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Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

2009

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

The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

Open to Public Inspection

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	Please use IRS label or print or type. See specific instructions.	C Name of organization ANCIENT FREE & ACCEPTED MASONS 125 MOSAIC LODGE		D Employer Identification Number 42-6066292
		Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite 1355 WEST THIRD STREET		E Telephone number (563) 583-0460
		City, town or country State ZIP code + 4 DUBUQUE IA 52001-6445		G Gross receipts \$ 321,732.
		F Name and address of principal officer BRIAN P. CARROLL 1355 WEST THIRD STREET DUBUQUE IA 52001-6445		
I Tax-exempt status ☒ 501(c) (10) (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527				
J Website: WWW.MOSAICLODGE125.COM H(c) Group exemption number 0495				
K Form of organization ☐ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☒ Other FRATERNAL L Year of Formation 1858 M State of legal domicile IA				

Part I Summary

Revenue 1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: TO PROMOTE A WAY OF LIFE THAT BINDS LIKE-MINDED MEN IN A BROTHERHOOD THAT TRANSCENDS ALL RELIGIOUS, ETHNIC, CULTURAL, SOCIAL, AND EDUCATIONAL DIFFERENCES; BY TEACHING THE GREAT PRINCIPLES OF BROTHERLY LOVE, RELIEF, AND TRUTH; AND BY THE OUTWARD EXPRESSION OF THESE, THROUGH ITS FELLOWSHIP, COMPASSION, AND CONCERN, TO FIND WAYS IN WHICH TO SERVE GOD, FAMILY, COUNTRY, AND SELF. 2 Check this box ☐ if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its assets 3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) 4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) 5 Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a) 6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) 7a Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 7b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	3 83 4 80 5 0 6 0 7a 0. 7b			
	Expenses 8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 10) 9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) 10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) 11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e) 12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) 13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3) 14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) 15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10) 16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11) 16b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) 17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, if 24) 18 Total expenses - Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) 19 Revenue less expenses - Subtract line 18 from line 12	Prior Year 19,698. 2,714. 22,412. 20,600. 26,901. 47,501. -25,089.	Current Year 4,393. -11,092. 96. -6,603. 33,299. 17,608. 50,907. -57,510.	
		Net Assets or Fund Balances 20 Total assets (Part X, line 16) 21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) 22 Net assets or fund balances - Subtract line 21 from line 20	Beginning of Year 702,839. 702,839.	End of Year 779,748. 779,748.

Part II Signature Block

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 <u>Edwin D. Blinks</u> Date <u>March 22, 2010</u>	
	Type or print name and title <u>EDWIN D. BLINKS</u> <u>TREASURER</u>	
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature <u>James Kircher</u> Date <u>03/17/10</u>	Check if self-employed ☐ Preparer's identifying number (see instructions)
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 <u>JIM KIRCHER & ASSOCIATES, P.C.</u> <u>815 CENTURY DR.</u> <u>DUBUQUE IA 52002</u>	EIN <u>(563) 556-3392</u>

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)

☒ Yes ☐ No

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments**1** Briefly describe the organization's mission:

TO PROMOTE A WAY OF LIFE THAT BINDS LIKE-MINDED MEN
IN A BROTHERHOOD THAT TRANSCENDS ALL RELIGIOUS, ETHNIC, CULTURAL, SOCIAL, AND EDUCATIONAL DIFFERENCES;
See Form 990, Page 2, Part III, Line 1 (continued)

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?☐ Yes ☒ No

If 'Yes,' describe these new services on Schedule O

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services?☐ Yes ☒ No

If 'Yes,' describe these changes on Schedule O

4 Describe the exempt purpose achievements for each of the organization's three largest program services by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported**4a** (Code _____) (Expenses \$ _____ including grants of \$ _____) (Revenue \$ _____)

FRATERNAL EDUCATION AND ACTIVITIES: TO PRESENT THE PRINCIPLES AND TEACHINGS OF FREEMASONRY TO MEMBERS IN ORDER TO
MAKE THEM BETTER INDIVIDUALS WITHIN SOCIETY AND TO PROVIDE MEANINGFUL ACTIVITIES TO PROMOTE MASONIC FELLOWSHIP

