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Form 990-EZ

Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

2009

OMB No. 1545-1150

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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 \$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.

	AF	For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2009, and ending							, 20					
	Bo	heck if ap	olicable:	Please	\Box	Name of organization			D Empl	oyer ide	entification	number		
1		ddress ch	ddress change use IRS label or Hamilton Foundation Inc.						26-3929139					
ĺ	ı	Name char						E Telephone number						
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		Amended return Specific Instruc- Instruction Instr							-					
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		• Secti	on 501(c)(3)	organiz	niza	ons and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attacl	,	G Accou	nting Me	Method: Z Cash Accrual				
						eted Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).	1		(specify)					
										rf the organization is not				
		Vebsite				Пени Пени Пени Пе					ch Schedule B (Form 990,			
	J Tax-exempt status (check only one) —													
	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													
						is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return				ete ret	um.			
	LA	dd lines	5b, 6b, and 1	7b, to line	ine 9	to determine gross receipts; if \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 inste	ad of	f Form 990	-EZ ▶	\$				
	Ρ	art I	Revenu	ie, Exp	(pe	ises, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Baland	ces	(See the	instru	ctions	for Par	t l.)		
		1	 							1		150,000		
		1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received								2	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	0		
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		8				nbe Opening deposit to bank account	-)	8		100		
	_	9				lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 50, 6c, 7c, and 8	<u> </u>		<u>. ▶</u>	9	 	150,100		
		10	Grants an	d simila	lar	mounts paid (attach schedule)				10				
		11								11				
	ø	12	2 Salaries, other compensation, and employed benefits									<u> </u>		
	penses	13	Profession	onal fees and other payments to indepensent contractors								3,351		
	ğ	14				lates and maintenance				14		0		
	凶	15										62		
		16 Other expenses (describe Travel, bank fees, filling fees, compliance expenses)						15 16		5,247				
		17				d lines 10 through 16				17		8,660		
	_		Total exp	enses.	3. M	r the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	• •	• • •		18				
	ষ্	18								10		141.440		
	38	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)								ا ا		_		
	₹	1	•	•		,				19		0		
	Net Assets	20		-		t assets or fund balances (attach explanation)				20		0		
		21	Net asset	s or fun	ınd	alances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u>. ▶</u>	21		141,440		
	P	Part II Balance Sheets. If Total assets on line 25, column (B) are \$1,250,000 or more, file Form		rm 990	instea	ld of For	m 990-EZ.							
		(See the instructions for Part II.) (A) Beginning			ginning of	year	(B) E	nd of year						
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Par	t III Statement of Program Service Accorr	plishments (See the instr	uctions for Part II	l.)	İ	Expenses
Desc man	t is the organization's primary exempt purpose? cribe what was achieved in carrying out the organizer, describe the services provided, the number of program title.	ganization's exempt purpos			501(c) organ	ured for section)(3) and 501(c)(4) dizations and section (a)(1) trusts; optional thers)
28	Commenced research beginning in November on the	e Foundation's primary resea	rch area: economic			-
	development in key areas of strategic interest to the					
	educate the public on methods and policies to build			road.		
	(Grants \$) If this amount			> []	28a	7,760
29			OOKTIOTO	<u></u>		1,700
	(Grants \$) If this amount	includes foreign grants, ch	eck here	▶ □	29a	
30	, which distributions					
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	(Grants \$) If this amount	includes foreign grants, ch	eck here	. ▶ □	30a	
31	Other program services (attach schedule)			····	1	
	, , ,	includes foreign grants, ch		. ▶ □	31a	
32	Total program service expenses (add lines 28a				32	
Par	t IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Ke	y Employees. List each one e	ven if not compensa	ted. (See the	instruc	tions for Part IV.)
	(a) Name and address	(b) Title and average	(c) Compensation	(d) Contribute		(e) Expense
	(a) Name and address	hours per week devoted to position	(If not paid, enter -0)	employee benefi deferred compe		account and other allowances
Jeffr	ey Berkowitz					
P.O. 1	Box 875, Sun Valley, ID 83353	Board member, 0.5 hours	d		d	0
Scot	t Carpenter					
P.O. I	Box 875, Sun Valley, ID 83353	Board member, 0.5 hours	l o		d	o
Krist	ofer Harrison					
P.O. 1	Box 875, Sun Valley, ID 83353	Board member, 5 hours	l o		Q	O
srae	l Hernandez					
P.O.	Box 875, Sun Valley, ID 83353	Secretary, 1 hour	<u> </u>		O	0
Scot	t Lincicome					
P.O. I	Box 875, Sun Valley, ID 83353	Treasurer, 1 hour	<u> </u>		O	o
Robe	ert McNally					
P.O. I	Box 875, Sun Valley, ID 83353	Board member, 0.5 hours	o		q	0
Chris	stian Whiton					
P.O. I	Box 875, Sun Valley, ID 83353	President, 20 hours	3,351		a	Q
Step	hen Yates	_				
P.O. I	Box 875, Sun Valley, ID 83353	Board member, 0.5 hours	0		0	o
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Part	Other Information (Note the statement requirements in the instructions 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	33		/
34	Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	34		/
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.	-		
а	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or was it subject to section			1
	6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?	35a		
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	35b		
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	36		/
37a	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions. ▶ 37a 37a	ļ	_	- 4
b	Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	37b		1
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?	38a		/
b	If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved 38b			
39	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:	1		
а	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9			
b	Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities			
40a	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under:]		
	section 4911 ▶ 0 ; section 4912 ▶ 0 ; section 4955 ▶ 0	1		
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			
е	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		1
41	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed. ▶ None		I	
42a	The organization's books are in care of ▶ Christian Whiton Telephone no. ▶			
	Located at ▶ PO Box 875, Sun Valley, ID ZIP + 4 ▶	83353	-0875	
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		Yes	No
	account)?	42b		1
	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.			
С	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		/
43	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 — Check here		. 1	▶ □
	and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year	•		
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			Yes	No
44	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of			
	Form 990-EZ	44	-	1
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	j	¥
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Part VI

