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Form **990-EZ**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Short Form**
Return of Organization Exempt From Income TaxUnder 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 \$500,000 and total assets less than \$1,250,000 at the end of the year may use this form.
- The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

OMB No 1545-1150

2009**Open to Public Inspection****A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2009, and ending ,**

B Check if applicable: ☒ Address change ☐ Name change ☐ Initial return ☐ Termination ☐ Amended return ☐ Application pending	C Name of organization DAKOTA TERRITORY GUN COLLECTORS ASSOC, INC. Number and street (or P.O. box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite PO BOX 5053 City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 WEST FARGO ND 58078	D Employer identification number 23-7286477 E Telephone number (701) 237-3330 F Group Exemption Number
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• 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 Tax-exempt status (check only one) — ☒ 501(c) (6) ◀ (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 Form 990-EZ or Form 990 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 \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ

► \$ **240,298.****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	
2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
3 Membership dues and assessments	3	11,740.
4 Investment income	4	4,540.
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)	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	223,678.
b Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b	181,159.
c Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c	42,519.
7a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	
b Less: cost of goods sold	7b	
c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	
8 Other revenue (describe ► ODD BUCKLES)	8	340.
9 Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8	9	59,139.
10 Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)	10	29,828.
11 Benefits paid to or for members	11	
12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	12,000.
13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	386.
14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	
15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	4,293.
16 Other expenses (describe ► See Other Expenses Statement)	16	17,866.
17 Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17	64,373.
18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	-5,234.
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	123,207.
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	117,973.

Part II Balance Sheets. If Total assets on line 25, column (B) are \$1,250,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ.

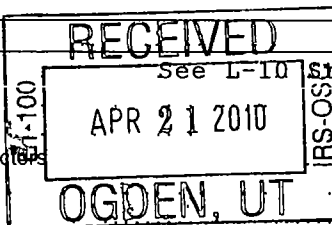
(See the instructions for Part II.)

	(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments	151,819.	145,556.
23 Land and buildings	0.	0.
24 Other assets (describe ► See L-24 Stmt)	18,786.	17,149.
25 Total assets	170,605.	162,705.
26 Total liabilities (describe ► See L-26 Stmt)	47,398.	44,732.
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	123,207.	117,973.

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (See the instructions.)**Expenses**

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? TO PROMOTE AN INTEREST IN GUNS AND GUN COLLECTING
 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.

(Required for section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts, optional for others.)

28	THE ORGANIZATION SPONSORS 14 GUN SHOWS IN AN EFFORT TO DISSEMINATE INFORMATION TO ITS MEMBERS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC IN REGARD TO THE COLLECTION, CARE, USE AND HISTORY OF GUNS. PROCEEDS FROM THE SHOWS ARE USED TO FUND VARIOUS NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS THAT ALSO PROMOTE THIS PURPOSE. (Grants \$ 29,828.) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ☐	28a	247,832.
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	247,832.

Part IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees. List each one even if not compensated. (See the instrs.)

(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 and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
KENT MILLER 1625 17TH AVE SE ABERDEEN SD 57401	PRESIDENT 2.00	0.	0.	
BILL BRAUN 1331 14 1/2 AVE N WAHPETON, ND 58075	VICE PRESIDENT 2.00	0.	0.	
VICKI L SANDVIG PO BOX 5053 WEST FARGO, ND 58078	EXECUTIVE SECRETARY 5.00	12,000.	0.	
BILL BRAUN 1331 14 1/2 AVE N WAHPETON, ND 58075	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	
DAETHAL DOCKTOR 14719 SD HWY 15 MILBANK SD 57252	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	
BERNIE LARSON 6309 W 46TH SIOUX FALLS SD 57106	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	
ROGER KRUMM BOX 158, 406 N AVE STRASBURG ND 58573	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	
GERALD GROENEWOLD 1807 WILLOW DR GRAND FORKS ND 58201	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	
HAL LEE PO BOX 36 TOLNA ND 58380	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	
DON GLYNN 9150 86TH ST SE FULLERTON, ND 58441	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	
LENARD CAVE 240 12TH AVE NE JAMESTOWN, ND 58401	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	
CHUCK HARENS 711 E 14TH YANKTON SD 57078	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	

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

	Yes	No
33 Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If 'Yes,' attach a detailed description of each activity		X
34 Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents? 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 why the organization did not report the income on Form 990-T See L-35 Stmt		
a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or was it subject to 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 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If 'Yes,' complete applicable parts of Schedule N		X
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions 37a 0.		
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
38a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the period covered by this return?		X
b If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved 38b		
39 Section 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		
40a 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 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or is it aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part I 40b		
c Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 ▶ _____		
d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. 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 40e		X
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ▶ _____		

42a The organization's books are in care of ▶ VICKY SANDVIG Telephone no ▶ (701) 237-3330
 Located at ▶ PO BOX 5053 WEST FARGO ND ZIP + 4 ▶ 58078

	Yes	No
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. ▶ _____		X
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of a Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts		
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U S ? If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country. ▶ _____		X

43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 – Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year. ▶ ☐ **43** _____

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

Part VI **Section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts only.** All section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must answer questions 46-49b and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

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

Yes No

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47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part II

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48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule E

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49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?

49a

b If 'Yes,' was the related organization a section 527 organization?

