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Form **990**
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-0047

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

2013

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A For the 2013 calendar year, or tax year beginning 01-01-2013, 2013, and ending 12-31-2013

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| B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending | C Name of organization THE CENTER FOR PUBLIC INTEGRITY | | D Employer identification number 54-1512177 |
| | Doing Business As | | E Telephone number (202) 466-1300 |
| | Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite 910 17TH STREET NW 7TH FLOOR NO 700 | | |
| | City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code WASHINGTON, DC 20006 | | G Gross receipts \$ 7,993,866 |
| F Name and address of principal officer WILLIAM E BUZENBERG 910 17TH STREET NW 7TH FLOOR NO 700 WASHINGTON, DC 20006 | | H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No H(b) Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list (see instructions) H(c) Group exemption number | |
| I Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) () (insert no) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527 | | | |
| J Website: WWW.PUBLICINTEGRITY.ORG | | | |
| K Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other | | L Year of formation 1989 | M State of legal domicile DC |

Part I Summary

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| Activities & Governance | 1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST | | |
| | 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 | 20 |
| | 4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) | 4 | 19 |
| | 5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2013 (Part V, line 2a) | 5 | 62 |
| | 6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) | 6 | 0 |
| 7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 | 7a | 0 | |
| b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34 | 7b | 0 | |
| Revenue | 8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) | Prior Year | Current Year |
| | 9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) | 8,858,926 | 7,464,706 |
| | 10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) | 36,128 | 52,049 |
| | 11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e) | 89,003 | 58,063 |
| | 12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) | 14,006 | 59,895 |
| | | 8,998,063 | 7,634,713 |
| Expenses | 13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3) | 1,078,256 | 17,341 |
| | 14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) | 0 | 0 |
| | 15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10) | 4,363,015 | 4,692,500 |
| | 16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) | 0 | 0 |
| | b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) <u>837,705</u> | | |
| | 17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e) | 2,192,679 | 2,092,295 |
| 18 Total expenses Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) | 7,633,950 | 6,802,136 | |
| 19 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12 | 1,364,113 | 832,577 | |
| Net Assets or Fund Balances | | Beginning of Current Year | End of Year |
| | 20 Total assets (Part X, line 16) | 6,437,155 | 7,515,156 |
| | 21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) | 720,100 | 758,969 |
| 22 Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20 | 5,717,055 | 6,756,187 | |

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.

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| Sign Here | ***** Signature of officer | 2014-09-17 Date |
| | WILLIAM E BUZENBERG EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR Type or print name and title | |

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|-------------------------------|---|----------------------|------|---|-------------------|
| Paid Preparer Use Only | Print/Type preparer's name KATHLEEN M FLAHERTY | Preparer's signature | Date | Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed | PTIN P00969957 |
| | Firm's name MATTHEWS CARTER & BOYCE | | | Firm's EIN 54-1487262 | |
| | Firm's address 11320 RANDOM HILLS ROAD SUITE 600 FAIRFAX, VA 22030 | | | Phone no (703) 218-3600 | |

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 PRODUCE ORIGINAL INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM ABOUT SIGNIFICANT PUBLIC ISSUES TO MAKE INSTITUTIONAL POWER MORE TRANSPARENT AND ACCOUNTABLE

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 \$ 5,631,896 including grants of \$ 17,341) (Revenue \$ 111,944)
SEE SCHEDULE O THE CENTER FOR PUBLIC INTEGRITY'S MISSION IS INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST TO FULFILL ITS MISSION IN 2013, THE CENTER PUBLISHED DOZENS OF IN-DEPTH INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS, AND MANY HUNDREDS OF SHORTER STORIES AND BLOG ITEMS AND MADE AVAILABLE MULTIPLE ONLINE COMPREHENSIVE SEARCHABLE DATABASES THE MAJOR AREAS OF INVESTIGATIONS WERE AS FOLLOWS -AFTER THE MELTDOWN-BREATHLESS AND BURDENED-BROADBAND-CONSIDER THE SOURCE/MONEY IN POLITICS-DAILY DISCLOSURE-ENVIRONMENTAL REPORTING-GIFT ECONOMY-HARD LABOR-HEALTHCARE REPORTING-JUSTICE OBSCURED-JUVENILE JUSTICE-NATIONAL SECURITY REPORTS-NUCLEAR WASTE-OFFSHORE LEAKS/TAX HAVENS-POISONED PLACES-PRIMARY SOURCE-STATE INTEGRITY INVESTIGATION-THE MISINFORMATION INDUSTRY-TOXIC CLOUT-UP IN ARMS-WENDELL POTTER COLUMNS

4b (Code) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4c (Code) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

