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Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-1150

2008

Open to Public
InspectionDepartment of the Treasury
Internal Revenue ServiceUnder 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.

A For the 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning

08-01, 2008, and ending

07-31, 2009

B Check if applicable:

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

Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.

C Name of organization

MINNESOTA STATE USBC ASSOCIATION

Number and street (or P.O. box, if mail is not delivered to street address)

Room/suite

61 LITTLE CANADA ROAD

City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4

LITTLE CANADA, MN 55117

D Employer identification number

87-0759848

E Telephone number

(651) 415-2828

F Group Exemption

Number . . . ► 4348

• 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: ►

J Organization type (check only one) - ☒ 501(c)(3) (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527

H Check ☒ if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

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 ► \$ 942,007

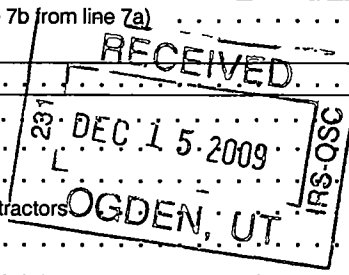
Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the instructions for Part I.)

1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	16,737
2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
3	Membership dues and assessments	3	77,510
4	Investment income	4	14,647
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) (attach schedule)	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	810,575
b	Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b	756,759
c	Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a) SCHG.	6c	53,816
7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	7,835
b	Less: cost of goods sold	7b	5,960
c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	1,875
8	Other revenue (describe ► STM141)	8	14,703
9	Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8	9	179,288
10	Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)	10	52,068
11	Benefits paid to or for members	11	
12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	44,106
13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	140
14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	2,691
15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	11,989
16	Other expenses (describe ► STM130)	16	68,499
17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17	179,493
18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	(205)
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	414,041
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	413,836

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	414,041	413,836
23 Land and buildings		
24 Other assets (describe ►)		
25 Total assets	414,041	413,836
26 Total liabilities (describe ►)		
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	414,041	413,836



Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (See the instructions for Part III.)What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? **AMATEUR SPORTS - BOWLING**

Describe what was achieved in carrying out the organization's exempt purposes. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, or other relevant information for each program title.

Expenses
(Required for 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and 4947(a)(1) trusts; optional for others)**28 IN ACCORDANCE WITH USBC RULES, THE PROMOTION AND SUPPORT OF****AMATEUR BOWLING.**(Grants \$ **52,068**) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ☐**28a****127,425****29**(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ☐**29a****30**(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ☐**30a****31 Other program services (attach schedule)**(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ☐**31a****32 Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a)****32****127,425****Part IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees.** List each one even if not compensated. (See the instructions for Part IV.)

(a) Name and address	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (if not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
See 990 OFOV				
COREY M HANSON 610 5TH STREET NW MAHNOMEN MN, 56557	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
MARY F BISCHOFF 408 EAST 32ND STREET HIBBING MN, 55746	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
LOIS DISCH 15615 26TH AVENUE NORTH UNIT A PLYMOUTH, 55447	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
DAWN M CROWSON 3787 WILLOW HEIGHTS DRIVE SW ROCHESTER, 55902	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
JOHN J DONLON 1384 GRANITE LANE NORTH OAKDALE, 55128	DIRECTOR <i>Plus 1000</i> 0	0	0	0
ANNE R EDWARDS 3322 277TH AVENUE NW ISANTI MN, 55040	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
CAROLE EDWARDS 3633 DENNIS LANE WHITE BEAR LAKE, 55110	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
SHERRI HOHIESEL 27672 213TH STREET PIERZ MN, 56364	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
PATRICIA A FRIDE 1722 STUART COURT DULUTH MN, 55803	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
JOHN J GRAY JR 1600 22ND AVENUE SW AUSTIN MN, 55912	PRESIDENT 0	0	0	0
WANDA SALNER-HENGEL 1809 HIGHFIELD ROAD ST. CLOUD MN, 56301	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
BUTCH KESLER 2004 49TH AVENUE NORTH MINNEAPOLIS, 55430	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
KENNETH VIERLING 1210 ONONDAGA STREET NE FRIDLEY, 55432	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
C ANN SCHUMANN 129 MORNINGSIDE DRIVE NE HUTCHINSON, 55350	VICE PRESIDENT 0	0	0	0
DEAN J TORVICK 319 NORTH JEFFERSON NEW ULM MN, 56073	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
PATRICIA J WARD 2674 LAKE COURT DRIVE MOUNDSVIEW, 55112	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
MICHAEL H WARRING P. O. BOX 189 ISANTI MN, 55040	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
THOMAS F VAGT 906 5TH AVENUE SE PIPESTONE MN, 55164	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0

