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Form 990 Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	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)	OMB No 1545-0047 2008
	The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements	Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning 10-01-2008 and ending 09-30-2009

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 CENTRAL VERMONT COMMUNITY ACTION COUNCIL		D Employer identification number 03-0216254	
		Doing Business As		E Telephone number (802) 479-1053	
		Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) 195 US ROUTE 302	Room/suite	G Gross receipts \$ 13,537,807	
		City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 BARRE, VT 05641			
		F Name and address of Principal Officer HAL COHEN 195 US ROUTE 302 BARRE, VT 05641		H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? ☐ Yes ☒ No	
I Tax-exempt status ☒ 501(c) (3) ☐ (insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527				H(b) Are all affiliates included? ☐ Yes ☐ No (If "No," attach a list See instructions)	
J Web site: ► WWW.CVCAC.ORG				H(c) Group Exemption Number ►	
K Type of organization ☒ Corporation ☐ trust ☐ association ☐ other ►				L Year of Formation 1965	M State of legal domicile VT

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities		
		CVCAC HELPS PEOPLE ACHIEVE ECONOMIC SUFFICIENCY WITH DIGNITY THROUGH INDIVIDUAL AND FAMILY DEVELOPMENT OUR GOALS ARE TO ALLEVIATE THE EFFECTS OF POVERTY, TO ASSIST INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES TO MOVE OUT OF POVERTY, AND TO ADVOCATE FOR LONG-TERM CHANGE FOR ECONOMIC JUSTICE		
	2	Check this box ☐ if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its assets		
	3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	22
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	20
	5	Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a)	5	233
	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	448
	7a	Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, line 12, column (C)	7a	708,172
b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	83,106	
Revenue	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	11,267,663	12,160,561
	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	1,236,388	1,044,797
	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	29,557	24,124
	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	42,606	308,325
	12	Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	12,576,214	13,537,807
	Expenses	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	3,581,166
14		Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		0
15		Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)	6,800,901	7,220,408
16a		Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		0
b		(Total fundraising expenses, Part IX, column (D), line 25 ⁰ _____)		
17		Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24f)	2,062,244	2,052,473
18		Total expenses—add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, line 25, column (A))	12,444,311	13,199,832
19		Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12	131,903	337,975
Net Assets or Fund Balances			Beginning of Year	End of Year
	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	5,122,485	5,325,537
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	3,338,440	3,203,517
	22	Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	1,784,045	2,122,020

Part II Signature Block

Please 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			
	*****		2010-06-22	
	Signature of officer _____ Date HAL COHEN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR Type or print name and title			
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature _____		Date _____	
	Check if self-employed ☒		Preparer's PTIN (See Gen Inst)	
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 _____ LEONE MCDONNELL & ROBERTS PA 5 NELSON STREET DOVER, NH 03820		EIN _____ Phone no (603) 749-2700	

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

Part III

Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (See the instructions.)

- 1

Briefly describe the organization's mission

CVCAC HELPS PEOPLE ACHIEVE ECONOMIC SUFFICIENCY WITH DIGNITY THROUGH INDIVIDUAL AND FAMILY DEVELOPMENT OUR GOALS ARE TO ALLEVIATE THE EFFECTS OF POVERTY, TO ASSIST INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES TO MOVE OUT OF POVERTY, AND TO ADVOCATE FOR LONG-TERM CHANGE FOR ECONOMIC JUSTICE
- 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 exempt purpose achievements for each of the organization's three largest program services by expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and 4947(a)(1) trusts 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 \$ 4,344,736 including grants of \$ 676,966) (Revenue \$ 4,912,551)
	EARLY CHILDHOOD AND FAMILY DEVELOPMENT - CVCAC HEAD START AND EARLY HEAD START ACTIVITIES, THE COUNCIL'S COMPREHENSIVE CHILD AND FAMILY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS, PREPARE YOUNG CHILDREN FOR FUTURE SUCCESS IN SCHOOLS AND IN LIFE THROUGH THE OPERATION OF LICENSED CHILD CARE CENTERS, THROUGH PARTNERSHIPS WITH LOCAL SCHOOLS AND BY PROVIDING SERVICES TO FAMILIES IN THEIR HOMES IN ADDITION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION, THE COUNCIL PROVIDES PARENT EDUCATION, PARENT LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES, MALE INVOLVEMENT ACTIVITIES, HEALTH, DENTAL AND NUTRITION SERVICES, DISABILITY SERVICES, MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES, AND RESOURCES AND REFERRAL FOR OTHER NEEDED SOCIAL SERVICES THE COUNCIL'S FEDERALLY FUNDED ENROLLMENTS ARE MINIMUMS OF 261 HEAD START CHILDREN AND 95 EARLY HEAD START CHILDREN FAMILY LITERACY PROGRAMMING, PARTIALLY FUNDED THROUGH TEEN PARENT EDUCATION AND EVEN START, IS PROVIDED IN THE HOME AND ON-SITE AT THE COUNCIL'S BROOK STREET SCHOOL LEARNING TOGETHER CENTER THROUGH ATTRITION AND ONGOING ENROLLMENT, 453 CHILDREN WERE ENROLLED IN 2009 AND 637 ADDITIONAL FAMILY MEMBERS BENEFITED FROM PROGRAMS AND SERVICES 56 HEAD START PARENTS PARTICIPATED IN VERMONT FAMILY MATTERS TO STRENGTHEN FAMILY RELATIONSHIPS 37 PARENTS PARTICIPATED IN FAMILY LITERACY PROGRAMS

