

2025 Exempt Organization Business Tax Return
prepared for:

LIVING LANDS & WATERS
17624 ROUTE 84 N
EAST MOLINE, IL 61244

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Moline, IL 61265

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

2025

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2025 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2025, and ending , 20

B Check if applicable:

Address change

Name change

Initial return

Final return/terminated

Amended return

Application pending

C Name of organization **LIVING LANDS & WATERS**

Doing business as

Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
17624 ROUTE 84 N

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
EAST MOLINE, IL 61244

D Employer identification number
36-4244353

E Telephone number
(309) 496-9848

G Gross receipts \$2,892,263.

F Name and address of principal officer:
RICK CALHOUN, 17624 Rte 84 N, East Moline, IL 61244

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

H(b) Are all subordinates included? Yes No
If "No," attach a list. See instructions.

H(c) Group exemption number

I Tax-exempt status: 501(c)(3) 501(c) () (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527

J Website: www.livinglandsandwaters.org

K Form of organization: Corporation Trust Association Other

L Year of formation: 1998

M State of legal domicile: IL

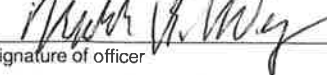
Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: TO AID IN THE PROTECTION, PRESERVATION AND RESTORATION OF THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT OF THE NATION'S MAJOR RIVERS AND THEIR WATERSHEDS.		
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.		
	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	11
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	10
	5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2025 (Part V, line 2a)	5	32
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	1,998
	7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	0.
b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, Part I, line 11	7b	0.	
Revenue	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year	Current Year
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	2,536,929.	2,767,150.
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	16,551.	46,470.
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	-11,005.	29,876.
	12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	2,542,475.	2,843,496.
Expenses	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	2,100.	3,850.
	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)	1,145,957.	1,330,801.
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)	167,660.	
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)	1,156,677.	1,333,252.
	18 Total expenses. Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2,304,734.	2,667,903.
19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	237,741.	175,593.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	4,980,839.	5,442,391.
	22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	181,517.	467,476.
		4,799,322.	4,974,915.

Part II Signature Block

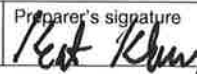
Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here

Signature of officer:  Date: 05/12/2026

MARK WERNING, TREASURER
Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only

Preparer's name: KENT G. KLAUER, CPA Preparer's signature:  Date: 05/14/2026 Check if self-employed PTIN: P00140338

Firm's name: Kent G. Klauer, CPA PC Firm's EIN: 36-4168789

Firm's address: 1908 16th St., Moline, IL 61265 Phone no.: (309) 762-5800

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions Yes No

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

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

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

TO AID IN THE PROTECTION,
PRESERVATION AND RESTORATION OF THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT OF THE
NATION'S MAJOR RIVERS AND THEIR WATERSHEDS.

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? Yes No

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

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

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

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code:) (Expenses \$ 1,437,973. including grants of \$ 0.) (Revenue \$ 0.)

COMMUNITY RIVER CLEAN-UP PROJECTS COVERING SEVERAL WATERWAYS
IN VARIOUS STATES-EXPENSES
SEE SCHEDULE O

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ 393,161. including grants of \$ 0.) (Revenue \$ 0.)

REFORESTATION PROJECT CONSISTING OF GROWING AND REPLANTING
TREES AND REFORESTATION OF AREAS ALONG WATERWAYS.
SEE SCHEDULE O

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ 51,478. including grants of \$ 0.) (Revenue \$ 0.)

INTERSTATE 80 CLEANUP - INVASIVE SPECIES REMOVAL AND REFORESTATION
ALONG I-80 CORRIDOR.
SEE SCHEDULE O

4d Other program services (Describe on Schedule O.)

(Expenses \$ 329,292. including grants of \$ 0.) (Revenue \$ 0.)

4e Total program service expenses 2,211,904.

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? See instructions	X	
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i>		X
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>		X
5	Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Rev. Proc. 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		X
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i>		X
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>		X
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i>		X
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability; serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>		X
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in donor-restricted endowments or in quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>	X	
11	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X, as applicable.		
a	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI</i>	X	
b	Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII</i>		X
c	Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i>		X
d	Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i>		X
e	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>		X
f	Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>		X
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i>	X	
b	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional</i>		X
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		X
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</i>		X
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>		X
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i>		X
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I. See instructions</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
20a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		X
b	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>		X

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows 22-38 covering various IRS requirements like grants, compensation, tax-exempt bonds, and controlled entities.

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

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

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows 1a-1c regarding Form 1096, W-2G forms, and backup withholding rules.

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued)

Table with columns for question number, question text, and Yes/No columns. Includes questions 2a through 17 regarding employee reporting, tax shelter transactions, and charitable contributions.

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 on Schedule O. See instructions. Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with columns for line numbers (1a, 1b, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7a, 7b, 8a, 8b, 9) and columns for Yes/No responses. Includes questions about voting members, family relationships, and governance decisions.

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

Table with columns for line numbers (10a, 10b, 11a, 11b, 12a, 12b, 12c, 13, 14, 15a, 15b, 16a, 16b) and columns for Yes/No responses. Includes questions about local chapters, conflict of interest policies, whistleblower policies, and document retention.

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed IL
18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A, if applicable), 990, and 990-T (section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
19 Describe on Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.
20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records.