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

4e Total program service expenses 5,631,896

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> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
| 2 Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> (see instructions)? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
| 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> | | No |
| 4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i> | | No |
| 5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i> | | No |
| 6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | No |
| 7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | No |
| 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> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | No |
| 9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21 for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | No |
| 10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
| 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> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
| 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> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | No |
| 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> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | No |
| 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> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | No |
| e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
| 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> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
| 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> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
| 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> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | No |
| 13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i> | | No |
| 14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States? | | No |
| 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> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | No |
| 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> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | No |
| 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> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
| 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> | | No |
| 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> | | No |
| 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> | | No |
| 20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i> | | No |
| b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return? | | |

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

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|------------|--|------------|-----|----|
| 21 | Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i> | 21 | | No |
| 22 | Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i> | 22 | | No |
| 23 | Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i> | 23 | Yes | |
| 24a | Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i> | 24a | | No |
| b | Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception? | 24b | | |
| c | Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds? | 24c | | |
| d | Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year? | 24d | | |
| 25a | Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> | 25a | | No |
| b | Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> | 25b | | No |
| 26 | Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <i>If so, complete Schedule L, Part II</i> | 26 | | No |
| 27 | Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i> | 27 | | No |
| 28 | Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions) | | | |
| a | A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> | 28a | | No |
| b | A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> | 28b | | No |
| c | An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> | 28c | | No |
| 29 | Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> | 29 | | No |
| 30 | Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> | 30 | | No |
| 31 | Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i> | 31 | | No |
| 32 | Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i> | 32 | | No |
| 33 | Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i> | 33 | | No |
| 34 | Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i> | 34 | Yes | |
| 35a | Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? | 35a | Yes | |
| b | If 'Yes' to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> | 35b | | No |
| 36 | Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> | 36 | | No |
| 37 | Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i> | 37 | | No |
| 38 | Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O | 38 | Yes | |

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

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

| | | Yes | No |
|------------|--|-----|----|
| 1a | Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable. 1a 24 | | |
| 1b | Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable. 1b 0 | | |
| 1c | Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners? | Yes | |
| 2a | Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return. 2a 62 | | |
| 2b | If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions). | Yes | |
| 3a | Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? | | No |
| 3b | If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O. | | |
| 4a | At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? | | No |
| b | If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: _____ See instructions for filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts. | | |
| 5a | Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year? | | No |
| 5b | Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? | | No |
| 5c | If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T? | | |
| 6a | Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions? | | No |
| 6b | If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible? | | |
| 7 | Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c). | | |
| a | Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor? | | No |
| 7b | If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided? | | |
| 7c | Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282? | | No |
| 7d | If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year. 7d | | |
| 7e | Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? | | No |
| 7f | Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? | | No |
| 7g | If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required? | | |
| 7h | If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C? | | |
| 8 | Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year? | | |
| 9 | Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. | | |
| 9a | Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966? | | |
| 9b | Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person? | | |
| 10 | Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter | | |
| 10a | Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12. 10a | | |
| 10b | Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities. 10b | | |
| 11 | Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter | | |
| 11a | Gross income from members or shareholders. 11a | | |
| 11b | Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them). 11b | | |
| 12a | Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041? | | |
| 12b | If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year. 12b | | |
| 13 | Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers. | | |
| 13a | Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O. 13a | | |
| 13b | Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans. 13b | | |
| 13c | Enter the amount of reserves on hand. 13c | | |
| 14a | Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year? | | No |
| 14b | If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O. | | |

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

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

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 1a (20), 1b (19), 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7a, 7b, 8a, 8b, 9.

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

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 10a, 10b, 11a, 11b, 12a, 12b, 12c, 13, 14, 15a, 15b, 16a, 16b.

Section C. Disclosure

Table with 2 columns: Question, Answer. Rows include: 17 (List of states), 18 (Public inspection), 19 (Schedule O), 20 (Organization name and address).

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

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

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

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

• List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid

• List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any See instructions for definition of "key employee "

• List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations

• List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, or highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

