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Form 990-EZ

OMB No 1545-1150

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Short 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

Α	For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2009, and ending	, ,	
В	The state of the s	Employer ider	ntification number
_	Address change use IRS Hamilton County Master Gardeners Assn.	35-166	7837
F	lu (lakalar	Telephone nur	nber
┝	Initial return type: 2003 Pleagant Street	(317)	776-0854
-	Specific City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4	(32/)	
┝	Amended return Instruc-	Group Exer	mption
┸	Application pending Noblesville IN 46060	Number	<u> </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 me Other (specify) 		Cash
	H Check ► X	if the organ	nization is not
ı			e B (Form 990, /
J	Tax-exempt status (check only one) $ \boxed{X}$ 501(c) (3) \triangleleft (insert no.) $\boxed{4947(a)(1) \text{ or }}$ 527 990-EZ, or 990	J-PF)	
K	Check ► If the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are not \$25,000 A Form 990-EZ or Form 990 return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be	ormally not i sure to file :	more than 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	► \$	59,767.
Б	Part IC: Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the ins	·	
L		1	2,270.
		2	8,897.
	2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	3	2,155.
	3 Membership dues and assessments	4	884.
	4 Investment income	7 -	001.
	5a Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses 5b		
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Ē	c Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	
R E V E N U	6 Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G) If any amount is from gaming, check here	」 類類	
N	a Gross revenue (not including \$ of contributions		
E	reported on line 1) 6a 45,49		
	b Less. direct expenses other than fundraising expenses [6b] 19,33		06 150
	c Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c	26,159.
	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)	7 c	
	8 Other revenue (describe ► See Other Revenue Statement)	8	<u>65.</u>
	9 Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8	▶ 9	40,430.
	10 Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule) See-L-10 Stmt	10	1,350.
_	11 Benefits paid to or for members RECEIVED	11	
X	12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits TLULIVLD	12	
EX P E N S	13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	1,275.
N S	14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance 15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	14	648.
E S	15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	198.
•	16 Other expenses (describe > See Other Expenses Statement)	. 16	28,425.
	17 Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16 OGDEN, UI	▶ 17	31,896.
	18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from tine 9)	18	8,534.
••	A 19 Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year	7 200	
N E T	figure reported on prior year's return)	19	50,406.
Т	20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation) See L-20 Stmt	20	1,500.
	21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 18 through 20	▶ 21	60,440.
P	Part II Balance Sheets. If Total assets on line 25, column (B) are \$1,250,000 or more, file Form 990 ins	stead of Fori	m 990-EZ
_	(See the instructions for Part II) (A) Beginning of	year	(B) End of year
) 2	22 Cash, savings, and investments 64,4	89.22	64,335.
2	23 Land and buildings	0.23	0.
2		79. 24	0.
2		68.25	64,335.
2	26 Total liabilities (describe See L-26 Stmt) 14,2	62.26	3,895.
2		06.27	60,440.
B	AA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.		Form 990-EZ (2009)

