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Form **990-EZ****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 organizations 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**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

A For the 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning 8/1/2008 , and ending 7/31/2009	
Check if applicable: ☐ Address change ☐ Name change ☐ Initial return ☐ Termination ☐ Amended return ☐ Application pending	C Name of organization Alpha Chi Omega Sigma Chapter Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite Fraternity Business Service 159 Iowa Memorial Union City, town, or country State ZIP + 4 Iowa City IA 52242-1317
D Employer identification number 42-0111611	E Telephone number 319-335-3068
F Group Exemption Number 0467	G Accounting method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual Other (specify) ►

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

I Website: ►

J Organization type (check only one)— ☒ 501(c) (7) ◀ (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. ► \$ **406,057**

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	15
	2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
	3 Membership dues and assessments	3	405,878
	4 Investment income	4	164
	5a Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	0
	b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	0
	c Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a) (attach schedule)	5c	0
	6 Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G) If any amount is from gaming, check here ☐		
	a Gross revenue (not including \$ 0 of contributions reported on line 1)	6a	0
b Less direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b	0	
c Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c	0	
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	0	
8 Other revenue (describe ►)	8	0	
9 Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8	9	406,057	
Expenses	10 Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)	10	0
	11 Benefits paid to or for members	11	
	12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	67,269
	13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	6,648
	14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	219,510
	15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	
	16 Other expenses (describe ► See attached statement)	16	133,685
17 Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17	427,112	
Net Assets	18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	-21,054
	19 Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 21, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	44,908
	20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20	-41
	21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	21	23,813

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	54,508	25,994
23 Land and buildings		
24 Other assets (describe ►)	0	0
25 Total assets	54,508	25,994
26 Total liabilities (describe ► Deferred Revenue: Damage Deposits)	9,600	2,181
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	44,908	23,813

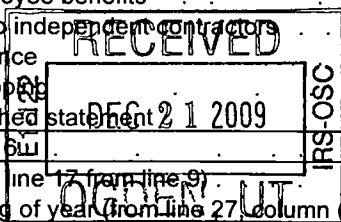
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Part V Other Information (Note the statement requirements in the instructions for Part VI.)

		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 section 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
37 a	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions. ▶ 37a N/A		
b	Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
38 a	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	38b	0
39	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9	39a	15
b	Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities	39b	
40 a	Section 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	Section 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	40b	
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.	40e	X
41	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed. ▶ NONE		
42 a	The books are in care of ▶ Name Fraternity Business Service Telephone no. ▶		
	Located at ▶ 159 Iowa Memorial Union City Iowa City ST IA ZIP + 4 ▶ 52242-1317		
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: ▶ See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.	42b	X
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: ▶	42c	X
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 ▶ 43 N/A		
44	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44	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	45	X

Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations only. All section 501(c)(3) organizations must answer questions 46-49 and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

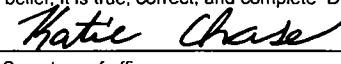
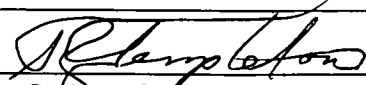
	Yes	No
46 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I.		X
47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II.		X
48 Is the organization operating a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E.		X
49 a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?		X
b If "Yes," was the related organization(s) a section 527 organization?		

50 Complete this table for the five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$100,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
Name <u>None</u> Str _____ City _____ ST _____ ZIP _____	Title _____ Hr/WK _____	.00	0	0
Name _____ Str _____ City _____ ST _____ ZIP _____	Title _____ Hr/WK _____	.00	0	0
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Name _____ Str _____ City _____ ST _____ ZIP _____	Title _____ Hr/WK _____	.00	0	0
Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 ▶	0	0	0	0

51 Complete this table for the five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
Name <u>None</u> Str _____ City _____ ST _____ ZIP _____		0
Name _____ Str _____ City _____ ST _____ ZIP _____		0
Name _____ Str _____ City _____ ST _____ ZIP _____		0
Name _____ Str _____ City _____ ST _____ ZIP _____		0
Name _____ Str _____ City _____ ST _____ ZIP _____		0
Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000 ▶	0	0

Sign Here	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.			
	 Signature of officer		Date <u>11-12-09</u>	
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature  Rich Templeton		Date <u>11/3/2009</u>	Check if self-employed ☐
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP +4 <u>Fraternity Business Service</u> <u>159 Iowa Memorial Union, Iowa City, IA 52242-1317</u>		Preparer's Identifying Number (See instructions) <u>356-38-5905</u> EIN <u>42-6004813</u> Phone no <u>319-335-3068</u>	

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

Part I, Line 1 (990-EZ) - Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Similar Amounts Received

1	Contributions	1	15
2	NonCash contributions	2	
3	Membership dues and assessments (contributions from the public)	3	
4	Government contributions (grants)	4	
5	Commercial co-venture	5	
6	Special events contributions (Line 6 - Special Events)	6	0
7	Associated organization contributions	7	
8		8	
9		9	
10		10	
11	Total	11	15

Part I, Line 4 (990-EZ) - Investment Income

1	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	1	164
2	Dividends and interest from securities	2	
3	Gross rents	3	
4	Other investment income	4	
5	Total	5	164

Part I, Line 16 (990-EZ) - Other Expenses

133,685

1	Travel, Meals and Entertainment		
	a Travel	1a	
	b Total meals and entertainment	1b	
2	Fundraising	2	
3	From Form 4562 - Amortization	3	
4	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	4	
5	Depreciation, depletion, etc.	5	
6	Equipment rental and maintenance	6	
7	Interest	7	
8	Supplies	8	9,265
9	Telephone	9	832
10	Unrelated business income taxes	10	0
11	Food	11	53,437
12	Chapter Dues & Fees	12	30,379
13	Recruitment & Social Activities	13	27,368
14	Insurance	14	532
15	Payment to House Corporation	15	10,000
16	Miscellaneous	16	738
17	Philanthropy	17	1,134
18		18	
19		19	
20		20	
21		21	
22		22	
23		23	
24		24	
25		25	
26		26	

Part I, Line 20 (990-EZ) - Other Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances

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Description		Amount	
1	Adjust rounding	1	-1
2	Check Clear after Write Off	2	-40
3		3	
4		4	
5		5	
6		6	
7		7	
8		8	
9		9	
10		10	

Part II, Line 26 (990-EZ) - Liabilities

		9,600	2,181
Description		Beginning	End
1	Deferred Revenue: Damage Deposits	9,600	2,181
2			
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