CHAD PREGRACKE, 17624 RTE 84N, EAST MOLINE, IL 61244 (309)496-9848

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

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

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

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See the instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (box 5 of Form W-2, box 6 of Form 1099-MISC, and/or box 1 of Form 1099-NEC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

See the instructions for the order in which to list the persons above.

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) CHAD PREGRACKE PRESIDENT	40.00	X		X	X	X		163,788.	27,000.	0.
(2) RICK CALHOUN CHAIRMAN	5.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(3) PAUL WUJEK VICE-CHAIR	5.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(4) MARK WERNING TREASURER	5.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(5) JASON MEYER SECRETARY	5.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(6) KELLY CLAPP DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(7) MOLLY ISNARDI DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(8) WHITNEY CRUISE DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(9) JACK DALLAL DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(10) DARIN ADRIAN DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(11) MARK KNOY DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(12)										
(13)										
(14)										

Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees *(continued)*

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(15)										
(16)										
(17)										
(18)										
(19)										
(20)										
(21)										
(22)										
(23)										
(24)										
(25)										
1b Subtotal							163,788.	27,000.	0.	
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A										
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							163,788.	27,000.	0.	

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

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

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation

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

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

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

				(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514	
Contributions, Gifts, Grants, and Other Similar Amounts	1a	Federated campaigns	1a					
	b	Membership dues	1b					
	c	Fundraising events	1c					
	d	Related organizations	1d					
	e	Government grants (contributions)	1e					
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	2,767,150.				
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f	1g	\$ 108,931.				
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f		2,767,150.				
	Program Service Revenue				Business Code			
2a								
b								
c								
d								
e								
f		All other program service revenue						
g		Total. Add lines 2a-2f						
Other Revenue	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		40,837.	40,837.	0.	0.	
	4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds						
	5	Royalties						
	6a	Gross rents	(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
			6b	Less: rental expenses				
			6c	Rental income or (loss)				
	d	Net rental income or (loss)						
	7a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	(ii) Other				
			7b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	48,767.			
			7c	Gain or (loss)	5,633.			
	d	Net gain or (loss)		5,633.	5,633.	0.	0.	
	8a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18						
			8b	Less: direct expenses				
			c	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events				
	9a	Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19						
9b			Less: direct expenses					
c			Net income or (loss) from gaming activities					
10a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances							
		10b	Less: cost of goods sold					
		c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory					
Miscellaneous Revenue				Business Code				
	11a	OTHER (RECYCLING)		900099	29,876.	29,876.	0.	
	b							
	c							
	d	All other revenue						
	e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d			29,876.			
12	Total revenue. See instructions			2,843,496.	76,346.	0.		

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

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

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.

	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	3,850.	3,850.		
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	163,788.	163,788.	0.	0.
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	972,468.	694,127.	158,651.	119,690.
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	59,788.	43,083.	9,586.	7,119.
9 Other employee benefits	49,061.	26,764.	14,409.	7,888.
10 Payroll taxes	85,696.	65,768.	11,443.	8,485.
11 Fees for services (nonemployees):				
a Management				
b Legal				
c Accounting				
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees				
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A), amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.)				
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses				
14 Information technology				
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy				
17 Travel				
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	271,196.	271,196.	0.	0.
23 Insurance	198,987.	198,987.	0.	0.
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (List miscellaneous expenses on line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A), amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a FOOD, FUEL AND LODGING	149,083.	148,403.	680.	0.
b EQUIPMENT REPAIR	128,947.	128,947.	0.	0.
c SUPPLIES/EQUIP EXP	427,135.	369,587.	47,575.	9,973.
d CONTRACT SERVICES	87,684.	27,207.	45,972.	14,505.
e All other expenses	70,220.	70,197.	23.	0.
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	2,667,903.	2,211,904.	288,339.	167,660.
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

Part X Balance Sheet

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

		(A)		(B)
		Beginning of year		End of year
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing		1	
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	2,025,372.	2	2,491,154.
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4 Accounts receivable, net		4	
	5 Loans and other receivables from any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons		5	
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use	14,704.	8	0.
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	33,245.	9	10,234.
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a 5,770,909.		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	10b 2,896,899.	2,820,720.	10c 2,874,010.
	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	86,798.	15	66,993.
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33)	4,980,839.	16	5,442,391.	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	181,517.	17	159,301.
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue	0.	19	308,175.
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22 Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons		22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24	
	25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17–24). Complete Part X of Schedule D		25	
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	181,517.	26	467,476.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27, 28, 32, and 33.			
	27 Net assets without donor restrictions	4,754,145.	27	4,897,428.
	28 Net assets with donor restrictions	45,177.	28	77,487.
	Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 29 through 33.			
	29 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		29	
	30 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		30	
	31 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		31	
	32 Total net assets or fund balances	4,799,322.	32	4,974,915.
33 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	4,980,839.	33	5,442,391.	

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

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

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	2,843,496.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	2,667,903.
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	175,593.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A))	4	4,799,322.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain on Schedule O)	9	
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 32, column (B))	10	4,974,915.

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

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

- 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 on Schedule O.
- 2a** Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?
 If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both.
 Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis
- b** Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?
 If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both.
 Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis
- 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 on Schedule O.
- 3a** As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Uniform Guidance, 2 C.F.R. Part 200, Subpart F?
- 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 on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits.