THE PRINCIPLES AND TEACHINGS OF FREEMASONRY ARE FIRST PRESENTED TO THOSE JOINING MOSAIC LODGE THROUGH THE THREE
DEGREES OF SYMBOLIC MASONRY AND THEREAFTER BY EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS, NUMEROUS SELF-STUDY RESOURCES, AND BY
WITNESSING HOW OTHER MASONS PRACTICE THEM IN THEIR DAILY LIVES. THE EIGHTY-THREE MEMBERS OF THE LODGE WERE
PROVIDED WITH A VARIETY OF OPPORTUNITIES FOR MASONIC FELLOWSHIP AND PERSONAL GROWTH. MEMBERS WERE INFORMED
ABOUT LODGE MEETINGS, DEGREE WORK, AND VARIOUS ACTIVITIES AND WERE ENCOURAGED TO PARTICIPATE WHENEVER POSSIBLE.
SOME OF THE ACTIVITIES INCLUDED FAMILY MEMBERS.

4b (Code _____) (Expenses \$ _____ including grants of \$ _____) (Revenue \$ _____)

CHARITABLE ASSISTANCE: TO PROVIDE FUNDS AND OTHER ASSISTANCE TO INDIVIDUALS AND/OR ORGANIZATIONS FOR RELIGIOUS,
CHARITABLE, SCIENTIFIC, LITERARY, AND EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES

CHARITY IS ONE OF THE FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES OF FREEMASONRY AND IS EVIDENT THROUGH ITS FINANCIAL SUPPORT OF A
VARIETY OF WORTHWHILE CAUSES. IN 2009 MOSAIC LODGE AWARDED GRANTS TOTALING \$28,550 TO SEVENTEEN QUALIFIED, NON-PROFIT
ORGANIZATIONS AND AWARDED \$1,000 SCHOLARSHIPS TO THREE OUTSTANDING HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS IN ORDER TO ASSIST THEM
IN PURSUING A POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION, AND PAID VARIOUS MEDICAL, RENTAL, AND UTILITY BILLS TOTALING \$1749
FOR A FORMER MEMBER SUFFERING FROM A TERMINAL ILLNESS. MASONIC CHARITY, HOWEVER, GOES BEYOND THAT OF FINANCIAL
ASSISTANCE AND IS EVIDENT THROUGH ITS MEMBERS' ACTS OF KINDNESS AND SERVICES TO THOSE IN NEED
OF ASSISTANCE WHETHER THEY BE MASONS OR NOT.

4c (Code _____) (Expenses \$ _____ including grants of \$ _____) (Revenue \$ _____)**4d** Other program services. (Describe in Schedule O.)

(Expenses \$ _____ including grants of \$ _____) (Revenue \$ _____)

4e Total program service expenses ▶

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule A		X
2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?		X
3 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		X
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part II		
5 Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations. Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part III		
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part I		X
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas or historic structures? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part II		X
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part III		X
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part IV		X
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part V		X
11 Is the organization's answer to any of the following questions 'Yes'? If so, complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable		X
• Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings and equipment in Part X, line 10? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VI		
• Did the organization report an amount for investments— other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VII		
• Did the organization report an amount for investments— program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VIII		
• Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part IX		
• Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part X		
• Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part X		
12 Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statement for the tax year? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII		X
12A Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statement for the tax year? If 'Yes,' completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional	Yes	No
		X
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule E		X
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the United States? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Part I		X
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Part II		X
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Part III		X
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part I		X
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part II		X
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part III		X
20 Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule H		X

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

	Yes	No
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	X	
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule I, Parts I and III		X
23 Did the organization answer 'Yes' to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule J		X
24a Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, and that was issued after December 31, 2002? If 'Yes,' answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If 'No,' go to line 25		X
b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		
c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		
d Did the organization act as an 'on behalf of' issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		
25a Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part I		
b Is the organization 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		
26 Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part II		X
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor, or a grant selection committee member, or to a person related to such an individual? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part III		X
28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)		
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
c An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee of the organization (or a family member) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule M		X
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule M		X
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule N, Part I		X
32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule N, Part II		X
33 Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Part I		X
34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1		X
35 Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2		X
36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2		
37 Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Part VI		X
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	X	