• List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

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

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

| (A) Name and Title | (B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below 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) | (E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC) | (F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations |
|---|--|---|-----------------------|---------|--------------|------------------------------|--------|---|--|---|
| | | Individual trustee or director | Institutional Trustee | Officer | Key employee | Highest compensated employee | Former | | | |
| (1) WILLIAM E BUZENBERG EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR | 48 00 | X | | X | | | | 215,068 | 0 | 16,977 |
| (2) MARIANNE SZEGEDY-MASZAK DIRECTOR | 50 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (3) BRUCE FINZEN CHAIR | 2 00 | X | | X | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (4) MATTHEW GRANADE TREASURER | 50 | X | | X | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (5) MOLLY BINGHAM DIRECTOR | 50 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (6) ARIANNA HUFFINGTON DIRECTOR | 50 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (7) CHARLES EISENDRATH DIRECTOR | 50 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (8) DAN EMMETT DIRECTOR | 50 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (9) JENNIFER LEE DIRECTOR | 50 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (10) JAMES KIERNAN SECRETARY | 50 | X | | X | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (11) BEVIS LONGSTRETH DIRECTOR | 50 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (12) SUSAN LOEWENBERG DIRECTOR | 50 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (13) OLIVIA MA VICE CHAIR | 1 00 | X | | X | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (14) CRAIG NEWMARK DIRECTOR | 50 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (15) GILBERT S OMENN MD PHD DIRECTOR | 50 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (16) MATT THOMPSON VICE CHAIR | 1 00 | X | | X | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (17) STEVE KROFT DIRECTOR | 50 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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) | (E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC) | (F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations | |
|--|--|---|-----------------------|---------|--------------|------------------------------|--------|---|--|---|--------|
| | | Individual trustee or director | Institutional Trustee | Officer | Key employee | Highest compensated employee | Former | | | | |
| (18) HENDRIK-JAN LASEUR DIRECTOR | 50 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| (19) SCOTT SIEGLER DIRECTOR | 50 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| (20) GRAEME WOOD DIRECTOR | 50 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| (21) GORDON WITKIN MANAGING EDITOR | 40 00 | | | | | X | | 153,183 | 0 | 6,128 | |
| (22) ROBIN HELLER CHIEF DEVELOPMENT OFFICER | 40 00 | | | | | X | | 171,571 | 0 | 15,237 | |
| (23) KIMBERLEY PORTEOUS CHIEF DIGITAL OFFICER | 40 00 | | | | | X | | 132,026 | 0 | 10,669 | |
| (24) ROBERT J SMITH MANAGING EDITOR | 40 00 | | | | | X | | 150,500 | 0 | 17,388 | |
| (25) GERARD RYLE DIRECTOR, ICD | 40 00 | | | | | X | | 175,500 | 0 | 13,330 | |
| 1b Sub-Total | | | | | | | | | | | |
| c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A | | | | | | | | | | | |
| d Total (add lines 1b and 1c) | | | | | | | | 997,848 | 0 | | 79,729 |

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 **10**

| | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----|
| 3 Did the organization list any former officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i> | | No |
| 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> | Yes | |
| 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> | | No |

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 |
|--|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| DOW LOHNES PLLC 1200 NEW HAMPSHIRE AVENUE NW WASHINGTON DC 20036 | LEGAL SERVICES | 120,564 |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

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 **1**

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 | 7,464,706 | | | | |
| | g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$ | | | | | |
| | h Total. Add lines 1a-1f | 7,464,706 | | | | |
| Program Service Revenue | 2a CONTRACTUAL SERVICES | | | | | |
| | | Business Code | | | | |
| | | 900099 | 52,049 | 52,049 | | |
| | b | | | | | |
| | c | | | | | |
| | d | | | | | |
| | e | | | | | |
| | f All other program service revenue | | | | | |
| g Total. Add lines 2a-2f | | 52,049 | | | | |
| Other Revenue | 3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) | 57,997 | | | 57,997 | |
| | 4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds | | | | | |
| | 5 Royalties | | | | | |
| | 6a Gross rents | (i) Real | | | | |
| | | (ii) Personal | | | | |
| | | b Less rental expenses | | | | |
| | | c Rental income or (loss) | | | | |
| | d Net rental income or (loss) | | | | | |
| | 7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory | (i) Securities | 359,219 | | | |
| | | (ii) Other | | | | |
| | | b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses | 359,153 | | | |
| | | c Gain or (loss) | 66 | | | |
| | d Net gain or (loss) | | 66 | | 66 | |
| | 8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18 | a | | | | |
| | b Less direct expenses b | | | | | |
| | c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events | | | | | |
| | 9a Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19 | a | | | | |
| | b Less direct expenses b | | | | | |
| c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities | | | | | | |
| 10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances | a | | | | | |
| b Less cost of goods sold b | | | | | | |
| c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory | | | | | | |
| Miscellaneous Revenue | Business Code | | | | | |
| 11a RENTAL INCOME | 900099 | 34,744 | 34,744 | | | |
| b SYNDICATION FEES | 900099 | 19,500 | 19,500 | | | |
| c MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE | 900099 | 5,651 | 5,651 | | | |
| d All other revenue | | | | | | |
| e Total. Add lines 11a-11d | | 59,895 | | | | |
| 12 Total revenue. See Instructions | | 7,634,713 | 111,944 | 0 | 58,063 | |