4b	(Code) (Expenses \$ 2,453,095 including grants of \$ 1,412,779) (Revenue \$ 2,476,613)
	COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT - CVCAC'S MICRO BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM ASSISTS LOW TO MODERATE INCOME VERMONTERS INTERESTED IN IMPROVING THEIR ECONOMIC OUTLOOK THROUGH SELF-EMPLOYMENT STAFF MEMBERS WORK WITH BUDDING ENTREPRENEURS TO NAVIGATE THE COMPLEXITIES OF BUSINESS START UP AND EXPANSION THE COUNCIL OFFERS COMPREHENSIVE TRAININGS IN BUSINESS BASICS AND SPECIALIZED TRAININGS IN AREAS SUCH AS CHILD CARE AND LEAD ABATEMENT CONTRACTING INDIVIDUALIZED COUNSELING IS PROVIDED TO PARTICIPANTS IN AREAS OF BUSINESS PLAN DEVELOPMENT, PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT, MARKETING, FINANCE, MANAGING EMPLOYEES, AND MUCH MORE THIS YEAR 386 CENTRAL VERMONTERS ATTENDED MICRO-BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT TRAININGS AND/OR RECEIVED ONE-ON-ONE COUNSELING TANGIBLE ASSETS IS CVCAC'S MATCHED SAVINGS AND FINANCIAL LITERACY PROGRAM AFTER COMPLETING A COMPREHENSIVE FINANCIAL LITERACY CURRICULUM, 90 CENTRAL VERMONTERS BEGAN ACCRUING SOME OF THEIR EARNED INCOME IN SAVINGS ACCOUNTS WHERE THEIR EFFORTS WERE MATCHED BY AS MUCH AS \$3 FOR EVERY \$1 DEPOSITED WITH ADDITIONAL FEDERAL GRANTS AND STATE OF VERMONT ALLOCATIONS, THE COUNCIL CONTINUES TO ENCOURAGE OTHER VERMONTERS TO BECOME FINANCIALLY LITERATE WHILE THEY ACCRUE ASSETS FOR POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION, BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT OR HOME OWNERSHIP THE VERMONT WOMEN'S BUSINESS CENTER CONTINUES TO SERVICE WOMEN AROUND THE STATE THROUGH PARTNERSHIPS WITH COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCIES AND OTHER SERVICE PROVIDERS THE VWBC PROVIDES WOMEN WITH THE TRAINING, ASSISTANCE AND SUPPORT NEEDED TO START AND EXPAND SUCCESSFUL BUSINESSES, THEREBY PROMOTING 194 WOMEN ENTREPRENEURS PARTICIPATED IN A VARIETY OF TRAININGS, SEMINARS, AND NETWORKING EVENTS RECEIVED ONE-ON-ONE COUNSELING TO PURSUE THEIR DREAMS OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP CVCAC'S CHILD CARE FOOD PROGRAM WORKED WITH 229 CHILDCARE PROVIDERS WHO PROVIDED HEALTHY, NUTRITIOUS MEALS AND SNACKS TO APPROXIMATELY 2,118 CHILDREN IN THEIR CARE THE COMMUNITY CAPITAL OF VERMONT LOAN FUND ADMINISTERED BY CVCAC IS AN ALTERNATIVE FUNDING SOURCE FOR NEW AND EXPANDING MICRO ENTERPRISE IN VERMONT IN ADDITION TO LOAN CAPITAL, THE FUND PROVIDES BOTH PRE AND POST TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO ENTRPRENEURS 34 LOANS, A COMBINED TOTAL OF \$509,070, WERE PROVIDED TO LOCAL BUSINESS OWNERS 298 ENTREPRENEURS RECEIVED COUNSELING AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE ON STARTING OR EXPANDING A BUSINESS 5 BUSINESSES WERE STARTED, 5 EXPANDED, AND 25 JOBS CREATED