	Yes	No
2a	x	
2b	x	
2c	x	
3a		x
3b		

**SCHEDULE A
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support

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

Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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

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**Open to Public
Inspection**

Name of the organization LIVING LANDS & WATERS	Employer identification number 36-4244353
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Part I Reason for Public Charity Status. (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

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

- 1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
- 2 A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E (Form 990).)
- 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**
- 4 A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).** Enter the hospital's name, city, and state:
- 5 An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II.)
- 6 A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**
- 7 An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
- 8 A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
- 9 An agricultural research organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ix)** operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land-grant college of agriculture (see instructions). Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university:
- 10 An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33¹/₃% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions, subject to certain exceptions; and (2) no more than 33¹/₃% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III.)
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4).**
- 12 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2).** See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box on lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g.
 - a **Type I.** A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.**
 - b **Type II.** A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.**
 - c **Type III functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.**
 - d **Type III non-functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization must generally satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.**
 - e Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.
 - f Enter the number of supported organizations
- g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

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

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

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

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2021	(b) 2022	(c) 2023	(d) 2024	(e) 2025	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	2,128,648.	3,013,383.	2,533,470.	2,536,929.	2,767,150.	12,979,580.
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3	2,128,648.	3,013,383.	2,533,470.	2,536,929.	2,767,150.	12,979,580.
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)						1,108,983.
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						11,870,597.

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2021	(b) 2022	(c) 2023	(d) 2024	(e) 2025	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4	2,128,648.	3,013,383.	2,533,470.	2,536,929.	2,767,150.	12,979,580.
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources	7,146.	1,741.	22,161.	6,194.	40,837.	78,079.
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)	244,133.	31,585.	7,223.	3,738.	29,876.	316,555.
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						13,374,214.
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	0.
13 First 5 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

14 Public support percentage for 2025 (line 6, column (f), divided by line 11, column (f))	14	88.76 %
15 Public support percentage from 2024 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	73.25 %
16a 33 1/3% support test—2025. 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—2024. 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—2025. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test, check this box and stop here . Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<input type="checkbox"/>
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2024. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test, check this box and stop here . Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<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 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2021	(b) 2022	(c) 2023	(d) 2024	(e) 2025	(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) 2021	(b) 2022	(c) 2023	(d) 2024	(e) 2025	(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 on line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						

14 First 5 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 2025 (line 8, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2024 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2025 (line 10c, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2024 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	%

19a 33 1/3% support tests—2025. 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—2024. 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

Part IV Supporting Organizations

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

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

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

Part IV Supporting Organizations *(continued)*

	Yes	No
11 Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
a A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described on lines 11b and 11c below, the governing body of a supported organization?		
b A family member of a person described on line 11a above?		
c A 35% controlled entity of a person described on line 11a or 11b above? <i>If "Yes" to line 11a, 11b, or 11c, provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
	11a	
	11b	
	11c	

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Did the governing body, members of the governing body, officers acting in their official capacity, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees at all times during the tax year? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove officers, directors, or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.</i>		
2 Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.</i>		
	1	
	2	

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).</i>		
	1	

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?		
2 Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s), or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? <i>If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).</i>		
3 By reason of the relationship described on line 2, above, did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.</i>		
	1	
	2	
	3	

Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations

1 Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year <i>(see instructions)</i> .		
a <input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. <i>Complete line 2 below.</i>		
b <input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. <i>Complete line 3 below.</i>		
c <input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental supported organization. <i>Describe in Part VI how you supported a governmental supported organization (see instructions).</i>		
2 Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b below.		
a Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of its supported organization(s)? <i>If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to each of its supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.</i>		
b Did the activities described on line 2a, above, constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.</i>		
3 Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer lines 3a, 3b, and 3c below.		
a Are the organization and its supported organization(s) part of an integrated system (for example, a hospital system)? <i>If "Yes," provide details in Part VI.</i>		
b Did the organization direct the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.</i>		
c Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect (and remove) a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? <i>If "Yes" or "No," provide details in Part VI.</i>		
	2a	
	2b	
	3a	
	3b	
	3c	

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

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

Section A—Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Net short-term capital gain	1	
2	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2	
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3	
4	Add lines 1 through 3.	4	
5	Depreciation and depletion	5	
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6	
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7	
8	Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4)	8	

Section B—Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):		
a	Average monthly value of securities	1a	
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b	
c	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d	
e	Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI):		
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 0.015 of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5	
6	Multiply line 5 by 0.035.	6	
7	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7	
8	Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8	

Section C—Distributable Amount			Current Year
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, column A)	1	
2	Enter 0.85 of line 1.	2	
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, column A)	3	
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3.	4	
5	Income tax imposed in prior year	5	
6	Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).	6	
7	<input type="checkbox"/> Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).		

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

Section D—Distributions		Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	1
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	2
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	3
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	4
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required—provide details in Part VI)	5
6	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 5.	6
7	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in Part VI). See instructions.	7
8	Distributable amount for 2025 from Section C, line 6	8
9	Line 7 amount divided by line 8 amount	9

Section E—Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2025	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2025
1 Distributable amount for 2025 from Section C, line 6			
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2025 (reasonable cause required—explain in Part VI). See instructions.			
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2025			
a From 2020			
b From 2021			
c From 2022			
d From 2023			
e From 2024			
f Total of lines 3a through 3e			
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h Applied to 2025 distributable amount			
i Carryover from 2020 not applied (see instructions)			
j Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f.			
4 Distributions for 2025 from Section D, line 6: \$			
a Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b Applied to 2025 distributable amount			
c Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4.			
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2025, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2025. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
7 Excess distributions carryover to 2026. Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8 Breakdown of line 7:			
a Excess from 2021			
b Excess from 2022			
c Excess from 2023			
d Excess from 2024			
e Excess from 2025			

Part VI **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; Part III, line 12; Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a, 3b, and 3c; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V, Section D, lines 5 and 7; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions.)

