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Form **990-EZ**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Short Form**
Return of Organization Exempt From Income TaxUnder section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code
(except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

► Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds and controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990. All other organizations with gross receipts less than \$500,000 and total assets less than \$1,250,000 at the end of the year may use this form.

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

OMB No 1545-1150

2009**Open to Public Inspection****A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning** JAN, 2009, and ending DEC, 2009**B** Check if applicable:

- ☐ Address change
☐ Name change
☐ Initial return
☐ Terminated
☐ Amended return
☐ Application pending

Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.

C Name of organizationUSWA 9452

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

2800 YUMA ST

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

FORT SMITH, AR 72901-8777**D** Employer identification number710837466**E** Telephone number479-646-6766**F** Group Exemption Number► 0260• **Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).****G** Accounting Method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual
Other (specify) ►**I** Website: ► N/A**H** Check ☒ if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).**J** Tax-exempt status (check only one) — ☒ 501(c) (5) ◀ (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527**K** Check ☐ if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. A Form 990-EZ or Form 990 return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return.**L** Add lines 5b, 6b, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts; if \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ► \$ 50,811**Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances** (See the instructions for Part I.)

Revenue	1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	<u>0</u>
	2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	<u>0</u>
	3	Membership dues and assessments	3	<u>50680</u>
	4	Investment income	4	<u>0</u>
	5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	<u>0</u>
	5b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	<u>0</u>
	5c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	<u>0</u>
	6	Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G). If any amount is from gaming, check here <input type="checkbox"/>		
	6a	Gross revenue (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1)	6a	<u>0</u>
	6b	Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b	<u>0</u>
6c	Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c	<u>0</u>	
7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	<u>0</u>	
7b	Less: cost of goods sold	7b	<u>0</u>	
7c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	<u>0</u>	
8	Other revenue (describe) ►	8	<u>131</u>	
9	Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8	9	<u>50811</u>	
Expenses	10	Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)	10	<u>375</u>
	11	Benefits paid to or for members	11	<u>0</u>
	12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	<u>19879</u>
	13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	<u>3101</u>
	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	<u>12461</u>
	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	<u>44</u>
	16	Other expenses (describe) ►	16	<u>9340</u>
	17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17	<u>45200</u>
Net Assets	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	<u>5611</u>
	19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	<u>5351</u>
	20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20	<u>0</u>
	21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	21	<u>10962</u>

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

(See the instructions for Part II.)

	(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments	<u>5351</u>	22 <u>10962</u>
23 Land and buildings	<u>0</u>	23 <u>0</u>
24 Other assets (describe) ►	<u>0</u>	24 <u>0</u>
25 Total assets	<u>5351</u>	25 <u>10962</u>
26 Total liabilities (describe) ►	<u>0</u>	26 <u>0</u>
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	<u>5351</u>	27 <u>10962</u>

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

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? Collective Bargaining
Describe what was achieved in carrying out the organization's exempt purposes. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title.

Expenses

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

28 Local enforced Collective Bargaining Agreement to better the working conditions of the Local Union and provide representation to its members

(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ☐

28a

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(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ☐

29a

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(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ☐

30a

31 Other program services (attach schedule)

(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ☐

31a

32 Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a) ►

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

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Part V 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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
34 Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	34	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
35 If the organization had income from business activities, such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a (among others), but not reported on Form 990-T, attach a statement explaining why the organization did not report the income on Form 990-T.		
a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or was it subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?	35a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions. ▶ 37a <u>N/A</u>		
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	37b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved	38b <u>N/A</u>	
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9	39a <u>N/A</u>	
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities	39b <u>N/A</u>	
40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ▶ _____ ; section 4912 ▶ _____ ; section 4955 ▶ _____		
b Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or is it aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	40b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
c Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 ▶ _____		
d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization ▶ _____		
e All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T.	40e	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed. ▶ _____		
42a The organization's books are in care of ▶ <u>LOCAL 9452-13</u> Telephone no. ▶ <u>479-646-6766</u> Located at ▶ <u>2800 YUMA ST FORTSMITH AR</u> ZIP + 4 ▶ <u>72901-8777</u>		
b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	42b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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 .		
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U.S.?	42c	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶ _____		
43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 —Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶ 43 <input type="checkbox"/>		
44 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Part VI

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

- | | Yes | No |
|---|-----|-------------------------------------|
| 46 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I | 46 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II | 47 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E | 48 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? | 49a | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization? | 49b | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

50 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$100,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
NONE				

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

51 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

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

Sign Here

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge

Signature of officer Kenny Engel Date _____
 Type or print name and title KENNY ENGEL FINANCIAL SEC.

Paid Preparer's Use Only

Preparer's signature _____ Date _____ Check if self-employed ☐ Preparer's identifying number (See instructions) _____
 Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 _____ EIN _____
 Phone no. _____

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions ▶ ☐ Yes ☐ No

United Steelworkers of America

Dist. # 13 LOCAL 9452
(District & Local Union Number)

EIN# 71-0837466

Address

USWA LOCAL 9452
2800 YUMA ST
FT. SMITH, AR. 72901-8777

Period Ending 31 Dec, 2009

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Attached Listing – Part IV List of Officers, Directors Trustees and Key Employees

(Important List all persons who held office during the period even if not compensated)

(A) Name and Address	(B) Title and Average hours Per week Devoted to position	(C) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(D) Contributions to employee benefit plans & differed compensation	(E) Expense account And Other allowances
TRACY CHRISTIAN	PRESIDENT	\$ 128	0	0
GLEN GILLET	VP/PRESIDENT	\$ 3709	0	0
JERRIE WHITLOCK	REC. SEC.	\$ 2009	0	0
KENNY ENGEL	FIN. SEC.	\$ 2109	0	0
JAMES MCCHRISTIAN	TRES.	\$ 1625	0	0
LARRY MILLIKEN	TRUSTEE	\$ 523	0	0
LOYD JAMES	TRUSTEE	\$ 340	0	0
ROBERT SMITH	TRUSTEE	\$ 524	0	0
RALPH MECKER	GUIDE	0	0	0
CRAIG TAYLOR	INSIDE GUARD	\$ 11	0	0
LARRY WHILLHITE	OUTSIDE GUARD	0	0	0