4c	(Code) (Expenses \$ 2,690,879 including grants of \$ 831,969) (Revenue \$ 3,063,852)
	WEATHERIZATION - HOME ENERGY AUDITS WERE CONDUCTED FOR 313 INCOME ELIGIBLE CENTRAL VERMONT HOUSEHOLDS CVCAC'S WEATHERIZATION TEAM AND PARTNERING CONTRACTORS FOLLOWED UP WITH COST SAVINGS MEASURES SUCH AS ADDED INSULATION, DRAFT REDUCTION, HEATING SYSTEM EFFICIENCY IMPROVEMENTS, INSTALLATION OF ENERGY EFFICIENT LIGHTING, HOT WATER HEATER RELACEMENT OR INSULATION, AND MORE AS A RESULT OF THESE IMPROVEMENTS, 825 CENTRAL VERMONTERS WILL BE WARMER THIS WINTER IN ADDITION, HEATING SYSTEM REPLACEMENTS OR REPAIRS WERE MADE FOR 121 HOUSEHOLDS TO ENSURE THE PROPER SAFETY AND FUNCTIONING OF THEIR HOME HEATING SYSTEMS

	(Code) (Expenses \$ 2,487,281 including grants of \$ 1,005,237) (Revenue \$ 2,776,466)
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4d	Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)
	(Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e	Total program service expenses \$ 11,975,991 Must equal Part IX, Line 25, column (B).
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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)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A 	1	Yes
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors? 	2	Yes
3	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	3	No
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	4	No
5	Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	5	
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any accounts where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I 	6	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II	7	No
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III 	8	No
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV 	9	No
10	Did the organization hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V 	10	No
11	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, lines 10, 12, 13, 15, or 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable 	11	Yes
12	Did the organization receive an audited financial statement for the year for which it is completing this return that was prepared in accordance with GAAP? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII 	12	Yes
13	Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	13	No
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the U S ?	14a	No
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the U S ? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I	14b	No
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II	15	No
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III	16	No
17	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I	17	No
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II	18	No
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III	19	No
20	Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20	No
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II 	21	Yes
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 2? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III 	22	Yes
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, questions 3, 4, or 5? If "Yes," complete Schedule J	23	No
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? If "Yes," answer questions 24b-24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to question 25	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I 	25a	No
b	Did the organization become aware that it had engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person from a prior year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I 	25b	No
26	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II 	26	No
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, or substantial contributor, or to a person related to such an individual? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III 	27	No

Part IV **Checklist of Required Schedules** *(Continued)*

		Yes	No
28	During the tax year, did any person who is a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee		
a	Have a direct business relationship with the organization (other than as an officer, director, trustee, or employee), or an indirect business relationship through ownership of more than 35% in another entity (individually or collectively with other person(s) listed in Part VII, Section A)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> 		No
b	Have a family member who had a direct or indirect business relationship with the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> 	Yes	
c	Serve as an officer, director, trustee, key employee, partner, or member of an entity (or a shareholder of a professional corporation) doing business with the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> 		No
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		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>		No
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>		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>		No
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations section 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>		No
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1</i>		No
35	Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		No
36	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>		No
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5 percent 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>		No

Part V

Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

			Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096, <i>Annual Summary and Transmittal of U.S. Information Returns</i> . Enter -0- if not applicable	1a280		
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	1b0		
c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	Yes	
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, <i>Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements</i> filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return	2a233		
b	If at least one is reported in 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? . . . Note: <i>If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file this return.</i>	2b		
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?	3a	Yes	
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	3b	Yes	
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)?	4a		No
b	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 .			
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a		No
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b		No
c	If "Yes," to 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, <i>Disclosure by Tax-Exempt Entity Regarding Prohibited Tax Shelter Transaction</i> ?	5c		
6a	Did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?	6a		No
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6b		
7	<i>Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).</i>			
a	Did the organization provide goods or services in exchange for any quid pro quo contribution of \$75 or more?	7a		No
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b		
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7c		No
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	7d		
e	Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e		No
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f		No
g	For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g		No
h	For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C as required?	7h		No
8	<i>Section 501(c)(3) and other sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations.</i> Did the supporting organization, or a fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8		No
9	<i>Section 501(c)(3) and other sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.</i>			
a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a		No
b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b		No
10	<i>Section 501(c)(7) organizations.</i> Enter			
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	10a		
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	10b		
11	<i>Section 501(c)(12) organizations.</i> Enter			
a	Gross income from members or shareholders	11a		
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)	11b		
12a	<i>Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.</i> Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a		
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	12b		

Part VI

Governance, Management, and Disclosure (Sections A, B, and C request information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

Section A. Governing Body and Management

For each "Yes" response to lines 2-7 below, and for a "No" response to lines 8 or 9b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body		
1b	Enter the number of voting members that are independent		
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?		No
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?		No
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its organizational documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		No
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's assets?		No
6	Does the organization have members or stockholders?		No
7a	Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body?		No
7b	Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons?		No
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following		
8a	the governing body?	Yes	
8b	each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	Yes	
9a	Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?		No
9b	If "Yes," does the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with those of the organization?		
10	Was a copy of the Form 990 provided to the organization's governing body before it was filed? All organizations must describe in Schedule O the process, if any, the organization uses to review the Form 990	Yes	
11	Is there any officer, director or trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O		No

Section B. Policies

		Yes	No
12a	Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No", go to line 13	Yes	
12b	Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	Yes	
12c	Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this is done	Yes	
13	Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	Yes	
14	Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	Yes	
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision		
15a	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official?	Yes	
15b	Other officers or key employees of the organization? Describe the process in Schedule O		No
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?		No
16b	If "Yes," has the organization adopted a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable Federal tax law, and taken steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?		

