV and complete the following table:

	Amount
c Beginning balance	1c
d Additions during the year	1d
e Distributions during the year	1e
f Ending balance	1f

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?  Yes  No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV.

**Part V Endowment Funds.** Complete if organization answered "Yes" to 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					
b Contributions					
c Investment earnings or losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance					

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as:

- a Board designated or quasi-endowment  \_\_\_\_\_ %
- b Permanent endowment  \_\_\_\_\_ %
- c Term endowment  \_\_\_\_\_ %

3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:

	Yes	No
(i) unrelated organizations	3a(i)	
(ii) related organizations	3a(ii)	

b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?  Yes  No

4 Describe in Part XIV the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

**Part VI Investments - Land, Buildings, and Equipment.** See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of investment	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings				
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		768,412.	711,379.	57,033.
e Other		41,410.	1,380.	40,030.
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1e. (Column (d) should equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				97,063.



**Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Financial Statements**

1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	4,880,379.
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	4,452,999.
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	427,380.
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	4	
5	Donated services and use of facilities	5	
6	Investment expenses	6	
7	Prior period adjustments	7	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	8	
9	Total adjustments (net). Add lines 4-8	9	0.
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per financial statements. Combine lines 3 and 9	10	427,380.

**Part XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return**

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	4,945,620.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:		
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a	
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	65,241.
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	65,241.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	4,880,379.
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 XIV)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)	5	4,880,379.

**Part XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return**

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	4,518,240.
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	Losses reported on Form 990, Part IX, line 25	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	65,241.
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	65,241.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	4,452,999.
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 XIV)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0.
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	5	4,452,999.

**Part XIV Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to 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; Part XI, line 8; Part XII, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b.

**PART XII, LINE 2D - FUNDRAISING EVENT**

**PART XIII, LINE 2D - FUNDRAISING EVENT**

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**Part II Fundraising Events.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other Events	(d) Total Events
		FUNDRAISER/GREEN BALL (event type)	(event type)	NONE (total number)	(Add col. (a) through col. (c))
Revenue	1	Gross receipts	95,978.		95,978.
	2	Less: Charitable contributions	95,978.		95,978.
	3	Gross revenue (line 1 minus line 2)			
Direct Expenses	4	Cash prizes			
	5	Non-cash prizes			
	6	Rent/facility costs			
	7	Other direct expenses	65,241.		65,241.
	8	Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 7 in column (d)			(65,241.)
	9	Net income summary. Combine lines 3 and 8 in column (d)			-65,241.

**Part III Gaming.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (Add col. (a) through col. (c))
		1	Gross revenue		
Direct Expenses	2	Cash prizes			
	3	Non-cash prizes			
	4	Rent/facility costs			
	5	Other direct expenses			
	6	Volunteer labor	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No
7	Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d)				( )
8	Net gaming income summary. Combine lines 1 and 7 in column (d)				

	Yes	No
9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities: _____		
a Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states? _____	9a	
b If "No," Explain: _____		
10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year? _____	10a	
b If "Yes," Explain: _____		
11 Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers? _____	11	
12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? _____	12	

		Yes	No
<b>13</b> Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in:			
a The organization's facility .....	13a	%	
b An outside facility .....	13b	%	
<b>14</b> Provide the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:			
Name ▶ ..... Address ▶ .....			
<b>15a</b> Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue? .....		15a	
b If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ \$ ..... and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ \$ .....			
c If "Yes," enter name and address:			
Name ▶ ..... Address ▶ .....			
<b>16</b> Gaming manager information:			
Name ▶ ..... Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$ ..... Description of services provided ▶ ..... ..... .....			
<input type="checkbox"/> Director/officer <input type="checkbox"/> Employee <input type="checkbox"/> Independent contractor			
<b>17</b> Mandatory distributions:			
a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license? .....		17a	
b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$ .....			

**SCHEDULE I  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,  
Governments, and Individuals in the U.S.

OMB No. 1545-0047

2008

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, lines 21 or 22.  
► Attach to Form 990.

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Name of the organization

**FRIENDS OF THE EARTH**

Employer identification number  
**23-7420660**

**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 Governments and Organizations in the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Check this box if no one recipient received more than \$5,000. Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 (Form 990) 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
PROGRESSIVE LEADERSHIP ALLIANCE OF NEVADA - 821 RIVERSIDE DRIVE - RENO, NV 89503			5,000.	0.			BRINGING A DEVELOPMENT PERSPECTIVE TO THE U.S. POLICY DEBATE ON CLIMATE CHANGE.
ACTION AID 1420 K STREET, NW SUITE 900 WASHINGTON, DC 20003	52-2277575		35,000.	0.			BRINGING A DEVELOPMENT PERSPECTIVE TO THE U.S. POLICY DEBATE ON CLIMATE CHANGE.
JUBILEE USA NETWORK 222 EAST CAPITOL STREET NE WASHINGTON, DC 20003	03-0528816		30,000.	0.			BRINGING A DEVELOPMENT PERSPECTIVE TO THE U.S. POLICY DEBATE ON CLIMATE CHANGE.
OIL CHANGE INTERNATIONAL 2228 12TH PLACE, NW WASHINGTON, DC 20009	20-3272355		30,000.	0.			BRINGING A DEVELOPMENT PERSPECTIVE TO THE U.S. POLICY DEBATE ON CLIMATE CHANGE.
OXFAM AMERICA 1100 15TH STREET, NW, SUITE 600 WASHINGTON, DC 20005	23-7069110		30,000.	0.			BRINGING A DEVELOPMENT PERSPECTIVE TO THE U.S. POLICY DEBATE ON CLIMATE CHANGE.
GETECHEW MENGISTE ALEMU LIGHT YEARS IP - 611 PENNSYLVANIA AVE, SE SUITE 261 - WASHINGTON, DC 20003			2,000.	0.			BRINGING A DEVELOPMENT PERSPECTIVE TO THE U.S. POLICY DEBATE ON CLIMATE CHANGE.

**2** Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations

**3** Enter total number of other organizations

LHA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.

Schedule I (Form 990) 2008



**Part III**

**Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22. Use Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed.

(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 non-cash assistance

**Part IV**

**Supplemental information.** Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, and any other additional information.

SCHEDULE I, PART I, LINE 2: THE PROCEDURE FOR MONITORING OF THE USE OF GRANTS TO OTHER ORGANIZATIONS, IS STATED IN THE BODY OF THE SUB-GRANT AGREEMENT (COPY OF AN AGREEMENT). THE TEAM LEADER, IN CHARGE OF THE PROJECT FUNDED BY THE MAIN GRANT IS CHARGED WITH MONITORING THE PROGRESS OF THE GRANT, DURING THE TERM OF THE GRANT; AND SEES TO IT THAT THE SUB-GRANTEE PROVIDES A FINAL NARRATIVE AND FINANCIAL REPORT TO FOE. THE TEAM LEADER, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE FOUNDATIONS RELATIONS DIRECTOR SUBMITS A FINAL NARRATIVE AND FINANCIAL REPORT THAT ENCOMPASSES BOTH THE WORK PERFORMED UNDER THE MAIN GRANT AND THE SUB-GRANTS.



