

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)
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 , and ending

B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Termination <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	C Name of organization GRASSROOT SOCCER, INC. Doing Business As Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) 198 CHURCH ST., PO BOX 712 City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 VT 05055	D Employer identification number 43-1957920
F Name and address of principal officer: THOMAS S. CLARK 198 CHURCH ST., PO BOX 712 NORWICH VT 05055	E Telephone number 802-649-2900	G Gross receipts \$ 6,176,244
H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	H(b) Are all affiliates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	H(c) Group exemption number
Website: J GRASSROOTSOCCER.ORG Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) (3) (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527 Type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other L Year of formation: 2002 M State of legal domicile: NM		

Part I Summary

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities:
SEE ATTACHED STATEMENT #1

2 Check this box if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.

3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) **3** **10**

4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) **4** **9**

5 Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a) **5** **26**

6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) **6** **832**

7a Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 **7a**

7b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34 **7b** **0**

Revenue	Prior Year	Current Year
8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	4,120,459	5,759,272
9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	19,325	5,091
10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	-11,452	70,131
11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	173,481	278,316
12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	4,301,813	6,112,810
13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	43,505	89,050
14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	836,892	1,986,623
15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)		80,160
16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		
b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)		347,011
17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f)	1,171,234	2,392,164
18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2,051,631	4,547,997
19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	2,250,182	1,564,813
20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	3,065,655	4,796,964
21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	53,620	156,682
22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	3,012,035	4,640,282

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.

Signature of officer: *Jason C. Hix* Date: *11/15/10*

Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer's Use Only

Preparer's signature: *[Signature]* Date: *11/15/10*

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4: *PERKINOLDS, HIX & CO., P.A., 6729 ACADEMY ROAD NE SUITE D, AUBURNEROUF, NM 87109*

EIN: *85-0349798* Preparer's identifying number (see instructions): *P00454851*

Phone no.: *505-828-2900*

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:
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2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? Yes No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

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

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

4 Describe the 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.

4a (Code:) (Expenses \$ 1,280,120 Including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
SEE ATTACHED STATEMENT #1

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ 725,541 Including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
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4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ 1,091,703 Including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
SEE ATTACHED STATEMENT #1

4d Other program services. (Describe in Schedule O.)
(Expenses \$ Including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
4e Total program service expenses **▶** 3,097,364

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)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A	1	X
2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	2	X
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I	3	X
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	4	X
5 Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations. Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	5	X
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I	6	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II	7	X
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III	8	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV	9	X
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V	10	X
11 Is the organization's answer to any of the following questions "Yes"? If so, complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI. • Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII. • 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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII. • Did the organization report an amount for other assets related in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX. • Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X. • 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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X. 	11	X
12 Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII	12	X
12A Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional.	12A	X
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	13	X
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a	X
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I	14b	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II	15	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III	16	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 1e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I	17	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II	18	X
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III	19	X
20 Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20	X

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

	Yes	No
21 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? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II		X
22 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? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III		X
23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? If "Yes," complete Schedule J		X
24a Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25	24a	X
24b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b	
24c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c	
24d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d	
25a Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a	X
25b Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25b	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II	26	X
27 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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III	27	X
28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):		
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28a	X
b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b	X
c 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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28c	X
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	29	X
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	30	X
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I	31	X
32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II	32	X
33 Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I	33	X
34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1	34	X
35 Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	35	X
36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36	X
37 Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI	37	X
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38	X

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 17	
b Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	1b 0	
c Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c X	
2a Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return	2a 26	2b X
b If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file this return. (see instructions)		
3a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?	3a	X
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)?	4a X	
b If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: SEE SCHEDULE O 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?	5a	X
b Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b	X
c If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, Disclosure by Tax-Exempt Entity Regarding Prohibited Tax Shelter Transaction?	5c	
6a Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?	6a	X
b If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6b	
7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
a Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7a	X
b If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b	
c Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7c	X
d If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	7d 7	
e Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e	X
f Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f	X
g For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g	X
h For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C as required?	7h	X
8 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8	
9 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.		
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 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	10a	
b Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	10b	
11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:		
a Gross income from members or shareholders	11a	
b Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)	11b	
12a Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a	
b If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	12b	