Pt II Ln 10: Other Income Part II, Line 10 Description: CONTRACT REVENUE 2021:
 30000. 2022: 0. 2023: 0. 2024: 0. 2025: 0. Description: OTHER SUPPORT 2021: 24633.
 2022: 0. 2023: 0. 2024: 0. 2025: 0. Description: PPP LOAN FORGIVEN 2021: 189500.
 2022: 0. 2023: 0. 2024: 0. 2025: 0. Description: MISCELLANEOUS (RECYLING) 2021:
 0. 2022: 31585. 2023: 7223. 2024: 3738. 2025: 29876.

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

(Rev. December 2024)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

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

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Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include: 1 Total number at end of year, 2 Aggregate value of contributions to (during year), 3 Aggregate value of grants from (during year), 4 Aggregate value at end of year, 5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?, 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?

Part II Conservation Easements

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

Table with 2 columns: Description, Held at the End of the Tax Year. Rows include: 1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply), 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, 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?, 6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year, 7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year, 8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2d above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?, 9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements.

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

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

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include: 1a If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide in Part XIII the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items., 1b If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items., 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 FASB ASC 958 relating to these items.

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 make 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 program
 - e** Other _____
- 4** Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.
- 5** During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? **Yes** **No**

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements

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

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

Part V Endowment Funds

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

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	25,201.	22,909.	16,997.	16,519.	13,010.
b Contributions		250.	3,500.	3,500.	3,250.
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses		2,742.	3,112.	-3,022.	259.
d Grants or scholarships		700.	700.	0.	0.
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance	25,201.	25,201.	22,909.	16,997.	16,519.

- 2** Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:
- a** Board designated or quasi-endowment _____ %
 - b** Permanent endowment _____ %
 - c** Term endowment _____ %
- The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.
- 3a** Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:
- | | Yes | No |
|---|-----|----|
| (i) Unrelated organizations? | X | |
| (ii) Related organizations? | | X |
| b If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? | | |
- 4** Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment

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

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land	0.	10,000.		10,000.
b Buildings		283,326.	5,885.	277,441.
c Leasehold improvements		51,837.	32,105.	19,732.
d Equipment		5,425,746.	2,858,909.	2,566,837.
e Other				
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, line 10c, column (B))				2,874,010.

Part VII Investments—Other Securities

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

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

Part VIII Investments—Program Related

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

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

Part IX Other Assets

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

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, line 15, col. (B))	

Part X Other Liabilities

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

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, line 25, col. (B))	

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

**SCHEDULE J
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Compensation Information

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

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

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Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

		Yes	No
1a	Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.		
	<input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (such as maid, chauffeur, chef)		
b	If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain		
2	Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, and officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked on line 1a?		
3	Indicate which, if any, of the following the organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee		
4	During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:		
a	Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?		X
b	Participate in or receive payment from a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?		X
c	Participate in or receive payment from an equity-based compensation arrangement?		X
	If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.		
Only section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.			
5	For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:		
a	The organization?		X
b	Any related organization?		X
	If "Yes" on line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.		
6	For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:		
a	The organization?		X
b	Any related organization?		X
	If "Yes" on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.		
7	For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any nonfixed payments not described on lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III		X
8	Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III		X
9	If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?		

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

For each individual whose compensation must be reported on Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that aren't listed on Form 990, Part VII.

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

(A) Name and Title	(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC and/or 1099-NEC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
	(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
1 CHAD PREGRACKE PRESIDENT	(i) 158,788. (ii) 0. (iii) 27,000.	5,000. 0.	27,000. 0.	10,506. 0.	3,042. 0.	204,336. 0.	0. 0.
2	(i) (ii) (iii)						
3	(i) (ii) (iii)						
4	(i) (ii) (iii)						
5	(i) (ii) (iii)						
6	(i) (ii) (iii)						
7	(i) (ii) (iii)						
8	(i) (ii) (iii)						
9	(i) (ii) (iii)						
10	(i) (ii) (iii)						
11	(i) (ii) (iii)						
12	(i) (ii) (iii)						
13	(i) (ii) (iii)						
14	(i) (ii) (iii)						
15	(i) (ii) (iii)						
16	(i) (ii) (iii)						

Part III Supplemental Information

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

Pt I Line 7: HOUSE RENT PAYMENTS 9,000

Pt I Line 7: BUILDING RENT PAYMENTS 18,000

Multiple horizontal lines for supplemental information.

**SCHEDULE L
(Form 990)**

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Transactions With Interested Persons

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a, 25b, 26, 27, 28a, 28b, or 28c; or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a or 40b.

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Part I Excess Benefit Transactions (section 501(c)(3), section 501(c)(4), and section 501(c)(29) organizations only)

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a or 25b; or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 40b.

1	(a) Name of disqualified person	(b) Relationship between disqualified person and organization	(c) Description of transaction	(d) Corrected?	
				Yes	No
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					

2 Enter the amount of tax incurred by the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under section 4958 \$ _____

3 Enter the amount of tax, if any, on line 2, above, reimbursed by the organization \$ _____

Part II Loans to and/or From Interested Persons

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a, or Form 990, Part IV, line 26; or if the organization reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 5, 6, or 22.

