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Form **990-EZ**Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

# Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

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

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

OMB No 1545-1150

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**A** For the **2009** calendar year, or tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2009** and ending **JUN 30, 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**COLORADO CIVIC ENGAGEMENT ROUNDTABLE**

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

**P.O. BOX 1620**

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

**DENVER, CO 80201****D** Employer identification number**02-0758897****E** Telephone number**(720) 214-6355****F** Group Exemption Number

▶

• Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

**G** Accounting method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual  
Other (specify) ▶

**I** Website: ▶ **N/A****J** Tax-exempt status (check only one) — ☒ 501(c) ( 3 ) ◀ (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527

**H** Check ☐ if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

**K** Check ☐ if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. A Form 990-EZ or Form 990 return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return.

**L** Add lines 5b, 6b, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts; if \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ▶ **\$ 439,184.****Part I** **Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances** (See the instructions for Part I.)

Revenue	1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	439,167.
	2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
	3	Membership dues and assessments	3	
	4	Investment income	4	17.
	5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
	5b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
	5c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	
	6	Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G). If any amount is from gaming, check here <input type="checkbox"/>		
	6a	Gross revenue (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1)	6a	
	6b	Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b	
6c	Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c		
7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a		
7b	Less: cost of goods sold	7b		
7c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c		
8	Other revenue (describe ▶)	8		
9	<b>Total revenue.</b> Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8	9	439,184.	
Expenses	10	Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule) <b>STMT 3</b>	10	25,000.
	11	Benefits paid to or for members	11	
	12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	85,557.
	13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	78,788.
	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	13,513.
	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	29,328.
	16	Other expenses (describe ▶ <b>SEE STATEMENT 1</b> )	16	13,767.
	17	<b>Total expenses.</b> Add lines 10 through 16	17	245,953.
	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	193,231.
	Net Assets	19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19
20		Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20	
21		Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	21	244,368.

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

(See the instructions for Part II.)

	(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
Cash, savings, and investments	46,522.	238,403.
Land and buildings		
Other assets (describe ▶ <b>SEE STATEMENT 2</b> )	7,113.	8,303.
<b>25 Total assets</b>	<b>53,635.</b>	<b>246,706.</b>
<b>26 Total liabilities (describe ▶ <b>PAYROLL TAXES &amp; OTHER A/P</b>)</b>	<b>2,498.</b>	<b>2,338.</b>
<b>27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)</b>	<b>51,137.</b>	<b>244,368.</b>

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**Part V Other Information** (Note the statement requirements in the instructions for Part V)

	Yes	No
33 Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of each activity	33	X
34 Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	34	X
35 If the organization had income from business activities, such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a (among others), but not reported on Form 990-T, attach a statement explaining why the organization did not report the income on Form 990-T.		
a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or was it subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?	35a	X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	35b	N/A
36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Sch. N	36	X
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions. <span style="float: right;">37a 0.</span>		
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	37b	X
38a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the period covered by this return?	38a	X
b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved <span style="float: right;">38b N/A</span>		
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 <span style="float: right;">39a N/A</span>		
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities <span style="float: right;">39b N/A</span>		
40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 <span style="float: right;">0.</span> ; section 4912 <span style="float: right;">0.</span> ; section 4955 <span style="float: right;">0.</span>		
b Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or is it aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	40b	X
c Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 <span style="float: right;">0.</span>		
d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization <span style="float: right;">0.</span>		
e All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T	40e	X
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed. <span style="float: right;">NONE</span>		
42a The organization's books are in care of <span style="float: right;">KAREN BENKER</span> Telephone no. <span style="float: right;">(303) 774-7745</span> Located at <span style="float: right;">PO BOX 1620, DENVER, CO</span> ZIP + 4 <span style="float: right;">80201</span>		
b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	42b	X
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: <span style="float: right;">See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.</span>		
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U.S.?	42c	X
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: <span style="float: right;">Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here</span>		
43 and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year <span style="float: right;">43 N/A</span>		
44 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44	X
45 Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	45	X