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

	1a		Yes	No
	1a	1b		
1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body	10			
b Enter the number of voting members that are independent	9			
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
9 Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O			9	X

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

	Yes	No
10a Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?		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?		10b
11 Has the organization provided a copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?		11
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		12a
b Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?		12b
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
13 Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?		13
14 Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?		14
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
b Other officers or key employees of the organization		15b
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?		16a
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 **NM**
- 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: **ANGELIA M. CARPENTER** 198 CHURCH ST. PO BOX 712 NORWICH VT 05055 802-649-2900

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					
1a	Federated campaigns	1a			
b	Membership dues	1b			
c	Fundraising events	1c			
d	Related organizations	1d			
e	Government grants (contributions)	1e	3,452,854		
f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	2,306,418		
g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f	\$	243,800		
h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f		5,759,272		
Program Service Revenue					
2a	SALES	Busn. Code			
b					
c					
d					
e					
f	All other program service revenue				
g	Total. Add lines 2a-2f		5,091		
3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		70,131		70,131
4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds				
5	Royalties				
6a	Gross Rents	(i) Real			
b	Less: rental exps.	(ii) Personal			
c	Rental inc. or (loss)				
d	Net rental income or (loss)				
7a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities			
b	Less: cost or other basis & sales exps.	(ii) Other			
c	Gain or (loss)				
d	Net gain or (loss)				
8a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18		217,609		
b	Less: direct expenses		63,434		
c	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events		154,175	154,175	
9a	Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19				
b	Less: direct expenses				
c	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities				
10a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances				
b	Less: cost of goods sold				
c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory				
Miscellaneous Revenue					
11a	OTHER REVENUE	Busn. Code	124,141		124,141
b					
c					
d	All other revenue		124,141		
e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d		6,112,810	154,175	199,363
12	Total Revenue. See instructions.				

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 8b, 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				
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	89,050	89,050		
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	253,751	55,950	154,813	42,988
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	1,474,597	811,315	595,756	67,526
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)				
9 Other employee benefits	167,512	105,866	55,151	6,495
10 Payroll taxes	90,763	39,740	42,926	8,097
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal	2,315	30	2,285	
c Accounting	47,148		47,148	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17	80,160			80,160
f Investment management fees				
g Other	194,431	153,064	25,552	15,815
12 Advertising and promotion	21,341	14,936	1,635	4,770
13 Office expenses				
14 Information technology				
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	149,761	56,270	93,491	
17 Travel	585,497	478,200	85,736	21,561
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	153,890	112,021	14,798	27,071
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates	65,548		65,548	
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	23,212		23,212	
23 Insurance				
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 PRINTING AND REPRODUCTION	371,513	359,033	11,157	1,323
b CONTRACT LABOR	259,023	184,029	56,708	18,286
c PROGRAM SUPPLIES	172,863	172,863		
d TELECOMMUNICATIONS	112,965	39,453	70,600	2,912
e SUPPLIES / EQUIPMENT	112,661	73,560	38,430	671
f All other expenses	119,996	351,984	-281,324	49,336
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	4,547,997	3,097,364	1,103,622	347,011
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
Assets		
1 Cash—non-interest bearing	202,321	145,231
2 Savings and temporary cash investments	1,335,659	673,330
3 Pledges and grants receivable, net	1,317,010	3,571,092
4 Accounts receivable, net	23,669	27,061
5 Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L		
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		
7 Notes and loans receivable, net		
8 Inventories for sale or use	20,850	222,337
9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	39,322	38,547
10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	194,271	
b Less: accumulated depreciation	114,667	99,347
11 Investments—publicly traded securities		
12 Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11		
13 Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11		
14 Intangible assets		
15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	12,157	20,019
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	3,065,655	4,796,964
17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	53,620	156,682
18 Grants payable		
19 Deferred revenue		
20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		
21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		
22 Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		
23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		
24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		
25 Other liabilities. Complete Part X of Schedule D		
26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	53,620	156,682
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	1,088,928	928,646
28 Temporarily restricted net assets	1,923,107	3,711,636
29 Permanently restricted net assets		
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		
31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		
32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		
33 Total net assets or fund balances	3,012,035	4,640,282
34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	3,065,655	4,796,964
Net Assets or Fund Balances		

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 _____ 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?		X
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	X	
c	If "yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?	X	
d	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O. 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: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> 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?	X	
b	If "yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits.	X	
		3b	3b

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

OMB No. 1545-0047

2009

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.
 ▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

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

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box.)