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 governments and organizations in the United States. See Part IV, line 21 | 12,341 | 12,341 | | |
| 2 | Grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States. See Part IV, line 22 | | | | |
| 3 | Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the United States. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16 | 5,000 | 5,000 | | |
| 4 | Benefits paid to or for members | | | | |
| 5 | Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees | 232,044 | 92,818 | 46,408 | 92,818 |
| 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 | 3,768,647 | 2,954,652 | 452,580 | 361,415 |
| 8 | Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions) | 110,135 | 87,250 | 13,123 | 9,762 |
| 9 | Other employee benefits | 290,696 | 221,697 | 39,441 | 29,558 |
| 10 | Payroll taxes | 290,978 | 222,413 | 36,117 | 32,448 |
| 11 | Fees for services (non-employees) | | | | |
| a | Management | | | | |
| b | Legal | 129,276 | 111,501 | 10,135 | 7,640 |
| c | Accounting | 18,531 | 15,983 | 1,453 | 1,095 |
| d | Lobbying | | | | |
| e | Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17 | | | | |
| f | Investment management fees | 176,916 | 152,590 | 13,870 | 10,456 |
| g | Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O) | 448,887 | 387,144 | 35,156 | 26,587 |
| 12 | Advertising and promotion | 10,369 | 10,334 | 35 | |
| 13 | Office expenses | 102,207 | 16,997 | 40,380 | 44,830 |
| 14 | Information technology | 178,091 | 71,569 | 82,158 | 24,364 |
| 15 | Royalties | | | | |
| 16 | Occupancy | 555,808 | | 555,808 | |
| 17 | Travel | 189,443 | 136,948 | 21,910 | 30,585 |
| 18 | Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials | | | | |
| 19 | Conferences, conventions, and meetings | 21,933 | 6,584 | 9,274 | 6,075 |
| 20 | Interest | | | | |
| 21 | Payments to affiliates | | | | |
| 22 | Depreciation, depletion, and amortization | 101,421 | | 101,421 | |
| 23 | Insurance | 39,464 | 12,164 | 27,300 | |
| 24 | Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O) | | | | |
| a | RESEARCH | 84,124 | 83,824 | 300 | |
| b | DUES AND FILING FEES | 10,964 | 1,579 | 2,078 | 7,307 |
| c | RECRUITING | 4,721 | | 4,721 | |
| d | ALLOCATE OVERHEAD | 0 | 1,018,696 | -1,170,217 | 151,521 |
| e | All other expenses | 20,140 | 9,812 | 9,084 | 1,244 |
| 25 | Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e | 6,802,136 | 5,631,896 | 332,535 | 837,705 |
| 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 | 367,701 | 1 | 645,051 | |
| | 2 Savings and temporary cash investments | 14,455 | 2 | 73,861 | |
| | 3 Pledges and grants receivable, net | 3,241,203 | 3 | 4,079,885 | |
| | 4 Accounts receivable, net | 919 | 4 | 6,519 | |
| | 5 Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees Complete Part II of Schedule L | | | 5 | |
| | 6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions) Complete Part II of Schedule L | | | 6 | |
| | 7 Notes and loans receivable, net | | | 7 | |
| | 8 Inventories for sale or use | | | 8 | |
| | 9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges | 80,033 | 9 | 104,796 | |
| | 10a Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D | 855,861 | | | |
| | b Less accumulated depreciation | 687,080 | 270,203 | 10c | 168,781 |
| | 11 Investments—publicly traded securities | 2,420,917 | 11 | 2,394,539 | |
| | 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 | 41,724 | 15 | 41,724 | |
| 16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34) | 6,437,155 | 16 | 7,515,156 | | |
| Liabilities | 17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses | 233,335 | 17 | 331,421 | |
| | 18 Grants payable | | 18 | | |
| | 19 Deferred revenue | 50,093 | 19 | 0 | |
| | 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 current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L | | 22 | | |
| | 23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties | | 23 | | |
| | 24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties | | 24 | | |
| | 25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24) Complete Part X of Schedule D | 436,672 | 25 | 427,548 | |
| | 26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25 | 720,100 | 26 | 758,969 | |
| Net Assets or Fund Balances | Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34. | | | | |
| | 27 Unrestricted net assets | -1,177,043 | 27 | -1,322,572 | |
| | 28 Temporarily restricted net assets | 5,826,454 | 28 | 6,982,771 | |
| | 29 Permanently restricted net assets | 1,067,644 | 29 | 1,095,988 | |
| | Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34. | | | | |
| | 30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds | | 30 | | |
| | 31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund | | 31 | | |
| | 32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds | | 32 | | |
| 33 Total net assets or fund balances | 5,717,055 | 33 | 6,756,187 | | |
| 34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances | 6,437,155 | 34 | 7,515,156 | | |

