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## Form 990-EZ

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue ServiceShort Form  
Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

► Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds and controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990. All other organizations with gross receipts less than \$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

A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning

and ending

B Check if applicable

 Address change  
 Name change  
 Initial return  
 Terminated  
 Amended return  
 Application pending

C Name of organization

CARSON CITY FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATION  
LOCAL #2251 OF INTL ASSN FIRE FIGHTERS

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

206 S. DIVISION ST.

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

CARSON CITY, NV 89703

D Employer identification number

23-7294712

E Telephone number

775-882-4459

F Group Exemption  
Number ►

- 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: ► [carson-city.nv.us/index.aspx?page=299](http://carson-city.nv.us/index.aspx?page=299)J Tax-exempt status (check only one) —  501(c)(5) (insert no.)  4947(a)(1) or  527H Check ►  if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)K Check ►  if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. A 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 ► \$ 75,254.

## 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	700.
2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
3	Membership dues and assessments	3	74,293.
4	Investment income	4	261.
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)		
6	Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G). If any amount is from gaming, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	6c	
a	Gross revenue (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1)	6a	
b	Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b	
c	Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	7c	
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)		
8	Other revenue (describe ► <span style="float: right;">) )</span>	8	
9	Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8	9	75,254.
10	Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule) <span style="float: right;">OGDEN, UT</span>	10	27,127.
11	Benefits paid to or for members	11	28,182.
12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	6,000.
13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	926.
14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	
15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	
16	Other expenses (describe ► <span style="float: right;">) )</span>	16	2,885.
17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17	65,120.
18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	10,134.
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	137,858.
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	147,992.

## 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	137,858.	22 147,992.
23		23
24		24
25	137,858.	25 147,992.
26	0.	26 0.
27	137,858.	27 147,992.

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

	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
33 Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of each activity	33	X
34 Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	34	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.		
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?	35a	X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on <b>Form 990-T</b> for this year?	35b	N/A
36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Sch. N	36	X
37 a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions. ► <u>37a</u>   0 .	37b	X
b Did the organization file <b>Form 1120-POL</b> for this year?	38a	X
38 a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee <b>or</b> were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the period covered by this return?	38b	N/A
b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved	39a	N/A
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:	39b	N/A
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9		
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities		
40 a Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ► <u>N/A</u> ; section 4912 ► <u>N/A</u> ; section 4955 ► <u>N/A</u>	40b	N/A
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		
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 ► <u>N/A</u>		
d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization ► <u>N/A</u>		
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. ► <u>NV</u>		
42 a The organization's books are in care of ► <b>BULLIS &amp; COMPANY CPAS, LLC.</b> Telephone no. ► <b>775-882-4459</b> Located at ► <b>206 SOUTH DIVISION ST., CARSON CITY, NV</b> ZIP + 4 ► <b>89703</b>		
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: ► _____	42b	X
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for <b>Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.</b>		
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U.S.? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ► _____	42c	X
43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of <b>Form 1041</b> - Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ► <u>43</u>   <u>N/A</u>		
44 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44	X
45 Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	45	X

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**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	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	<input type="checkbox"/> 46	<input type="checkbox"/> 47
48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	<input type="checkbox"/> 47	<input type="checkbox"/> 48
49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	<input type="checkbox"/> 48	<input type="checkbox"/> 49a
b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?	<input type="checkbox"/> 49a	<input type="checkbox"/> 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  N/A	(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

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  N/A	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation

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

Sign Here	<p>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</p> <p>► <i>Robert Schreihans</i> <span style="float: right;">7/28/2010</span> Signature of officer <span style="float: right;">Date</span></p> <p>► <b>ROBERT SCHREIHANS, PRESIDENT</b> <span style="float: right;">Type or print name and title</span></p>			
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature <i>John R Bullis CPA-PFS</i>	Date <i>7/26/10</i>	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	Preparer's identifying number (See instr) <span style="float: right;">EIN ►</span>
	<p>Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 <i>Bullis and Company CPAs, LLC 206 South Division Street Carson City, NV 89703</i></p>			<span style="float: right;">Phone ►</span> <span style="float: right;">no. 775-882-4459</span>

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions

►  Yes  No

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Form 990-EZ	Other Expenses	Statement 1
Description		Amount
Bank charges		3.
Conferences		895.
Secretary of State		
Meals & Entertainment		586.
Supplies		896.
Travel		
PO Box rent		190.
Printing		315.
Storage		
Total to Form 990-EZ, line 16		2,885.

Form 990-EZ	Payments to Affiliates	Statement 2
Affiliate's Name	Affiliates Address	
IAFF	1750 NEW YORK AVE, NW STE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20006	
Purpose of Payment	Amount	
INTERNATIONAL UNION DUES		7,886.
Affiliate's Name	Affiliates Address	
PFFN	PO BOX 676 CARSON CITY, NV 89701	
Purpose of Payment	Amount	
UNION DUES		8,510.
Total included on Form 990-EZ, line 10		16,396.

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Cash Grants and Allocations

Statement 3

Class of Activity/Donee's Name and Address	Donee's Relationship	Amount
Childhood hunger Share Our Strength	None	200.
Cancer research Susan G.Komen Foundation	None	250.
CCSO	None	500.
Donation Raphael Keaton Memorial	None	280.
College scholarship various	None	500.
Christmas gifts for needy Toys for Joy	None	9,001.
Total Included on Form 990-EZ, Line 10		10,731.

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Information Regarding Transfers  
Associated with Personal Benefit Contracts

**Statement 4**

A) Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? . . . . . [ ] Yes [X] No

B) Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? . . [ ] Yes [X] No

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Statement 5

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PROVIDE WORKSITE CONVENIENCES AND BETTERMENTS FOR OUR MEMBERS.  
Members at each station were provided daily local newspapers, cable TV  
access, coffee and beverages, and approved station attire.

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Statement 6

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EDUCATION AND TRAINING ON LABOR PRACTICES AND NEGOTIATIONS.  
Costs of attendance at regional and national conferences and training sessions was provided for at least two officers during the year.

OUR PRIMARY MISSION IS TO IMPROVE THE WORKING CONDITIONS OF FIRE FIGHTERS IN CARSON CITY NV.

WE REPRESENT OUR MEMBERS IN ALL CONTRACT NEGOTIATIONS, LABOR DISPUTES, GRIEVANCES, AND FUND LEGAL REPRESENTATION IN UNFAIR LABOR PRACTICE MATTERS. WE PROVIDE WORKSITE CONVENIENCES AND BETTERMENTS FOR OUR MEMBERS. WE ALSO SEND OUR MEMBERS TO COURSES OR PROVIDE THEM WITH EDUCATION AND TRAINING ON LABOR PRACTICES AND NEGOTIATIONS.