- 1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).
- 2 A school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Attach Schedule E.)
- 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).
- 4 A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). Enter the hospital's name, city, and state:
- 5 An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(v). (Complete Part II.)
- 6 A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).
- 7 An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.)
- 8 A community trust described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vii). (Complete Part II.)
- 9 An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33 1/3 % of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3 % of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See section 509(a)(2). (Complete Part III.)
- 10 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See section 509(a)(4).
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2). See section 509(a)(3). Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h.
 - a Type I
 - b Type II
 - c Type III—Functionally integrated
 - d Type III—Other

- e By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2).
- f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box:
- g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?
 - (i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?
 - (ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above?
 - (iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

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

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col. (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col. (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col. (i) organized in the U.S.?	(vii) Amount of support	
			Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No
Total									

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Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
 (Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I.)

Section A. Public Support

	Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶						(f) Total
	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total	
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants".)	467,620	762,094	1,328,648	4,120,459	5,759,272	12,438,093	
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf							
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge							
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3	467,620	762,094	1,328,648	4,120,459	5,759,272	12,438,093	
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)							
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						0	
Section B. Total Support							12,438,093

	Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶						(f) Total
	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total	
7 Amounts from line 4	467,620	762,094	1,328,648	4,120,459	5,759,272	12,438,093	
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	841	7,576	12,920	17,402	20,493	59,232	
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						0	
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						0	
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						12,497,325	
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)						0	
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						<input type="checkbox"/>	

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

	Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶						(f) Total
	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total	
14 Public support percentage for 2009 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))						99.53%	
15 Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part II, line 14						99.46%	
16a 33 1/3 % support test—2009. 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 33 1/3 % support test—2008. 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"/>	
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2009. 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 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2008. 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. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization						<input type="checkbox"/>	
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						<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
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")					
2	Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose					
3	Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513					
4	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf					
5	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge					
6	Total. Add lines 1 through 5					
7a	Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons					
b	Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year					
c	Add lines 7a and 7b					
8	Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)					

Section B. Total Support

	Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶					
	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(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 2009 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16	Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

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

- 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

Schedule B

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

Department of the Treasury
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Schedule of Contributors

▶ 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 in the heading 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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for 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	SEE STATEMENT #2	\$ 1,234,402	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Person Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
.....	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Person Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
.....	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Person Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
.....	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Person Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
.....	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Person Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

**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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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?			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
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?			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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 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
2a	
2b	
2c	
2d	

- 3 Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06
- 4 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the taxable year ▶
- 5 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶
- 6 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
- 7 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year
- 8 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year
 ▶ \$ _____ Yes No
- 9 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
- 10 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 the 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 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 \blacktriangleright _____ %

b Permanent endowment \blacktriangleright _____ %

c Term endowment \blacktriangleright _____ %

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

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

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				
d Equipment				
e Other	194,271		94,924	99,347
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)			94,924	99,347



Part I – 990 Summary

1) Using the power of soccer in the fight against HIV and AIDS, Grassroot Soccer (GRS) provides youth worldwide with the knowledge, life skills and support to live healthier lives. GRS improves health among youth by continuously developing our innovative educational techniques, by effectively sharing our model with like-minded partners and by tapping into the power and popularity of soccer to advance the global fight against HIV and AIDS.

