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Form 990

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-0047

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

2009

Open to Public Inspection

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

A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning 06-01-2009 and ending 05-31-2010

- 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 organization: The Junior League of Houston Inc. Doing Business As: ... Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address): 1811 Briar Oaks Lane ... City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4: Houston, TX 77027

D Employer identification number: 74-1185659. E Telephone number: (713) 622-4191. G Gross receipts \$ 7,734,019

F Name and address of principal officer: Jeannie Rich Chandler, 1811 Briar Oaks Lane, Houston, TX 77027

H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? No. H(b) Are all affiliates included? No. H(c) Group exemption number

I Tax-exempt status: 501(c)(3)

J Website: www.juniorleaguehouston.org

K Form of organization: Corporation. L Year of formation: 1925. M State of legal domicile: TX

Part I Summary

Table with 4 columns: Description, Prior Year, Current Year, and Net Assets or Fund Balances. Rows include 1-19 (Activities & Governance, Revenue, Expenses) and 20-22 (Net Assets or Fund Balances).

Part II Signature Block

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.

Sign Here: Signature of officer: Jeannie Rich Chandler, President. Date: 2011-04-13.

Paid Preparer's Use Only: Preparer's signature: Jody Blazek. Firm's name: Blazek & Vetterling, 2900 Wesleyan Suite 200, Houston, TX 770275132.

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) Yes No

**Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments**

**1** Briefly describe the organization's mission

The Junior League of Houston, Inc is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women, and improving communities through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable The League has been "Building A Better Community" by addressing community needs, including basic needs, abuse of women and children, healthcare, education and cultural enrichment

**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 \$ 3,606,368 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 3,650,296 )

Tea Room The Junior League of Houston, Inc established its first community project as a well-baby clinic for indigent children that would eventually grow into today's Junior League Health Care Clinic at the world-renowned Texas Children's Hospital To fund this important endeavor, members formed a Luncheon Club - the genesis of today's Tea Room The Tea Room supports the League's exempt purposes by serving as a training facility where members are educated in the discipline of service, which is then carried into the various community service projects which the League undertakes The training and education afforded by the Tea Room enables members to be more effective and efficient community volunteers The Tea Room is also used by the public for events and receptions

**4b** (Code ) (Expenses \$ 1,456,289 including grants of \$ 1,249,566 ) (Revenue \$ )

Community Programs and Community Support Services Community projects are the main focus of the Junior League of Houston, Inc The League serves individuals in need through more than 33 community projects addressing a broad spectrum of needs in Houston and surrounding areas Many of these programs are initiated by the League and fully supported through League volunteers and funding League volunteers serve many people -infants, children, women in crisis, families and the elderly, in many places -hospitals, museums, camps and schools, and in many capacities - docents, mentors and program facilitators During the 2009 - 2010 fiscal year, the League gave approximately \$1.9 million in volunteer time and \$1,249,506 in direct financial support through grants, collaborative efforts and community projects

**4c** (Code ) (Expenses \$ 290,587 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

Membership Services, Training and Education The Junior League of Houston, Inc 's membership is approximately 5,000 strong In addition to community volunteer placements, active and provisional League members attend a required number of general membership meetings each year League members receive ongoing volunteer training and attend a variety of other meetings to include council, education, leadership/training, community placement and committee meetings League members create a newsletter, calendar of events, magazine and directory as well as maintain a comprehensive website The goal of membership training and education is to further the mission of the League in developing the potential of women and training volunteers for effective action and leadership in the community

**4d** Other program services (Describe in Schedule O )  
(Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 172,652 )

**4e** Total program service expenses \$ 5,353,244

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules**

		Yes	No
<b>1</b>	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i>	Yes	
<b>2</b>	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	Yes	
<b>3</b>	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i>		No
<b>4</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>		No
<b>5</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations.</b> Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		No
<b>6</b>	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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i>		No
<b>7</b>	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>		No
<b>8</b>	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i>		No
<b>9</b>	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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>		No
<b>10</b>	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>	Yes	
<b>11</b>	Is the organization's answer to any of the following questions "Yes"? <i>If so, complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.</i>	Yes	
	◆ Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI.</i>		
	◆ 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII.</i>		
	◆ 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII.</i>		
	◆ 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX.</i>		
	◆ Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.</i>		
	◆ 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.</i>		
<b>12</b>	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII</i>		No
<b>12a</b>	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year?	Yes	No
	<i>If "Yes," completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional</i>	Yes	
<b>13</b>	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		No
<b>14a</b>	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		No
<b>14b</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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I</i>		No
<b>15</b>	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 U S? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II</i>		No
<b>16</b>	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 U S? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III</i>		No
<b>17</b>	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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i>		No
<b>18</b>	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>	Yes	
<b>19</b>	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		No
<b>20</b>	Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		No

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules** *(continued)*

<p><b>21</b> 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i> . . . . . <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p><b>21</b></p>	<p>Yes</p>	
<p><b>22</b> 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i> . . . . . <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p><b>22</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>23</b> Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, questions 3, 4, or 5, about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i> . . . . . <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p><b>23</b></p>	<p>Yes</p>	
<p><b>24a</b> 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, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer questions 24b-24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25</i> . . . . .</p>	<p><b>24a</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>b</b> Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception? . . . . .</p>	<p><b>24b</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>c</b> Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds? . . . . .</p>	<p><b>24c</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>d</b> Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year? . . . . .</p>	<p><b>24d</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>25a Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> . . . . .</p>	<p><b>25a</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>b</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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> . . . . .</p>	<p><b>25b</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>26</b> 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i> . . . . .</p>	<p><b>26</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>27</b> 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i> . . . . .</p>	<p><b>27</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>28</b> 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)</p>			
<p><b>a</b> A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> . . . . .</p>	<p><b>28a</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>b</b> A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> . . . . .</p>	<p><b>28b</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>c</b> 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 owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> . . . . .</p>	<p><b>28c</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>29</b> Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i></p>	<p><b>29</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>30</b> Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> . . . . .</p>	<p><b>30</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>31</b> Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i> . . . . .</p>	<p><b>31</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>32</b> Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i> . . . . .</p>	<p><b>32</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>33</b> Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i> . . . . . <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p><b>33</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>34</b> Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1</i> . . . . . <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p><b>34</b></p>	<p>Yes</p>	
<p><b>35</b> Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> . . . . . <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p><b>35</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> . . . . . <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p><b>36</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>37</b> 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p><b>37</b></p>		<p>No</p>
<p><b>38</b> Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19? <b>Note.</b> All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O . . . . .</p>	<p><b>38</b></p>	<p>Yes</p>	

**Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance**

		Yes	No
<b>1a</b>	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096, <i>Annual Summary and Transmittal of U.S. Information Returns</i> . Enter -0- if not applicable . . . . .		
	<b>1a</b> 50		
<b>b</b>	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable . . . . .		
	<b>1b</b> 0		
<b>c</b>	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>2a</b>	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, <i>Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements</i> filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return . . . . .		
	<b>2a</b> 81		
<b>b</b>	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? <b>Note:</b> If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file this return (see instructions) . . . . .	Yes	
<b>3a</b>	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O . . . . .	Yes	
<b>4a</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)? . . . . .		No
<b>b</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 . . . . .		
<b>5a</b>	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year? . . . . .		No
<b>b</b>	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? . . . . .		No
<b>c</b>	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, Disclosure by Tax-Exempt Entity Regarding Prohibited Tax Shelter Transaction? . . . . .		No
<b>6a</b>	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? . . . . .		No
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible? . . . . .		No
<b>7</b>	<b>Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).</b>		
<b>a</b>	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? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>c</b>	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282? . . . . .		No
<b>d</b>	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year . . . . .		
	<b>7d</b> 0		
<b>e</b>	Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? . . . . .		No
<b>f</b>	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? . . . . .		No
<b>g</b>	For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required? . . . . .		No
<b>h</b>	For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C as required? . . . . .		No
<b>8</b>	<b>Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations.</b> Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year? . . . . .		No
<b>9</b>	<b>Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.</b>		
<b>a</b>	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966? . . . . .		No
<b>b</b>	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person? . . . . .		No
<b>10</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(7) organizations.</b> Enter		
<b>a</b>	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12 . . . . .	<b>10a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities . . . . .	<b>10b</b>	
<b>11</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(12) organizations.</b> Enter		
<b>a</b>	Gross income from members or shareholders . . . . .	<b>11a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them) . . . . .	<b>11b</b>	
<b>12a</b>	<b>Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.</b> Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041? . . . . .	<b>12a</b>	No
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year . . . . .	<b>12b</b>	

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

**Section A. Governing Body and Management**

		Yes	No
<b>1a</b>	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body . . . . .		
<b>1b</b>	Enter the number of voting members that are independent . . . . .		
<b>2</b>	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? . . . . .		No
<b>3</b>	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? . . . . .		No
<b>4</b>	Did the organization make any significant changes to its organizational documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		No
<b>5</b>	Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's assets? . . . . .		No
<b>6</b>	Does the organization have members or stockholders? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>7a</b>	Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>7b</b>	Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>8</b>	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following		
<b>8a</b>	The governing body? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>8b</b>	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>9</b>	Is there any officer, director, 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 . . . . .		No

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

		Yes	No
<b>10a</b>	Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates? . . . . .		No
<b>10b</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? . . . . .		No
<b>11</b>	Has the organization provided a copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	Yes	
<b>11A</b>	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review the Form 990 . . . . .		
<b>12a</b>	Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13 . . . . .	Yes	
<b>12b</b>	Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>12c</b>	Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this is done . . . . .	Yes	
<b>13</b>	Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>14</b>	Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>15</b>	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?		
<b>15a</b>	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official . . . . .	Yes	
<b>15b</b>	Other officers or key employees of the organization . . . . . If "Yes" to line a or b, describe the process in Schedule O (See instructions )	Yes	
<b>16a</b>	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year? . . . . .		No
<b>16b</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? . . . . .		No

**Section C. Disclosure**

<b>17</b>	List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ▶
<b>18</b>	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 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. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Own website <input type="checkbox"/> Another's website <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Upon request
<b>19</b>	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. See Additional Data Table.
<b>20</b>	State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization ▶ Anne H Cowan 1811 Briar Oaks Lane Houston, TX 77027 (713) 622-4191



<b>1b Total</b> . . . . .	149,990	8,065
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**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 **▶**1

		Yes	No
<b>3</b> Did the organization list any <b>former</b> officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i> . . . . .	<b>3</b>		No
<b>4</b> 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i> . . . . .	<b>4</b>	Yes	
<b>5</b> Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i> . . . . .	<b>5</b>		No