Section C. Disclosure

17	List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed VT
18	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c) (3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply. ☐ own website ☐ another's website ☒ upon request
19	Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public. See Additional Data Table.
20	State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization. SHARON BERNARD 195 USROUTE 302 BARRE, VT 05641 (802) 479-1053

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

☐ Check this box if the organization did not compensate any officer, director, trustee or key employee

[illegible]

2 Total number of individuals (including those in 1a) who received more than \$100,000 in reportable compensation from the organization: 1

Section B. Independent Contractors

2	Total number of independent contractors (including those in 1) who received more than \$100,000 in compensation from the organization	0
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Part VIII

Statement of Revenue

				(A) Total Revenue	(B) Related or Exempt Function Revenue	(C) Unrelated Business Revenue	(D) Revenue Excluded from Tax under IRC 512, 513, or 514			
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts	1a	Federated campaigns . . . 1a		12,160,561						
	b	Membership dues 1b								
	c	Fundraising events 1c								
	d	Related organizations 1d								
	e	Government grants (contributions)	1e					11,772,779		
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f					387,782		
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$								
	h	Total (Add lines 1a-1f)								
	Program Service Revenue	2a	WEATHERIZATION					Business Code 230,000	869,797	161,625
b		HOUSING RENTALS	624,200	87,351	87,351					
c										
d										
e										
f		All other program service revenue		87,649	87,649					
g		Total. Add lines 2a-2f								
		\$ 1,044,797								
Other Revenue	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest other similar amounts)		24,124	24,124					
	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	(ii) Other						
	b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses								
	c	Gain or (loss)								
	d	Net gain or (loss)								
	8a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18 Attach Schedule G if total exceeds \$15,000	a							
									b	Less direct expensesb
									c	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events
	9a	Gross income from gaming activities See part IV, line 19 Complete Schedule G if total exceeds \$15,000	a							
									b	Less direct expensesb
									c	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities
	10a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a							
									b	Less cost of goods soldb
									c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory
		Miscellaneous Revenue	Business Code							
11a	INSURANCE PROCEEDS IN	624,200	308,325	308,325						
b										
c										
d	All other revenue									
e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d									
	\$ 308,325									
12	Total Revenue. Add lines 1h, 2g, 3, 4, 5, 6d, 7d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e			13,537,807	669,074	708,172	0			

Part IX

Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).					
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 U S See Part IV, line 21	15,000	15,000		
2	Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U S See Part IV, line 22	3,911,951	3,911,951		
3	Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations and individuals outside the U S See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4	Benefits paid to or for members				
5	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	141,961	121,331	20,630	
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	5,394,280	4,610,405		
8	Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	64,729	55,323	9,406	
9	Other employee benefits	1,099,447	939,680	159,767	
10	Payroll taxes	519,991	444,428	75,563	
11	Fees for services (non-employees)				
a	Management				
b	Legal				
c	Accounting				
d	Lobbying				
e	Professional fundraising See Part IV, line 17				
f	Investment management fees				
g	Other				
12	Advertising and promotion				
13	Office expenses				
14	Information technology				
15	Royalties				
16	Occupancy	520,239	441,637	78,602	
17	Travel				
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any Federal, state or local public officials				
19	Conferences, conventions and meetings	82,690	75,496	7,194	
20	Interest	32,808	32,808		
21	Payments to affiliates				
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	103,496	103,496		
23	Insurance				
24	Other expenses—Itemize expenses not covered above (Expenses grouped together and labeled miscellaneous may not exceed 5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below)				
a	TRAVEL AND TRAINING	429,101	398,699	30,402	
b	OTHER	391,684	348,313	43,371	
c	OTHER ASSISTANCE	256,607	251,211	5,396	
d	EQUIPMENT AND EXPENDABL	219,002	209,367	9,635	
e	INCOME TAXES	16,846	16,846		
f	All other expenses				
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	13,199,832	11,975,991	1,223,841	0
26	Joint Costs. Check ☐ if following SOP 98-2 Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				