Part III - 990 Statement of Program Service Accomplishments:

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4) Program Services:

4a) Research & Development

GRS is committed to constantly improving our innovative, culturally appropriate, evidence-based HIV prevention education and life skills curriculum through rigorous monitoring and evaluation and ongoing, research-driven curriculum development. During 2009, GRS began a process of designing new curricula in South Africa targeted at emerging drivers of the HIV epidemic and specific segments of our target audience; girls and high school students in particular. One of GRS' core strengths is our ability to adapt, replicate and disseminate our innovative curriculum. In 2009, we completed curriculum adaptations for our affiliate programs in South Africa, Zimbabwe and Zambia.

4b) Training of Coaches

The GRS model capitalizes on the power of inspirational role models, training local football stars, coaches, teachers, and peer educators to deliver an interactive, sports-based HIV prevention and life skills curriculum to youth. GRS prepares these "Coaches" to deliver the curriculum through intensive 5-day trainings on the curriculum, facilitation skills, and teaching techniques. During 2009, GRS delivered Training of Trainer courses in South Africa, Zambia, Zimbabwe, Namibia, and Tanzania, training over 300 Coaches in these locations. Additionally in 2009, GRS conducted the first ever Training Team Development Workshop for high-capacity program support staff who help coordinate and deliver Training of Coaches workshops.

4c) Educating Children

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GRS applies a variety of interventions to reach our HIV prevention educational outcomes with children. In 2009, GRS ran Skillz Street, Skillz Core, Peer Education Outreach, and the Skillz Holiday Program. New for 2009 was: 1) Skillz Street, a girls-focused intervention that combines an HIV prevention and life skills curriculum with fair play soccer and peer-led community outreach activities; and Skillz Holiday, a condensed version of our core intervention aimed at engaging youth during the risky periods that they are out of school. Across these four interventions, GRS graduated over 30,000 youth in our affiliate and implementing partner countries in 2009.

In 2009, Grassroot Soccer continued to establish the “Football for an HIV Free Generation” (F4) Initiative, a new partnership between the African Broadcast Media Partnership (ABMP), Coxswain Social Investment plus (CSI+), Grassroot Soccer (GRS), loveLife, Kaiser Family Foundation, WHO and UNAIDS, which strives to capitalize on the excitement surrounding the 2010 FIFA World Cup™ by using sport to fight HIV and AIDS in Africa. This new, continent-wide HIV prevention initiative combines a sustained media campaign with community-level outreach and education programs using soccer to promote healthy living and responsible choices among African youth.

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43-1957920

Form 990 Schedule B Part 1 Line No. 1

<u>Donor Name and Address</u>	<u>Donation Amount</u>	<u>Type of Contribution</u>
FIFA-Federation Internationale de Football Association FIFA-Strasse 20/ P.O Box 8044 Zurich Switzerland	134,082.00	Business
NIKE South Africa 12A Growthpoint Park, Tommetti Street Halfway House, 1685 South Africa	440,000.00	Business
United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) Case Postale 2500 CH-1211 Geneve 2 Depot Suisse Geneva, Switzerland	226,470.71	Business
Barclays Bank Zambia PLC Head Office, Elunda Office Park, Stand Nos. 4643 & 4644, Addis Ababa Roundabout, PO Box 31936 Lusaka, Zambia	233,849.00	Business
Crotty Family Foundation 31 Sears Road Southborough, MA 01772	200,000.00	Business
TOTAL	<u>1,234,401.71</u>	

**Schedule F
(Form 990)**

Statement of Activities Outside the United States

OMB No. 1545-0047

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

2009

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

GRASSROOT SOCCER, INC.

Employer identification number
43-1957920

Part I General Information on Activities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 14b.

- 1 For grantmakers.** 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 For grantmakers.** Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds outside the United States.