1	(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship with organization	(c) Purpose of loan	(d) Loan to or from the organization?		(e) Original principal amount	(f) Balance due	(g) In default?		(h) Approved by board or committee?		(i) Written agreement?	
				To	From			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
(1)													
(2)													
(3)													
(4)													
(5)													
(6)													
(7)													
(8)													
(9)													
(10)													
Total							\$						

Part III Grants or Assistance Benefiting Interested Persons

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 27.

1	(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of assistance	(d) Type of assistance	(e) Purpose of assistance
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					
(7)					
(8)					
(9)					
(10)					

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the instructions for Form 990 or 990-EZ.

Schedule L (Form 990) (Rev. 12-2024)

**SCHEDULE M
(Form 990)**

Noncash Contributions

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Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 29 or 30.

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Part I Types of Property

	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts
1	Art—Works of art			
2	Art—Historical treasures			
3	Art—Fractional interests			
4	Books and publications			
5	Clothing and household goods			
6	Cars and other vehicles			
7	Boats and planes			
8	Intellectual property			
9	Securities—Publicly traded	2	66,292.	SALES PROCEEDS
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 (BUILDING MATERIALS)	7	32,625.	DONOR VALUATION
26	Other (EQUIPMENT)	2	9,764.	DONOR VALUATION
27	Other (FUEL)	1	250.	DONOR VALUATION
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 V, Donee Acknowledgment

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- 30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1 through 28, that it must hold for at least 3 years from the date of the initial contribution, and which isn't required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period?
- b If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II.
- 31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any nonstandard contributions?
- 32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash contributions?
- b If "Yes," describe in Part II.
- 33 If the organization didn't report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II.

	Yes	No
30a		x
31	x	
32a		x
33		

**SCHEDULE O
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Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

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

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Other: PART III, ITEM 4A - COMMUNITY RIVER CLEAN-UP PROJECTS COVERING SEVERAL WATERWAYS IN VARIOUS STATES.

Other: IN CONTINUING OUR QUEST TO IMPROVE THE CLEANLINESS AND QUALITY OF OUR NATION'S RIVERS WHILE ENGAGING CITIZENS IN THE PROCESS. LIVING LANDS & WATERS HAS REMOVED OVER 14 MILLION POUNDS OF DEBRIS THAT HAD BEEN IMPAIRING FISH, BIRD, AND WILDLIFE HABITAT AND POLUTING OUR WATERS. TOGETHER WITH A SUBSTANTIAL VOLUNTEER FORCE, THE LIVING LANDS & WATERS TEAM HAS HELPED CLEAN-UP 33 RIVERS IN 23 STATES.

Other: PART III, ITEM 4B - MILLION TREES PROJECT CONSISTING OF GROWING AND REPLANTING TREES AND REFORESTATION OF AREAS ALONG WATERWAYS.

Other: THE MILLIONTREES PROJECT WAS INITIATED IN 2007 TO HELP FURTHER OUR MISSION TO PROTECT, PRESERVE AND RESTORE THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT OF OUR NATION'S MAJOR RIVERS AND THEIR WATERSHEDS. OUR MISSION IS TO NOT ONLY CLEAN UP THE RIVERWAYS, BUT TO ALSO ENHANCE THE WATERSHED BY PLANTING NATIVE TREES AND REMOVING INVASIVE PLANTS. PROJECT GOALS ARE TO RE-ESTABLISH NATIVE, NUT-BEARING, HARDWOOD TREES ALONG WATERWAYS AND WITHIN COMMUNITIES, PROVIDE SHELTER AND A VIABLE FOOD SOURCE FOR WILDLIFE AND MIGRATORY BIRDS, INCREASE BIODIVERSITY, HELP REDUCE EROSION AND RUN-OFF, IMPROVE WATER AND AIR QUALITY AND CREATE AN AWARENESS REGARDING THE VALUE OF PLANTING NATIVE HARDWOODS. THE LARGEST LAND RESTORATION PROJECT IN IDOT HISTORY TOTALING 28 ACRES, THE I-80 RESTORATION PROJECT FOCUSES ON RESTORING TWO TRACKS OF LAND INTO A NATIVE PRAIRIE. THIS HIGHLY VISIBLE PROPERTY IS SITUATED WHERE INTERSTATE 80 CROSSES THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER IN ILLINOIS AND CAN BE VIEWED FROM THE ILLINOIS WELCOME CENTER, WHICH OVERLOOKS THE BEAUTIFUL MISSISSIPPI RIVER VALLEY. NOT ONLY THAT, NEARLY 200 YEARS AGO, ILLINOIS USED TO BE 60% PRAIRIE. OF THE NEARLY 22 MILLION ACRES OF PRAIRIE THAT WAS IN THE STATE IN THE 1820'S, ONLY .01% IS LEFT TODAY. THIS DECREASE IN PRAIRIE HAS RESULTED IN HABITAT LOSS FOR NATIVE ANIMALS SUCH AS BISON, DEER, BIRDS AND MANY MORE. RESTORING THIS PARCEL OF LAND TO ITS NATIVE LANDSCAPE WILL PROVIDE COUNTLESS BENEFITS TO THE LOCAL

Other: PART III, ITEM 4B - REMOVAL OF INVASIVE SPECIES ALONG THE INTERSTATE 80 CORRIDOR. REPLANTING AND REFORESTATION ALONG THIS HIGHWAY.