Part X **Balance Sheet**

		(A)		(B)
		Beginning of year		End of year
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing	-215,850	1	155,429
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	2,467,097	2	1,884,828
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net	965,453	3	1,228,596
	4 Accounts receivable, net	101,425	4	433,438
	5 Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees or other related parties <i>Complete Part II of Schedule L</i>		5	
	6 Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) <i>Complete Part II of Schedule L</i>		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use	53,022	8	123,664
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	119,475	9	47,630
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment cost basis			
		10a 2,064,723		
	b Less accumulated depreciation <i>Complete Part VI of Schedule D</i>			
		10b 783,243	1,409,795	10c 1,281,480
	11 Investments—publicly traded securities	19,995	11	21,218
	12 Investments—other securities See Part IV, line 11 <i>Complete Part VII of Schedule D</i>		12	
	13 Investments—program-related See Part IV, line 11 <i>Complete Part VIII of Schedule D</i>		13	
14 Intangible assets		14		
15 Other assets See Part IV, line 11 <i>Complete Part IX of Schedule D</i>	202,073	15	149,254	
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	5,122,485	16	5,325,537	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	1,112,658	17	1,452,036
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue	712,035	19	360,937
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21 Escrow account liability <i>Complete Part IV of Schedule D</i>		21	
	22 Payable to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons <i>Complete Part II of Schedule L</i>		22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	686,548	23	650,371
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable		24	
	25 Other liabilities <i>Complete Part X of Schedule D</i>	827,199	25	740,173
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	3,338,440	26	3,203,517
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here ☒ and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.			
	27 Unrestricted net assets	963,331	27	1,312,891
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets	820,714	28	809,129
	29 Permanently restricted net assets		29	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ☐ 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	1,784,045	33	2,122,020
	34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	5,122,485	34	5,325,537

Part XI **Financial Statements and Reporting**

			Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 ☐ cash ☒ accrual ☐ other			
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?	2a		No
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	2b	Yes	
c	If "Yes" to lines 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?	2c	Yes	
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?	3a	Yes	
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits?	3b	Yes	

Additional Data

Software ID:

Software Version:

EIN: 03-0216254

Name: CENTRAL VERMONT COMMUNITY ACTION COUNCIL

Form 990, Part VII - Section Aaa

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099MISC)	(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			
MICHAEL SHERMAN , PRIVATE SECTOR REPRESENT	1 00	X						0	0	0
FLOYD NEASE , PRIVATE SECTOR REPRESENT	1 00	X						0	0	0
JOHN PATERSON , PRIVATE SECTOR REPRESENT	1 00	X						0	0	0
DONNY OSMAN , PRIVATE SECTOR REPRESENT	1 00	X						0	0	0
RUBIN BENNETT , PRIVATE SECTOR REPRESENT	1 00	X						0	0	0
CAROL O'NEILL , PRESIDENT	1 00	X		X				0	0	0
DEB MARKOWITZ , PUBLIC SECTOR REPRESENTA	1 00	X						0	0	0
BLANCHE COOPER , PUBLIC SECTOR REPRESENTA	1 00	X						0	0	0
MARY S HOOPER , VICE PRESIDENT	1 00	X		X				0	0	0
LORI BELDING , TREASURER	1 00	X		X				0	0	0
SANDRA LOVEJOY , PARTICIPANT SECTOR REPRE	1 00	X						0	0	0
JAE SANTA ANNA , PARTICIPANT SECTOR REPRE	1 00	X						0	0	0
ROBERT W NUTTING , PARTICIPANT SECTOR REPRE	1 00	X						0	0	0
CONNIE BUTTON , PARTICIPANT SECTOR REPRE	1 00	X						0	0	0
CHRYSTAL BENNETT , PARTICIPANT SECTOR REPRE	1 00	X						0	0	0
ANGELA TOBY , PARTICIPANT SECTOR REPRE	1 00	X						0	0	0
SHIRLEY MASON , PARTICIPANT SECTOR ALTER	1 00	X						0	0	0
LYNN PHILLIPS , PARTICIPANT SECTOR ALTER	1 00	X						0	0	0
LYNETTE SHERMAN , PARTICIPANT SECTOR ALTER	1 00	X						0	0	0
CONNIE DECOSTE , PARTICIPANT SECTOR ALTER	1 00	X						0	0	0
DAVID RAYMOND , PARTICIPANT SECTOR ALTER	1 00	X						0	0	0
JIM MANGENE , PARTICIPANT SECTOR ALTER	1 00	X						0	0	0
JOYCE FARNSWORTH , SECRETARY	1 00	X		X				0	0	0
HAL COHEN , EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	45 00			X				109,209	0	26,042

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support

To be completed by all section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts.
Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. See separate instructions.

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Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (to be completed by all organizations) (See Instructions)

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (Please check only one organization)

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). (Attach Schedule H)
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). (See instructions)
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 - Other
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 the supported organization? (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 organizations the organization supports

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

(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 support?
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Total									

Part II

Support Schedule for Organizations Described in IRC 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.)