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Part III Statement of Program Se			ons.)		Expenses							
What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? Pu	(Reg	uired for section c)(3) and (4)										
Describe what was achieved in carrying out the	1501(C)(3) and (4)										
Describe what was achieved in carrying out the describe the services provided, the number of	persons benefited, or other re	elevant information for e	ach	4947	nizations and section (a)(1) trusts, optional							
program title				for o	thers')							
28 See attached statement.	8 See attached statement.											
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31 Other program services (attach schedule				J								
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32 Total program service expenses (add lin			<u>_</u>	32	26,304.							
Part IV List of Officers, Directors	<u>, Trustees, and Key Em</u>	ployees. List each on	e even if not com	pensa	ted (See the instrs)							
	(b) Title and average hours	(c) Compensation (If	(d) Contributions	to	(e) Expense account							
(a) Name and address	per week devoted	not paid, enter -0)	employee benefit pla		and other allowances							
	to position		deferred compens	ation								
Judy Benway												
2003 Pleasant Street	Co-President											
Noblesville IN 46060	2.00	0.		0.								
Beth Alexander												
2003 Pleasant Street	Co-President											
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Pattie_Clifford												
2003 Pleasant Street	Treasurer											
Noblesville IN46060	2.00	0.	ļ	0.								
Jack Hear												
2003 Pleasant Street	Vice president											
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Helen Seibel												
	Secretary											
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34	We	ere any	y changes	made to th	e organ	izing or	goverr	nıng do	cument	s? If 'Ye	s,' atta	ch a conf	forme	d copy	of the	chang	es	34		х
35	If t	the organ ach a sta	nızatıon had ı atement expla	income from b	usiness a organizat	ctivities, s ion did n	such as tl ot report	hose repo	orted on I me on For	nes 2, 6a, m 990-T	and 7a (among othe	ers), bu	ıt not re	ported o	n Form	990-T,			
	a Di	d the o	organizatio i, and prox	n have unre	elated b	usiness ?	gross	income	e of \$1,0	000 or m	ore or	was it su	bject	to sec	tion 60	33(e) r	notice,	35 a		x
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43	Se	ection 4	4947(a)(1)	name of the nonexemp unt of tax-e	t charit	able tru	sts filin						Chec	ck here	·	► 4	3		- 🗆	
																			Yes	No
44	Dı of	id the o	organizatio 990-EZ	on maintain	any do	nor adv	ısed fu	nds? If	'Yes,' F	orm 990	must	be compl	eted	instead	t			44		х
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Part VI	Section 501(c)(3) organization 501(c)(3) organizations and se 46-49b and complete the tables	ction 4947(a)(1) no	nexempt charitabl	charitable trusts only e trusts must answer of	. All section questions	i
46 Did th	he organization engage in direct or indirect ublic office? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C	t political campaign act		n opposition to candidates	Yes	No X
-	he organization engage in lobbying activiti		Schedule C, Part II		47	x
	e organization a school as described in se	•		fule E .	48	X
49 a Did tl	he organization make any transfers to an	exempt non-charitable i	elated organization?		49 a	Х
b If 'Ye	es,' was the related organization a section	527 organization?	•	•	49Ь	<u> </u>
50 Comp empl	plete this table for the organization's five hoyees) who each received more than \$100	nighest compensated er 0,000 of compensation t	from the organization	f 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 allowance	
None						
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	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examinue, correct, and complete Declaration of preparer (nined this return, including according than officer) is based on	ompanying schedules and stat all information of which prepa	ements, and to the best of my knowle rer has any knowledge	edge and belief, it	ıs
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BAA	to discuss this retain with the preparer sit	CALL BROKE. DEE HISHUG	20013		Form 990-EZ	

SCHEDULE A (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

OMB No 1545-0047

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization

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.