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		
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		
39 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 39a		
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 ▶ , section 4912 ▶ ; section 4955 ▶		
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.		X
c Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 ▶		
d Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization ▶		
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. ▶ MN		
42 a The books are in care of ▶ MATT LANG Telephone no. ▶ 651-415-2828		
Located at ▶ 61 W LITTLE CANADA R LITTLE CANADA, MN ZIP + 4 ▶ 55117		
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)?		X
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 .		
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U.S.?		X
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 ▶ 43		
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

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	46	X
47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	47	X
48 Is the organization operating a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	48	X
49 a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	49a	X
b If "Yes," was the related organization(s) a section 527 organization?	49b	

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
NONE				
Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000				

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 are none, enter "None."

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		
Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000		

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

Sign Here

Signature of officer: *Matthew A. Lamb* Date: *12-6-09*

Type or print name and title: *MATTHEW A LAMB*

Paid Preparer's Use Only

Preparer's signature: *Robert M. Murphy CPA* Date: *12-03-2009* Check if self-employed: ☐

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4: *Robert M Murphy PA*
10650 County Road 81, Suite 203
Maple Grove, MN 55369

EIN: *41-1733522* Phone no: *763-493-5799*

Preparer's Identifying No (See inst):

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

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

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
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 1-3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
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.)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ► ☐						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2008 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	%
15 Public support percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 26f	15	%
16a 33 1/3% support test - 2008. 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 - 2007. 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 - 2008. 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 - 2007. 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.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")			108,220	82,567	94,247	285,034
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			840,854	863,440	818,410	2,522,704
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 1-5			949,074	946,007	912,657	2,807,738
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 1% of the total of lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12 for the year or \$5,000						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						2,807,738

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6			949,074	946,007	912,657	2,807,738
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources			18,286	21,536	14,647	54,469
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b			18,286	21,536	14,647	54,469
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.)			1,205	3,961	14,703	19,869
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						2,882,076

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

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2008 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	97.42	%
16 Public support percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27g	16		%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2008 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	1.89	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27h	18		%

19a **33 1/3% support tests - 2008.** 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 - 2007.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ☐

20 **Private Foundation:** If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions ☐

SCHEDULE C
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

► **To be completed by organizations described below.**

► **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**

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If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and B. Do not complete Part I-C.
- Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and C below. Do not complete Part I-B.
- Section 527 organizations: Complete Part I-A only.

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-A. Do not complete Part II-B.
- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-B. Do not complete Part II-A

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 5 (Proxy Tax), then

- Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations: Complete Part III

Name of organization

Employer identification number

MINNESOTA STATE USBC ASSOCIATION

87-0759848

Part I-A

To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c) and section 527 organizations.

See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV.

2 Political expenditures ► \$

3 Volunteer hours ►

Part I-B

To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3).

See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

1 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955 ► \$

2 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955 ► \$

3 If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

4a Was a correction made? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," describe in Part IV.

Part I-C

To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).

See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

1 Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities ► \$

2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities ► \$

3 Total of direct and indirect exempt function expenditures. Add lines 1 and 2 and enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b ► \$

4 Did the filing organization file **Form 1120-POL** for this year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

5 State the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which payments were made. Enter the amount paid and indicate if the amount was paid from the filing organization's funds or were political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a political action committee (PAC). If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV.

(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds. If none, enter -0-	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization. If none, enter -0-

Part II-A To be completed by organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) that filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)). See the instructions for Schedule C for details.**A** Check ☐ if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group.**B** Check ☐ if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply.**Limits on Lobbying Expenditures**
(The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)(a) Filing
organization's
totals(b) Affiliated
group totals**1a** Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)**b** Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)**c** Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)**d** Other exempt purpose expenditures**e** Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)**f** Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table in both columns.

If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is :
Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e.
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000.
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000.
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000.

g Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)**h** Subtract line 1g from line 1a. Enter -0- if line g is more than line a**i** Subtract line 1f from line 1c. Enter -0- if line f is more than line c**j** If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year? ☐ Yes ☐ No**4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)**

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the instructions for lines 2a through 2f of the instructions.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) Total
2a Lobbying non-taxable amount					
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column (e))					
c Total lobbying expenditures					
d Grassroot non-taxable amount					
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

Part II-B To be completed by organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)). See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

	(a)		(b)
	Yes	No	Amount
1 During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of:			
a Volunteers?		X	
b Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?		X	
c Media advertisements?		X	
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?		X	
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements?		X	
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?		X	
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?		X	
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any other means?		X	
i Other activities? If "Yes," describe in Part IV		X	
j Total lines 1c through 1i			
2a Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?			
b If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912			
c If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912			
d If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?			