Other: LIVING LANDS & WATERS OFFERS FREE EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOPS FOR STUDENTS, TEACHERS, AND EDUCATORS HELD ON LIVING LANDS & WATERS' FLOATING CLASSROOM, HEADQUARTERS, AND GARBAGE BARGES. HANDS-ON PROGRAMS FOCUS ON RIVER ECOLOGY, HISTORY, NAVIGATION, CULTURE, AND STEWARDSHIP. THE FLOATING CLASSROOM GIVES PARTICIPANTS THE OPPORTUNITY TO EXPERIENCE THE RIVER FIRSTHAND, LEARN ABOUT ITS VALUE AND IMPORTANCE TO OUR NATION, AND DISCOVER HOW THEY CAN HELP PRESERVE IT FOR THE FUTURE. LIVING LANDS & WATERS ALSO CONDUCTS EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH IN CLASSROOMS AND OFFERS SUMMER CAMP OPPORTUNITIES THROUGHOUT THE YEAR.

Pt VI, Line 11b: THE COMPLETED FORM 990 IS PROVIDED TO ALL BOARD MEMBERS FOR THEIR REVIEW BEFORE FILING.

Pt VI, Line 19: GOVERNING DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC BY REQUEST. ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AVAILABLE ON ORGANIZATIONS WEBSITE.

Pt VI, Line 12c: THE FINANCE MANAGER REVIEWS ALL INVOICES FOR ANY POSSIBLE CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. IF NECESSARY, ANY CONFLICTS ARE DISCUSSED WITH THE BOARD.

Pt VI, Line 2: THE ORGANIZATION MAINTAINS ACCOUNTS AT THIS BANK.

Pt XII, Line 2c: INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT COMPILES FINANCIAL STATEMENTS EACH MONTH. BOARD REVIEWS AND ACCEPTS STATEMENTS. BOARD REVIEWS AND ACCEPTS AUDIT UPON COMPLETION.

Pt VI, Line 15a: THE ORGANIZATION'S CEO COMPENSATION IS REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY (BOARD) ANNUALLY.

Pt VI, Line 15b: OTHER EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION IS REVEIWD AND APPROVED BY THE

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Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

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GOVERNING BODY (BOARD) ANNUALLY.

Pt III, Line 4d:

Expenses: \$329,292 including grants of: \$0 Revenue: \$0

Description: EDUCATION OF THE PUBLIC ABOUT THE ENVIRONMENT/ECOLOGY
THROUGH RIVER CLEANUPS, EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOPS AND REFORESTATION.
SEE SCHEDULE O

**Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return
(and proxy tax under section 6033(e))**

2025

For calendar year 2025 or other tax year beginning _____, 2025, and ending _____, 20

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Organizations Only**

A <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if address changed.	Name of organization (<input type="checkbox"/> Check box if name changed and see instructions.) LIVING LANDS & WATERS				D Employer identification number 36-4244353
B Exempt under section <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 408(e) <input type="checkbox"/> 220(e) <input type="checkbox"/> 408A <input type="checkbox"/> 530(a) <input type="checkbox"/> 529(a) <input type="checkbox"/> 529A	Number and street. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 17624 ROUTE 84 N		Room or suite no.		E Group exemption number (see instructions)
	City or town EAST MOLINE	State or province IL	Country	ZIP or foreign postal code 61244	
	C Book value of all assets at end of year 5,442,391.				

G Check organization type 501(c) corporation 501(c) trust 401(a) trust Other trust State college/university
 6417(d)(1)(A) Applicable entity

H Check if filing only to claim Credit from Form 8941 Refund shown on Form 2439 Elective payment amount from Form 3800

I Check if a 501(c)(3) organization filing a consolidated return with a 501(c)(2) titleholding corporation

J Enter the number of attached Schedules A (Form 990-T) 1

K During the tax year, was the corporation a subsidiary in an affiliated group or a parent-subsiidiary controlled group? Yes No
If "Yes," enter the name and identifying number of the parent corporation

L The books are in care of 17624 ROUTE 84 N EAST MOLINE IL 61244 Telephone number (309) 496-9848

Part I Total Unrelated Business Taxable Income

1 Total of unrelated business taxable income computed from all unrelated trades or businesses (see instructions)	1	0.
2 Reserved for future use	2	
3 Add lines 1 and 2	3	0.
4 Charitable contributions (see instructions for limitation rules)	4	
5 Total unrelated business taxable income before net operating losses. Subtract line 4 from line 3	5	0.
6 Deduction for net operating loss. See instructions	6	
7 Total of unrelated business taxable income before specific deduction and section 199A deduction. Subtract line 6 from line 5	7	0.
8 Specific deduction (generally \$1,000, but see instructions for exceptions)	8	
9 Trusts. Section 199A deduction. See instructions	9	
10 Total deductions. Add lines 8 and 9	10	
11 Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line 10 from line 7. If line 10 is greater than line 7, enter zero	11	0.

Part II Tax Computation

1 Organizations taxable as corporations. Multiply Part I, line 11, by 21% (0.21)	1	0.
2 Trusts taxable at trust rates. See instructions for tax computation. Income tax on the amount on Part I, line 11, from: <input type="checkbox"/> Tax rate schedule or <input type="checkbox"/> Schedule D (Form 1041)	2	
3 Proxy tax. See instructions	3	
4a Amount from Form 4255, Part I, line 3, column (q)	4a	
4b Other tax amounts. See instructions	4b	
5 Alternative minimum tax	5	
6 Tax on noncompliant facility income. See instructions	6	
7 Total. Add lines 3 through 6 to line 1 or 2, whichever applies	7	0.