SCHEDULE O  
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Supplemental Information to Form 990

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FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4A, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS

ACTIVISTS AND THE PUBLIC ON FALSE SOLUTIONS TO CLIMATE CHANGE SUCH AS CERTAIN BIOFUELS, COAL, AND NUCLEAR. WORKED TO PROTECT AND RESTORE WASHINGTON, DC'S URBAN ENVIRONMENT AND TRANSFORM THE NEIGHBORHOODS AND COMMUNITIES OF OUR NATION'S CAPITAL INTO MODELS OF SUSTAINABILITY, INCLUDING CLEANING UP THE ANACOSTIA RIVER, CURBING THE AMOUNT OF STORMWATER ENTERING RIVERS AND CREEKS, AND WINNING A MORATORIUM ON COAL BURNING AT THE CONGRESSIONAL POWER PLANT. PROMOTED A CAUTIONARY POSITION ON SYNTHETIC BIOLOGY, GENETIC TECHNOLOGIES AND HUMAN CLONING.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4B, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS

INFLUENCED THE DEBATE ON CLIMATE CHANGE LEGISLATION BY EXPOSING THE RISK OF WALL STREET MANIPULATION IN A CARBON TRADING SYSTEM.

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

BLUEWATER NETWORK

A. BLUEWATER. LED VITAL EFFORTS NATIONWIDE TO ACHIEVE AGGRESSIVE REDUCTIONS IN GREENHOUSE GAS POLLUTION FROM VEHICLES BY PROMOTING SUSTAINABLE, ALTERNATIVE FUELS AND VEHICLES, WITH AN EMPHASIS ON PLUG-IN ELECTRIC VEHICLES AND VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS THAT USE RENEWABLE ENERGY. PASSED THE WORLD'S FIRST LOW CARBON FUEL STANDARD. WORKED TO CLEAN UP THE CRUISE INDUSTRY, PROTECT MARINE SANCTUARIES, AND REDUCE AIR AND WATER POLLUTION FROM OCEAN-GOING VESSELS. WORKED ON A LOCAL LEVEL TO REDUCE VESSEL POLLUTION IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST, INCLUDING AT THE PORT OF SEATTLE.

EXPENSES \$ 653241. INCLUDING GRANTS OF \$ 0. REVENUE \$ 639750.

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**MEMBERSHIP**

EXPENSES \$ 96981. INCLUDING GRANTS OF \$ 0. REVENUE \$ 0.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 6: THE CORPORATION SHALL HAVE ONE CLASS OF MEMBERS, WHO SHALL BE REQUIRED TO MAKE DUES PAYMENTS

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7A: EACH MEMBER SHALL BE ENTITLED TO ONE VOTE ON EACH MATTER SUBMITTED TO A VOTE OF MEMBERS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 10: FORM 990 HAS ONLY BEEN REVIEWED BY THE CFO AND THE PRESIDENT OF FRIENDS OF THE EARTH, PRIOR TO SUBMISSION. THE CFO REVIEWED THE FORM AND DIRECTED ANY QUESTIONS THAT HE HAD, TO THE AUDITORS. UPON RECEIVING SATISFACTORY ANSWERS, THE CFO THEN FORWARDED THE FORM 990 TO THE PRESIDENT FOR REVIEW. THE PRESIDENT REVIEWED THE FORM 990, NOTED ANY QUESTIONS THAT HE HAD, AND SIGNED THE FORM 990 UPON SATISFACTORY ANSWERS TO HIS QUESTIONS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C: LIKE THE DIRECTOR OF ANY CORPORATION, A DIRECTOR OF FRIENDS OF THE EARTH IS A FIDUCIARY OF THE CORPORATION. AS FIDUCIARIES, CORPORATE DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS ARE REQUIRED TO ACT AT ALL TIMES IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE CORPORATION. THE BASIC PRINCIPLE TO BE OBSERVED IS THAT A DIRECTOR SHOULD NOT USE HIS OR HER POSITION AS A DIRECTOR OF FRIENDS OF THE EARTH TO MAKE A PERSONAL PROFIT OR GAIN OTHER PERSONAL ADVANTAGE.

**SCHEDULE O**

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DIRECTORS WHO HAVE A MATERIAL PERSONAL INTEREST IN A TRANSACTION INVOLVING FRIENDS OF THE EARTH SHOULD DISCLOSE THE INTEREST, DESCRIBE ITS NATURE, AND ABSTAIN FROM BOARD ACTION ON THE TRANSACTION IF THERE IS EITHER AN ACTUAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST OR AN APPEARANCE OF A CONFLICT OF INTEREST.

IF FRIENDS OF THE EARTH IS ABOUT TO ENTER INTO A TRANSACTION, THE FAIRNESS OF THE TRANSACTION TO FRIENDS OF THE EARTH SHOULD BE THE PRIMARY CONCERN OF ALL DIRECTORS. A DIRECTOR SHOULD NOT USE HIS OR HER POSITION FOR HIS OWN PERSONAL INTEREST TO DEPRIVE FRIENDS OF THE EARTH OF A FAIR TRANSACTION.

IN NON-FINANCIAL MATTERS AS WELL, DIRECTORS ARE EXPECTED AT ALL TIMES TO BE CONCERNED EXCLUSIVELY WITH PROMOTING THE BEST INTERESTS OF FRIENDS OF THE EARTH, REGARDLESS OF THE DIRECTOR'S OTHER PERSONAL OR PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS. IF A DIRECTOR'S PERSONAL INTERESTS, FINANCIAL INTERESTS, PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS, OR OTHER INDEPENDENT OBLIGATIONS CONFLICT (OR MIGHT CONFLICT) WITH THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CORPORATION, THE DIRECTOR SHOULD DISCLOSE SUCH CONFLICT OR POTENTIAL CONFLICT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

IF THE CONFLICT IS DIRECT AND MATERIAL, THE DIRECTOR SHOULD RETIRE FROM THE MEETING AFTER DISCLOSING THE CONFLICT AND PROVIDING ANY INFORMATION THAT MAY BE USEFUL TO THE REST OF THE BOARD WHICH MAY BE USEFUL IN REACHING A DECISION; THE DIRECTOR MUST TAKE NO PART IN FINAL DISCUSSIONS AND VOTING ON THE MATTER. IN THE CASE OF A FINANCIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST, SHALL ABSTAIN FROM BOARD ACTIONS ON SUCH MATTERS, AND IN THE CASE OF A NON FINANCIAL CONFLICT THE DIRECTOR SHOULD ABSTAIN FROM BOARD ACTIONS IF THE DIRECTOR

SCHEDULE O

(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information to Form 990

▶ Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations to provide additional information for responses to specific questions for the Form 990 or to provide any additional information.

OMB No. 1545-0047

2008

Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization

FRIENDS OF THE EARTH

Employer identification number

23-7420660

DEEMS IT APPROPRIATE IN LIGHT OF THE NATURE OF THE CONFLICT.