**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

**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		
<b>Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts</b>	<b>1a</b>	Federated campaigns . . . . . <b>1a</b>						
	<b>b</b>	Membership dues . . . . . <b>1b</b>	693,975					
	<b>c</b>	Fundraising events . . . . . <b>1c</b>	481,225					
	<b>d</b>	Related organizations . . . . . <b>1d</b>						
	<b>e</b>	Government grants (contributions) <b>1e</b>						
	<b>f</b>	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above <b>1f</b>	920,511					
	<b>g</b>	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$ _____						
	<b>h</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1f . . . . . ▶	2,095,711					
<b>Program Service Revenue</b>	<b>2a</b>	Tea Room _____ Business Code 722,100	3,650,296	1,489,352	2,160,944			
	<b>b</b>	_____						
	<b>c</b>	_____						
	<b>d</b>	_____						
	<b>e</b>	_____						
	<b>f</b>	All other program service revenue						
	<b>g</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 2a-2f . . . . . ▶	3,650,296					
<b>Other Revenue</b>	<b>3</b>	Investment income (including dividends, interest and other similar amounts) . . . . . ▶	184,518			184,518		
	<b>4</b>	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds . . . ▶	0					
	<b>5</b>	Royalties . . . . . ▶	0					
	<b>6a</b>	Gross Rents	(i) Real					
			(ii) Personal					
			<b>b</b>	Less rental expenses				
			<b>c</b>	Rental income or (loss)				
	<b>d</b>	Net rental income or (loss) . . . . . ▶	0					
	<b>7a</b>	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	1,254,759				
			(ii) Other					
			<b>b</b>	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	1,213,274			
			<b>c</b>	Gain or (loss)	41,485			
<b>d</b>	Net gain or (loss) . . . . . ▶	41,485			41,485			
<b>8a</b>	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 481,225 of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18 . . . . . <b>a</b>							
		<b>b</b>	Less direct expenses . . . . . <b>b</b>	222,969				
		<b>c</b>	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events . . . ▶	58,475			58,475	
<b>9a</b>	Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19 . . . . . <b>a</b>							
		<b>b</b>	Less direct expenses . . . . . <b>b</b>					
		<b>c</b>	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities . . . ▶	0				
<b>10a</b>	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances . . . <b>a</b>							
		<b>b</b>	Less cost of goods sold . . . <b>b</b>	94,639				
		<b>c</b>	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory . . . ▶	65,444	65,444			
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code						
<b>11a</b>	Houston News ads _____ <b>b</b>		541,800	107,208	107,208			
		<b>c</b>	_____					
		<b>d</b>	All other revenue . . . . .					
		<b>e</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 11a-11d . . . . . ▶	107,208				
<b>12</b>	<b>Total revenue.</b> See Instructions . . . . . ▶	6,203,137	1,554,796	2,268,152	284,478			

**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).

<b>Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.</b>		<b>(A)</b> Total expenses	<b>(B)</b> Program service expenses	<b>(C)</b> Management and general expenses	<b>(D)</b> Fundraising expenses
<b>1</b>	Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the U S See Part IV, line 21	1,249,566	1,249,566		
<b>2</b>	Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U S See Part IV, line 22	0			
<b>3</b>	Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U S See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	0			
<b>4</b>	Benefits paid to or for members	0			
<b>5</b>	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees . . . . .	164,313	164,313		
<b>6</b>	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) . . . . .	0			
<b>7</b>	Other salaries and wages	1,358,711	1,049,360	232,582	76,769
<b>8</b>	Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions) . . . . .	0			
<b>9</b>	Other employee benefits . . . . .	298,565	254,483	28,692	15,390
<b>10</b>	Payroll taxes . . . . .	115,772	93,039	16,605	6,128
<b>11</b>	Fees for services (non-employees)				
<b>a</b>	Management . . . . .	0			
<b>b</b>	Legal . . . . .	9,115		9,115	
<b>c</b>	Accounting . . . . .	33,867	13,756	20,111	
<b>d</b>	Lobbying . . . . .	0			
<b>e</b>	Professional fundraising See Part IV, line 17 . . . . .	0			
<b>f</b>	Investment management fees . . . . .	30,439		30,439	
<b>g</b>	Other . . . . .	17,879	17,879		
<b>12</b>	Advertising and promotion . . . . .	0			
<b>13</b>	Office expenses . . . . .	264,268	181,975	74,075	8,218
<b>14</b>	Information technology . . . . .	44,750	25,979	18,771	
<b>15</b>	Royalties . . . . .	0			
<b>16</b>	Occupancy . . . . .	654,173	579,215	74,958	
<b>17</b>	Travel . . . . .	1,200	1,200		
<b>18</b>	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials . . . . .	0			
<b>19</b>	Conferences, conventions, and meetings . . . . .	33,484	30,703	2,581	200
<b>20</b>	Interest . . . . .	0			
<b>21</b>	Payments to affiliates . . . . .	100,000	70,000	30,000	
<b>22</b>	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization . . . . .	327,007	304,117	22,890	
<b>23</b>	Insurance . . . . .	101,644	80,520	21,124	
<b>24</b>	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 )				
<b>a</b>	Tea Room food/beverage	937,845	937,485	360	
<b>b</b>	Printing and Publications	162,466	138,936	22,990	540
<b>c</b>	Other expenses	68,024	38,745	29,279	
<b>d</b>	Equipment rental & maintenance	90,414	63,753	26,661	
<b>e</b>	Community projects	58,220	58,220		
<b>f</b>	All other expenses	0			
<b>25</b>	<b>Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 1 through 24f	6,121,722	5,353,244	661,233	107,245
<b>26</b>	<b>Joint costs.</b> Check here <input type="checkbox"/> 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)		(B)
		Beginning of year		End of year
<b>Assets</b>	<b>1</b> Cash—non-interest-bearing . . . . .	1,176,787	<b>1</b>	1,367,704
	<b>2</b> Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .	1,385,598	<b>2</b>	1,458,144
	<b>3</b> Pledges and grants receivable, net . . . . .	10,600	<b>3</b>	5,000
	<b>4</b> Accounts receivable, net . . . . .	161,800	<b>4</b>	158,486
	<b>5</b> Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L . . . . .		<b>5</b>	0
	<b>6</b> 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 . . . . .		<b>6</b>	0
	<b>7</b> Notes and loans receivable, net . . . . .		<b>7</b>	0
	<b>8</b> Inventories for sale or use . . . . .	516,676	<b>8</b>	433,099
	<b>9</b> Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . . . . .	118,167	<b>9</b>	102,150
	<b>10a</b> Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D . . . . .	18,175,871		
	<b>b</b> Less accumulated depreciation . . . . .	6,655,020	<b>10c</b>	11,520,851
	<b>11</b> Investments—publicly traded securities . . . . .	3,511,294	<b>11</b>	3,994,083
	<b>12</b> Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .		<b>12</b>	0
	<b>13</b> Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .		<b>13</b>	0
	<b>14</b> Intangible assets . . . . .		<b>14</b>	0
	<b>15</b> Other assets. See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .		<b>15</b>	0
<b>16 Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34) . . . . .	18,587,789	<b>16</b>	19,039,517	
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>17</b> Accounts payable and accrued expenses . . . . .	229,973	<b>17</b>	328,879
	<b>18</b> Grants payable . . . . .	405,775	<b>18</b>	404,261
	<b>19</b> Deferred revenue . . . . .	511,349	<b>19</b>	533,850
	<b>20</b> Tax-exempt bond liabilities . . . . .		<b>20</b>	
	<b>21</b> Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D . . . . .		<b>21</b>	
	<b>22</b> Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L . . . . .		<b>22</b>	
	<b>23</b> Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties . . . . .		<b>23</b>	
	<b>24</b> Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties . . . . .		<b>24</b>	
	<b>25</b> Other liabilities. Complete Part X of Schedule D . . . . .	219,582	<b>25</b>	182,650
	<b>26 Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25 . . . . .	1,366,679	<b>26</b>	1,449,640
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.</b>			
	<b>27</b> Unrestricted net assets . . . . .	16,998,624	<b>27</b>	17,359,258
	<b>28</b> Temporarily restricted net assets . . . . .	187,486	<b>28</b>	195,619
	<b>29</b> Permanently restricted net assets . . . . .	35,000	<b>29</b>	35,000
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.</b>			
	<b>30</b> Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds . . . . .		<b>30</b>	
	<b>31</b> Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund . . . . .		<b>31</b>	
	<b>32</b> Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds . . . . .		<b>32</b>	
<b>33</b> Total net assets or fund balances . . . . .	17,221,110	<b>33</b>	17,589,877	
<b>34</b> Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances . . . . .	18,587,789	<b>34</b>	19,039,517	