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Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

		Yes	No
1 a Enter the number reported in Box 3 of form 1096, Annual Summary and Transmittal of U S Information Returns. Enter -0- if not applicable.	1 a 0		
b Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable.	1 b 0		
c Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1 c		
2 a Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return.	2 a 0		
2 b If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file this return (see instructions).	2 b		
3 a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?	3 a		X
b If 'Yes,' has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If 'No,' provide an explanation in Schedule O.	3 b		
4 a 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)?	4 a		X
b 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.			
5 a Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5 a		X
b Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5 b		X
c If 'Yes,' to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, Disclosure by Tax-Exempt Entity Regarding Prohibited Tax Shelter Transaction?	5 c		
6 a Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?	6 a	X	
b If 'Yes,' did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not deductible?	6 b	X	
7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).			
a Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7 a		
b If 'Yes,' did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7 b		
c Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7 c		
d If 'Yes,' indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year.	7 d		
e Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7 e		
f Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7 f		
g For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7 g		
h For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C as required?	7 h		
8 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8		
9 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.			
a Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9 a		
b Did the organization make any distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9 b		
10 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:			
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12.	10 a		
b Gross Receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities.	10 b		
11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:			
a Gross income from other members or shareholders.	11 a		
b Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them).	11 b		
12 a Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12 a		
b If 'Yes,' enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year.	12 b		

Part VI Governance, Management and Disclosure For each 'Yes' response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a 'No' response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

Section A. Governing Body and Management

	Yes	No
1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body		
1b Enter the number of voting members that are independent		
2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee or key employee?		X
3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?		X
4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its organizational documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		X
5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's assets?		X
6 Does the organization have members or stockholders?	X	
7a Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body?		X
7b Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons?		X
8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
a The governing body?	X	
b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?		X
9 Is there any officer, director or trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If 'Yes,' provide the names and addresses in Schedule O		X

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

	Yes	No
10a Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?		X
b If 'Yes,' does the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with those of the organization?		
11 Has the organization provided a copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?		X
11A Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990		
12a Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If 'No,' go to line 13		X
b Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?		
c Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If 'Yes,' describe in Schedule O how this is done		
13 Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?		X
14 Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?		X
15 Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official		X
b Other officers of key employees of the organization		X
If 'Yes' to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (See instructions)		
16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?		X
b If 'Yes,' has the organization adopted a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and taken steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?		

Section C. Disclosures

17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed 14

18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.

☐ Own website ☐ Another's website ☒ Upon request

19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public.

20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization.

► EDWIN D. BLINKS 10602 CEDAR POINT COURT, DUBUQUE IA 52003-8102 (563) 583-0460

Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organizations's tax year. Use Schedule J-2 if additional space is needed.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees. See instructions for definition of "key employees."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations

- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons

☐ Check this box if the organization did not compensate any current officer, director, or trustee

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Part VII	Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (cont.)
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(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employees	Former			
1 b Total								0.	0.	525.

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in reportable compensation from the organization

- 3 Did the organization list any **former** officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? *If 'Yes,' complete Schedule J for such individual*
- 4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? *If 'Yes' complete Schedule J for such individual*
- 5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization for services rendered to the organization? *If 'Yes,' complete Schedule J for such person*

	Yes	No
3		X
4		X
5		X

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of Services	(C) Compensation
NONE		

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in compensation from the organization ▶ 0