Open to Public Inspection

Employer identification number

Ham	ilt	ton County	Master Gardene:	rs Assn.					35-16	67837	,	
Part	art I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instruction											
Гће о	rgar	nization is not a pr	rivate foundation because	se it is (For lines 1 throug	gh 11, ct	neck only	y one bo	x.)				
1		A church, conven	tion of churches or asso	ciation of churches descr	ibed in s	section '	1 70(b)(1))(A)(i).				
2		A school describe	d in section 170(b)(1)((Attach Schedule E)							
3				organization described in								
4		A medical research	ch organization operate	d in conjunction with a ho	spital de	scribed	ın secti	on 170(b)(1)(A)(iii) Ente	r the hospital's	
	_	name, city, and s		-,,							, _ , _ ,	
5		170(b)(1)(A)(iv).	(Complete Part II)	of a college or university of					nental u	nit descr	ibed in section	
6 7		An organization tl	or local government or g nat normally receives a (1)(A)(vi). (Complete Pa	overnmental unit describe substantial part of its sup art II.)	ed in se c oport fror	n a gove	ernment:	a)(v). al unit d	or from t	he gener	al public descr	bed
8				70(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete	e Part II)						
9	x	from activities rel investment incom	ated to its exempt funct	more than 33-1/3 % of lons — subject to certain of staxable income (less somplete Part III)	exceptio	ns. and	(2) no n	nore tha	ın 33-1/3	3 % of its	s support from	aross
10		An organization of	rganized and operated	exclusively to test for pub	lic safet	y See s	ection 5	09(a)(4).			
11		more publicly sun	norted organizations d	exclusively for the benefit escribed in section 509(a) ation and complete lines	(1) or so	ection 50	09(a)(2)	ons of, See se	or carry ection 5	out the 09(a)(3).	purposes of on Check the box	e or that
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е		By checking this I	box, I certify that the org nanagers and other than	ganization is not controlle n one or more publicly sup	d directly oported	y or ındı organıza	rectly by tions de	one or scribed	more di in section	isqualifie on 509(a	d persons other)(1) or section	er
f			n received a written dete	ermination from the IRS th	nat is a ⁻	Туре І, Т	ype II o	r Type I	II suppo	rting org	anızatıon,	
g		Since August 17,	2006, has the organiza	tion accepted any gift or	contribu	tion fron	n any of	the foll	owing pe	ersons?		
		(i) a person when the control of the	no directly or indirectly o	controls, either alone or to	ogether v	with pers	ons des	cribed i	n (II) an	d (III)	11 g (i)	s No
			mber of a person desc	• •							11 g (ii)	
		``	•	described in (i) or (ii) abo	ove?						11 g (iii)	+-
h		• •	•	ne supported organization							1 1 9 ()	
) Name of Supported Organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) lorganizat (i) listed gove	Is the ion in col d in your erning ment?	(v) Did y the organ col (your si	ization in	(vı) I organızat (i) organı U S	zed in the l	(vii) Amount of S	Support
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Sche	edute 'A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2009	9 Hamilton	County Mas	ster Garden	ers Assn.	35-166783	
<u>Pai</u>	t II Support Schedule for	-			(b)(1)(A)(iv) an	d 170(b)(1)(A)	(vi)
Sec	(Complete only if you checke tion A. Public Support	ed the box on line	5, 7, or 8 of Part	<u> </u>			
ale	ndar year (or fiscal year nning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions and membership fees received (Do not include 'unusual grants ')						
2	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to it or expended on its behalf						
3	The value of services or facilities furnished to the organization by a governmental unit without charge. Do not include the value of services or facilities generally furnished to the public without charge						
4 5	Total. Add lines 1-through 3 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	Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						
Sec	tion B. Total Support					1	T
	ndar year (or fiscal year nning in) ►	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
7	Amounts from line 4						
8	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income form 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	Total support. Add lines 7 through 10]				
12	Gross receipts from related activ	ities, etc. (see ins	structions)	-		12	<u> </u>
13	First five years. If the Form 990 organization, check this box and	is for the organization stop here	ation's first, secon	d, third, fourth, o	r fifth tax year as	a section 501(c)(3	⁽⁾ ▶ □
_	ction C. Computation of Pu						T
	Public support percentage for 20			e 11, column (f)		14	%
	Public support percentage from 2					15	<u>%</u>
16	a 33-1/3 support test — 2009. If the and stop here. The organization	e organization did qualifies as a put	not check the box olicly supported or	on line 13, and ganization.	the line 14 is 33-1	/3 % or more, che	eck this box
	b 33-1/3 support test — 2008. If the and stop here. The organization	e organization did qualifies as a pub	not check a box of plicly supported or	on line 13, or 16a, ganization	, and line 15 is 33	-1/3% or more, ch	eck this box
17	a 10%-facts-and-circumstances to or more, and if the organization the organization meets the 'facts	meets the 'facts-a	ind-circumstances	' test, check this l	box and stop here	. Explain in Part I	V how
	b 10%-facts-and-circumstances to or more, and if the organization organization meets the 'facts-and	meets the 'facts-a	ind-circumstances	' test, check this l	box and stop here	. Explain in Part l	15 is 10% V how the ► □

18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line, 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990 EZ) 2009 Hamilton County Master Gardeners Assn.