Part V	Section 501(c)(3) organizations and s 501(c)(3) organizations and section 494 and complete the tables for lines 50 ar	17(a)(1) nonexempt cl	onexempt cha naritable trusts	aritable trusts only. As must answer questi	All sectio ons 46-4	n 19b			
46	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect	t political campaign act	ivities on behal	f of or in opposition to	Ye	s No			
(candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete	Schedule C, Part I			46				
47	Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II								
	Is the organization a school as described in section		•		48				
	Did the organization make any transfers to an ex	•	_		49a				
	If "Yes," was the related organization a section 5				49b				
	Complete this table for the organization's five hi employees) who each received more than \$100,		om the organiza	ation. If there is none, e					
	(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$100,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compen	sation (d) Contributions to employee benefit plans deferred compensation					
None					<u> </u>				
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f	Total number of other employees paid over \$100	0,000 ▶	0						
None	(a) Name and address of each independent contractor			(b) Type of service	(c) Compe	nsation			
									
d	Total number of other independent contractors of	each receiving over \$10	0,000 ▶	0					
	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examinand belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration	ed this return, including according of preparer (other than office)	npanying schedules) is based on all info	and statements, and to the bormation of which preparer has	est of my knowle	owledge edge.			
Sign Here	Signature of officer Bate								
	Christian Whiton, President Type or print name and title								
Paid Prepare	Preparer's signature	Date	Check if self- employe		ımber (See ins	structions)			
Use On	rum s name (or			EIN ► Phone no. ►					
May the	e IRS discuss this return with the preparer show	n above? See instruction	ns	> [Yes [□ No EZ (2009)			

SCHEDULE A (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Inspection **Employer identification number** Name of the organization 3929139 Hamilton Foundation Inc. Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions. Part I The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box.) A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(i). A school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Attach Schedule E.) A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). 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: 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.) ☐ A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(v). 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.) A community trust described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.) ☐ An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33½ % 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% % 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.) An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See section 509(a)(4). 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. c Type III-Functionally integrated a ☐ Type I **b** Type II d Type III-Other e Dy 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). If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons? Yes No (i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) 11g(i) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization? 11g(ii) (ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above? 11g(iii) (iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above? . . . Provide the following information about the supported organization(s). (iii) Type of organization (iv) is the organization (vii) Amount of (i) Name of supported (ii) EIN (v) Did you notify (vi) Is the organization (described on lines 1-9 in col. (i) listed in your the organization in organization in col. support above or IRC section col. (1) of your governing document? (i) organized in the (see instructions)) support? U.S.? Yes No Yes No Yes