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
CONTRIBUTIONS, GIFTS, GRANTS AND OTHER SIMILAR AMOUNTS	1a Federated campaigns	1a					
	b Membership dues	1b	3,376.				
	c Fundraising events	1c					
	d Related organizations	1d					
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e					
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	1,017.				
	g Noncash contribns included in lns 1a-1f	\$					
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f		4,393.				
PROGRAM SERVICE REVENUE	Business Code						
	2a						
	b						
	c						
	d						
	e						
	f All other program service revenue						
g Total. Add lines 2a-2f							
OTHER REVENUE	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest and other similar amounts)		32,571.	32,571.	0.	0.	
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds						
	5 Royalties						
	6a Gross Rents	(i) Real (ii) Personal					
	b Less rental expenses						
	c Rental income or (loss)						
	d Net rental income or (loss)						
	7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities (ii) Other	284,672.				
	b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses		328,335.				
	c Gain or (loss)		-43,663.				
	d Net gain or (loss)		-43,663.	-43,663.	0.	0.	
	8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18	a					
	b Less direct expenses	b					
	c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events						
	9a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a					
	b Less direct expenses	b					
	c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities						
	10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a					
	b Less cost of goods sold	b					
	c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory						
	Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code				
	11a LITIGATION SETTLEMENT	900099	96.	96.	0.	0.	
b							
c							
d All other revenue							
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d		96.					
12 Total revenue. See instructions		-6,603.	-10,996.	0.	0.		

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns.

All other organizations must complete column (A) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).

<i>Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.</i>	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the U.S. See Part IV, line 21	28,550.			
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U.S. See Part IV, line 22	4,749.			
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U.S. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees				
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages				
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)				
9 Other employee benefits				
10 Payroll taxes				
11 Fees for services (non-employees)				
a Management				
b Legal				
c Accounting	425.			
d Lobbying				
e Prof fundraising svcs. See Part IV, ln 17				
f Investment management fees	6,258.			
g Other				
12 Advertising and promotion	160.			
13 Office expenses	1,273.			
14 Information technology	380.			
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	4,385.			
17 Travel	73.			
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates	2,077.			
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization				
23 Insurance				
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (Expenses grouped together and labeled miscellaneous may not exceed 5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below.)				
a <u>DINNERS/REFRESHMENTS</u>	1,125.			
b <u>OFFICER HONORARIUMS</u>	525.			
c <u>OFFICER INSTALLATION EXPENSE</u>	868.			
d <u>FOREIGN TAXES</u>	24.			
e <u>MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES</u>	35.			
f All other expenses				
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	50,907.			
26 Joint costs. Check here ☐ if following SOP 98-2. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				

Part X Balance Sheet

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
ASSETS	1 Cash — non-interest-bearing		1	
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	134,486.	2	128,860.
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4 Accounts receivable, net		4	
	5 Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6 Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) Complete Part II of Schedule L		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		9	
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a		
	b Less accumulated depreciation	10b	10c	
	11 Investments — publicly-traded securities	568,353.	11	650,888.
	12 Investments — other securities See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13 Investments — program-related See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14 Intangible assets		14	
	15 Other assets See Part IV, line 11		15	
16 Total assets Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	702,839.	16	779,748.	
LIABILITIES	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses		17	
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue		19	
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22 Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L		22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24	
	25 Other liabilities Complete Part X of Schedule D		25	
	26 Total liabilities Add lines 17 through 25	0.	26	0.
NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here ☒ and complete lines 27 through 29 and lines 33 and 34.			
	27 Unrestricted net assets	702,839.	27	779,748.
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets		28	
	29 Permanently restricted net assets		29	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ☐ and complete lines 30 through 34.			
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, and equipment fund		31	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
	33 Total net assets or fund balances.	702,839.	33	779,748.
	34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	702,839.	34	779,748.

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Part XI Financial Statements and Reporting

1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other

If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked 'Other,' explain in Schedule O

2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?

b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?

c If 'Yes' to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?

If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O

d If 'Yes' to line 2a or 2b, check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were issued on a consolidated basis, separate basis, or both

☐ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis

3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?

b If 'Yes,' did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits

	Yes	No
2a		X
2b		X
2c		
3a		X
3b		

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Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations, Governments and Individuals in the United States

OMB No 1545-0047

2009

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes,' to Form 990, Part IV, lines 21 or 22.

▶ Attach to Form 990.

Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

ANCIENT FREE & ACCEPTED MASONS 125 MOSAIC LODGE

42-6066292

Part I	General Information on Grants and Assistance
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- 1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance?
- 2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

☒ Yes ☐ No

Part II	Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States.	Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form

Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Check this box if no one recipient received more than \$5,000. Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed

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- 2 Enter total number of section 501 (c)(3) and government organizations
- 3 Enter total number of other organizations

**SCHEDULE O
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information to Form 990

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or to provide any additional information.

► Attach to Form 990.

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Name of the organization

Ancient Free & Accepted Masons 125 Mosaic Lodge

Employer identification number

42 : 6066292

Part VI, Section A, Lines 1 & 6 Mosaic Lodge is classified as a subordinate organization operating under a central organization, the Grand Lodge of Iowa, A.F. and A.M. The Grand Lodge, through its Constitution and Laws for Subordinate Lodges, specifies how subordinate lodges are to operate including their form of governance. Any man, who has received the three degrees of Symbolic Masonry in a particular lodge or any Mason who has affiliated with it, is classified as a member of that lodge with the right to vote on all matters which may come before it. The Grand Lodge specifies that all members of a lodge present at a regular meeting of that lodge, provided a quorum of seven is present, are entitled to vote and thus make governance decisions on behalf of the lodge. The Grand Lodge does not authorize delegating this authority to a smaller body. Thus the eighty-three members of Mosaic Lodge form its governing body

Part VI, Section A, Line 8: As required by the Grand Lodge, the secretary of a lodge records the minutes of every regular and special meeting of the lodge in a minute book which is kept for an indefinite period with most being kept from the time that the lodge was chartered by the Grand Lodge. During a regular meeting of Mosaic Lodge, various committees will give a verbal report of their activities, if any. This report is entered into the minutes of that meeting. Any recommendation made by a committee must be voted upon by the members of the Lodge present at a regular meeting

Part VI, Section B, Line 11: The data for Form 990 is initially prepared by the Treasurer of Mosaic Lodge and then given to a C.P.A. firm for review and preparation. The Treasurer reviews the completed Form 990 at a regular meeting of the Lodge -- the members present constituting the governing body. Upon request, any member of the Lodge may examine Form 990 in detail.

Part VI, Section B, Line 15: As a small token of appreciation for their service, Mosaic Lodge provides for the annual payment of honorariums to three of its officers -- the Master, Treasurer, and Secretary. These honorariums; \$75, \$150. and \$300 respectively; are determined by tradition and the Lodge's By-Laws. An amendment to the By-Laws would be required in order to change the amounts specified therein. The current amounts have been in effect since 2001

Name of the organization

Ancient Free & Accepted Masons 125 Mosaic Lodge

Employer identification number

42 6066292

Part VI, Section C, Line 19. The governing documents of Mosaic Lodge consist of the Constitution and Laws for Subordinate Lodges of the Grand Lodge of Iowa and the By-Laws of Mosaic Lodge which may not be inconsistent or in conflict with those of the Grand Lodge. Mosaic Lodge does not have a conflict of interest policy. The financial records of Mosaic Lodge are maintained by the Treasurer. The above documents are available for examination by any member of the Lodge or member of the public upon request.

Part XI, Line 2. The Treasurer of Mosaic Lodge annually compiles a written report summarizing the financial activities of the Lodge for the preceding year. As required by the Laws for Subordinate Lodges of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, the financial records of the Lodge, including the Treasurer's annual report, are examined annually by the Finance Committee of the Lodge. The Finance Committee reports its findings at a regular meeting of the Lodge and recommends whether the annual report compiled by the Treasurer should be accepted. If accepted, this report becomes a part of the minutes of the Lodge, and a copy of the report is sent to the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

Form 990, Page 2, Part III, Line 1 (continued)

Briefly describe the organization's mission

BY TEACHING THE GREAT PRINCIPLES OF BROTHERLY LOVE, RELIEF, AND TRUTH; AND BY THE OUTWARD EXPRESSION OF THESE,
THROUGH ITS FELLOWSHIP, COMPASSION, AND CONCERN, TO FIND WAYS IN WHICH TO SERVE GOD , FAMILY, COUNTRY, AND SELF.