3 Activities per Region. (Use Schedule F-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed.)

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees or agents in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (i.e., fundraising, program services, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for region
SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA	9	12	MANAGEMENT AND GEN.		671,478
SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA	9	3	FUNDRAISING		15,356
SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA	9	31	TRAINING OF COACHES	TRAINING INDIVIDUALS	
				TO DELIVER THE GRS	723,027
SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA	9	20	EDUCATING CHILDREN	CURRICULUM	
				SCHOOL BASED	687,073
				INTERVENTIONS THAT	
				TEACH CHILDREN GRS	
				CURRICULUM	
SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA	9	15	OTHER EVENTS	TESTING TOURNAMENTS,	
				PEER EDUCATION	
				OUTREACH,	
				DEVELOPMENTS	315,298
				SESSIONS ETC.	
SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA	9	4	RESEARCH & DEVELOPM.	EDUCATION,	1,279,375
				COMMUNICATION	
				MATERIALS AND	
Totals ... ▶	54	85			3,691,607

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Schedule F (Form 990) 2009

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	
	EVENT 1 (event type)	EVENT 2 (event type)	1 (total number)	(add col. (a) through col. (c))	
1	Gross receipts	136,201	65,396	16,012	217,609
2	Less: Charitable contributions				
3	Gross revenue (line 1 minus line 2)	136,201	65,396	16,012	217,609
4	Cash prizes				
5	Noncash prizes				
6	Rent/facility costs	4,560			4,560
7	Food and beverages	469			469
8	Entertainment				
9	Other direct expenses	34,988	23,417		58,405
10	Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)				63,434
11	Net income summary. Combine line 3, column (d), and line 10				154,175

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))
	Yes No	Yes No	Yes No	Yes No
1	Gross revenue			
2	Cash prizes			
3	Noncash prizes			
4	Rent/facility costs			
5	Other direct expenses			
6	Volunteer labor			
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			

- 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: _____

- 10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year? _____
- b If "Yes," Explain: _____

- 11 Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers? _____
- 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? _____

9a		Yes	No
10a			X
11			X
12			X

<p>13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in:</p> <p>a The organization's facility</p> <p>b An outside facility</p> <p>14 Provide the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:</p> <p>Name ▶</p> <p>Address ▶</p>	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">13a</td> <td style="width: 50%;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">%</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">13b</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">%</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	13a		%		13b		%		<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;"></td> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">Yes</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;"></td> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">No</td> </tr> </table>		Yes		No
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	Yes													
	No													

15a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue?

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 of the third party:

Name ▶

Address ▶

16 Gaming manager information:

Name ▶

Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$

Description of services provided ▶

Director/officer Employee Independent contractor

17 Mandatory distributions:

a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license?

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 M
(Form 990)**

Noncash Contributions

OMB No. 1545-0047

2009

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

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Name of the organization
GRASSROOT SOCCER, INC.

Employer identification number
43-1957920

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				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6	X		243,800	FAIR MARKET VALUE
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29 Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee Acknowledgement **29**

	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	
31 If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II. 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	
32b 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 M (Form 990) 2009

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990)

Supplemental Information to Form 990

OMB No. 1545-0047

2009

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Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or to provide any additional information.
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GRASSROOT SOCCER, INC.

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FORM 990, PART V, LINE 4B - FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES
ZIMBABWE, ZAMBIA, SOUTH AFRICA, BOTSWANA, MALAWI, TANZANIA, NAMIBIA
.....
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 11A - ORGANIZATION'S PROCESS TO REVIEW FORM 990
THE ACCOUNTING MANAGER PREPARES THE SCHEDULES AND SUPPLEMENTS FOR THE 990.
THIS INFORMATION IS REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY THE GLOBAL CONTROLLER.
THE BOARD TREASURER PREPARES THE 990 WHICH IS THEN REVIEWED BY THE GLOBAL
CONTROLLER. ONCE THE RETURN IS IN FINAL FORMAT, IT IS PRESENTED TO THE
BOARD ALONG WITH FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR APPROVAL.
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FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 12C - ENFORCEMENT OF CONFLICTS POLICY
THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY IS REQUIRED TO BE COMPLETED BY GRS
OFFICERS, DIRECTORS/TRUSTEES AND KEY EMPLOYEES ANNUALLY. IF CONFLICTS OF
INTEREST ARE DISCLOSED OR DISCOVERED THEN THE BOARD WILL REVIEW AND
DETERMINE IF IT IS APPROPRIATE OR IF CHANGES NEED TO BE MADE.
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FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 15A - COMPENSATION PROCESS FOR TOP OFFICIAL
THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER AND CHIEF OPERATING OFFICERS PAY ARE REVIEWED
BY THE BOARD ON AN ANNUAL BASIS. THE OFFICERS DO A PERFORMANCE EVALUATION
OF EACH OTHER AND THEMSELVES. THEN A CROSS SECTION OF GRS EMPLOYEES SUBMIT
PERFORMANCE REVIEWS FOR THESE OFFICERS DIRECTLY TO THE BOARD, THEN THE
BOARD REVIEWS AND SETS ANNUAL COMPENSATION.
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FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 15B - COMPENSATION PROCESS FOR OFFICERS
THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER AND CHIEF OPERATING OFFICERS PAY ARE REVIEWED
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Grassroot Soccer, Inc.
198 Church Street
PO Box 712
Norwich, VT 05055