DIRECTORS SHOULD DEAL IN CONFIDENCE WITH ALL ADMINISTRATIVE AND PERSONNEL MATTERS INVOLVING FRIENDS OF THE EARTH UNLESS THE BOARD HAS CLEARLY AGREED THAT ANY SUCH INFORMATION NEED NOT BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL. IN GENERAL, ALL INFORMATION A DIRECTOR RECEIVES IN HIS OR HER ROLE AS DIRECTOR SHOULD BE KEPT WITH CONFIDENTIAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DIRECTION OF THE BOARD.

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

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

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19: FOE MAKES ITS GOVERNING DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY INFORMATION, AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC UPON REQUEST.

FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 2C

THE ORGANIZATION HAS A COMMITTEE THAT ASSUMES RESPONSIBILITY FOR OVERSIGHT OF THE AUDIT OF ITS FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SELECTION OF AN INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT.

FORM 990, PART VII

AMENDMENT OF PART VII - RECLASSIFICATION OF OFFICERS

RECLASSIFIED FOUR OFFICERS (MICHAEL J. HERZ, HARRIETT CROSBY, DAVID ZWICK, AND CLARENCE DITLOW) AS DIRECTORS.









**Part V Transactions With Related Organizations**

Note. Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV.

1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?

	Yes	No
a Receipt of (i) interest (ii) annuities (iii) royalties (iv) rent from a controlled entity		X
b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to other organization(s)		X
c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from other organization(s)		X
d Loans or loan guarantees to or for other organization(s)		X
e Loans or loan guarantees by other organization(s)		X
f Sale of assets to other organization(s)		X
g Purchase of assets from other organization(s)		X
h Exchange of assets		X
i Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to other organization(s)		X
j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from other organization(s)		X
k Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for other organization(s)		X
l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by other organization(s)		X
m Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets		X
n Sharing of paid employees		X
o Reimbursement paid to other organization for expenses		X
p Reimbursement paid by other organization for expenses		X
q Other transfer of cash or property to other organization(s)		X
r Other transfer of cash or property from other organization(s)		X

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds.

(A) Name of other organization(s)	(B) Transaction type (a-r)	(C) Amount involved
(1) FRIENDS OF THE EARTH INC	O	116,680.
(2) FRIENDS OF THE EARTH INC	P	110,661.
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		



**FRIENDS OF THE EARTH  
(CLIENT COPY)**

**FEDERAL FORM 990  
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2010**

**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**  
Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

▶ The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

**A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning JUL 1, 2009 and ending JUN 30, 2010**

<b>B</b> Check if applicable: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	Please use IRS label or print or type.  See Specific Instructions.	<b>C Name of organization</b> FRIENDS OF THE EARTH Doing Business As Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite 1100 15TH STREET NW 1100 City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 WASHINGTON, DC 20005	<b>D Employer identification number</b> 23-7420660
		<b>E Telephone number</b> (202) 783-7400	<b>G Gross receipts \$</b> 4,487,752.
		<b>H(a)</b> Is this a group return for affiliates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>H(b)</b> Are all affiliates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)	<b>H(c)</b> Group exemption number ▶
		<b>I Tax-exempt status:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) ( 3 ) ▶ (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527	
		<b>J Website:</b> ▶ WWW.FOE.ORG	
		<b>K Form of organization:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶	<b>L Year of formation:</b> 1969 <b>M State of legal domicile:</b> DC

**Part I Summary**

	<b>1</b>	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <b>FRIENDS OF THE EARTH DEFENDS THE ENVIRONMENT AND CHAMPIONS A HEALTHY AND JUST WORLD.</b>	
<b>Activities &amp; Governance</b>	<b>2</b>	Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.	
	<b>3</b>	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3 16
	<b>4</b>	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4 16
	<b>5</b>	Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a)	5 50
	<b>6</b>	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6 17
	<b>7a</b>	Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a 0.
	<b>7b</b>	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b 0.
<b>Revenue</b>	<b>8</b>	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	4,710,039. 4,256,132.
	<b>9</b>	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	
	<b>10</b>	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	-12,443. 9,704.
	<b>11</b>	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	182,783. 139,981.
	<b>12</b>	Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	4,880,379. 4,405,817.
<b>Expenses</b>	<b>13</b>	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	162,000. 133,000.
	<b>14</b>	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	
	<b>15</b>	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	2,411,330. 2,251,692.
	<b>16a</b>	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	82,033. 36,000.
	<b>b</b>	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 323,793.	
	<b>17</b>	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f)	1,797,636. 1,871,067.
	<b>18</b>	Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	4,452,999. 4,291,759.
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>19</b>	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	427,380. 114,058.
	<b>20</b>	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	2,588,668. 3,379,777.
	<b>21</b>	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	321,686. 991,155.
	<b>22</b>	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	2,266,982. 2,388,622.

**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.

<b>Sign Here</b>	Signature of officer	Date <u>5/16/11</u>
	ERICH PICA, PRESIDENT Type or print name and title	

<b>Paid Preparer's Use Only</b>	Preparer's signature                  Date <u>5/16/11</u>	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	Preparer's identifying number (see instructions)
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 LARSONALLEN LLP 2900 SOUTH QUINCY STREET SUITE 150 ARLINGTON, VA 22206		EIN ▶ Phone no. ▶ (703) 998-5100

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

# Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

▶ File a separate application for each return.

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** and check this box
- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** (on page 2 of this form).

Do not complete **Part II** unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

## Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time. Only submit original (no copies needed).

A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension - check this box and complete Part I only

All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns.

**Electronic Filing (e-file).** Generally, you can electronically file Form 8868 if you want a 3-month automatic extension of time to file one of the returns noted below (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T). However, you cannot file Form 8868 electronically if (1) you want the additional (not automatic) 3-month extension or (2) you file Forms 990-BL, 6069, or 8870, group returns, or a composite or consolidated Form 990-T. Instead, you must submit the fully completed and signed page 2 (Part II) of Form 8868. For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit [www.irs.gov/efile](http://www.irs.gov/efile) and click on *e-file for Charities & Nonprofits*.

Type or print	Name of Exempt Organization	Employer identification number
	FRIENDS OF THE EARTH	23-7420660
File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW, NO. 600	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. WASHINGTON, DC 20036-2002	

Check type of return to be filed (file a separate application for each return):

- |  |   |                                    |
|--|---|------------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990 | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (corporation)                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4720 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-BL         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust) | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-EZ         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (trust other than above)      | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 6069 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 1041-A                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8870 |

THE ORGANIZATION - 1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW, NO. 600

- The books are in the care of ▶ - WASHINGTON, DC 20036-2002  
Telephone No. ▶ (202) 222-0737 FAX No. ▶
- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) . If this is for the whole group, check this box . If it is for part of the group, check this box  and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension will cover.

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6-months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until FEBRUARY 15, 2011, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:

▶  calendar year \_\_\_\_\_ or

▶  tax year beginning JUL 1, 2009, and ending JUN 30, 2010.

2 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason:  Initial return  Final return  Change in accounting period

3a	If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	3a	\$
b	If this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit.	3b	\$
c	<b>Balance Due.</b> Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	3c	\$ N/A

**Caution.** If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions.

- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only Part II and check this box  **X**
- Note. Only complete Part II if you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.
- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only Part I (on page 1).