**Part XI Financial Statements and Reporting**

		Yes	No
<b>1</b>	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O		
<b>2a</b>	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? . . .		No
<b>2b</b>	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>2c</b>	If "Yes," to 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 . . . .	Yes	
<b>2d</b>	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 <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separated basis		
<b>3a</b>	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? . . . . .		No
<b>3b</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 . . .		No

**SCHEDULE A**  
(Form 990 or 990EZ)

**Public Charity Status and Public Support**

**2009**

**Open to Public Inspection**

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.

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization  
The Junior League of Houston Inc

Employer identification number

74-1185659

**Part I Reason for Public Charity Status** (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box )

- 1  A church, convention of churches, or association of churches **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
- 2  A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E )
- 3  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**
- 4  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
  
- 5  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 )
- 6  A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**
- 7  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 )
- 8  A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)** (Complete Part II )
- 9  An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% 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 1/3% 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 )
- 10  An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety See **section 509(a)(4).**
- 11  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  
 a  Type I      b  Type II      c  Type III - Functionally integrated      d  Type III - Other
- e  By 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)
- f  If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II or Type III supporting organization, check this box
- g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?  
 (i) a person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the the supported organization?  
 (ii) a family member of a person described in (i) above?  
 (iii) a 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?
- h Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

	Yes	No
<b>11g(i)</b>		
<b>11g(ii)</b>		
<b>11g(iii)</b>		

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1- 9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the U S ?		(vii) Amount of support?
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
<b>Total</b>									

**Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in IRC 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**  
(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
<b>2</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
<b>3</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
<b>4 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3						
<b>5</b> 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)						
<b>6 Public Support.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
<b>7</b> Amounts from line 4						
<b>8</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
<b>9</b> Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
<b>10</b> Other income (Explain in Part IV ) Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets						
<b>11 Total support</b> (Add lines 7 through 10)						

**12** Gross receipts from related activities, etc (See instructions ) 12

**13 First Five Years** If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here**

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

**14** Public Support Percentage for 2009 (line 6 column (f) divided by line 11 column (f)) 14

**15** Public Support Percentage for 2008 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 15

**16a 33 1/3% support test—2009.** If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

**b 33 1/3% support test—2008.** If the organization did not check the box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

**17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2009.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

**b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2008.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

**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

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

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	1,527,980	1,549,465	2,076,809	1,829,534	2,117,584	9,101,372
<b>2</b> 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	1,484,078	1,605,546	1,641,115	2,366,931	1,649,435	8,747,105
<b>3</b> Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513	284,600	303,910	314,775	290,156	281,444	1,474,885
<b>4</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						0
<b>5</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						0
<b>6 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5	3,296,658	3,458,921	4,032,699	4,486,621	4,048,463	19,323,362
<b>7a</b> Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons	68,265	62,556	69,500	65,797	30,625	296,743
<b>b</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						0
<b>c</b> Add lines 7a and 7b	68,265	62,556	69,500	65,797	30,625	296,743
<b>8 Public Support</b> (Subtract line 7c from line 6 )						19,026,619

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
<b>9</b> Amounts from line 6	3,296,658	3,458,921	4,032,699	4,486,621	4,048,463	19,323,362
<b>10a</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	119,668	157,129	190,410	211,928	184,518	863,653
<b>b</b> Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						0
<b>c</b> Add lines 10a and 10b	119,668	157,129	190,410	211,928	184,518	863,653
<b>11</b> Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						0
<b>12</b> Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV )						0
<b>13 Total support</b> (Add lines 9, 10c, 11 and 12 )						20,187,015

**14 First Five Years** If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here**

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

<b>15</b> Public Support Percentage for 2009 (line 8 column (f) divided by line 13 column (f))	<b>15</b>	94.250 %
<b>16</b> Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	<b>16</b>	93.560 %

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

<b>17</b> Investment income percentage for <b>2009</b> (line 10c column (f) divided by line 13 column (f))	<b>17</b>	4.280 %
<b>18</b> Investment income percentage from <b>2008</b> Schedule A, Part III, line 17	<b>18</b>	4.850 %

**19a 33 1/3% support tests—2009.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3% and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

**b 33 1/3% support tests—2008.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3% and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

**20 Private Foundation** If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a or 19b, check this box and see instructions

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**Part IV** **Supplemental Information.** Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the explanation required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; or Part III, line 12. Provide any other additional information. See instructions

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SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

OMB No 1545-0047

Supplemental Financial Statements

2009

Open to Public Inspection

Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12. Attach to Form 990. See separate instructions.

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization The Junior League of Houston Inc

Employer identification number 74-1185659

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows 1-4: Total number at end of year, Aggregate contributions to (during year), Aggregate grants from (during year), Aggregate value at end of year.