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 ")	9,769,478	9,718,975	9,873,631	11,267,663	12,160,561	52,790,308
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 line 1-3	9,769,478	9,718,975	9,873,631	11,267,663	12,160,561	52,790,308
5 The portion of total contribution by each person (other than a government unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceed 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public Support subtract line 5 from line 4						52,790,308

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	9,769,478	27,840	9,873,631	11,267,663	12,160,561	52,790,308
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	16,214	27,840	76,911	29,557	24,124	174,646
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on		35,184		237,657	84,106	356,947
10 Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV)	50,567	32,545	16,462	40,586	308,325	448,485
11 Total Support (Add lines 7 through 10)						53,770,386
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (See instructions)					12	2,039,007
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						☒

Computation of Public Support Percentage		
14 Public Support Percentage for 2008 (line 6 column (f) divided by line 11 column (f))	14	98.180 %
15 Public Support Percentage for 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 26f	15	99.300 %
16a 33 1/3% 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% Test - 2007. If the organization did not check the 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 the box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a or 17b, check this box and see instructions	☐	

Part IIISupport Schedule for Organizations Described in IRC 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
1Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants ")						
2Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6Total Add lines 1-5						
7aAmounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
bAmounts 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						
cTotal of lines 7a and 7b						
8Public Support (Subtract line 7c from line 6)						

Total Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
9Amounts from line 6						
10aGross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
bUnrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after 30 June, 1975						
cAdd lines 10a and 10b						
11Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV)						
13Total Support (Add lines 9, 10c, 11 and 12)						
14First 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						

Computation of Public Support Percentage			
15	Public Support Percentage for 2008 (line 8 column (f) divided by line 13 column (f))	15	
16	Public Support Percentage for 2007 Schedule A, Part IV -A, line 27g	16	

Computation of Investment Income Percentage			
17	Investment Income Percentage for 2008 (line 10c column (f) divided by line 13 column (f))	17	
18	Investment Income Percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV -A, line 27h	18	
19a	33 1/3% 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% 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		

Part IV

Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the information required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b, or Part III, line 12. Provide and any other additional information. (see instructions)

Facts and Circumstances Test

SCHEDULE D

(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

► **Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12.**

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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.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1	Total number at end of year	
2	Aggregate Contributions to (during year)	
3	Aggregate Grants from (during year)	
4	Aggregate value at end of year	
5	Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? ☐ Yes☐ No	
6	Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds may be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor or other impermissible private benefit? ☐ Yes☐ No	

Part II

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

1

Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)

☐ Preservation of land for public use (e g , recreation or pleasure)☐ Preservation of an historically importantly land area☐ Protection of natural habitat☐ Preservation of certified historic structure☐ Preservation of open space

2

Complete lines 2a–2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year

	Held at the End of the Year
a	Total number of conservation easements
b	Total acreage restricted by conservation easements
c	Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)
d	Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06

3

Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the taxable year ►

4

Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ►

5

Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?

☐ Yes☐ No

6

Staff or volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting and enforcing easements during the year ►

7

Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing easements during the year ► \$

8

Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?

☐ Yes☐ No

9

In Part XIV, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

Part III

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

1a

If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items

b

If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items

(i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

► \$

(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X

► \$

2

If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 relating to these items

a

Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

► \$

b

Assets included in Form 990, Part X

► \$

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Part III

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

3

Using the organization's 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 XIV

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

Trust, 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 why in Part XIV and complete the following table

c

Beginning balance

d

Additions during the year

e

Distributions during the year

f

Ending balance

	Amount
1c	
1d	
1e	
1f	

2a

Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b

If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV

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				
b	Contributions				
c	Investment earnings or losses				
d	Grants or scholarships				
e	Other expenditures for facilities and programs				
f	Administrative expenses				
g	End of year balance				

2

Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as

a

Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶

b

Permanent endowment ▶

c

Term endowment ▶

3a

Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by

(i)

unrelated organizations

(ii)

related organizations

3a(i)

Yes

No

3a(ii)

b

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

3b

4

Describe in Part XIV the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

Part VI

Investments—Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of investment	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b)Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		173,549	714,757	173,549
b Buildings		1,741,597		1,026,840
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		106,526	44,353	62,173
e Other		43,051	24,133	18,918
Total. Add lines 1a-1e (Column (d) should equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).) ▶				1,281,480

Schedule D (Form 990) 2008

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
Financial derivatives and other financial products		
Closely-held equity interests		
Other		
Total. (Column (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12)		

(a) Description of investment type	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
Total. (Column (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13)		

(a) Description	(b) Book value
Total. (Column (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col.(B) line 15.)	