Part III-A To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6). See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

	Yes	No
1 Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?	1	
2 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?	2	
3 Did the organization agree to carryover lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?	3	

Part III-B To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) if BOTH Part III-A, questions 1 and 2 are answered "No" OR if Part III-A, question 3 is answered "Yes." See Schedule C instructions for details.

1 Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	1	
2 Section 162(e) non-deductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).		
a Current year	2a	
b Carryover from last year	2b	
c Total	2c	
3 Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	3	
4 If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and political expenditure next year?	4	
5 Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (line 2c total minus 3 and 4)	5	

Part IV Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1; Part I-B, line 4; Part I-C, line 5; and Part II-B, line 1i.

Also, complete this part for any additional information.

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▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. Must be completed by organizations that answer "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, and by organizations that enter more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

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Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization

MINNESOTA STATE USBC ASSOCIATION

Employer identification number

87-0759848

Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 17.

- d** ☐ In-person solicitations

- ☐ Yes ☒ No

- b** If "Yes," list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization. Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this table.

Total ▶

- 3** List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit funds or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing.

Minnesota,

Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

R e v e n u e		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other Events	(d) Total Events Add col (a) through col (c)
		TOURNAMENTS (event type)	(event type)	(total number)	
1	Gross receipts	810,575			810,575
2	Less: Charitable contributions				
3	Gross revenue (line 1 minus line 2)	810,575			810,575
D i r e c t E x p e n s e s	4	Cash prizes			
	5	Non-cash prizes			
	6	Rent/facility costs			
	7	Other direct expenses	756,759		756,759
	8	Direct expenses summary. Add lines 4 through 7, column (d) ▶			
9	Net income summary. Combine lines 3 and 8 in column (d) ▶				53,816

Part III Gaming. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

R e v e n u e		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/Instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (Add col (a) through col (c))
1	Gross revenue				
D i r e c t E x p e n s e s	2	Cash prizes			
	3	Non-cash prizes			
	4	Rent/facility costs			
	5	Other direct expenses			
	6	Volunteer labor	☐ Yes _____ % ☐ No	☐ Yes _____ % ☐ No	☐ Yes _____ % ☐ No
7	Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d) ▶				()
8	Net gaming income summary. Combine lines 1 and 7 in column (d) ▶				

		Yes	No
9	Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities: _____		
a	Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states?	9a	X
b	If "No," Explain: _____		
10a	Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year?	10a	X
b	If "Yes," Explain: _____		
11	Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers?	11	X
12	Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming?	12	X

13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in:

- | | | |
|--|------------|---|
| a The organization's facility | 13a | % |
| b An outside facility | 13b | % |

14 Provide the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:Name ▶ MATT LANGAddress ▶ 61 W LITTLE CANADA R LITTLE CANADA, MN 55117**15a** Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue?**15a**

X

- b** If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ \$ _____ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ \$ _____ .
- c** If "Yes," enter name and address:

Name ▶ _____

Address ▶ _____

16 Gaming manager information:

Name ▶ _____

Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$ _____

Description of services provided ▶ _____

☐ Director/officer☐ Employee☐ Independent contractor**17** Mandatory distributions

- a** Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license?
- b** Enter the amount of distributions required under state law distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$ _____

17a

X

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FORM 990EZ, PART I, LINE 10 GRANTS AND SIMILAR AMOUNTS PAID SCHEDULE

STATEMENT #122

ACTIVITY	CONTRIBUTIONS/DONATIONS	AMOUNT	RELATIONSHIP
GRANTEE	LOCAL CHARITIES	36,257	NONE
ADDRESS			

ACTIVITY	SCHOLARSHIPS/GRANTS	AMOUNT	RELATIONSHIP
GRANTEE	LOCAL GRANTEES	15,811	NONE
ADDRESS			

TOTAL	52,068
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FORM 990EZ, PART I, LINE 16 OTHER EXPENSES SCHEDULE 2

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
INSURANCE	906
EDUCATION/TRAINING	137
WEB SITE	922
OFFICE EXPENSES	2,914
AWARDS	2,953
ENTRY FEES/HALL OF FAME	7,939
SUPPLIES	3,852
CONFERENCES/CONVENTIONS/MEETINGS	20,142
TRAVEL	28,014
MISCELLANEOUS	720
TOTAL	68,499

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**FORM 990EZ, PART I, LINE 8
OTHER REVENUES SCHEDULE 2****DESCRIPTION****AMOUNT**

ADVERTISING/SPONSORSHIPS

10,240

MISCELLANEOUS INCOME

4,463

TOTAL

14,703