	Support Schedule for Orga (Complete only if you check				(b)(1)(A)(iv)	and 170(b)(1))(A)(VI)	
	tion A. Public Support endar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total	
Ca	endar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(C) 2007	(u) 2008	(0) 2009	(i) Iolai	
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	150,000	150,000	
2	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	0	
3	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	0	
4	Total. Add lines 1 through 3	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	150,000	150,000	
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) Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.						147,000 3,000	
Sec	tion B. Total Support							
Ca	lendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total	
7	Amounts from line 4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	150,000	150,000	
8	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	N/A	N/A	N/A	N /A	0	0	
9	Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	0	
10	Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	150,000	
11	Total support. Add lines 7 through 10					l	150,000	
12 13	Gross receipts from related activities, etc. First five years. If the Form 990 is for	the organization	n's first, secon		or fifth tax y		n 501(c)(3)	
<u></u>	organization, check this box and stop he			 	• • • • • •	 		
	tion C. Computation of Public Su				 	14	%	
14	Public support percentage for 2009 (line (15	<u></u>	
	Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part II, line 14							
	33%% support test—2008. If the organization qua	lifies as a publi	cly supported o	organization .			▶ □	
17a	10%-facts-and-circumstances test 20 more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances test 20 more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances test 20 more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances test 20 more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances test 20 more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances test 20 more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances test 20 more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances test 20 more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances test 20 more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances test 20 more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances test 20 more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances test 20 more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances test 20 more, and a more	acts-and-circum	nstances" test,	check this box a	and stop here.	Explain in Part	IV how the _	
b 18	10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2008 more, and if the organization meets the "forganization meets the "facts-and-circumstate Private foundation. If the organization did	acts-and-circum inces" test. The	stances" test, c organization qua	heck this box a lifies as a public	nd stop here. ly supported on	Explain in Part ganization	IV how the ▶ [

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2009

	tion A. Public Support lendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total	
Ca	lieridar year (or riscai year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(0) 2006	(6) 2007	(u) 2006	(6) 2009	(i) rotai	
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include							
_	any "unusual grants.")			<u></u>		 	 	
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			,			<u> </u>	
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	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	<u> </u>				<u> </u>	
6	Total. Add lines 1 through 5					 		
7a	Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons .	 					<u> </u>	
b	Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received							
	from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the							
	amount on line 13 for the year			ł				
C	Add lines 7a and 7b							
8	Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)				<u> </u>	<u> </u>		
	tion B. Total Support			,			·T	
Ca	alendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total	
9	Amounts from line 6	· · · · ·	 		<u> </u>	- 		
10a	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources							
b	Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975		-					
С	Add lines 10a and 10b							
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.)							
14	First five years. If the Form 990 is for to organization, check this box and stop to organize the stop to the stop	•	on's first, seco					
Sec	tion C. Computation of Public Su	pport Perce	ntage					
15 16	Public support percentage for 2009 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f) Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 15						15 % 16 %	
Sec	tion D. Computation of Investmen							
17	Investment income percentage for 200	9 (line 10c, co	olumn (f) divide	d by line 13, c	olumn (f)) .	17	%	
18	Investment income percentage from 20	08 Schedule	A, Part III, line	17		18	%	
19a	331/3 % support tests—2009. If the organism is not more than 331/3 %, check this b							
b	331/3 % support tests—2008. If the organ line 18 is not more than 331/3 %, check this	ization did not	check a box o	n line 14 or line	19a, and line	16 is more than	n 331/3 %, and	
20	Drivate foundation If the organization	•	_	•			·	

Schedule A (Fo	orm 990 or 990-	EZ) 2009							Page 4
Part IV	Suppleme	ental Info	ormation 17b; and	. Complete Part III, line	this part 12. Prov	to provide the	ne explanati er additional	ions required information.	by Part II, line 10; See instructions.
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