(a) Description of Liability	(b) Amount
Federal Income Taxes	
SECURITY DEPOSIT	2,810
INCOME TAX PAYABLE	7,737
TANGIBLE ASSET DEFERRED REVENUE	729,626
Total. (Column (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25)	740,173

Schedule D (Form 990) 2008

Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Financial Statements			
1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	13,537,807
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	13,199,832
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	337,975
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	4	
5	Donated services and use of facilities	5	
6	Investment expenses	6	
7	Prior period adjustments	7	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	8	
9	Total adjustments (net) Add lines 4 - 8	9	0
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per financial statements Combine lines 3 and 9	10	337,975
Part XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return			
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	13,229,482
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a	
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	0
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	13,229,482
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 XIV)	4b	308,325
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	308,325
5	Total Revenue Add lines 3 and 4c . (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	5	13,537,807

Part XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return			
1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	13,199,832
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	Losses reported on Form 990, Part IX, line 25	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	0
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	13,199,832
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 XIV)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c . (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	5	13,199,832

Part XIV Supplemental Information		
Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part XIV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, Part XI, line 8, Part XII, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b		
Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Part XII, Line 4b - Other Adjustments		INSURANCE PROCEEDS IN EXCESS OF BOOK VALUE OF ASSET LOST IN FIRE

Schedule I
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
CENTRAL VERMONT COMMUNITY ACTION COUNCIL

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,
Governments and Individuals in the U.S.

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

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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?

☒ Yes ☐ No
- 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" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Check this box if no one recipient received more than \$5,000. Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 if additional space is needed.

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1(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC 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
FOOD WORKS AT TWO RIVERS CENTER64 MAIN STREET MONTPELIER,VT 05602	22-2903317	501(C)(3)	10,000				SUPERVISION AND TRAINING FOR LOW-INCOME AT-RISK YOUTH WORK CREW INVOLVED IN VARIOUS GARDENING, FARMING AND LANDSCAPING ACTIVITIES
EARTHWALK VERMONT123 PITKIN ROAD PLAINFIELD,VT 05667	11-3744202	501(C)(3)	5,000				SCHOLARSHIPS TO LOW-INCOME NATURE PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS

- 2

Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations

2
- 3

Enter total number of other organizations

Part III

Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22.
Use Schedule I-1 (Form 990) 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
EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND FAMILY DEVELOPMENT SERVICES TO INDIVIDUALS	1127	676,966			
EMERGENCY SERVICES FOR FAMILIES	5043	957,878			
FOOD FOR CHILDREN IN DAYCARE HOMES	2118	950,714			
COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SERVICES FOR INDIVIDUALS	1908	462,065			
WEATHERIZATION AND EMERGENCY HEATING SYSTEM REPLACEMENTS AND REPAIRS FOR HOUSEHOLDS	434	831,969			
ASSISTANCE TO INDIVIDUALS TO PURCHASE CARS	26	32,359			

Part IV

Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, and any other additional information.
See Additional Data Table

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Procedure for Monitoring Grants in the U S	Part I, Line 2	Schedule I, Part I, Line 2 THE COUNCIL MAINTAINS ALL INFORMATION RELATIVE TO THE GRANTS GIVEN DURING YEAR IN A FILING SYSTEM AND TRACKS THE PROGRESS OF THE GRANT PURPOSE WITH THE DONEE ORGANIZATION
Other Information	Part IV	THE COUNCIL MAINTAINS CASE MANAGEMENT FILES TO TRACK THE GRANT ASSISTANCE TO INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES

Schedule L
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

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Transactions with Interested Persons

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

▶ To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 25a, 25b, 26, 27, 28a, 28b, or 28c, or Form 990-EZ, Part V lines 38b or 40b.

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Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization CENTRAL VERMONT COMMUNITY ACTION COUNCIL	Employer identification number 03-0216254
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Part I

Excess Benefit Transactions (section 501(c)(3) and section 501 (c)(4) organizations only).

To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a or 25b, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 40b

1	(a) Name of disqualified person	(b) Description of transaction	(c) Corrected?	
			Yes	No

2

Enter the amount of tax imposed on the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under section 4958

▶ \$

3

Enter the amount of tax, if any, on line 2, above, reimbursed by the organization

▶ \$

Part II

Loans to and/or From Interested Persons

To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 26, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a

(a) Name of interested person and purpose	(b) Loan to or from the organization?		(c)Original principal amount	(d)Balance due	(e) In default?		(f) Approved by board or committee?		(g)Written agreement?	
	To	From			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
Total ▶ \$										

Part III

Grants or Assistance Benefitting Interested Persons

To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 27.