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 | 7,634,713 |
| 2 | Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) | 2 | 6,802,136 |
| 3 | Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1 | 3 | 832,577 |
| 4 | Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A)) | 4 | 5,717,055 |
| 5 | Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments | 5 | 206,555 |
| 6 | Donated services and use of facilities | 6 | |
| 7 | Investment expenses | 7 | |
| 8 | Prior period adjustments | 8 | |
| 9 | Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O) | 9 | 0 |
| 10 | Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B)) | 10 | 6,756,187 |

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

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

| | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----|
| 1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O | | |
| 2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis | | No |
| 2b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis | Yes | |
| 2c If "Yes," to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O | | No |
| 3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133? | | No |
| 3b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits | | |

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990EZ)

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.** ▶ **See separate instructions.**
▶ **Information about Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at**
www.irs.gov/form990.

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Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

THE CENTER FOR PUBLIC INTEGRITY

Employer identification number

54-1512177

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

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

- 1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
- 2 A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E)
- 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**
- 4 A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).** Enter the hospital's name, city, and state _____
- 5 An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(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 organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III)
- 10 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety See **section 509(a)(4).**
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2) See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h
 - a Type I b Type II c Type III - Functionally integrated d Type III - Non-functionally integrated
- e By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2)
- f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box

g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?
(i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?

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

(ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above?
(iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?
h Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

| (i) Name of supported organization | (ii) EIN | (iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1- 9 above or IRC section (see instructions)) | (iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document? | | (v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support? | | (vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the U S ? | | (vii) Amount of monetary support |
|------------------------------------|----------|--|--|----|---|----|--|----|----------------------------------|
| | | | Yes | No | Yes | No | Yes | No | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| 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) 2009 | (b) 2010 | (c) 2011 | (d) 2012 | (e) 2013 | (f) Total |
|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| 1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.") | 5,610,122 | 8,580,963 | 5,128,583 | 8,858,926 | 7,464,706 | 35,643,300 |
| 2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf | | | | | | |
| 3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge | | | | | | |
| 4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3 | 5,610,122 | 8,580,963 | 5,128,583 | 8,858,926 | 7,464,706 | 35,643,300 |
| 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) | | | | | | 11,412,958 |
| 6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4 | | | | | | 24,230,342 |

Section B. Total Support

| Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶ | (a) 2009 | (b) 2010 | (c) 2011 | (d) 2012 | (e) 2013 | (f) Total |
|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| 7 Amounts from line 4 | 5,610,122 | 8,580,963 | 5,128,583 | 8,858,926 | 7,464,706 | 35,643,300 |
| 8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources | 151,464 | 77,445 | 65,183 | 58,502 | 57,997 | 410,591 |
| 9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on | | | | | | |
| 10 Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.) | 767 | 17,253 | 65,907 | 14,006 | 59,895 | 157,828 |
| 11 Total support (Add lines 7 through 10) | | | | | | 36,211,719 |

12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (see instructions) **12** 636,427

13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here**

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

| | | |
|--|-----------|----------|
| 14 Public support percentage for 2013 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) | 14 | 66.910 % |
| 15 Public support percentage for 2012 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 | 15 | 65.950 % |

16a 33 1/3% support test—2013. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 33 1/3% support test—2012. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2013. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2012. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

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

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I 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) 2009 | (b) 2010 | (c) 2011 | (d) 2012 | (e) 2013 | (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) 2009 | (b) 2010 | (c) 2011 | (d) 2012 | (e) 2013 | (f) Total |
|---|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| 9 Amounts from line 6 | | | | | | |
| 10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources | | | | | | |
| b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975 | | | | | | |
| c Add lines 10a and 10b | | | | | | |
| 11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on | | | | | | |
| 12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.) | | | | | | |
| 13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.) | | | | | | |
| 14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | |

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

| | | |
|--|-----------|--|
| 15 Public support percentage for 2013 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) | 15 | |
| 16 Public support percentage from 2012 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 | 16 | |

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

| | | |
|--|-----------|--|
| 17 Investment income percentage for 2013 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) | 17 | |
| 18 Investment income percentage from 2012 Schedule A, Part III, line 17 | 18 | |

- 19a 33 1/3% support tests—2013.** 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—2012.** 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 **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; and Part III, line 12. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

Facts And Circumstances Test

Return Reference

Explanation

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Supplemental Financial Statements

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Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b. Attach to Form 990. See separate instructions. Information about Schedule D (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Name of the organization THE CENTER FOR PUBLIC INTEGRITY

Employer identification number 54-1512177

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

Table with 3 columns: Line number, (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Includes rows for total number at end of year, aggregate contributions, aggregate grants, aggregate value, and questions about donor informed consent.