11/2/10

U.S. Department of the Treasury
PO Bo x32621
Detroit, MI 48232-0621

To whom it may concern;

Grassroot Soccer, Inc. is delinquent on filing the report of foreign bank and financial accounts as we did not realize that there was no extension for filing this form. We incorrectly assumed that this form was part of the 990 filing and therefore was extended along with the 990 extension. We have noted in our files for next year that this form is due by June 30th. We apologize for the oversight.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Angela M. Carpenter".

Angela M. Carpenter
802-649-2900 Ext. 226

198 Church Street P.O. Box 712 Norwich, VT 05055
Phone: 802-649-2900 Fax: 802-649-2910 www.grassrootsoccer.org

Using the Power of Soccer in the Fight Against HIV and AIDS.

TD F 90-22.1
(Rev. October 2009)
Department of the Treasury

Do not use previous editions of
this form after
December 31, 2009

**REPORT OF FOREIGN BANK
AND FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS**

Do NOT file with your Federal Tax Return

OMB No. 1545-2038
1 This Report is for Calendar
Year Ended 12/31

2 0 0 9
Amended

Part I Filer Information

2 Type of Filer

a Individual b Partnership c Corporation d Consolidated e Fiduciary or Other—Enter type _____

3 U.S. Taxpayer Identification Number
43-1957920

4 Foreign Identification (Complete only if item 3 is not applicable.)

a Type: Passport Other _____

5 Individual's Date of Birth
MM/DD/YYYY

If filer has no U.S. Identification
Number complete item 4.

b Number _____

8 Middle Initial

6 Last Name or Organization Name

7 First Name

Grassroot Soccer, Inc.

9 Address (Number, Street, and Apt. or Suite No.)

PO Box 712, 198 Church Street

10 City

11 State

12 Zip/Postal Code

13 Country

Norwich

VT

05055

USA

14 Does the filer have a financial interest in 25 or more financial accounts?
 Yes No If "Yes" enter total number of accounts _____
(If "Yes" is checked, do not complete Part II or Part III, but retain records of this information)

No

Part II Information on Financial Account(s) Owned Separately

15 Maximum value of account during calendar year reported
495,068.00

16 Type of account a Bank b Securities c Other—Enter type below
Money market investment

17 Name of Financial Institution in which account is held
First National Bank

18 Account number or other designation
6213500024

20 City

21 State, if known

22 Zip/Postal Code, if known

23 Country

Sea Point

21

8060

South Africa

44 Filer Signature

45 Filer Title, if not reporting a personal account

46 Date (MM/DD/YYYY)

File this form with: U.S. Department of the Treasury, P.O. Box 32621, Detroit, MI 48232-0621

This form should be used to report a financial interest in, signature authority, or other authority over one or more financial accounts in foreign countries, as required by the Department of the Treasury Regulations (31 CFR 103). No report is required if the aggregate value of the accounts did not exceed \$10,000. See Instructions For Definitions.

PRIVACY ACT AND PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT NOTICE

Pursuant to the requirements of Public Law 93-579 (Privacy Act of 1974), notice is hereby given that the authority to collect information on TD F 90-22.1 in accordance with 5 USC 552a (a) is Public Law 91-508; 31 USC 5314; 5 USC 301; 31 CFR 103.