49b

50 Complete this table for the organization's 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 and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 ▶

51 Complete this table for the organization's 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

d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000 ▶

Sign Here	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.			
	▶ Signature of officer 4-15-10 Date ▶ VICKI L SANDVIG Type or print name and title			
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature ▶ Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4	Date 4-6-2010	Check if self-employed ▶ ☐	Preparer's Identifying Number (See instructions)
	GIDDINGS AND ASSOCIATES, LTD. 2700 12TH AVE S STE E FARGO ND 58103	EIN	Phone no ▶ (701) 232-7612	May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions ▶ ☒ Yes ☐ No

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

OMB No. 1545-0047

2009

Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization

DAKOTA TERRITORY GUN COLLECTORS ASSOC, INC.

Employer identification number

23-7286477

Part I.

Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 17. Form 990EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

1 Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply

- | | |
|---|--|
| ☐ Mail solicitations | ☐ Solicitation of non-government grants |
| ☐ Internet and email solicitations | ☐ Solicitation of government grants |
| ☐ Phone solicitations | ☐ Special fundraising events |
| ☐ In-person solicitations | |

2a Did the organization have written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services?

☐ 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.

(i) Name of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
		Yes	No			
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.

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.

REVENUE		(a) Event #1 FARGO (event type)	(b) Event #2 SIOUX FALLS TROPHY (event type)	(c) Other Events 12 (total number)	(d) Total Events (Add col. (a) through col. (c))
	1 Gross receipts	22,303.	41,523.	163,794.	227,620.
	2 Less: Charitable contributions				
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	22,303.	41,523.	163,794.	227,620.
DIRECT EXPENSES	4 Cash prizes		575.	685.	1,260.
	5 Noncash prizes	148.	1,250.	2,317.	3,715.
	6 Rent/facility costs	8,454.	9,900.	56,273.	74,627.
	7 Food and beverages				
	8 Entertainment				
	9 Other direct expenses	8,484.	15,460.	76,189.	100,133.
	10 Direct expense summary. Add lines 4- through 9 in column (d)				179,735.
	11 Net income summary. Combine lines 3, column (d) and line 10.				47,885.

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.

REVENUE		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/Instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (Add col. (a) through col. (c))
DIRECT EXPENSES	1 Gross revenue				
	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, column (d) and line 7				

	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	
b If 'No,' explain. _____ _____		
10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year?	10a	
b If 'Yes,' explain _____ _____		
11 Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers?	11	
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	

13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in:**a** The organization's facility**13a** %**b** An outside facility**13b** %**14** Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:

Name ▶ _____

Address ▶ _____

15a Does the organization have a contact with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue?**15a****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 of the third party:

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?**17a****b** Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$ _____

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Part II

Other Assets and Liabilities

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Name as Shown on Return
DAKOTA TERRITORY GUN COLLECTORS ASSOC, INC.

Employer Identification No
23-7286477

Line 24 - Other Assets:	Beginning of Year	End of Year
BELT BUCKLE, 2004	2,368.	2,353.
BELT BUCKLE, BRASS	1,009.	449.
BELT BUCKLE SILVER	5,480.	5,345.
BRASS BUCKLE 2007	1,570.	1,550.
CLOTHING PROMO	2,392.	678.
DTGCA HISTORY BOOK	5,967.	5,823.
BELT BUCKLE 2010		951.
Totals to Form 990-EZ, Part II, line 24 .	18,786.	17,149.
Line 26 - Total Liabilities:	Beginning of Year	End of Year
ADV TABLE RENT SF (FARGO)	16,416.	16,284.
ADV TABLE RENT BROOKINGS	5,650.	5,825.
ADV TABLE RENT FARGO	10,292.	9,253.
ADV TABLE RENT GRAND FORKS	3,725.	2,320.
ADV TABLE RENT SF PRE 64	2,040.	2,100.
ADV TABLE RENT WATERTOWN	9,275.	8,950.
Totals to Form 990-EZ, Part II, line 26	47,398.	44,732.

Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 16

Other Expenses Statement

Other expenses (describe)

OFFICE EXPENSE	2,430.
DUES AND SUBSCRIPTIONS	225.
INSURANCE	2,944.
MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS	3,222.
TRAVEL	6,353.
OTHER EXPENSES	2,692.

Total 17,866.

Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 10

Grants and Similar Amounts PaidPurpose of Payment CONTRIBUTIONS

Class of Activity	Grantee's Name and Address	Grantee's Relationship	Amount Given
GUN OF THE YEAR	Business ☒ Person ☐ FRIENDS OF THE NRA 11250 WAPLES MILL ROAD FAIRFAX VA 22030	NONE	19,038.

If property other than cash was given, the following additional information needs to be provided.

Description of Property 19 MATCHED SETS OF RUGER VAQUERO PISTOLS @ \$1,002 EACH
Date of Gift Various

Book Value	How Book Value Determined
19,038.	PURCHASE PRICE
FMV	How FMV Determined
19,038.	PURCHASE PRICE

Purpose of Payment CONTRIBUTION

Class of Activity	Grantee's Name and Address	Grantee's Relationship	Amount Given
MONEY FOR CONTRUCTION OF BUILDING	Business ☒ Person ☐ RED RIVER REGIONAL MARKSMANSHIP CENTER PO BOX 9633 FARGO ND 58106	NONE	7,500.

If property other than cash was given, the following additional information needs to be provided.

Description of Property _____
Date of Gift _____

Book Value	How Book Value Determined
FMV	How FMV Determined

Supporting Statement of:

Form 990-EZ/Line 6b

Description	Amount
CASH AWARDS	1,100.
PRIZES	3,729.
PROMOTIONAL	2,107.
ADVERTISING	33,168.
BUILDING RENT	55,572.
LABOR	25,053.
MANAGER	30,459.
MISCELLENEOUS	6,495.
TABEL REFUNDS	1,132.
TABLE RENT	15,237.
SHOW TAXES	7,107.
Total	<u>181,159.</u>