Part III Tax and Payments

1a Foreign tax credit (corporations attach Form 1118; trusts attach Form 1116)	1a	
b Other credits (see instructions)	1b	
c General business credit. Attach Form 3800 (see instructions)	1c	
d Credit for prior-year minimum tax (attach Form 8801 or 8827)	1d	
e Total credits. Add lines 1a through 1d	1e	
2 Subtract line 1e from Part II, line 7	2	0.
3a Amount from Form 4255, Part I, line 3, column (r) (see instructions)	3a	
b Amount due from Form 8611	3b	
c Amount due from Form 8697	3c	
d Amount due from Form 8866	3d	
e Other amounts due (see instructions)	3e	
f Total amounts due. Add lines 3a through 3e	3f	
4 Total tax. Add lines 2 and 3f (see instructions). <input type="checkbox"/> Check if includes tax previously deferred under section 1294. Enter tax amount here	4	0.

Part III Tax and Payments (continued)

5a	Current net 965 tax liability paid from Form 965-A, Part II, column (k)	5a	
b	First installment of section 1062 applicable net tax liability. Enter amount from Form 1062, line 15	5b	
6a	Payments: Preceding year's overpayment credited to the current year	6a	
b	Current year's estimated tax payments. Check if section 643(g) election applies <input type="checkbox"/>	6b	
c	Tax deposited with Form 8868	6c	
d	Foreign organizations: Tax paid or withheld at source (see instructions)	6d	
e	Backup withholding (see instructions)	6e	
f	Credit for small employer health insurance premiums (attach Form 8941)	6f	
g	Elective payment election amount from Form 3800	6g	
h	Payment from Form 2439	6h	
i	Credit from Form 4136	6i	
j	Other (see instructions)	6j	
k	Section 1062 applicable net tax liability. Enter amount from Form 1062, line 14	6k	
7	Total payments and section 1062 applicable net tax liability. Add lines 6a through 6k	7	
8	Estimated tax penalty (see instructions). Check if Form 2220 is attached <input type="checkbox"/>	8	
9	Tax due. If line 7 is smaller than the total of lines 4, 5a, 5b, and 8, enter amount owed	9	0.
10	Overpayment. If line 7 is larger than the total of lines 4, 5a, 5b, and 8, enter amount overpaid	10	
11	Enter the amount of line 10 you want: Credited to 2026 estimated tax _____ Refunded _____ For Refunded amount, also complete and attach Form 8050. See instructions.	11	

Part IV Statements Regarding Certain Activities and Other Information (see instructions)

1	At any time during the 2025 calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account (bank, securities, or other) in a foreign country? If "Yes," the organization may have to file FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country here	Yes	No
2	During the tax year, did the organization receive a distribution from or was it the grantor of or transferor to a foreign trust? If "Yes," see instructions for other forms the organization may have to file.		X
3	Enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year \$		
4	Enter available pre-2018 NOL carryovers here \$ Do not include any post-2017 NOL carryover shown on Schedule A (Form 990-T). Don't reduce the NOL carryover shown here by any deduction reported on Part I, line 6.		
5	Post-2017 NOL carryovers. Enter the Business Activity Code and available post-2017 NOL carryovers. Don't reduce the amounts shown below by any NOL claimed on any Schedule A, Part II, line 17, for the tax year. See instructions.		
	Business Activity Code	Available post-2017 NOL carryover	
		\$	
		\$	
		\$	
		\$	
6a	Reserved for future use		
b	Reserved for future use		

Part V Supplemental Information

Provide any additional information. See instructions.

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.

Sign Here

Signature of officer: _____ Date: _____ Title: TREASURER

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

Paid Preparer Use Only	Enter preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
	KENT G. KLAUER, CPA		05/14/2026		P00140338
	Firm's name	Firm's EIN		Phone no.	
Kent G. Klauer, CPA PC	36-4168789		(309) 762-5800		
Firm's address	1908 16th St., Moline, IL 61265				

**SCHEDULE A
(Form 990-T)**

**Unrelated Business Taxable Income
From an Unrelated Trade or Business**

OMB No. 1545-0047

2025

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A Name of the organization LIVING LANDS & WATERS	B Employer identification number 36-4244353
C Unrelated business activity code (see instructions) 448000	D Sequence: 1 of 1

E Describe the unrelated trade or business CLOTHING SALES-NONE CURRENTLY

Part I Unrelated Trade or Business Income	(A) Income	(B) Expenses	(C) Net
1a Gross receipts or sales			
b Less returns and allowances c Balance	1c		
2 Cost of goods sold (Part III, line 8)	2		
3 Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c	3		
4a Capital gain net income (attach Schedule D (Form 1041 or Form 1120)). See instructions	4a		
b Net gain (loss) (Form 4797) (attach Form 4797). See instructions	4b		
c Capital loss deduction for trusts	4c		
5 Income (loss) from a partnership or an S corporation (attach statement)	5		
6 Rent income (Part IV)	6		
7 Unrelated debt-financed income (Part V)	7		
8 Interest, annuities, royalties, and rents from a controlled organization (Part VI)	8		
9 Investment income of section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) organizations (Part VII)	9		
10 Exploited exempt activity income (Part VIII)	10		
11 Advertising income (Part IX)	11		
12 Other income (see instructions; attach statement)	12		
13 Total. Combine lines 3 through 12	13 0.	0.	0.