The principal purpose for collecting the information is to assure maintenance of reports where such reports or records have a high degree of usefulness in criminal, tax, or regulatory investigations or proceedings. The information collected may be provided to those officers and employees of any constituent unit of the Department of the Treasury who have a need for the records in the performance of their duties. The records may be referred to any other department or agency of the United States upon the request of the head of such department or agency for use in a criminal, tax, or regulatory investigation or proceeding. The information collected may also be provided to appropriate state, local, and foreign law enforcement and regulatory personnel in the performance of their official duties. Disclosure of this information is mandatory. Civil and criminal penalties, including in certain circumstances a fine of not more than \$500,000 and imprisonment of not more than five years, are provided for failure to file a report, supply information, and for filing a false or fraudulent report. Disclosure of the Social Security number is mandatory. The authority to collect is 31 CFR 103. The Social Security number will be used as a means to identify the individual who files the report.

The estimated average burden associated with this collection of information is 20 minutes per respondent or record keeper, depending on individual circumstances. Comments regarding the accuracy of this burden estimate, and suggestions for reducing the burden should be directed to the Internal Revenue Service, Bank Secrecy Act Policy, 5000 Eilfin Road C-3-242, Lanham MD 20706.

Part II Continued—Information on Financial Account(s) Owned Separately

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Complete a Separate Block for Each Account Owned SeparatelyPage Number
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This side can be copied as many times as necessary in order to provide information on all accounts.

1	Filing for calendar year 2 0 0 9	3-4	Check appropriate identification Number <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Taxpayer Identification Number <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Identification Number Enter identification number here: 43-1957920	6	Last Name or Organization Name Grassroot Soccer, Inc. PO Box 712 198 Church Street Norwich, VT 05055			
15	Maximum value of account during calendar year reported	555,440.00	16	Type of account a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bank b <input type="checkbox"/> Securities c <input type="checkbox"/> Other—Enter type below Business check account				
17	Name of Financial Institution in which account is held First National Bank							
18	Account number or other designation	62129913122	19	Mailing Address (Number, Street, Suite Number) of financial institution in which account is held Sea Point, PO Box 6	22	Zip/Postal Code, if known 8060	23	Country South Africa
20	City	Sea Point	21	State, if known	22	Zip/Postal Code, if known	23	Country
15	Maximum value of account during calendar year reported	23,053.90	16	Type of account a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bank b <input type="checkbox"/> Securities c <input type="checkbox"/> Other—Enter type below Business check account				
17	Name of Financial Institution in which account is held Zambia National Commercial Bank							
18	Account number or other designation	0400210000019672	19	Mailing Address (Number, Street, Suite Number) of financial institution in which account is held Cairo Road Business Centre	22	Zip/Postal Code, if known	23	Country
20	City	Lusaka	21	State, if known	22	Zip/Postal Code, if known	23	Country
15	Maximum value of account during calendar year reported	64,557.50	16	Type of account a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bank b <input type="checkbox"/> Securities c <input type="checkbox"/> Other—Enter type below Business check account				
17	Name of Financial Institution in which account is held Zambia National Commercial Bank							
18	Account number or other designation	0400510000016470	19	Mailing Address (Number, Street, Suite Number) of financial institution in which account is held Cairo Road Business Centre	22	Zip/Postal Code, if known	23	Country
20	City	Lusaka	21	State, if known	22	Zip/Postal Code, if known	23	Country
15	Maximum value of account during calendar year reported	18,397.60	16	Type of account a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bank b <input type="checkbox"/> Securities c <input type="checkbox"/> Other—Enter type below Business check account				
17	Name of Financial Institution in which account is held Barclay's Bank Zambia LTD.							
18	Account number or other designation	1145074	19	Mailing Address (Number, Street, Suite Number) of financial institution in which account is held PO Box 50347	22	Zip/Postal Code, if known	23	Country
20	City	Lusaka	21	State, if known	22	Zip/Postal Code, if known	23	Country
15	Maximum value of account during calendar year reported	83,523.11	16	Type of account a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bank b <input type="checkbox"/> Securities c <input type="checkbox"/> Other—Enter type below Business check account				
17	Name of Financial Institution in which account is held Zambia National Commercial Bank							
18	Account number or other designation	1045654	19	Mailing Address (Number, Street, Suite Number) of financial institution in which account is held Cairo Road Business Centre	22	Zip/Postal Code, if known	23	Country
20	City	Lusaka	21	State, if known	22	Zip/Postal Code, if known	23	Country
15	Maximum value of account during calendar year reported	32,973.10	16	Type of account a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bank b <input type="checkbox"/> Securities c <input type="checkbox"/> Other—Enter type below Business check account				
17	Name of Financial Institution in which account is held Standard Chartered Bank							
18	Account number or other designation	8740342118600	19	Mailing Address (Number, Street, Suite Number) of financial institution in which account is held 84 Fife Avenue	22	Zip/Postal Code, if known	23	Country
20	City	Bulawayo	21	State, if known	22	Zip/Postal Code, if known	23	Country