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**Part VI**

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

- 46 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I
- 47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II
- 48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E
- 49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?
- b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?
- 50 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

	Yes	No
46		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
47	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
48		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
49a		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
49b		

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

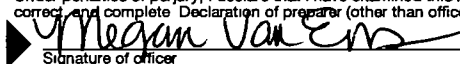

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000

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

NONE

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation

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

Sign Here	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.		
	 Signature of officer		Date 5/4/11
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature:  Date: 5/3/11		
	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>		
	Preparer's identifying number (See instr.) Firm's name (or yours if self-employed): ANTON COLLINS MITCHELL LLP address, and ZIP + 4: 303 EAST 17TH AVENUE, SUITE 600 DENVER, CO 80203 EIN: Phone no.: 303-830-1120		

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions

☒ Yes ☐ No

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Internal Revenue Service

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

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

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Name of the organization

Employer identification number

COLORADO CIVIC ENGAGEMENT ROUNDTABLE

02-0758897

<b>Part 1</b>	<b>Reason for Public Charity Status</b> (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions
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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 described in **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 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
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2009

**Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 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
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	405,889.	256.		179,675.	439,167.	1,024,987.
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 <b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3	405,889.	256.		179,675.	439,167.	1,024,987.
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						766,706.
6 <b>Public support.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4						258,281.

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4	405,889.	256.		179,675.	439,167.	1,024,987.
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	11,444.	3,013.	2.	187.	17.	14,663.
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
11 <b>Total support.</b> Add lines 7 through 10						1,039,650.
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	
13 <b>First five years.</b> If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and <b>stop here</b>						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**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 from 2008 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	%
16a <b>33 1/3% support test - 2009.</b> If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<input type="checkbox"/>
b <b>33 1/3% support test - 2008.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<input type="checkbox"/>
17a <b>10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2009.</b> 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 <b>stop here.</b> Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<input type="checkbox"/>
b <b>10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2008.</b> 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 <b>stop here.</b> Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<input type="checkbox"/>
18 <b>Private foundation.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions		<input type="checkbox"/>

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2009

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 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.")						
<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						
<b>3</b> Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
<b>4</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
<b>5</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
<b>6 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5						
<b>7a</b> Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
<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						
<b>c</b> Add lines 7a and 7b						
<b>8 Public support</b> (Subtract line 7c from line 6)						

**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						
<b>10a</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
<b>b</b> Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
<b>c</b> Add lines 10a and 10b						
<b>11</b> Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
<b>12</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
<b>13 Total support</b> (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12)						

**14 First five years.** If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 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>	%
<b>16</b> Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	<b>16</b>	%

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

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

**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 ☐

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2009



**SCHEDULE C**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities**

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

OMB No 1545-0047

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▶ **Complete if the organization is described below.**

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

**If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then**

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and B. Do not complete Part I-C.
- Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and C below. Do not complete Part I-B.
- Section 527 organizations: Complete Part I-A only

**If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then**

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-A. Do not complete Part II-B
- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-B. Do not complete Part II-A.

**If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 5 (Proxy Tax), then**

- Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations: Complete Part III

Name of organization

**COLORADO CIVIC ENGAGEMENT ROUNDTABLE**

Employer identification number

**02-0758897**

**Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.**

- 1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV.
- 2 Political expenditures ▶ \$
- 3 Volunteer hours

**Part I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3).**

- 1 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955 ▶ \$
- 2 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955 ▶ \$
- 3 If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 4a Was a correction made? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- b If "Yes," describe in Part IV.

**Part I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).**

- 1 Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$
- 2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$
- 3 Total exempt function expenditures. Add lines 1 and 2. Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b ▶ \$
- 4 Did the filing organization file Form 1120-POL for this year? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 5 Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which payments were made. For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization's funds. Also enter the amount of political contributions received that were promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a political action committee (PAC). If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV.

(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds. If none, enter -0-	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization. If none, enter -0-

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Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2009

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**Part II-A** Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

- A** Check ☐ if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group.
- B** Check ☐ if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply.