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

Form for Part II Conservation Easements. Includes questions about purpose of easements, number of easements, acreage, and monitoring requirements. Includes a table for 'Held at the End of the Year' with rows 2a, 2b, 2c, 2d.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

Form for Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Includes questions about reporting requirements for art and historical treasures, with sub-questions (i) and (ii) for revenues and assets.

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

3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)

- a** Public exhibition
- b** Scholarly research
- c** Preservation for future generations
- d** Loan or exchange programs
- e** Other

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part 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" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? Yes No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part 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? 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" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

| | (a) Current year | (b) Prior year | (c) Two years back | (d) Three years back | (e) Four years back |
|---|------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 1a Beginning of year balance | 1,067,644 | 1,291,455 | 1,020,000 | 1,020,000 | 1,020,000 |
| b Contributions | 0 | -250,000 | 250,500 | | |
| c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses | 28,344 | 26,189 | 20,955 | | |
| d Grants or scholarships | | | | | |
| e Other expenditures for facilities and programs | | | | | |
| f Administrative expenses | | | | | |
| g End of year balance | 1,095,988 | 1,067,644 | 1,291,455 | 1,020,000 | 1,020,000 |

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 100.000 %
 - c** Temporarily restricted endowment
- The percentages in 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 | 3a(i) | No |
| (ii) related organizations | 3a(ii) | No |

b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? **3b**

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' to Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

| Description of property | (a) Cost or other basis (investment) | (b) Cost or other basis (other) | (c) Accumulated depreciation | (d) Book value |
|---|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|
| 1a Land | | | | |
| b Buildings | | | | |
| c Leasehold improvements | | 300,270 | 238,377 | 61,893 |
| d Equipment | | 303,212 | 296,675 | 6,537 |
| e Other | | 252,379 | 152,028 | 100,351 |
| Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).) | | | | 168,781 |

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

| | | | |
|----------|---|-----------|-----------|
| 1 | Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements | 1 | 7,841,268 |
| 2 | Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12 | | |
| a | Net unrealized gains on investments | 2a | 206,555 |
| b | Donated services and use of facilities | 2b | |
| c | Recoveries of prior year grants | 2c | |
| d | Other (Describe in Part XIII) | 2d | |
| e | Add lines 2a through 2d | 2e | 206,555 |
| 3 | Subtract line 2e from line 1 | 3 | 7,634,713 |
| 4 | Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1 | | |
| a | Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b | 4a | |
| b | Other (Describe in Part XIII) | 4b | |
| c | Add lines 4a and 4b | 4c | 0 |
| 5 | Total revenue Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12) | 5 | 7,634,713 |

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

| | | | |
|----------|--|-----------|-----------|
| 1 | Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements | 1 | 6,802,136 |
| 2 | Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25 | | |
| a | Donated services and use of facilities | 2a | |
| b | Prior year adjustments | 2b | |
| c | Other losses | 2c | |
| d | Other (Describe in Part XIII) | 2d | |
| e | Add lines 2a through 2d | 2e | 0 |
| 3 | Subtract line 2e from line 1 | 3 | 6,802,136 |
| 4 | Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1 : | | |
| a | Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b | 4a | |
| b | Other (Describe in Part XIII) | 4b | |
| c | Add lines 4a and 4b | 4c | 0 |
| 5 | Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18) | 5 | 6,802,136 |

Part XIII Supplemental Information

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

| Return Reference | Explanation |
|------------------|--|
| PART V, LINE 4 | THE PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS ARE TO BE USED TO CONTINUE THE CENTER'S INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM |
| PART X, LINE 2 | THE CENTER HAS ADOPTED FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING STANDARDS BOARD INTERPRETATION NO 48, ACCOUNTING FOR UNCERTAINTY IN INCOME TAXES, (FIN 48), AS PERMITTED BY FASB STAFF POSITION (FSP) FIN 48-3, WHICH IS CODIFIED AT FASB ASC 740 FASB ASC 740 REQUIRES CHANGES IN RECOGNITION AND MEASUREMENT FOR UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS THE CENTER HAS ANALYZED ITS TAX POSITIONS AND HAS CONCLUDED THAT NO LIABILITY SHOULD BE RECORDED RELATED TO ANY UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS THE CENTER IS NOT AWARE OF ANY TAX POSITIONS WHICH IT BELIEVES WILL CHANGE MATERIALLY IN THE NEXT TWELVE MONTHS IF THIS POSITION CHANGES, THE CENTER WILL ASSESS THE IMPACT OF ANY SUCH MATTERS ON ITS FINANCIAL POSITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS |
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SCHEDULE F (Form 990)

Statement of Activities Outside the United States

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

Attach to Form 990. See separate instructions.