<b>Part II</b>		<b>Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time.</b> Only file the original (no copies needed).	
Type or print  File by the extended due date for filing your return. See instructions.	Name of exempt organization	Employer identification number	
	<b>FRIENDS OF THE EARTH</b>	<b>23-7420660</b>	
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions.	<b>1717 MASSACHUSETTS AVE., NW, NO. 600</b>	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions.	<b>WASHINGTON, DC 20036-2002</b>	

Enter the Return code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return) 01

Application Is For	Return Code	Application Is For	Return Code
Form 990	01		
Form 990-BL	02	Form 1041-A	08
Form 990-EZ	03	Form 4720	09
Form 990-PF	04	Form 5227	10
Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	05	Form 6069	11
Form 990-T (trust other than above)	06	Form 8870	12

**STOP! Do not complete Part II if you were not already granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.**

- The books are in the care of **▶ 1717 MASS. AVE, NW, SUITE 600 - WASHINGTON, DC 20036**  
Telephone No. **▶ (202) 222-0737** FAX No. **▶**
- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) **\_\_\_\_\_**. If this is for the whole group, check this box . If it is for part of the group, check this box  and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for.
- 4 I request an additional 3-month extension of time until **MAY 15, 2011**.
- 5 For calendar year **\_\_\_\_\_**, or other tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2009**, and ending **JUN 30, 2010**.
- 6 If the tax year entered in line 5 is for less than 12 months, check reason:  Initial return  Final return  Change in accounting period
- 7 State in detail why you need the extension **MORE TIME IS NEEDED TO COMPILE THE INFORMATION NECESSARY TO PROVIDE A COMPLETE AND ACCURATE RETURN**

8a	If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	8a	\$	0.
b	If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit and any amount paid previously with Form 8868.	8b	\$	0.
c	Balance due. Subtract line 8b from line 8a. Include your payment with this form, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	8c	\$	0.

**Signature and Verification**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form.

Signature **▶** *[Signature]* Title **▶** CPA Date **▶** 05/28/11

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission: FRIENDS OF THE EARTH PROVIDES PROGRESSIVE ENVIRONMENTAL ADVOCACY BY DEFENDING THE ENVIRONMENT AND PROMOTING A MORE HEALTHY AND JUST WORLD.

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 [X] No

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? [X] Yes [ ] No

4 Describe the exempt purpose achievements for each of the organization's three largest program services by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

SEE SCHEDULE O FOR CONTINUATION(S)

4a (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 789,360. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ ) OUTREACH PROGRAM - EDUCATED OUR MEMBERS AND ACTIVISTS AS WELL AS THE GREATER PUBLIC THROUGH ONLINE ACTION ALERTS, PRINT AND ONLINE ADVERTISING, MAILINGS AND QUARTERLY NEWSMAGAZINE (TO DONORS), MONTHLY E-NEWSLETTERS, AS WELL AS SOCIAL MEDIA SITES LIKE FACEBOOK, TWITTER, YOUTUBE AND FLICKR. CONDUCTED TV, RADIO AND PRINT INTERVIEWS. HOSTED KEY CIVIL SOCIETY REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE GLOBAL SOUTH TO ADVANCE PERSPECTIVES FOR EQUITABLE GLOBAL SOLUTIONS TO CLIMATE CHANGE. LEAD AND PARTICIPATE ON PANELS AT CONFERENCES LIKE NETROOTS NATION, THE WORLD SOCIAL FORUM, AND HOST CONFERENCES ON EMERGING TECHNOLOGY AND BIOFUELS, AMONG OTHERS.

4b (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 928,415. including grants of \$ 133,000.) (Revenue \$ ) INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM - WORKED TO CHANGE UNJUST GLOBAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND TRADE RULES AND SUPPORT A GLOBAL ECONOMIC SYSTEM THAT PUTS PEOPLE BEFORE PROFITS. WON A KEY VICTORY IN A FEDERAL LAWSUIT FORCING THE U.S. EXPORT-IMPORT BANK (EX-IM) AND THE OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION (OPIC) TO ADDRESS THE GLOBAL WARMING IMPLICATIONS OF THEIR OVERSEAS FINANCING ACTIVITIES. ATTENDED INTERNATIONAL CLIMATE NEGOTIATING SESSIONS TO PUSH THE U.S. TO LEAD THE WORLD IN FORGING EQUITABLE SOLUTIONS TO THE CLIMATE CRISIS. SECURED INTERNATIONAL CLIMATE ADAPTATION AND CLEAN TECHNOLOGY FUNDING IN THE CLIMATE AND ENERGY LEGISLATION THAT PASSED OUT OF THE HOUSE IN JUNE 2009 AND IN THE DRAFT SENATE BILL INTRODUCED IN SEPTEMBER 2009. INFLUENCED THE DEBATE ON CLIMATE CHANGE LEGISLATION BY EXPOSING THE

4c (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 1,209,355. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ ) DOMESTIC - WORKED WITH CONGRESS TO ATTEMPT TO PASS LEGISLATION THAT DRAMATICALLY REDUCES GREENHOUSE GAS POLLUTION, HASTENS OUR TRANSITION TO CLEAN ENERGY, SUPPORTS CLIMATE ADAPTATION AND CLEAN ENERGY PRODUCTION IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, AND CREATES MILLIONS OF GREEN JOBS. CAMPAIGNED TO SHIFT TRANSPORTATION INVESTMENTS IN THE ECONOMIC RECOVERY BILL AWAY FROM NEW ROAD PROJECTS AND TOWARD SMART TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, RESULTING IN \$17 BILLION FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION AND \$8 BILLION FOR HIGH SPEED RAIL. WE ALSO STOPPED A SENATE ATTEMPT TO TURN ECONOMIC RECOVERY LEGISLATION INTO A BAILOUT FOR THE NUCLEAR POWER INDUSTRY, HELPING TO STRIP UP TO \$50 BILLION IN LOAN GUARANTEES FOR NUCLEAR POWER FROM THE BILL. OPPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF NEW NUCLEAR REACTORS. EDUCATED ACTIVISTS AND THE PUBLIC ON FALSE SOLUTIONS TO

4d Other program services. (Describe in Schedule O.) (Expenses \$ 720,561. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

4e Total program service expenses \$ 3,647,691.



**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 Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	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	<b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>	X	
5	<b>Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations.</b> Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts where 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; 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 term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>		X
11	Is the organization's answer to any of the following questions "Yes"? <i>If so, complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable</i>	X	
	• 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>		
	• 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>		
	• 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>		
	• 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>		
	• Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.</i>		
	• 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.</i>		
12	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII.</i>	X	
12A	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional</i>		
		Yes	No
			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
14b	b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I</i>		X
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II</i>		X
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III</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
20	Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		X

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules** (continued)

	Yes	No
<b>21</b> Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i> .....	X	
<b>22</b> Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i> .....		X
<b>23</b> 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i> .....		X
<b>24a</b> 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? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25</i> .....		X
<b>24b</b> Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception? .....		
<b>24c</b> Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds? .....		
<b>24d</b> Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year? .....		
<b>25a</b> <b>Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> .....		X
<b>25b</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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> .....		X
<b>26</b> Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i> .....		X
<b>27</b> Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor, or a grant selection committee member, or to a person related to such an individual? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i> .....		X
<b>28</b> 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):		
<b>28a</b> A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> .....		X
<b>28b</b> A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> .....		X
<b>28c</b> An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee of the organization (or a family member) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> .....		X
<b>29</b> Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> .....	X	
<b>30</b> Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> .....		X
<b>31</b> Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i> .....		X
<b>32</b> Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i> .....		X
<b>33</b> Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i> .....		X
<b>34</b> Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1</i> .....	X	
<b>35</b> Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> .....		X
<b>36</b> <b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> .....		X
<b>37</b> 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i> .....		X
<b>38</b> Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19? .....	X	

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

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Table with columns for question number, question text, and Yes/No columns. Includes questions 1a through 12b regarding IRS filings and tax compliance.