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)		(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals												
<b>1a</b> Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)															
<b>b</b> Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)		1,422.													
<b>c</b> Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)		1,422.													
<b>d</b> Other exempt purpose expenditures		102,356.													
<b>e</b> Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)		103,778.													
<b>f</b> Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table in both columns.		20,756.													
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<b>g</b> Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)		5,189.													
<b>h</b> Subtract line 1g from line 1a. If zero or less, enter -0-		0.													
<b>i</b> Subtract line 1f from line 1c. If zero or less, enter -0-		0.													
<b>j</b> If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No												

**4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)**

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the instructions for lines 2a through 2f on page 4.)

**Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2006	(b) 2007	(c) 2008	(d) 2009	(e) Total
<b>2a</b> Lobbying nontaxable amount			30,815.	20,756.	51,571.
<b>b</b> Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					77,357.
<b>c</b> Total lobbying expenditures			30,815.	1,422.	32,237.
<b>d</b> Grassroots nontaxable amount			7,704.	5,189.	12,893.
<b>e</b> Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					19,340.
<b>f</b> Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2009

### Part III-A

Part III-B

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FORM 990-EZ	OTHER EXPENSES	STATEMENT	1
DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	
STAFF TRAINING & DEVELOPMENT		5,281.	
OTHER		8,486.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-EZ, LINE 16		13,767.	

FORM 990-EZ	OTHER ASSETS	STATEMENT	2
DESCRIPTION	BEG. OF YEAR	END OF YEAR	
PREPAID EXPENSES	0.	3,975.	
DEPOSITS	0.	1,294.	
OTHER DEPRECIABLE ASSETS	7,113.	3,034.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-EZ, LINE 24	7,113.	8,303.	

FORM 990-EZ	CASH GRANTS AND ALLOCATIONS	STATEMENT	3
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CLASS OF ACTIVITY/GRANTEE'S NAME AND ADDRESS	GRANTEE'S RELATIONSHIP	AMOUNT
GRANTS TO OTHER ORGANIZATIONS PROGRESS NOW COLORADO EDUCATION 1536 WYNKOOP ST. #203 DENVER, CO 80202	NONE	25,000.
TOTAL INCLUDED ON FORM 990-EZ, LINE 10		25,000.

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FORM 990-EZ	INFORMATION REGARDING TRANSFERS ASSOCIATED WITH PERSONAL BENEFIT CONTRACTS	STATEMENT 4
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- A) DID THE ORGANIZATION, DURING THE YEAR, RECEIVE ANY FUNDS,  
DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, TO PAY PREMIUMS ON A PERSONAL  
BENEFIT CONTRACT? . . . . . [ ] YES [X] NO
- B) DID THE ORGANIZATION, DURING THE YEAR, PAY PREMIUMS,  
DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, ON A PERSONAL BENEFIT CONTRACT? . . [ ] YES [X] NO
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STATEMENT 5

MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM: BUILT BROAD MULTI-ISSUE COALITION WORKING COLLECTIVELY TO INCLUDE ALL COLORADANS IN OUR PROCESS IN BUILDING A JUST AND EQUITABLE STATE. COORDINATING THE CAPACITY OF GROUPS AND PROVIDING STRATEGIC RESOURCES.

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STATEMENT 6

PUBLIC EDUCATION PROGRAM: EDUCATING COLORADANS ABOUT IMPORTANT PUBLIC POLICY ISSUES THAT AFFECT THEIR DAILY LIVES. THIS INCLUDES KNOWLEDGE OF AND ACCESS TO BETTER HEALTH, EDUCATION, ENVIRONMENTAL AND ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY INFORMATION.



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STATEMENT 7

PROMOTION OF CIVIL RIGHTS AND THE FIGHT AGAINST DISCRIMINATION

- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, or  
**Note.** Only complete Part II if you have already been granted an automatic:  
 • If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only Part I

**Part II Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time****Type or print**

File by the extended due date for filing your return. See instructions.