Information about Schedule F (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization THE CENTER FOR PUBLIC INTEGRITY

Employer identification number 54-1512177

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

1 For grantmakers. Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of its grants and other assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? Yes No

2 For grantmakers. Describe in Part V the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of its grants and other assistance outside the United States.

3 Activities per Region (The following Part I, line 3 table can be duplicated if additional space is needed)

Table with 6 columns: (a) Region, (b) Number of offices in the region, (c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in region, (d) Activities conducted in region (by type), (e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region, (f) Total expenditures for and investments in region. Includes sub-totals and totals for lines 3a, 3b, and 3c.

Part II **Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 15, for any recipient who received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

| 1 (a) Name of organization | (b) IRS code section and EIN (if applicable) | (c) Region | (d) Purpose of grant | (e) Amount of cash grant | (f) Manner of cash disbursement | (g) Amount of non-cash assistance | (h) Description of non-cash assistance | (i) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other) |
|---|---|-------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|---|--|
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- 2** Enter total number of recipient organizations listed above that are recognized as charities by the foreign country, recognized as tax-exempt by the IRS, or for which the grantee or counsel has provided a section 501(c)(3) equivalency letter ▶ _____
- 3** Enter total number of other organizations or entities ▶ _____

Part IV Foreign Forms

- 1 Was the organization a U S transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 926, Return by a U.S. Transferor of Property to a Foreign Corporation (see Instructions for Form 926)* Yes No
- 2 Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 3520, Annual Return to Report Transactions with Foreign Trusts and Receipt of Certain Foreign Gifts, and/or Form 3520-A, Annual Information Return of Foreign Trust With a U.S. Owner (see Instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A)* Yes No
- 3 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5471, Information Return of U.S. Persons with Respect to Certain Foreign Corporations. (see Instructions for Form 5471)* Yes No
- 4 Was the organization a direct or indirect shareholder of a passive foreign investment company or a qualified electing fund during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8621, Information Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund. (see Instructions for Form 8621)* Yes No
- 5 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign partnership during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8865, Return of U.S. Persons with Respect to Certain Foreign Partnerships. (see Instructions for Form 8865)* Yes No
- 6 Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see Instructions for Form 5713).* Yes No

Schedule I (Form 990)

OMB No 1545-0047

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations, Governments and Individuals in the United States

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Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.

Attach to Form 990

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Employer identification number 54-1512177

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

- 1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance?
2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

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

Table with 8 columns: (a) Name and address of organization or government, (b) EIN, (c) IRC Code section if applicable, (d) Amount of cash grant, (e) Amount of non-cash assistance, (f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other), (g) Description of non-cash assistance, (h) Purpose of grant or assistance.

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

Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22.

Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

| (a) Type of grant or assistance | (b) Number of recipients | (c) Amount of cash grant | (d) Amount of non-cash assistance | (e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other) | (f) Description of non-cash assistance |
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Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the information required in Part I, line 2, Part III, column (b), and any other additional information.

| Return Reference | Explanation |
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| PART I, LINE 2 | THE ORGANIZATION RECEIVES REPORTS ON A REGULAR BASIS |

Schedule J
(Form 990)

Compensation Information

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

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

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

▶ Information about Schedule J (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

- 1a** Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.
- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions | <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tax idemnification and gross-up payments | <input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef) |

b If any of the boxes in 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, officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?

3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III

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

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

- a** Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?
- b** Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?
- c** Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?
- If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III

Only 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations only must complete lines 5-9.

5 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of

- a** The organization?
- b** Any related organization?
- If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III

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

- a** The organization?
- b** Any related organization?
- If "Yes," to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III

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

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

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

| | Yes | No |
|-----------|-----|----|
| 1b | | |
| 2 | | |
| 4a | | No |
| 4b | | No |
| 4c | | No |
| 5a | | No |
| 5b | | No |
| 6a | | No |
| 6b | | No |
| 7 | | No |
| 8 | | No |
| 9 | | |

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 in 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 are not listed on Form 990, Part VII.

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

| (A) Name and Title | | (B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation | | | (C) Retirement and other deferred compensation | (D) Nontaxable benefits | (E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D) | (F) Compensation reported as deferred in prior Form 990 |
|---|------|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| | | (i) Base compensation | (ii) Bonus & incentive compensation | (iii) Other reportable compensation | | | | |
| (1) WILLIAM E BUZENBERG EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR | (i) | 215,068 | 0 | 0 | 8,603 | 8,374 | 232,045 | 0 |
| | (ii) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (2) GORDON WITKIN MANAGING EDITOR | (i) | 153,183 | 0 | 0 | 6,128 | 0 | 159,311 | 0 |
| | (ii) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (3) ROBIN HELLER CHIEF DEVELOPMENT OFFICER | (i) | 171,571 | 0 | 0 | 6,863 | 8,374 | 186,808 | 0 |
| | (ii) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (4) ROBERT J SMITH MANAGING EDITOR | (i) | 150,500 | 0 | 0 | 6,020 | 11,368 | 167,888 | 0 |
| | (ii) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (5) GERARD RYLE DIRECTOR, ICIJ | (i) | 175,500 | 0 | 0 | 7,020 | 6,310 | 188,830 | 0 |
| | (ii) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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.