**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.

**Section A. Governing Body and Management**

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body		
1b	Enter the number of voting members that are independent		
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?		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?		X
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its organizational documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		X
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's assets?		X
6	Does the organization have members or stockholders?	X	
7a	Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body?	X	
7b	Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons?		X
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
8a	a The governing body?	X	
8b	b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	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		X

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

		Yes	No
10a	Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?		X
10b	If "Yes," does the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with those of the organization?		
11	Has the organization provided a copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?		X
11A	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.		
12a	Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	X	
12b	b Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?		X
12c	c Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this is done		X
13	Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	X	
14	Does 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?		
15a	a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official		X
15b	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
16b	b If "Yes," has the organization adopted a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and taken 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 **AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, IL, KS**
- 18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.  
 Own website     Another's website     Upon request
- 19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public.
- 20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization: **THE ORGANIZATION - (202)783-7400**  
**1100 15TH STREET NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20005**

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

**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. Use Schedule J-2 if additional space is needed.

- 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. 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 the organization did not compensate any current officer, director, or trustee.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	(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			
CHASE, JAYNI BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
EDEY, MARION BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
GABEL, DAN BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
GLUECK, JEFF BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
LEGUM, DOUGLAS BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
LONG, RUSSELL BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
MATTHEWS, PATRICIA BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
OGILVY MOORE, AVIS BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
SCHARDT, ARLIE BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
STEEDMAN, DORIA BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
TAKETA, RICK BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
WEST, PEYTON BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
HERZ, MICHAEL CHAIRMAN	1.00			X				0.	0.	0.
CROSBY, HARRIETT VICE CHAIRMAN	1.00			X				0.	0.	0.
DITLOW, CLARENCE SECRETARY	1.00			X				0.	0.	0.
ZWICK, DAVID TREASURER	1.00			X				0.	0.	0.
PICA, ERICH PRESIDENT	37.50			X				92,521.	0.	7,837.



Part VIII		Statement of Revenue		(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
				Total revenue	Related or exempt function revenue	Unrelated business revenue	Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts	1 a	Federated campaigns	1a					
	b	Membership dues	1b					
	c	Fundraising events	1c	107,780.				
	d	Related organizations	1d					
	e	Government grants (contributions)	1e					
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	4148352.				
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$						
	h	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1f			4256132.			
Program Service Revenue	2 a		Business Code					
	b							
	c							
	d							
	e							
	f	All other program service revenue						
	g	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 2a-2f						
Other Revenue	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		10,700.			10,700.	
	4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds						
	5	Royalties						
	6 a	Gross Rents	(i) Real	64,123.				
		Less: rental expenses	(ii) Personal					
	c	Rental income or (loss)		64,123.				
	d	Net rental income or (loss)		64,123.			64,123.	
	7 a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	5,250.				
		Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	(ii) Other	6,246.				
	c	Gain or (loss)		-996.				
	d	Net gain or (loss)		-996.			-996.	
	8 a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 107,780. of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18		a	19,185.			
		Less: direct expenses		b	75,689.			
	c	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events			-56,504.			-56,504.
	9 a	Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19		a				
Less: direct expenses			b					
c	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities							
10 a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances		a					
	Less: cost of goods sold		b					
c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory							
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code						
11 a	REIMBURSED EXP	900099		129,877.			129,877.	
b	MAILING LIST SALES	900099		2,286.			2,286.	
c	OTHER	900099		199.			199.	
d	All other revenue							
e	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 11a-11d			132,362.				
12	<b>Total revenue.</b> See instructions.			4405817.	0.	0.	149,685.	

**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) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).

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 governments and organizations in the U.S. See Part IV, line 21	130,000.	130,000.		
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U.S. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U.S. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	3,000.	3,000.		
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	397,663.	199,147.	193,342.	5,174.
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	1,497,205.	1,280,718.	128,141.	88,346.
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	41,725.	37,025.	3,452.	1,248.
9 Other employee benefits	157,623.	110,280.	33,869.	13,474.
10 Payroll taxes	157,476.	123,833.	30,169.	3,474.
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal	49,257.	27,161.	22,096.	
c Accounting	43,386.		43,386.	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17	36,000.			36,000.
f Investment management fees				
g Other	348,823.	233,889.	57,892.	57,042.
12 Advertising and promotion	86,184.	83,586.	2,598.	
13 Office expenses	368,515.	268,404.	63,381.	36,730.
14 Information technology	117,256.	79,134.	31,755.	6,367.
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	365,811.	283,417.	68,814.	13,580.
17 Travel	161,908.	95,638.	15,435.	50,835.
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	50,291.	49,008.	589.	694.
20 Interest	3,523.		3,523.	
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	65,620.	2,627.	47,639.	15,354.
23 Insurance	12,047.		12,047.	
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (Expenses grouped together and labeled miscellaneous may not exceed 5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below.)				
a OTHER	137,876.	28,201.	96,627.	13,048.
b BAD DEBT	54,780.		54,780.	
c DUES & MEMBERSHIPS	33,667.	33,307.	360.	
d DUPLICATING	11,579.	5,048.	6,386.	145.
e CORP FEES & TAXES	10,306.	2,855.	1,385.	6,066.
f All other expenses	-49,762.	571,413.	-597,391.	-23,784.
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	4,291,759.	3,647,691.	320,275.	323,793.
26 Joint costs. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				



**Part X Balance Sheet**

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year	
<b>Assets</b>	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing	1,600.	1	
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	1,470,266.	2	1,854,745.
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	726,973.	3	433,566.
	4	Accounts receivable, net	36,152.	4	32,728.
	5	Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6	Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B). Complete Part II of Schedule L		6	
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8	Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	97,057.	9	69,153.
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	1,448,815.		
		<b>10a</b>			
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation	778,379.		
		<b>10b</b>			
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities		11	57,627.
	12	Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13	Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	
14	Intangible assets		14		
15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	159,557.	15	261,522.	
16	<b>Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	2,588,668.	16	3,379,777.	
<b>Liabilities</b>	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	114,575.	17	167,082.
	18	Grants payable		18	
	19	Deferred revenue	7,737.	19	118,611.
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22	Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		22	
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24	
	25	Other liabilities. Complete Part X of Schedule D	199,374.	25	705,462.
	26	<b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25	321,686.	26	991,155.
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.				
	27	Unrestricted net assets	12,466.	27	267,344.
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets	2,254,516.	28	2,121,278.
	29	Permanently restricted net assets		29	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.				
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31	
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
33	<b>Total net assets or fund balances</b>	2,266,982.	33	2,388,622.	
34	<b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b>	2,588,668.	34	3,379,777.	

