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Form **990-EZ**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Short Form**
Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code**
(except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

▶ Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds and controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990. All other org- anizations with gross receipts less than \$1,000,000 and total assets less than \$2,500,000 at the end of the year may use this form.

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

OMB No 1545-1150

2008**Open to Public
Inspection****A For the 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning** 7/01 , 2008, and ending 6/30 , 2009**B** Check if applicable

- ☐ Address change
☐ Name change
☒ Initial return
☐ Termination
☐ Amended return
☐ Application pending

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tions.**C**
GREATER LAWTON ROTARY
304 NW 19TH ST
LAWTON, OK 73507**D** Employer identification number

26-2999513

E Telephone number

(580) 355-7100

F Group Exemption
Number

▶ 0573

• **Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).****G** Accounting method ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual
Other (specify) ▶**I** Website: ▶ greaterlawtonrotary.org**H** Check ☒ if the organization is **not**
required to attach Schedule B (Form 990,
990-EZ, or 990-PF)**J** Organization type (check only one) — ☒ 501(c) (4) (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527**K** Check ☐ if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally **not** more than \$25,000. A return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return**L** Add lines 5b, 6b, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts; if \$1,000,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ

▶ \$ 75,461.

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the instructions for Part I.)

REVENUE	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	48,536.
	2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	1,084.
	3 Membership dues and assessments	3	18,187.
	4 Investment income	4	214.
EXPENSES	5a Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
	b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
	c Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a) (att sch)	5c	
	6 Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G). If any amount is from gaming, check here ☐		
	a Gross revenue (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1)	6a	7,440.
	b Less direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b	2,244.
	c Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c	5,196.
	7a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	
	b Less cost of goods sold	7b	
	c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	
8 Other revenue (describe ▶ _____)	8		
	9 Total revenue (add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8)	9	73,217.
ASSETS	10 Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)	10	8,989.
	11 Benefits paid to or for members	11	
	12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	
	13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	87.
	14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	
	15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	379.
	16 Other expenses (describe ▶ <u>See Statement 2</u>)	16	20,107.
	17 Total expenses (add lines 10 through 16)	17	29,562.
	18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	43,655.
	19 Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	0.
20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20		
21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year (Combine lines 18 through 20)	21	43,655.	

Part II Balance Sheets. If Total assets on line 25, column (B) are \$2,500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ

(See the instructions for Part II.)

	(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments	22	43,655.
23 Land and buildings	23	
24 Other assets (describe ▶ _____)	24	
25 Total assets	25	43,655.
26 Total liabilities (describe ▶ _____)	26	0.
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	27	43,655.

BAA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the instructions for Form 990.

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Part V Other Information (Note the statement requirement in General Instruction V.)

	Yes	No
33 Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If 'Yes,' attach a detailed description of each activity		X
34 Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents but not reported to the IRS? If 'Yes,' attach a conformed copy of the changes		X
35 If the organization had income from business activities, such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a (among others), but not reported on Form 990-T, attach a statement explaining your reason for not reporting the income on Form 990-T.		
a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?		X
b If 'Yes,' has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		
36 Was there a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or substantial contraction during the year? If 'Yes,' complete applicable parts of Schedule N		X
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions	0.	
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
38a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still unpaid at the start of the period covered by this return?		X
b If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved	N/A	
39 501(c)(7) organizations Enter:		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9	N/A	
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities	N/A	
40a 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under section 4911	N/A	
section 4912	N/A	
section 4955	N/A	
b 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or did it become aware of an excess benefit transaction from a prior year? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part I		X
c Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958	0.	
d Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization	0.	
e All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If 'Yes,' complete Form 8886-T		X
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed	None	

42a The books are in care of ED PETERSEN Telephone no 580-355-7100
 Located at 304 NW 19TH STREET LAWTON OK ZIP + 4 73507

b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?
 If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country: _____

	Yes	No
42b		X
42c		X

See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for **Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of a Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.**

c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U S ?
 If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country: _____

43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of **Form 1041** — Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ☐ N/A ☒ 43 N/A

	Yes	No
44 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If 'Yes,' Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		X
45 Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If 'Yes,' Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		X

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2008**Federal Statements****Page 1****GREATER LAWTON ROTARY****26-2999513****Statement 1
Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 10
Grants and Similar Amounts Paid**

Cash Amount Given: \$ 8,989.

**Statement 2
Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 16
Other Expenses**

Advertising and Promotion	\$	820.
AWARDS		1,098.
Conferences, Conventions, and Meetings		2,336.
Information Technology		183.
MEALS AND ENTERTAINMENT		15,628.
Office Expenses		42.
Total	\$	<u>20,107.</u>

**Statement 3
Form 990-EZ, Part III
Organization's Primary Exempt Purpose**

THE MISSION IS TO PROVIDE SERVICE SERVICE TO OTHERS, TO PROMOTE HIGH ETHICAL STANDARDS, AND TO ADVANCE WORLD UNDERSTANDING, GOODWILL, AND PEACE THROUGH ITS FELLOWSHIP OF BUSINESS, PROFESSIONAL, AND COMMUNITY LEADERS.

**Statement 4
Form 990-EZ, Part III, Line 29
Statement of Program Service Accomplishments**

COMMUNITY SERVICES-ROTARY ELEMENTARY TRACK MEET, THIS IS HELD ANNUALLY FOR ALL LAWTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENTS, AND IS THE LONGEST CONTINUING SERVICE PROJECT OF ANY ROTARY CLUB IN THE WORLD. PROVIDE THIS OPPORTUNITY FOR OVER 350 STUDENTS.