- 5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds may be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?

Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

- 1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply): Preservation of land for public use, Protection of natural habitat, Preservation of open space, Preservation of an historically important land area, Preservation of a certified historic structure.

2 Complete lines 2a-2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year

Table with 2 columns: Held at the End of the Year. Rows 2a, 2b, 2c, 2d.

- 3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the taxable year
4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located
5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?
6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting and enforcing conservation easements during the year
7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year
8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?
9 In Part XIV, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

- 1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items
b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items: (i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1; (ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X
2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 relating to these items: a Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1; b Assets included in Form 990, Part X

**Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets** *(continued)*

**3** Using the organization's accession and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)

- a**  Public exhibition
- b**  Scholarly research
- c**  Preservation for future generations
- d**  Loan or exchange programs
- e**  Other

**4** Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIV

**5** During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?  Yes  No

**Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

**1a** Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?  Yes  No

**b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV and complete the following table

	Amount
<b>1c</b> Beginning balance	
<b>1d</b> Additions during the year	
<b>1e</b> Distributions during the year	
<b>1f</b> Ending balance	

**2a** Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?  Yes  No

**b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV

**Part V Endowment Funds.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current Year	(b) Prior Year	(c) Two Years Back	(d) Three Years Back	(e) Four Years Back
<b>1a</b> Beginning of year balance . . . . .	7,356,155	9,141,783			
<b>b</b> Contributions . . . . .	767,801	49,467			
<b>c</b> Investment earnings or losses . . . . .	939,867	-1,815,085			
<b>d</b> Grants or scholarships . . . . .					
<b>e</b> Other expenditures for facilities and programs . . . . .	12,166	20,010			
<b>f</b> Administrative expenses . . . . .					
<b>g</b> End of year balance . . . . .	9,051,657	7,356,155			

**2** Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as

- a** Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶ 59.500 %
- b** Permanent endowment ▶ 40.500 %
- c** Term endowment ▶ %

**3a** Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by

	Yes	No
<b>(i)</b> unrelated organizations . . . . .	<b>3a(i)</b>	No
<b>(ii)</b> related organizations . . . . .	Yes	<b>3a(ii)</b>
<b>b</b> If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? . . . . .	<b>3b</b>	Yes

**4** Describe in Part XIV the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

**Part VI Investments—Land, Buildings, and Equipment.** See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of investment	(a) Cost or other basis (Investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
<b>1a</b> Land . . . . .		7,715,077		7,715,077
<b>b</b> Buildings . . . . .		6,996,208	3,858,182	3,138,026
<b>c</b> Leasehold improvements . . . . .				
<b>d</b> Equipment . . . . .				
<b>e</b> Other . . . . .		3,464,586	2,796,838	667,748
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1e (Column (d) should equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				11,520,851



**Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Financial Statements**

<b>1</b>	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	<b>1</b>	6,203,137
<b>2</b>	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	<b>2</b>	6,121,722
<b>3</b>	Excess or (deficit) for the year Subtract line 2 from line 1	<b>3</b>	81,415
<b>4</b>	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	<b>4</b>	287,352
<b>5</b>	Donated services and use of facilities	<b>5</b>	
<b>6</b>	Investment expenses	<b>6</b>	
<b>7</b>	Prior period adjustments	<b>7</b>	
<b>8</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	<b>8</b>	1,695,500
<b>9</b>	Total adjustments (net) Add lines 4 - 8	<b>9</b>	1,982,852
<b>10</b>	Excess or (deficit) for the year per financial statements Combine lines 3 and 9	<b>10</b>	2,064,267

**Part XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return**

<b>1</b>	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	<b>1</b>	6,694,444
<b>2</b>	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
<b>a</b>	Net unrealized gains on investments	<b>2a</b>	287,352
<b>b</b>	Donated services and use of facilities	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Recoveries of prior year grants	<b>2c</b>	
<b>d</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	<b>2d</b>	984,266
<b>e</b>	Add lines <b>2a</b> through <b>2d</b>	<b>2e</b>	1,271,618
<b>3</b>	Subtract line <b>2e</b> from line <b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	5,422,826
<b>4</b>	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1		
<b>a</b>	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	<b>4a</b>	30,439
<b>b</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	<b>4b</b>	749,872
<b>c</b>	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b>	<b>4c</b>	780,311
<b>5</b>	Total Revenue Add lines <b>3</b> and <b>4c</b> . (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	<b>5</b>	6,203,137

**Part XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return**

<b>1</b>	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	<b>1</b>	4,630,177
<b>2</b>	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25		
<b>a</b>	Donated services and use of facilities	<b>2a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Prior year adjustments	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Other losses	<b>2c</b>	
<b>d</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	<b>2d</b>	12,166
<b>e</b>	Add lines <b>2a</b> through <b>2d</b>	<b>2e</b>	12,166
<b>3</b>	Subtract line <b>2e</b> from line <b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	4,618,011
<b>4</b>	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
<b>a</b>	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	<b>4a</b>	30,439
<b>b</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	<b>4b</b>	1,473,272
<b>c</b>	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b>	<b>4c</b>	1,503,711
<b>5</b>	Total expenses Add lines <b>3</b> and <b>4c</b> . (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	<b>5</b>	6,121,722

**Part XIV Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, Part XI, line 8, Part XII, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Part XIII, Line 4b	Part XIII, Line 4b Other revenue amounts included on 990 but not included in F/S	Tea Room expenses \$749872 Grant to Foundation \$723400
Part XIII, Line 2d	Part XIII, Line 2d Other expenses and losses per audited F/S	Jr League of Houston Fdn expenses \$12166
Part XII, Line 4b	Part XII, Line 4b Other revenue amounts included on 990 but not included in F/S	Tea Room expenses \$749872
Part XII, Line 2d	Part XII, Line 2d Other revenue amounts included in F/S but not included on form 990	Jr League of Houston Fdn revenues \$984266
Part XI, Line 8	Part XI, Line 8 Other Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances	Net income of Community Endowment Foundation \$1695500
Part V, Line 4	Part V, Line 4 Intended uses of the endowment fund	The purpose of the Junior League of Houston Foundations (the Foundation) Community Endowment Fund (the Fund) is to finance, sustain, expand and initiate The Junior League of Houston, Inc (the League) designated Community Program (including community projects, community assistance grants, collaborative efforts, and any other community related events or activities as determined from time to time by the League Board of Directors) The Fund is dedicated to benefiting the Leagues Community Program