Part XI Financial Statements and Reporting

1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990:  Cash  Accrual  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? .....

	Yes	No
2a		X
2b	X	
2c	X	
3a		X
3b		

b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? .....

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.

d If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were issued on a consolidated basis, separate basis, or both:

Separate basis  Consolidated basis  Both consolidated and separate basis

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? .....

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. ....



**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.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	3,362,462.	3,269,930.	3,735,509.	4,710,039.	4,256,132.	19,334,072.
<b>2</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
<b>3</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
<b>4 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3	3,362,462.	3,269,930.	3,735,509.	4,710,039.	4,256,132.	19,334,072.
<b>5</b> 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)						2,712,583.
<b>6 Public support.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4.						16,621,489.

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
<b>7</b> Amounts from line 4	3,362,462.	3,269,930.	3,735,509.	4,710,039.	4,256,132.	19,334,072.
<b>8</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	55,763.	81,272.	63,591.	44,478.	74,823.	319,927.
<b>9</b> Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
<b>10</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)	154,564.	134,058.	244,475.	191,103.	132,362.	856,562.
<b>11 Total support.</b> Add lines 7 through 10						20,510,561.
<b>12</b> Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	

**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**

<b>14</b> Public support percentage for 2009 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	81.04 %
<b>15</b> Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	78.27 %
<b>16a 33 1/3% support test - 2009.</b> 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 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
<b>b 33 1/3% support test - 2008.</b> 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 <input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>17a 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2009.</b> 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 IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>b 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2008.</b> 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 IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>18 Private foundation.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions <input type="checkbox"/>		

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)** (Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
<b>2</b> 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						
<b>3</b> Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
<b>4</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
<b>5</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
<b>6 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5						
<b>7a</b> Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
<b>b</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						
<b>c</b> Add lines 7a and 7b						
<b>8 Public support</b> (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
<b>9</b> Amounts from line 6						
<b>10a</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
<b>b</b> Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
<b>c</b> Add lines 10a and 10b						
<b>11</b> Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
<b>12</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
<b>13 Total support</b> (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**

<b>15</b> Public support percentage for 2009 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	<b>15</b>	%
<b>16</b> Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	<b>16</b>	%

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

<b>17</b> Investment income percentage for 2009 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	<b>17</b>	%
<b>18</b> Investment income percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	<b>18</b>	%

**19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2009.** 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 - 2008.** 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



▶ Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF.

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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 foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

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

**General Rule**

For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II.

**Special Rules**

For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution 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 a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, aggregate contributions of more than \$1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not aggregate to 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. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year. ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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**Part I Contributors** (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	OAK FOUNDATION  511 CONGRESS STREET, SUITE 800  PORTLAND, ME 04101	\$ 300,298.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
2	FIDELITY CHARITABLE GIFT FUND  82 DEVONSHIRE ST.  BOSTON, MA 02109	\$ 375,190.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
3	THE ENERGY FOUNDATION  301 BATTERY ST., FL 5  SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111	\$ 265,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
4	THE DAVID AND LUCILE PACKARD FOUNDATION  300 SECOND STREET SUITE 200  LOS ALTOS, CA 94022	\$ 278,500.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
5	THE FORD FOUNDATION  320 E. 43RD ST.  NEW YORK, NY 10017	\$ 250,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
6	CONNECT US FUND  C/O TIDES CENTER P.O. BOX 29907  SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94129	\$ 160,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)



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**Part I Contributors** (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7	WALLACE GLOBAL FUND 1990 M STREET, NW, STE. 250 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	\$ 140,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
8	GOULD FAMILY FOUNDATION 1114 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS SUITE 4436 NEW YORK, NY 10036	\$ 140,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
9	FOUNDATION FOR THE CAROLINAS 217 SOUTH TRYON STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28202	\$ 100,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
10	CS MOTT FOUNDATION 503 SOUTH SAGINAW STREET SUITE 1200 FLINT, MI 48502	\$ 90,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
	_____ _____ _____	\$ _____	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
	_____ _____ _____	\$ _____	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

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**Part II Noncash Property** (see instructions)

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

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**Part III** Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., individual contributions to section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organizations aggregating more than \$1,000 for the year. 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 information once. See instructions.) ▶ \$

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

**SCHEDULE C**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

**Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities**

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

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▶ **Complete if the organization is described below.**

▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.** ▶ **See separate instructions.**

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, 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," to 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," to Form 990, Part IV, line 5 (Proxy Tax), 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 expenditures ..... ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 Volunteer hours ..... \_\_\_\_\_

**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 payments were made. 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.  
 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)	7,061.													
b	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)	79,430.													
c	Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)	86,491.													
d	Other exempt purpose expenditures	3,967,966.													
e	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)	4,054,457.													
f	Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table in both columns.	352,723.													
<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:</th> <th>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)	88,181.													
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 instructions for lines 2a through 2f on page 4.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2006	(b) 2007	(c) 2008	(d) 2009	(e) Total	
2a	Lobbying nontaxable amount	301,814.	335,673.	357,304.	352,723.	1,347,514.
b	Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					2,021,271.
c	Total lobbying expenditures	61,920.	188,259.	124,168.	86,491.	460,838.
d	Grassroots nontaxable amount	75,454.	83,918.	89,326.	88,181.	336,879.
e	Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					505,319.
f	Grassroots lobbying expenditures	26,999.	10,992.	4,954.	7,061.	50,006.

Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2009

**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)).

	(a)		(b)
	Yes	No	Amount
<b>1</b> 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:			
<b>a</b> Volunteers?			
<b>b</b> Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1j)?			
<b>c</b> Media advertisements?			
<b>d</b> Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?			
<b>e</b> Publications, or published or broadcast statements?			
<b>f</b> Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?			
<b>g</b> Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?			
<b>h</b> Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?			
<b>i</b> Other activities? If "Yes," describe in Part IV			
<b>j</b> Total. Add lines 1c through 1i			
<b>2a</b> Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?			
<b>b</b> If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912			
<b>c</b> If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912			
<b>d</b> 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
<b>1</b> Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?		
<b>2</b> Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?		
<b>3</b> Did the organization agree to carryover lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?		

**Part III-B** Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) if BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2 are answered "No" OR if Part III-A, line 3 is answered "Yes."

<b>1</b> Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	<b>1</b>	
<b>2</b> Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).		
<b>a</b> Current year	<b>2a</b>	
<b>b</b> Carryover from last year	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b> Total	<b>2c</b>	
<b>3</b> Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b> 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?	<b>4</b>	
<b>5</b> Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)	<b>5</b>	

**Part IV** Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1; Part I-B, line 4; Part I-C, line 5; and Part II-B, line 1i. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

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**Schedule D**  
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplemental Financial Statements**

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990,  
Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12.  
▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Name of the organization **FRIENDS OF THE EARTH** Employer identification number **23-7420660**

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

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year .....		
2 Aggregate contributions to (during year) .....		
3 Aggregate 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" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

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

Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or pleasure)  Preservation of an historically important land area

Protection of natural habitat  Preservation of a certified historic structure

Preservation of open space

2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last 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 8/17/06 .....	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, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, 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(h)(4)(B)(ii)?  Yes  No

9 In Part XIV, 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" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, 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 XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items.

b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, 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) Revenues included in 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 relating to these items:

a Revenues included in 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
- b  Scholarly research
- c  Preservation for future generations
- d  Loan or exchange programs
- e  Other \_\_\_\_\_

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIV.