Part II Deductions Not Taken Elsewhere. See instructions for limitations on deductions. Deductions must be directly connected with the unrelated business income.

1 Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees (Part X)		1	
2 Salaries and wages		2	
3 Repairs and maintenance		3	
4 Bad debts		4	
5 Interest (attach statement). See instructions		5	
6 Taxes and licenses		6	
7 Depreciation (attach Form 4562). See instructions	7		
8 Less depreciation claimed in Part III and elsewhere on return	8a	8b	
9 Depletion		9	
10 Contributions to deferred compensation plans		10	
11 Employee benefit programs		11	
12 Excess exempt expenses (Part VIII)		12	
13 Excess readership costs (Part IX)		13	
14 Other deductions (attach statement)		14	
15 Total deductions. Add lines 1 through 14		15	
16 Unrelated business income before net operating loss deduction. Subtract line 15 from Part I, line 13, column (C)		16	0.
17 Deduction for net operating loss. See instructions		17	
18 Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line 17 from line 16		18	0.

Part III Cost of Goods Sold Enter method of inventory valuation

1	Inventory at beginning of year	1	
2	Purchases	2	
3	Cost of labor	3	
4	Additional section 263A costs (attach statement)	4	
5	Other costs (attach statement)	5	
6	Total. Add lines 1 through 5	6	
7	Inventory at end of year	7	
8	Cost of goods sold. Subtract line 7 from line 6. Enter here and in Part I, line 2	8	
9	Do the rules of section 263A (with respect to property produced or acquired for resale) apply to the organization? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		

Part IV Rent Income (From Real Property and Personal Property Leased With Real Property)

- 1** Description of property (property street address, city, state, ZIP code). Check if a dual-use. See instructions.
- A** _____
- B** _____
- C** _____
- D** _____

	A	B	C	D
2 Rent received or accrued				
a From personal property (if the percentage of rent for personal property is more than 10% but not more than 50%)				
b From real and personal property (if the percentage of rent for personal property exceeds 50% or if the rent is based on profit or income)				
c Total rents received or accrued by property. Add lines 2a and 2b, columns A through D				

3 Total rents received or accrued. Add line 2c, columns A through D. Enter here and on Part I, line 6, column (A) _____

4 Deductions directly connected with the income in lines 2a and 2b (attach statement)				
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5 **Total deductions.** Add line 4, columns A through D. Enter here and on Part I, line 6, column (B) _____

Part V Unrelated Debt-Financed Income (see instructions)

- 1** Description of debt-financed property (street address, city, state, ZIP code). Check if a dual-use. See instructions.
- A** _____
- B** _____
- C** _____
- D** _____

	A	B	C	D
2 Gross income from or allocable to debt-financed property				
3 Deductions directly connected with or allocable to debt-financed property				
a Straight line depreciation (attach statement)				
b Other deductions (attach statement)				
c Total deductions (add lines 3a and 3b, columns A through D)				
4 Amount of average acquisition debt on or allocable to debt-financed property (attach statement)				
5 Average adjusted basis of or allocable to debt-financed property (attach statement)				
6 Divide line 4 by line 5	%	%	%	%
7 Gross income reportable. Multiply line 2 by line 6				

8 **Total gross income** (add line 7, columns A through D). Enter here and on Part I, line 7, column (A) _____

9 Allocable deductions. Multiply line 3c by line 6				
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10 **Total allocable deductions.** Add line 9, columns A through D. Enter here and on Part I, line 7, column (B) _____

11 **Total dividends — received deductions** included in line 10

Part VI Interest, Annuities, Royalties, and Rents From Controlled Organizations (see instructions)

1. Name of controlled organization	2. Employer identification number	Exempt Controlled Organizations			
		3. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	4. Total of specified payments made	5. Part of column 4 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	6. Deductions directly connected with income in column 5
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					

Nonexempt Controlled Organizations

7. Taxable income	8. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	9. Total of specified payments made	10. Part of column 9 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	11. Deductions directly connected with income in column 10
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				

Add columns 5 and 10. Enter here and on Part I, line 8, column (A).
 Add columns 6 and 11. Enter here and on Part I, line 8, column (B).

Totals

Part VII Investment Income of a Section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) Organization (see instructions)

1. Description of income	2. Amount of income	3. Deductions directly connected (attach statement)	4. Set-asides (attach statement)	5. Total deductions and set-asides (add columns 3 and 4)
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				

Add amounts in column 2. Enter here and on Part I, line 9, column (A).
 Add amounts in column 5. Enter here and on Part I, line 9, column (B).

Totals

Part VIII Exploited Exempt Activity Income, Other Than Advertising Income (see instructions)

1	Description of exploited activity:	
2	Gross unrelated business income from trade or business. Enter here and on Part I, line 10, column (A)	2
3	Expenses directly connected with production of unrelated business income. Enter here and on Part I, line 10, column (B)	3
4	Net income (loss) from unrelated trade or business. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If a gain, complete lines 5 through 7	4
5	Gross income from activity that is not unrelated business income	5
6	Expenses attributable to income entered on line 5	6
7	Excess exempt expenses. Subtract line 5 from line 6, but do not enter more than the amount on line 4. Enter here and on Part II, line 12	7