**Part III Fundraising Events.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other Events	(d) Total Events
		<u>Charity Ball</u> (event type)	(event type)	(total number)	(Add col (a) through col (c))
<b>Revenue</b>	<b>1</b> Gross receipts . . . . .	762,669			762,669
	<b>2</b> Less Charitable contributions . . . . .	481,225			481,225
	<b>3</b> Gross income (line 1 minus line 2) . . . . .	281,444			281,444
<b>Direct Expenses</b>	<b>4</b> Cash prizes . . . . .				
	<b>5</b> Non-cash prizes . . . . .				
	<b>6</b> Rent/facility costs . . . . .	19,503			19,503
	<b>7</b> Food and beverages . . . . .	75,658			75,658
	<b>8</b> Entertainment . . . . .	44,200			44,200
	<b>9</b> Other direct expenses . . . . .	83,608			83,608
	<b>10</b> Direct expense summary Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) . . . . . ▶				222,969
<b>11</b> Net income summary Combine lines 3, column d, and line 10. . . . . ▶				58,475	

**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.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/Instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming
					(Add col (a) through col (c))
<b>Revenue</b>	<b>1</b> Gross revenue . . . . .				
<b>Direct Expenses</b>	<b>2</b> Cash prizes . . . . .				
	<b>3</b> Non-cash prizes . . . . .				
	<b>4</b> Rent/facility costs . . . . .				
	<b>5</b> Other direct expenses . . . . .				
	<b>6</b> Volunteer labor . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<b>7</b> Direct expense summary Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d) . . . . . ▶					
<b>8</b> Net gaming income summary Combine lines 1, column d, and line 7 . . . . . ▶					

	Yes	No
<b>9</b> Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities _____		
<b>a</b> Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states? . . . . .	<b>9a</b>	
<b>b</b> If "No," Explain _____		
<b>10a</b> Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year?	<b>10a</b>	
<b>b</b> If "Yes," Explain _____		
<b>11</b> Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers? . . . . .	<b>11</b>	
<b>12</b> Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? . . . . .	<b>12</b>	

		Yes	No
<b>13</b> Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in			
<b>a</b> The organization's facility . . . . .	<b>13a</b>		
<b>b</b> An outside facility . . . . .	<b>13b</b>		
<b>14</b> Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records			
Name ▶ _____			
Address ▶ _____			
<b>15a</b> Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue? . . . . .		<b>15a</b>	
<b>b</b> If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ \$ _____ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ \$ _____			
<b>c</b> If "Yes," enter name and address			
Name ▶ _____			
Address ▶ _____			
<b>16</b> Gaming manager information			
Name ▶ _____			
Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$ _____			
Description of services provided ▶ _____			
<input type="checkbox"/> Director/officer <input type="checkbox"/> Employee <input type="checkbox"/> Independent contractor			
<b>17</b> Mandatory distributions			
<b>a</b> Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license? . . . . .		<b>17a</b>	
<b>b</b> Enter the amount of distributions required under state law distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$ _____			

Schedule I (Form 990)

OMB No 1545-0047

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations, Governments and Individuals in the United States
Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.
Attach to Form 990

2009

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization The Junior League of Houston Inc

Employer identification number 74-1185659

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

- 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

Part II 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.

Table with 8 columns: (a) Name and address of organization or government, (b) EIN, (c) IRC Code section if applicable, (d) Amount of cash grant, (e) Amount of non-cash assistance, (f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other), (g) Description of non-cash assistance, (h) Purpose of grant or assistance. Row 1 contains 'See Additional Data Table'.

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations . . . . . 26
3 Enter total number of other organizations . . . . . 0



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**Name:** The Junior League of Houston Inc

## Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC Code section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
The Way Station at Palmer Memor6221 Main Street Houston, TX 77030	74-1157370	501 (c) (3)	15,000	0			Community Assistance
The Chinquapin School2615 E Wallisville Rd Highlands, TX 77562	74-1616827	501 (c) (3)	9,220	0			External Project Support
Texas Childrens Hospital 6621 Fannin Street Houston, TX 77030	74-1100555	501 (c) (3)	27,433	0			Mobile Pediatric Clinic
Texas Childrens Hospital 6621 Fannin Houston, TX 77030	74-1100555	501 (c) (3)	51,904	0			External Project Support
Star of Hope6897 Ardmore Street Houston, TX 77054	74-1152599	501 (c) (3)	20,180	0			External Project Support
Small Steps Nurturing Center 1709 DePelchin Houston, TX 77007	76-0471755	501 (c) (3)	15,000	0			Community Assistance
San Jose Clinic2615 Fannin Houston, TX 77002	76-0373703	501 (c) (3)	37,000	0			Community Assistance
Ronald McDonald House of Houston1907 Holcombe Blvd Houston, TX 77001	74-1984499	501 (c) (3)	40,206	0			External Project Support
Museum of Fine Arts Houston 1001 Bissonnet St Houston, TX 77005	74-1109655	501 (c) (3)	5,496	0			External Project Support
Kids Meals4410 Navigation Houston, TX 77011	76-0330447	501 (c) (3)	40,230	0			External Project Support

**Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States**

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC Code section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
Junior League of Houston Fdn 1811 Briar Oaks Lane Houston, TX 77027	30-0332046	501 (c) (3)	723,400	0			Endowment
Houston Mus of Natural Science One Hermann Circle Dr Houston, TX 77030	74-1036131	501 (c) (3)	5,012	0			External project support
Houston Food Bank 3811 Eastex Freeway Houston, TX 77026	74-2181456	501 (c) (3)	12,548	0			External Project Support
Houston Area Womens Center 1010 Waugh Drive Houston, TX 77019	74-2029166	501 (c) (3)	13,441	0			External Project Support
Dress for Success Houston 3915 Dacoma A Houston, TX 77092	76-0579697	501 (c) (3)	5,048	0			External Project Support
DePelchin Childrens Center 4950 Memorial Dr Houston, TX 77007	76-0318867	501 (c) (3)	8,897	0			External Project Support
Cristo Rey Jesuit Prep School 6700 Mount Carmel St Houston, TX 77087	26-3159838	501 (c) (3)	25,000	0			Community Assistance
Communities in Sch Houston Inc 1235 N Loop West Ste 300 Houston, TX 77008	76-0031827	501 (c) (3)	15,000	0			Community Assistance
Childrens Museum of Houston 1500 Binz Houston, TX 77004	74-2178563	501 (c) (3)	21,697	0			External Project Support
Child Advocates Inc 2401 Portsmouth Ste 210 Houston, TX 77098	76-0111345	501 (c) (3)	26,969	0			External Project Support

**Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States**

<b>(a)</b> Name and address of organization or government	<b>(b)</b> EIN	<b>(c)</b> IRC Code section if applicable	<b>(d)</b> Amount of cash grant	<b>(e)</b> Amount of non-cash assistance	<b>(f)</b> Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	<b>(g)</b> Description of non-cash assistance	<b>(h)</b> Purpose of grant or assistance
Casa de Esperanza de los NiosPO Box 66581 Houston, TX 77266	76-0105306	501 (c) (3)	26,780	0			External Project Support
Boys & Girls Country of Houston18806 Roberts Road Hockley, TX 77447	74-6026198	501 (c) (3)	15,000	0			Community Assistance
BEAR- BE A Resource for CPS Kids2223 West Loop South Houston, TX 77027	31-1516122	501 (c) (3)	18,226	0			External Project Support
Baylor College of Medicine 1504 Ben Taub Loop Houston, TX 77030	74-1613878	501 (c) (3)	16,847	0			Teen Health Clinic
American Diabetes Association1701 North Beauregard St Alexandria, VA 22311	13-1623888	501 (c) (3)	14,383	0			TX Camp Rainbow
AIDS Foundation Houston Inc3202 Wesleyan Street Houston, TX 77027	76-0073661	501 (c) (3)	8,510	0			TX Camp Hope

**Schedule J**  
**(Form 990)**

**Compensation Information**

OMB No 1545-0047

**2009**

**Open to Public Inspection**

**For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees**

**▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, question 23.**

**▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Name of the organization**

The Junior League of Houston Inc

**Employer identification number**

74-1185659

**Part I Questions Regarding Compensation**

	Yes	No
<b>1a</b>		
<b>1b</b>		
<b>2</b>		
<b>3</b>		
<b>4a</b>		No
<b>4b</b>		No
<b>4c</b>		No
<b>5a</b>	Yes	
<b>5b</b>		No
<b>6a</b>		No
<b>6b</b>		No
<b>7</b>		No
<b>8</b>		No
<b>9</b>		No

**1a** Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel            | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tax idemnification and gross-up payments | <input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account           | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e g , maid, chauffeur, chef) |

**b** If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain

**2** Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all officers, directors, trustees, and the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?

**3** Indicate which, if any, of the following the organization uses to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director Check all that apply

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee              | <input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant | <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations     | <input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee |

**4** During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a with respect to the filing organization or a related organization

**a** Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?

**b** Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?

**c** Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?

If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III

**Only 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations only must complete lines 5-9.**

**5** For persons listed in form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of

**a** The organization?

**b** Any related organization?

If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III

**6** For persons listed in form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of

**a** The organization?

**b** Any related organization?

If "Yes," to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III

**7** For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III

**8** Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regs section 53 4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III

**9** If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53 4958-6(c)?



**Part III Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
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<b>SCHEDULE O</b> (Form 990)	<b>Supplemental Information to Form 990</b>	OMB No 1545-0047
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	<b>Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or to provide any additional information.</b> ▶ <b>Attach to Form 990.</b>	<b>2009</b>
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Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Line 19	Form 990, Part VI, Line 19 Other Organization Documents Publicly Available	The audited financial statements are posted on the website and provided upon request Governing documents and conflict of interest policy are provided upon request

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Line 15b	Form 990, Part VI, Line 15b Compensation Review and Approval Process for Officers and Key Employees	See above for process followed for individuals described in question 15b

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Line 12c	Form 990, Part VI, Line 12c Explanation of Monitoring and Enforcement of Conflicts	Prior to a Board of Directors, Council or Sub-Council action or discussion of a proposed action, members of the Board of Directors, Council or Sub-Council shall disclose any potential interest (personal, financial or business) of the member or members family that would be affected by any action being considered for a vote by the Board of Directors, Council or Sub-Council Such disclosure must be of record in the minutes A member who has a conflict of interest may not participate in the discussion or vote and is required to excuse herself from the discussion of and vote on the action with which she has a conflict of interest Prior to the meeting she may contact the moderator of the meeting to disclose material facts and to respond to questions She may not attempt to exert her personal influence either at or outside the meeting Each member shall annually complete a disclosure form identifying any relationships, positions, or circumstances in which she or any member of her family is involved that could contribute to a conflict of interest Such relationships, position, or circumstances might include service as a trustee, director or consultant to a nonprofit organization or ownership of a business that might provide goods or services Any changes during the year must be reported

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Line 11	Form 990, Part VI, Line 11 Form 990 Review Process	The Administrative Director manages the preparation of the tax return, including communications with the accounting firm The Administrative Director reviews and comments on the draft return with input, as appropriate, from the Accounting Manager and Financial Vice President The President, President-Elect and Communications Director then review the draft return After all comments have been addressed, the tax return is provided to both the Finance Council and Board of Directors either in hard copy or by email Finance Council and Board members are provided an opportunity to ask questions and comment on the tax return prior to filing with the IRS