Part II Continued—Information on Financial Account(s) Owned Separately

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Complete a Separate Block for Each Account Owned Separately

Page Number
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This side can be copied as many times as necessary in order to provide information on all accounts.

1 Filing for calendar year	3-4 Check appropriate identification Number <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Taxpayer Identification Number <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Identification Number Enter identification number here: 43-1957920	6 Last Name or Organization Name Grassroot Soccer, Inc. PO Box 712 198 Church Street Norwich, VT 05055
15 Maximum value of account during calendar year reported 19,987.50		16 Type of account a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bank b <input type="checkbox"/> Securities c <input type="checkbox"/> Other—Enter type below Business check account
17 Name of Financial Institution in which account is held Standard Chartered Bank	19 Mailing Address (Number, Street, Suite Number) of financial institution in which account is held 84 File Avenue	
18 Account number or other designation 8740342118602	21 State, if known	23 Country Zimbabwe
20 City Bulawayo	22 Zip/Postal Code, if known	
15 Maximum value of account during calendar year reported	16 Type of account a <input type="checkbox"/> Bank b <input type="checkbox"/> Securities c <input type="checkbox"/> Other—Enter type below	
17 Name of Financial Institution in which account is held		
18 Account number or other designation	19 Mailing Address (Number, Street, Suite Number) of financial institution in which account is held	
20 City	21 State, if known	23 Country
15 Maximum value of account during calendar year reported	16 Type of account a <input type="checkbox"/> Bank b <input type="checkbox"/> Securities c <input type="checkbox"/> Other—Enter type below	
17 Name of Financial Institution in which account is held		
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17 Name of Financial Institution in which account is held		
18 Account number or other designation	19 Mailing Address (Number, Street, Suite Number) of financial institution in which account is held	
20 City	21 State, if known	23 Country

Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ 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 and click on e-file for Charities & Nonprofits.

Type or print	Name of Exempt Organization GRASSROOT SOCCER, INC.	Employer identification number 43-1957920
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. 198 CHURCH ST. PO BOX 712	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. NORWICH VT 05055	

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 ▶ **ANGELIA M. CARPENTER**

Telephone No. ▶ **802-649-2900**

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 **08/15/10**, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:
 - ▶ calendar year **2009** or
 - ▶ tax year beginning _____, and ending _____

- 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	\$

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.

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

- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only Part II and check this box **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	Name of Exempt Organization	Employer identification number
File by the extended due date for filing the return. See instructions.	GRASSROOT SOCCER, INC.	43-1957920
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 198 CHURCH ST. PO BOX 712	For IRS use only
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. NORWICH VT 05055	

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

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 **ANGELA M. CARPENTER** Telephone No. **802-649-2900** FAX No. **802-649-2900**
- 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) **1115**. 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 **11/15/10**.
- 5 For calendar year **2009**, or other tax year beginning **11/15/10**, and ending **11/15/10**.
- 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 REQUESTED TO GATHER INFORMATION TO PREPARE 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 \$

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 **John Newell West** Title **CPA / Agent** Date **8-4-10**
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