(a) Name of interested person	(b)Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c)Amount of grant or type of assistance

Part IV

Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons

To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 28a, 28b, or 28c.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of transaction	(d) Description of transaction	(e) Sharing of organization's revenues?	
				Yes	No
PAUL MARKOWITZ	HUSBAND TO BOARD MEMBER DEB MARKOWITZ	29,787	CONSULTING SERVICES		No

SCHEDULE O

(Form 990)

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Supplemental Information to Form 990

► **Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations to provide additional information for responses to specific questions for the Form 990 or to provide any additional information.**

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Employer identification number

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Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part III, line 4d	Other Program Services	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICES (FCSS), WITH OFFICES LOCATED IN BARRE, BERLIN, BRADFORD, MORRISVILLE, AND RANDOLPH, IS THE GATEWAY TO MANY OTHER CVCAC PROGRAMS AND SERVICES. OFTEN WHEN PEOPLE CONTACT CVCAC, THEY NEED IMMEDIATE ASSISTANCE WITH FOOD, SHELTER, UTILITIES AND HOME HEATING FUEL. THE STAFF MEMBERS ARE TRAINED TO HELP PEOPLE ARTICULATE AND PRIORITIZE THEIR NEEDS, TO IDENTIFY OPPORTUNITIES FOR RESOURCES AND SERVICES, AND MAKE REFERRALS TO STATE AGENCIES AND OTHER COMMUNITY-BASED PROGRAMS (INCLUDING OTHER PROGRAMS WITHIN THE AGENCY). THE AGENCY ALSO PROVIDES SERVICE COORDINATION FOR VERMONT'S DEPARTMENT FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES TO PROVIDE DETAILED SERVICES FOR VERMONTERS WITH MULTIPLE NEEDS AND TO ESTABLISH COORDINATED TEAMS OF SERVICE PROVIDERS. THIS YEAR, FCSS PROVIDED EMERGENCY SERVICES TO 5,043 HOUSEHOLDS WITH 11,737 INDIVIDUALS. THESE SERVICES INCLUDED FOOD FROM OUR FOOD SHELVES, FUEL AND UTILITY ASSISTANCE, HOUSING ASSISTANCE, AS WELL AS REFERRALS TO OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES TO ADDRESS CRITICAL NEEDS. 1,313 HOUSEHOLDS WERE ASSISTED BY THE CRISIS FUEL PROGRAM AND WERE ABLE TO CONTINUE HEATING THEIR HOMES AND KEEP THE ELECTRICITY ON, INCLUDING AFTER HOURS EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE. 591 FAMILIES AVOIDED HOMELESSNESS THROUGH OUR HOUSING COUNSELING PROGRAMS. 32 PARENTS USED OUR CHILDREN'S HOUR SUPERVISED VISITATION AND EXCHANGE SERVICES TO ALLOW NONCUSTODIAL PARENT OPPORTUNITIES TO VISIT WITH THEIR CHILDREN. CVCAC'S FREE TAX PREPARATION ASSISTANCE HELPS LOW INCOME VERMONTERS CORRECTLY FILE THEIR TAX FORMS AND RECEIVE BOTH STATE AND FEDERAL EARNED INCOME TAX CREDITS, AS WELL AS OTHER REBATES FOR WHICH THEY WERE ELIGIBLE. THIS YEAR, 725 HOUSEHOLDS RECEIVED FREE ASSISTANCE WITH COMPLETING AND FILING TAXES WITH THE IRS AND RECEIVED THE FULL BENEFITS OF REFUNDS, CREDITS AND REBATES DUE, RESULTING IN \$1,186,900 IN REFUNDS, CREDITS AND REBATES. 18 HOUSEHOLDS USED THE LOW INCOME TAXPAYER CLINIC FOR HELP WITH IRS CONTROVERSIES AND EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES REGARDING THEIR RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES AS TAXPAYERS. THE VERMONT CAR COACH PROGRAM, A STATEWIDE PARTNERSHIP WITH THE VERMONT DEPARTMENT FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES, ASSISTED 26 INDIVIDUALS IN SECURING LOANS TO PURCHASE QUALITY CARS. PARTICIPANTS RECEIVE EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION AND GUIDANCE ON CREDIT ISSUES, FINDING AND TEST DRIVING CARE, AND POST PURCHASE REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE ISSUES. Expenses \$ 2487281 including grants of \$ 1005237 Revenue \$ 2776466

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section A, line 10		A COPY OF THE ANNUAL FORM FORM 990 WILL BE GIVEN TO EACH BOARD MEMBER PRIOR TO FILING.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section B, line 12c		A CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY IS UPDATED AND SIGNED BY EACH BOARD MEMBER ON AN ANNUAL BASIS.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section B, line 15		THE COMPENSATION OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR IS DELIBERATED AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section C, line 19		GOVERNING DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY, AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC UPON REQUEST.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
		THE PROCESS HAS NOT CHANGED FROM THE PRIOR YEAR.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Schedule A, Part II, Line 10	Explanation for Other Income	INSURANCE PROCEEDS OTHER