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Line 7a	Form 990, Part VI, Line 7a How Members or Shareholders Elect Governing Body	Members elect a 14 person nominating committee from a slate of 24 names The nominating committee slates the officers of the League under the leadership of the Nominating Chairman-League President two years removed Active members vote on the slate or may propose an alternative slate of officers of the League prior to 14 days before the Annual Meeting in February Officers shall assume their duties at the general meeting in May and shall serve for one year

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Line 6	Form 990, Part VI, Line 6 Explanation of Classes of Members or Shareholder	Provisional Provisional members are those engaged in complying with the requirements for admission to active membership and are not eligible to vote or hold office Actives Active members have completed the requirements for provisional membership and fulfill the League's requirements for active membership until the end of the fiscal year in which they either attain the age of 40 or complete their tenth year of service in the League Sustaining Sustaining members have reached the age of 40 or have completed ten or more years of active service Emeritus Emeritus membership is granted to any sustaining member who has reached the age of 80 years

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part III, Line 4d	Form 990, Part III, Line 4d Other Program Services Description	OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES 4 Publishing The publishing and sale of cookbooks is a long-standing tradition of Junior Leagues The League's activities in developing, publishing, and selling cookbooks further the League's exempt purpose by providing an opportunity for training volunteers in order to promote voluntarism, making effective use of volunteer service, and developing the potential of women Publishing a cookbook is a collaborative effort that generates camaraderie and commitment to the League among the entire membership League volunteers who participate in publishing activities are trained in numerous skills that they may use in their volunteer and professional lives OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES 5

**SCHEDULE R  
(Form 990)**

**Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships**

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▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35, 36, or 37.**  
▶ **Attach to Form 990.** ▶ **See separate instructions.**

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**Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities** (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity

**Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations** (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity
Junior League of Houston Foundation 1811 Briar Oaks Lane Houston, TX 77027 30-0332046	To support The Junior League of Houston Community Program	TX	501(c)(3)	509(a)(3)	N/A

**Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership** (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?	
							Yes	No		Yes	No

**Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust** (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership

**Part V Transactions With Related Organizations** (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35, or 36.)

**Note.** Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III or IV

**1** During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?

- a** Receipt of **(i)** interest **(ii)** annuities **(iii)** royalties **(iv)** rent from a controlled entity
- b** Gift, grant, or capital contribution to other organization(s)
- c** Gift, grant, or capital contribution from other organization(s)
- d** Loans or loan guarantees to or for other organization(s)
- e** Loans or loan guarantees by other organization(s)
  
- f** Sale of assets to other organization(s)
- g** Purchase of assets from other organization(s)
- h** Exchange of assets
- i** Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to other organization(s)
  
- j** Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from other organization(s)
- k** Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for other organization(s)
- l** Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by other organization(s)
- m** Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets
- n** Sharing of paid employees
  
- o** Reimbursement paid to other organization for expenses
- p** Reimbursement paid by other organization for expenses
  
- q** Other transfer of cash or property to other organization(s)
- r** Other transfer of cash or property from other organization(s)

	Yes	No
<b>1a</b>		No
<b>1b</b>	Yes	
<b>1c</b>		No
<b>1d</b>		No
<b>1e</b>		No
<b>1f</b>		No
<b>1g</b>		No
<b>1h</b>		No
<b>1i</b>		No
<b>1j</b>		No
<b>1k</b>	Yes	
<b>1l</b>		No
<b>1m</b>	Yes	
<b>1n</b>	Yes	
<b>1o</b>	Yes	
<b>1p</b>		No
<b>1q</b>		No
<b>1r</b>		No

**2** If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds

	(b) Transaction type(a-r)	(c) Amount involved
(a) Name of other organization		
<b>(1)</b> Junior League of Houston Foundation	b	723,400
<b>(1)</b> See Additional Data Table		
<b>(2)</b>		
<b>(3)</b>		
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**Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors**

(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 employee	Former			
Whitney Anderson Walsh Director	10 00	X						0	0	0
Rachel Podsednik Regan Direct-at-large	6 00	X						0	0	0
Perry Ann Davis Reed Director	10 00	X						0	0	0
Pamela Roger Laborde Financial VP	30 00	X		X				0	0	0
Melissa Ann Garlington Development VP	20 00	X		X				0	0	0
Megan Buzbee-D'Souza Direct-at-large	6 00	X						0	0	0
Mary Beth Williford Staine Sustaining Adv	2 00	X						0	0	0
Marian Hearne Hilpert Community VP	30 00	X		X				0	0	0
Marcie Kinsel Berry Director	10 00	X						0	0	0
Malcolm Rowland Tea Rm Gen Mgr	40 00				X			149,990	0	8,065
Lisa Chmiola Burns Director	10 00	X						0	0	0
Kristen Kors Buck President	35 00	X		X				0	0	0
Kelli Holloway Tonn Director	10 00	X						0	0	0
Katherine Easterby Murphy Director	10 00	X						0	0	0
Karen Suzanne Burke Director	10 00	X						0	0	0
Jennifer Scheifley Roberts Director	10 00	X						0	0	0
Jeannie Rich Chandler President-Elect	30 00	X		X				0	0	0
Elizabeth Graves Love Recording Sec	14 00	X		X				0	0	0
Criss Holloway Scruggs Director	10 00	X						0	0	0
Catherine Nacol McCoin Membership VP	20 00	X		X				0	0	0
Andrea Broussard Davidson Director	10 00	X						0	0	0

**Form 990, Part IX - Statement of Functional Expenses - 24a - 24e Other Expenses**

<i><b>Do not include amounts reported on line 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.</b></i>	<b>(A) Total expenses</b>	<b>(B) Program service expenses</b>	<b>(C) Management and general expenses</b>	<b>(D) Fundraising expenses</b>
Tea Room food/beverage	937,845	937,485	360	
Printing and Publications	162,466	138,936	22,990	540
Other expenses	68,024	38,745	29,279	
Equipment rental & maintenance	90,414	63,753	26,661	
Community projects	58,220	58,220		