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 organization answered "Yes" to 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 XIV and complete the following table:

- c Beginning balance
- d Additions during the year
- e Distributions during the year
- f Ending balance

	Amount
1c	
1d	
1e	
1f	

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?  Yes  No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV.

**Part V Endowment Funds.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to 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					
b Contributions					
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance					

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as:

- a Board designated or quasi-endowment  \_\_\_\_\_ %
- b Permanent endowment  \_\_\_\_\_ %
- c Term endowment  \_\_\_\_\_ %

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

	Yes	No
3a(i)		
3a(ii)		
3b		

b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?  Yes  No

4 Describe in Part XIV the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

**Part VI Investments - Land, Buildings, and Equipment.** See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of investment	(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		478,556.	11,081.	467,475.
d Equipment		970,259.	767,298.	202,961.
e Other				

**Total.** Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)  670,436.





<b>Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Audited Financial Statements</b>		
1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	4,405,817.
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	4,291,759.
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 2 from line 1	114,058.
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	7,582.
5	Donated services and use of facilities	
6	Investment expenses	
7	Prior period adjustments	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	
9	Total adjustments (net). Add lines 4 through 8	7,582.
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per audited financial statements. Combine lines 3 and 9	121,640.

<b>Part XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return</b>		
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	4,469,903.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:	
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	7,582.
b	Donated services and use of facilities	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	56,504.
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	64,086.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	4,405,817.
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	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	0.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)	4,405,817.

<b>Part XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return</b>		
1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	4,348,263.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:	
a	Donated services and use of facilities	
b	Prior year adjustments	
c	Other losses	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	56,504.
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	56,504.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	4,291,759.
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	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	0.
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	4,291,759.

**Part XIV Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to 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, line 8; Part XII, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

**PART XII, LINE 2D: FUNDRAISING EVENT**

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**Part II Fundraising Events.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events (add col. (a) through col. (c))
		GREEN BALL (event type)	40TH ANNIVERSARY (event type)	NONE (total number)	
Revenue	1	58,330.	68,635.		126,965.
	2	47,425.	60,355.		107,780.
	3	10,905.	8,280.		19,185.
Direct Expenses	4	0.	0.		
	5	0.	0.		
	6	1,500.	6,725.		8,225.
	7				
	8				
	9	32,544.	34,920.		67,464.
	10	Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) ▶			
11	Net income summary. Combine line 3, column (d), and line 10 ▶				-56,504.

**Part III Gaming.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col. (a) through col. (c))
Revenue	1				
Direct Expenses	2				
	3				
	4				
	5				
	6	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	
7	Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d) ▶				( )
8	Net gaming income summary. Combine line 1, column (d), and line 7 ▶				

	Yes	No
9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities: _____ a Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states? _____ b If "No," explain: _____	9a	
10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year? _____ b If "Yes," explain: _____	10a	
11 Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers? _____	11	
12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? _____	12	

		Yes	No
<b>13</b> Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in:			
<b>a</b> The organization's facility .....	<b>13a</b>	%	
<b>b</b> An outside facility .....	<b>13b</b>	%	
<b>14</b> Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:			
Name ▶ _____			
Address ▶ _____			
<b>15a</b> Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue? .....			
<b>15a</b>			
<p><b>b</b> If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ \$ _____ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ \$ _____ .</p> <p><b>c</b> If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party:</p> <p>Name ▶ _____</p> <p>Address ▶ _____</p>			
<b>16</b> Gaming manager information:			
Name ▶ _____			
Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$ _____			
Description of services provided ▶ _____			
<input type="checkbox"/> Director/officer <input type="checkbox"/> Employee <input type="checkbox"/> Independent contractor			
<b>17</b> Mandatory distributions:			
<b>a</b> Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license? .....			
<b>17a</b>			
<b>b</b> Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$ _____			

**SCHEDULE I  
(Form 990)**

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**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.

Name of the organization  
**FRIENDS OF THE EARTH**

Employer identification number  
**23-7420660**

**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 Governments and Organizations in the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Check this box if no one recipient received more than \$5,000. Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 (Form 990) 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
ACTION AID 1420 K STREET, NW, SUITE 900 WASHINGTON, DC 20003	52-2277575	501(C)3	40,000.	0.			PROVIDED DEDICATED STAFF TIME TO ADVANCE THE WORK OF THIS COLLABORATIVE CAMPAIGN, WITH PARTICULAR FUNDS FOR JUBILEE USA
JUBILEE USA NETWORK 222 EAST CAPITOL STREET, NE WASHINGTON, DC 20003	52-1224444	501(C)3	40,000.	0.			WOULD BE USED TO PROVIDE DEDICATED STAFF TIME TO PARTICIPATE IN AND PROVIDED STAFF TIME TO STRATEGICALLY ADVANCING THE GOALS OF THIS COLLABORATION, IN FOR CIVIL SOCIETY COORDINATION EFFORTS AND MEDIA WORK LEADING UP TO, AT, AND FOLLOWING THE
INSTITUTE FOR POLICY STUDIES 1112 16TH ST., NW, SUITE 600 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	52-0788947	501(C)3	40,000.	0.			
INSTITUTE FOR GOVERNANCE & SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT - 2300 WISCONSIN AVE, NW SUITE 300-B - WASHINGTON, DC 20007	81-0616238	501(C)3	10,000.	0.			

**2** Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations ..... ▶▶

**3** Enter total number of other organizations ..... ▶▶

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**SEE PART IV FOR COLUMN (H) DESCRIPTIONS**

**Part III** Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22. Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed.

(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 non-cash assistance

**Part IV** Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, and any other additional information.

SCHEDULE I, PART I, LINE 2: UPON RECEIPT OF GRANT AWARD DOCUMENT, THE DIRECTOR OF FOUNDATIONS RELATIONS PREPARES A GRANT AWARDS FORM WHICH SUMMARIZES ALL OF THE PERTINENT GRANT DETAILS.

PART II, LINE 1, COLUMN (H):

NAME OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT: ACTION AID

(H) PURPOSE OF GRANT OR ASSISTANCE: PROVIDED DEDICATED STAFF TIME TO ADVANCE THE WORK OF THIS COLLABORATIVE CAMPAIGN, WITH PARTICULAR TIME SPENT ON DEVELOPING POLICY PROPOSALS FOR CLIMATE FINANCE, IN COORDINATION

Part IV Supplemental Information

WITH THEIR GLOBAL NETWORK AND ON DRAWING ON THEIR STAFF AND PARTNERS FOR EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH TO POLICY MAKERS AND THE PRESS.

