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Form **990-EZ**

**Short Form  
Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

OMB No. 1545-1150

**200809**

**Open to Public  
Inspection**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code  
(except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)  
▶ Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds and controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990. All other organizations with gross receipts less than \$1,000,000 and total assets less than \$2,500,000 at the end of the year may use this form.  
▶ The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

**A** For the 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning 1/1, 2008, and ending 12/31, 2009

<b>B</b> Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Termination <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.	<b>C</b> Name of organization <u>Mokomo Conservancy</u>		<b>D</b> Employer identification number <u>23-3087977</u>
		Number and street (or P.O. box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite <u>Po Box 220</u>		<b>E</b> Telephone number <u>(570) 946-4107</u>
		City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 <u>La Porte, PA 18626</u>		<b>F</b> Group Exemption Number <u>N/A</u>

• 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: ▶ N/A **H** Check  if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

**J** Organization type (check only one) —  501(c) (3) (insert no.)  4947(a)(1) or  527

**K** Check  if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. A return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return.

**L** Add lines 5b, 6b, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts; if \$1,000,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ▶ \$ 14,684.46

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

		1	2	3	4	5a	5b	5c	6a	6b	6c	7a	7b	7c	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21		
Revenue	1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received																												
	2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts																												
	3	Membership dues and assessments																												
	4	Investment income																												
	5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory																												
	b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses																												
	c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a) (attach schedule)																												
	6	Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G). If any amount is from gaming, check here <input type="checkbox"/>																												
	a	Gross revenue (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1)																												
	b	Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses																												
c	Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)																													
7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances																													
b	Less: cost of goods sold																													
c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)																													
8	Other revenue (describe ▶ <u>MISC.</u> )																													
9	<b>Total revenue.</b> Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8.																													
Expenses	10	Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)																												
	11	Benefits paid to or for members																												
	12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits																												
	13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors																												
	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance <u>insurance, real estate tax</u>																												
	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping																												
	16	Other expenses (describe ▶ <u>Land mtn, observatory dock</u> )																												
17	<b>Total expenses.</b> Add lines 10 through 16.																													
Net Assets	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9).																												
	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).																												
	20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)																												
	21	<b>Net assets or fund balances at end of year.</b> Combine lines 18 through 20.																												
	22	Cash, savings, and investments																												

**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	<u>39418.21</u>	<u>46918.47</u>
23	Land and buildings	<u>181466.92</u>	<u>181466.92</u>
24	Other assets (describe ▶ <u>Pledges due / Prepayments</u> )	<u>2473.09</u>	<u>1645.58</u>
25	<b>Total assets</b>	<u>223358.22</u>	<u>230030.97</u>
26	<b>Total liabilities</b> (describe ▶ <u>Deferred 2010 Dues</u> )	<u>2415.00</u>	<u>2135.00</u>
27	<b>Net assets or fund balances</b> (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	<u>220943.22</u>	<u>227895.97</u>

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

		Yes	No
33	Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of each activity		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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.		
35a	a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
35b	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		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
37a	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions. ▶ 37a <u>None</u>		
37b	b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
38a	38a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still unpaid at the start of the period covered by this return?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
38b	b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved . . . . . 38b <u>N/A</u>		
39	39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
39a	a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 . . . . . 39a <u>N/A</u>		
39b	b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities . . . . . 39b <u>N/A</u>		
40a	40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ▶ <u>None</u> ; section 4912 ▶ <u>None</u> ; section 4955 ▶ <u>None</u>		
40b	b Section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or did it become aware of an excess benefit transaction from a prior year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I . . . . . 40b		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
40c	c Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 . . . . . ▶ <u>None</u>		
40d	d Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization . . . . . ▶ <u>None</u>		
40e	e All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T. . . . . 40e		
41	41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed. ▶ <u>Pennsylvania</u>		
42a	42a The books are in care of ▶ <u>R. Robert Raff, Treasurer</u> Telephone no. ▶ <u>(570) 946-4509</u> Located at ▶ <u>Lehigh, PA</u> ZIP + 4 ▶ <u>18036</u>		
42b	b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶ _____ See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts. . . . . 42b		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
42c	c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U.S.? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶ _____ . . . . . 42c		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
43	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 <u>N/A</u> <input type="checkbox"/>		
44	44 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ . . . . . 44		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
45	45 Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ . . . . . 45		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**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  |     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 47  |     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 48  |     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 49a |     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 49b |     |                                     |
- 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 . . . . .
- 47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II . . . . .
- 48 Is the organization operating a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E . . . . .
- 49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? . . . . .
- b If "Yes," was the related organization(s) a section 527 organization? . . . . . *N/A*
- 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
<i>NONE</i>				
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 is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
<i>NONE</i>		
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: *R. Robert Raff* Date: *1/20/10*  
 Type or print name and title: *R. Robert Raff, Treasurer*

**Paid Preparer's Use Only** Preparer's signature: *James E. Rogers* Date: *1/4/10* Check if self-employed:   
 Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4: *James E. Rogers, CPA (Retired)* Preparer's Identifying Number (See instructions): *184-24-5765*  
 EIN: Phone no.: *(570) 946-4107*

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 <b>Total.</b> 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 <b>Public support.</b> 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 <b>Total support.</b> Add lines 7 through 10 . . . . .						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) . . . . .					12	
13 <b>First five years.</b> 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 . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>						

**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 <b>33 1/3 % support test—2008.</b> 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 . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>b 33 1/3 % support test—2007.</b> 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 . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>		
17a <b>10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2008.</b> 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 . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2007.</b> 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 . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>		
18 <b>Private foundation.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		

**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) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	27,788	25,761	19,488	11,328	6,638	91,003
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	13,340	16,183	4,570	9,929	7,392	51,414
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	41,128	41,944	24,058	21,257	14,030	142,417
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.)	41,128	41,944	24,058	21,257	14,030	142,417

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6	41,128	41,944	24,058	21,257	14,030	142,417
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	77	231	713	549	654	2,224
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b	77	231	713	549	654	2,224
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)	77	231	713	549	654	144,641
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 <input type="checkbox"/>						

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

15 Public support percentage for 2008 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	.9846 %
16 Public support percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27g	16	.9875 %

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

17 Investment income percentage for 2008 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	.0157 %
18 Investment income percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27h	18	.0126 %

- 19a **33% support tests—2008.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33%, and line 17 is not more than 33%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization
- b **33% support tests—2007.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33%, and line 18 is not more than 33%, 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



MOKOMA CONSERVANCY  
 SCHEDULE OF FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES  
 For the Period January 1 to December 31, 2009

SCHEDULE A

*Form 990 E2 -*

*23-3087977*

FUND RAISING ACTIVITY	REVENUES	EXPENSES	NET REVENUES (EXPENSES)
Lottery(Note 1)	1,427.00	200.00	1,227.00
Golf Outing (Note2)	1,166.50	1,427.92	(261.42)
Summer Sizzler (Note 3)	4,798.50	1,920.01	2,878.49
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<i>Line 6a</i> Total Revenues - Exhibit B	7,392.00		
<i>Line 6b</i> Total Expenses - Exhibit B		3,547.93	
<i>Line 6c</i> Net Revenues			3,844.07

Notes:

- 1) The expense for this event of \$200.00 was contributed
- 2) \$745.00 of fees were contributed and not returned to registrants-included in contributions
- 3) Amounts collected at Summer Sizzler Event but included in other category for financial statement purposes:

Contributions	52.50	
Lottery tickets	335.00	
Book sale	15.00	
	-----	402.50
		<u>402.50</u>

See Notes to Financial Statements