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

	(Complete only if you chec	ked the box on lin	e 9 of Part I)								
Sec	tion A. Public Support										
	ndar year (or fiscal yr beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total				
	Gifts, grants, contributions and membership fees received (Do not include 'unusual grants')	2,020.	2,364.	1,926.	2,065.	13,322.	21,697.				
-	Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in a activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose	34,108.	34,742.	35,952.	39,575.	45,496.	189,873.				
3	Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513										
	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf	0.	0.	0.	0.		0.				
5	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.				
6	Total. Add lines 1 through 5	36,128.	37,106.	37,878.	41,640.	58,818.	211,570.				
7 a	Amounts included on lines 1, 2, 3 received from disqualified persons	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.				
	Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year										
С	Add lines 7a and 7b	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.				
8	Public support (Subtract line										
	7c from line 6)						211,570.				
Sec	tion B. Total Support										
Caler	ndar year (or fiscal yr beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total				
	Amounts from line 6	36,128.	37,106.	37,878.	41,640.	58,818.	211,570.				
10 a	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income form similar sources	717.	1,591.	2,004.	1,675.	884.	6,871.				
	Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975										
	Add lines 10a and 10b Net income from unrelated business activities not included inline 10b, whether or not the business is	717.	1,591.	2,004.	1,675.	884.	6,871.				
	regularly carried on	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.				
12	Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV)			18.	22.	65.	105.				
12	Total support. (add Ins 9, 10c, 11, and 12)						218,546.				
14	First five years. If the Form 990 organization, check this box and	stop here		, third, fourth, or	fifth tax year as a	section 501(c)(3)					
	Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage										
15	Public support percentage for 200	9 (line 8, column	(f) divided by line	13, column (f))		. 15	96.81%				
16	Public support percentage from 2	008 Schedule A, F	Part III, line 15			16	96.60%				
Sec	tion D. Computation of Inv	estment Incon	ne Percentage								
17	Investment income percentage for	r 2009 (line 10c, d	column (f) divided	by line 13, colum	n (f))	. 17	3.14 %				
18	Investment income percentage from					18	3.38%				
	33-1/3 support tests – 2009. If the more than 33-1/3% , check this bo	ox and stop here.	The organization of	qualifies as a pub	licly supported org	ganization	► X				
	33-1/3 support tests – 2008. If the is not more than 33-1/3%, check	this box and stop	here. The organiz	ation qualifies as	a publicly support	ted organization	and line 18				
_20	Private foundation. If the organiz	ation did not chec	K a DOX OH HITE 14	, (30, UL 130, CHE	CA THE DOX SHO S	ee manuchons					

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Part IV	Suppl	emental	Informat	ion. Comple	te this pa	art to provid	de the expl	anations re	equired by Part II, I ormation. See instr	ine 10; uctions.
Other	Income	Part	III, Li	ne_12						
Descri	<u>ption</u> :	Sales	tax co	llection	allowan	<u>ce</u>				
2007:	18			. – – – – .						
2008:	22									
2009:_	21									
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SCHEDULE G (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

OMB No 1545-0047 2009

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 Form990 or Form 990-EZ. ► See separate instructions.

Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization					Employer (dentific	ation number
Hamilton County Master	Gardeners .	Assn.			35-166783	17
Part I Fundraising Activities. Com Form 990EZ filers are not re	olete if the organ	ization an	swered 'Ye	s' to Form 990, Part IV,	•	
1 Indicate whether the organization				ving activities. Check at	I that apply	
Mail solicitations	,			Solicitation of non-		
	_				•	
Internet and email solicitation	15			Solicitation of gover	-	
Phone solicitations				Special fundraising	events	
In-person solicitations						
2a Did the organization have written employees listed in Form 990, Pa	or oral agreeme irt VII) or entity ii	nt with any n connection	ndividual on with pro	including officers, dire fessional fundraising se	ectors, trustees or key ervices?	Yes No
b If 'Yes,' list the ten highest paid if compensated at least \$5,000 by the	ndividuals or enti he organization	ties (fundr	aisers) pur	suant to agreements ur		er is to be
		(3)		4.5	(v) Amount paid to	6.5 4
(i) Name of Individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity		fundraiser dy or control	(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(or retained by) fundraiser listed in	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by)
or entity (fundraiser)	ļ	of contr	butions?	morn activity	col (i)	organization
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Total			>			
3 List all states in which the organi.	zation is register	ed or licen	sed to soli	cit funds or has been no	otified it is exempt from	registration
or licensing						
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Par	t II	Fundraising Events. Complete If reported more than \$15,000 on F	the organization at	nswered 'Yes' to Fo	orm 990, Part IV, II	ne 18, oi ster than	\$5.00	าก			
-		reported more than \$15,000 on i	(a) Event #1 Garden Sales	(b) Event #2	(c) Other Events	(d) Tot (Add col	al Ever	nts			
R			(event type)	(event type)	(total number)	со	l. (c))				
REVENUE	1	Gross receipts	28,820.				28,8	320.			
Ε	2	Less. Charitable contributions									
	3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	28,820.				28,8	320.			
	4	Cash prizes									
•	5	Noncash prizes									
DIRECT	6	Rent/facility costs									
	7	Food and beverages									
X P E	8	Entertainment									
EXPERSES	9	Other direct expenses	9,428.				9,4	128.			
3	10	Direct expense summary Add lines 4- th	rough 9 in column (d)		•		9,4	128.			
	11	Net income summary Combine lines 3, c			•		19,3	392.			
Pai	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		(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (Add col (a) through col (c))								
Ë	1	Gross revenue									
	i i	aross revenue									
D X	2	Cash prizes									
DIRECTS	3	Non-cash prizes					, ,				
S	4	Rent/facility costs									
	5	Other direct expenses									
	6	Volunteer labor	Yes%	Yes%	Yes% No						
	7	Direct expense summary Add lines 2 thro	ough 5 in column (d)		•						
	8	Net gaming income summary Combine I	ines 1 column (d) and I	ine 7	•						
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	9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities										
		ne organization licensed to operate gaming lo,' explain	activities in each of the	se states?		9	a				
		e any of the organization's gaming license 'es,' explain	s revoked, suspended o	r terminated during the	tax year?	10:	a				
11	 Doe	s the organization operate gaming activities	s with nonmembers?			11					
12	ls th	ne organization a grantor, beneficiary or tru ninister charitable gaming?	ustee of a trust or a men	nber of a partnership or	other entity formed to	12					
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		YES	NO
13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in			
a The organization's facility	-%		
b An outside facility	-8		
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?	15 a		
b If 'Yes,' enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization \$ and the amount			
of gaming revenue retained by the third party \$		1 :	'
c If 'Yes,' enter name and address of the third party			
			ĺ
Name. •		1	
Address			
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?	17 a		
b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the	.he		
organization's own exempt activities during the tax year 🕨 \$			ot
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Other Assets and Liabilities

2009

Name as Shown on Return	Employer Identification No
Hamilton County Master Gardeners Assn.	35-1667837

Line 24 - Other Assets:	Beginning of Year	End of Year
Prepaid expenses	179.	
Totals to Form 990-EZ, Part II, line 24	179.	
Line 26 - Total Liabilities:	Beginning of Year	End of Year
Prepaid dues for next year	710.	1,095
Sales tax payable	2.	
Long-term scholarship funding	7,650.	
Long-term library book donation funding	1,500.	
Long-term grow lab/outdoor classroom grant funding	4,400.	2,800
Totals to Form 990-EZ, Part II, line 26	14,262.	3,895

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Miscellaneous Statement

Part III, Line 28

The Hamilton County Master Gardener Assn.
is a volunteer organization whose members
have completed the Master Gardener program
through Purdue University and the County
Extension Office. Our primary purposes are
to further our own knowledge of good gardening
practices in Central Indiana and to share
that knowledge with the gardening public.