NAME OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT: JUBILEE USA NETWORK

(H) PURPOSE OF GRANT OR ASSISTANCE: FUNDS FOR JUBILEE USA WOULD BE USED TO PROVIDE DEDICATED STAFF TIME TO PARTICIPATE IN AND ADVANCE THE WORK OF THE COLLABORATIVE; TO CO-CONVENE A REGULAR MEETING OF KEY FAITH-BASED GROUPS IN WASHINGTON ON CLIMATE ISSUES; TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR SPEAKERS AND TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIPS FOR GRASSTOPS FAITH LEADERS TO PARTICIPATE IN ECUMENICAL ADVOCACY DAYS IN MARCH 2010, AND FOR A SUBSEQUENT SPEAKING TOUR; AND TO SUPPORT EDUCATIONAL EVENTS FOR FAITH-BASED ALLIES AND NETWORK MEMBERS IN AND OUTSIDE OF WASHINGTON.

NAME OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT: INSTITUTE FOR POLICY STUDIES

(H) PURPOSE OF GRANT OR ASSISTANCE: PROVIDED STAFF TIME TO STRATEGICALLY ADVANCING THE GOALS OF THIS COLLABORATION, IN PARTICULAR BY CONDUCTING RESEARCH ON INNOVATIVE POLICY SOLUTIONS THAT BRIDGE THE CLIMATE AND FINANCIAL CRISES, DISSEMINATING OUR ANALYSIS THROUGH A VARIETY OF MEDIA, AND UTILIZING OUR FINANCIAL AND CLIMATE JUSTICE NETWORKS TO GROUND OUR ANALYSIS IN THE LIVED REALITY OF DEVELOPING COUNTRY CIVIL SOCIETY.

NAME OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT:

INSTITUTE FOR GOVERNANCE & SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

(H) PURPOSE OF GRANT OR ASSISTANCE: FOR CIVIL SOCIETY COORDINATION EFFORTS AND MEDIA WORK LEADING UP TO, AT, AND FOLLOWING THE UNFCCC CONFERENCE IN COPENHAGEN, DEC 2009.



**SCHEDULE M  
(Form 990)**

**Noncash Contributions**

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

Name of the organization **FRIENDS OF THE EARTH** Employer identification number **23-7420660**

Part I	Types of Property	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions	(c) Revenues reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining revenues
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	11	59,632.	MARKET VALUE AT TRAN
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 ( OTHER )	X	63	56,697.	MARKET VALUE
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 Acknowledgment **29** **0**

	Yes	No
30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1-28 that it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which is not required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period?		X
b If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II.		
31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any non-standard contributions?		X
32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash contributions?		X
b If "Yes," describe in Part II.		
33 If the organization did not report revenues in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II.		

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**SCHEDULE O**

(Form 990)

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**Supplemental Information to Form 990**

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FORM 990, PART III, LINE 3, CHANGES IN PROGRAM SERVICES:

FRIENDS OF THE EARTH ENDED ITS INVOLVEMENT IN THE WASHINGTON DC ENVIRONMENTAL NETWORK.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4B, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

RISK OF WALL STREET MANIPULATION IN A CARBON TRADING SYSTEM.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4C, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

CLIMATE CHANGE SUCH AS CERTAIN BIOFUELS, COAL, AND NUCLEAR. WORKED TO PROTECT AND RESTORE WASHINGTON, DC'S URBAN ENVIRONMENT AND TRANSFORM THE NEIGHBORHOODS AND COMMUNITIES OF OUR NATION'S CAPITAL INTO MODELS OF SUSTAINABILITY, INCLUDING CLEANING UP THE ANACOSTIA RIVER, CURBING THE AMOUNT OF STORMWATER ENTERING RIVERS AND CREEKS, AND WINNING A MORATORIUM ON COAL BURNING AT THE CONGRESSIONAL POWER PLANT. PROMOTED A CAUTIONARY POSITION ON SYNTHETIC BIOLOGY, GENETIC TECHNOLOGIES AND HUMAN CLONING.

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

BLUEWATER NETWORK - LED VITAL EFFORTS NATIONWIDE TO ACHIEVE AGGRESSIVE REDUCTIONS IN GREENHOUSE GAS POLLUTION FROM VEHICLES BY PROMOTING SUSTAINABLE, ALTERNATIVE FUELS AND VEHICLES, WITH AN EMPHASIS ON PLUG-IN ELECTRIC VEHICLES AND VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS THAT USE RENEWABLE ENERGY. PASSED THE WORLD'S FIRST LOW CARBON FUEL STANDARD. WORKED TO CLEAN UP THE CRUISE INDUSTRY, PROTECT MARINE SANCTUARIES, AND REDUCE AIR AND WATER POLLUTION FROM OCEAN-GOING VESSELS. WORKED ON A LOCAL LEVEL TO REDUCE VESSEL POLLUTION IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST,

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23-7420660

INCLUDING AT THE PORT OF SEATTLE.

EXPENSES \$ 720561. INCLUDING GRANTS OF \$ 0. REVENUE \$ 0.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 6: THE CORPORATION SHALL HAVE ONE  
CLASS OF MEMBERS WHO SHALL BE REQUIRED TO MAKE DUES PAYMENTS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7A: EACH MEMBER SHALL BE ENTITLED TO  
ONE VOTE ON EACH MATTER SUBMITTED TO A VOTE OF MEMBERS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11: THE ORGANIZATION HAS A COMMITTEE  
THAT ASSUMES RESPONSIBILITY FOR OVERSIGHT OF THE AUDIT OF ITS FINANCIAL  
STATEMENTS AND SELECTION OF AN INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 17, LIST OF STATES RECEIVING COPY OF FORM 990:  
AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, IL, KS, KY, LA, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, NH, NJ, NM, NY, NC  
ND, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, WV, WI

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19: ALL ARE MADE AVAILABLE UPON  
REQUEST.

FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 2C  
THE ORGANIZATION HAS A COMMITTEE THAT ASSUMES RESPONSIBILITY FOR  
OVERSIGHT OF THE AUDIT OF ITS FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SELECTION OF AN  
INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT.





**Part V Transactions With Related Organizations** (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35, or 36.)

**Note.** Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule.

**1** During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?

	Yes	No
<b>a</b> Receipt of (i) interest (ii) annuities (iii) royalties or (iv) rent from a controlled entity		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>b</b> Gift, grant, or capital contribution to other organization(s)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>c</b> Gift, grant, or capital contribution from other organization(s)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>d</b> Loans or loan guarantees to or for other organization(s)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>e</b> Loans or loan guarantees by other organization(s)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>f</b> Sale of assets to other organization(s)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>g</b> Purchase of assets from other organization(s)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>h</b> Exchange of assets		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>i</b> Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to other organization(s)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>j</b> Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from other organization(s)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>k</b> Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for other organization(s)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>l</b> Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by other organization(s)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>m</b> Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>n</b> Sharing of paid employees		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>o</b> Reimbursement paid to other organization for expenses		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>p</b> Reimbursement paid by other organization for expenses		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>q</b> Other transfer of cash or property to other organization(s)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>r</b> Other transfer of cash or property from other organization(s)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**2** If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds.

	(a) Name of other organization(s)	(b) Transaction type (a-r)	(c) Amount involved
(1)	FRIENDS OF THE EARTH (ACTION), INC	O	109,960.
(2)	FRIENDS OF THE EARTH (ACTION), INC	P	35,000.
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