Return Reference**Explanation**

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
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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 to provide any additional information.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

▶ Information about Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

| Return Reference | Explanation |
|--|---|
| FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11 | THE ORGANIZATION'S FORM 990 IS REVIEWED INTERNALLY BY THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER AND EXTERNAL ACCOUNTANT AFTER THIS REVIEW, IT IS REFERRED TO THE AUDIT AND RISK COMMITTEE AND CHAIR OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR THEIR REVIEW THE ORGANIZATION'S FORM 990 IS ALSO DISTRIBUTED TO ALL BOARD MEMBERS |
| FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C | BOARD MEMBERS AND KEY STAFF ARE REQUIRED TO REVIEW AND SIGN THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY ON AN ANNUAL BASIS |
| FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15 | COMPENSATION OF THE ORGANIZATION'S EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR IS DETERMINED AND APPROVED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TAKES INTO ACCOUNT TRENDS IN CEO COMPENSATION, AS WELL AS DATA OF COMPARABLE ORGANIZATIONS COMPENSATION FOR THE ORGANIZATION'S KEY EMPLOYEES ARE BASED ON PERFORMANCE AND ANALYSIS OF COMPARABLE DATA OBTAINED FROM INDUSTRY RESOURCES, PUBLICLY DISCLOSED 990S, AND PEER ORGANIZATIONS |
| FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19 | THE ORGANIZATION MAKES ITS BYLAWS AND ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION AVAILABLE ON ITS WEBSITE THE BYLAWS INCLUDE THE ORGANIZATION'S CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY THE ORGANIZATION'S FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE MADE AVAILABLE THROUGH ITS ANNUAL REPORT, WHICH IS ALSO AVAILABLE ON ITS WEBSITE |

**SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)**

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

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- ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.
- ▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.
- ▶ Information about Schedule R (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Employer identification number

54-1512177

Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.

| (a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity | (b) Primary activity | (c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country) | (d) Total income | (e) End-of-year assets | (f) Direct controlling entity |
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Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.

| (a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization | (b) Primary activity | (c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country) | (d) Exempt Code section | (e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3)) | (f) Direct controlling entity | (g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity? | |
|---|---|--|----------------------------|---|----------------------------------|--|----|
| | | | | | | Yes | No |
| (1) THE FUND FOR INDEPENDENCE IN JOURNALISM 910 17TH STREET NW 7TH FLOOR WASHINGTON, DC 20006 20-0215183 | TO FOSTER INDEPENDENT, HIGH QUALITY PUBLIC SERVICE JOURNALISM | DC | 501(C)(3) | 509(A)(3) | THE CENTER FOR PUBLIC INTEGRITY | Yes | |
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Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.

| (a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization | (b) Primary activity | (c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country) | (d) Direct controlling entity | (e) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512- 514) | (f) Share of total income | (g) Share of end-of-year assets | (h) Disproportionate allocations? | | (i) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065) | (j) General or managing partner? | | (k) Percentage ownership |
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Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.

| (a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization | (b) Primary activity | (c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country) | (d) Direct controlling entity | (e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust) | (f) Share of total income | (g) Share of end- of-year assets | (h) Percentage ownership | (i) Section 512 (b)(13) controlled entity? | |
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Part V Transactions With Related Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.

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

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

- a** Receipt of **(i)** interest **(ii)** annuities **(iii)** royalties or **(iv)** rent from a controlled entity
- b** Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)
- c** Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)
- d** Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)
- e** Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)

- f** Dividends from related organization(s)
- g** Sale of assets to related organization(s)
- h** Purchase of assets from related organization(s)
- i** Exchange of assets with related organization(s)
- j** Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)

- k** Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)
- l** Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)
- m** Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)
- n** Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)
- o** Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)

- p** Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses
- q** Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses

- r** Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)
- s** Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)

| | Yes | No |
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| 1a | | No |
| 1b | | No |
| 1c | | No |
| 1d | | No |
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| 1j | | No |
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| 1k | | No |
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| 1m | | No |
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| 1p | | No |
| 1q | | No |
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| 1r | | No |
| 1s | | No |

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

| (a) Name of related organization | (b) Transaction type (a-s) | (c) Amount involved | (d) Method of determining amount involved |
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Part VII Supplemental Information

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions)

Return Reference**Explanation**