To attain these goals in 2009, HCMGA held monthly membership meetings with speakers throughout the year and members participated on one or more of the association committees. The association also maintained permanent display beds at the Hamilton County 4-H Grounds that are open to the public and that feature All-America Selection annual flowers and vegetables, daylilies, iris, hardy perennial flowers, and Midwest native plants. Work continued on maintaining and developing public gardens throughout the county. The beds provide information to the public through plant labeling and handouts as well as by direct contact with visitors while members are working.

Members of the association participated in sharing good gardening information through a number of other direct means, including, but not limited to, our website, the Speakers Bureau, Seeds of Knowledge, and the Voice Mail at the Extension Office, the last allowing members of the gardening public to talk directly with a Master Gardener to get help with gardening questions and problems. Through the voice mail, public speaking, and various other activities, we also provide support to the Extension Educator. Members staffed an information booth at the Hamilton County 4-H fair. The members participated in the annual 4-H Mini Day Camp, teaching hundreds of six and seven year olds about seed starting.

Minimum required hours are 12 volunteer and 6 education hours per year. The over 200 members of HCMGA donated over 10,000 volunteer hours and reported over 4,000 hours in furtherance of their individual education in 2009.

The HCMGA also give to the community in the form of scholarships and matching grants to county schools for the GrowLab programs. Scholarships are available to any county resident majoring in horticulture or a

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Miscellaneous Statement	
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related field. The application requirement was amended to include the child or grandchild	
of an active HCMGA member, regardless of the	
applicant's place of residence. In 2009, four	
scholarships were awarded.	

Total

Total

Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 8 Other Revenue Statement		
Other revenue (describe) Sales tax collection allowance	21.	
Other income	44.	
Total	65.	
Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 16		
Other Expenses Statement		
Other expenses (describe)		
Insurance	711.	
Sundry	354.	
Public education	360.	
Newsletter	587.	
Display beds maintenance at fairgrounds	4,562.	
4-H day camp committee expenses	310.	
Carmel Clay Historical Soc. Garden comm. exp.	379.	
Ritchey Woods committee expenses	100.	
Badges	1,235.	
Banquet	3,601.	
Directory	370.	
Hospitality	155.	
Pitch-in	298.	
Membership coordinator	176.	
PCARET	45.	
Intern party	68.	
Hadley Park Committee	134.	
Seeds of Knowledge	101.	
Master Propagators	123.	
Westfield Heirloom Committee	3.	
Seminar expenses	8,937.	
Meeting tables setup	609.	
Years of service pins	120.	
Membership services	40.	
Wellness program	500.	
Workshop expenses	1,478.	
Day trip expenses	2,045.	
Winter tea	477.	
Member vouchers	322.	
Programs/monthly meetings	225.	

28,425.

Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 10
Grants and Similar Amounts Pai

Purpose of Payme	ent Scholarships			
Class of Activity	Grantee's Name and Address	Grantee's Relationship	Amount Given	
Scholarships	Business Person X	one	-	
			350.	
	han cash was given, the following additional infor		provided:	
Book Value	How Book Value Determined			
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I_ Purpose of Payme	ent Friend of Master Garde	eners		
Class of Activity	Grantee's Name and Address	Grantee's Relationship	Amount Given	
Friends of Master Ga	Business X Person Northwestern Avenue	one	-	
· · ·	West Lafayette IN 47907		1,000.	
If property other to Description of Pro Date of Gift	han cash was given, the following additional inforeporty		provided:	
Book Value	How Book Value Determined			
FMV	How FMV Determined			
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	ge 1, Part I, Line 20 Net Assets or Fund Balances			
	Description	<u>.</u>	Amount	
Unused book	grants		1,500	
Total		-	1,500	