Name of exempt organization  
 Colorado Civic Engagement Roundtable  
 Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions  
 P. O. Box 1620  
 City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address  
 Denver, CO 80201

Enter the Return code for the return that this application is for (file a separate Form 990, 990-BL, 990-EZ, 990-PF, 990-T, 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust), or 990-T (trust other than above))

Application Is For	Return Code	Ap Is
Form 990	01	
Form 990-BL	02	Form 1041-A
Form 990-EZ	03	Form 4720
Form 990-PF	04	Form 5227
Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	05	Form 6069
Form 990-T (trust other than above)	06	Form 8870

**STOP! Do not complete Part II if you were not already granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.**

- The books are in the care of ► Karen M. Benker  
 Telephone No. ► 303 774-7745 FAX No. ►  
 • If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box ☐  
 • If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) 84201-0045. If this is for the whole group, check this box ☐. If it is for part of the group, check this box ☐ and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for.

- 4 I request an additional 3-month extension of time until May 15, 20 11.  
 5 For calendar year 2009, or other tax year beginning July 1, 20 09, and ending June 30, 20 10.  
 6 If the tax year entered in line 5 is for less than 12 months, check reason: ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return  
☐ Change in accounting period  
 7 State in detail why you need the extension CCER requires additional time to prepare an accurate filing of Form 990.

8a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	8a	\$
b If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit and any amount paid previously with Form 8868.	8b	\$
c Balance due. Subtract line 8b from line 8a. Include your payment with this form, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	8c	\$

**Signature and Verification**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form.

Signature ►

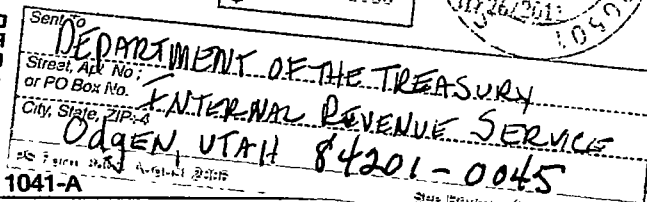
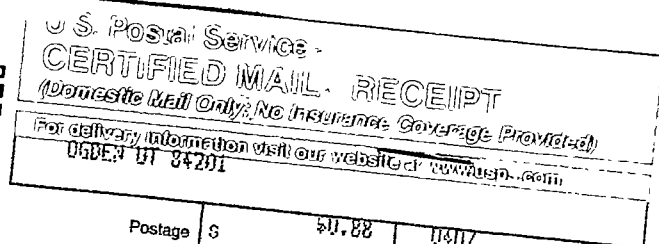
*Meghan VanEens*

Title ► Executive Director

Date ►

*January 26, 2011*

Form 8868 (Rev. 1-2011)



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- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** (on page 1).

**Part II Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time.** Only file the original (no copies needed).

Type or print  File by the extended due date for filing the return. See instructions.	Name of Exempt Organization		Employer identification number
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions.		For IRS use only
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions.		

**Check type of return to be filed** (File a separate application for each return):

- |                                      |   |                                      |                                    |
|--------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990    | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 1041-A | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 6069 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-BL | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust) | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4720   | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8870 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-EZ | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (trust other than above)      | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227   |                                    |

**STOP! Do not complete Part II if you were not already granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.**

- The books are in the care of \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone No. ► (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ FAX No. ► (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_
- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box ☐
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) \_\_\_\_\_. If this is for the whole group, check this box ☐. If it is for part of the group, check this box ☐ and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for.
- 4 I request an additional 3-month extension of time until \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.
- 5 For calendar year \_\_\_\_\_, or other tax year beginning \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, and ending \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.
- 6 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason: ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return ☐ Change in accounting period
- 7 State in detail why you need the extension \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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**Signature and Verification**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form.

Signature ► Meghan Van Em Title ► Executive Director Date ► 11/4/10

Application for Extension of Time To File an  
Exempt Organization Return

► File a separate application for each return.

OMB No 1545-1709

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** and check this box ☒
- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete **Part II** and check this box ☐

this form).  
Form 8868.**Do not complete Part II unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-****Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time.** Only submit original.

A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension of time to file Form 8868.

All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trust filers are required to file income tax returns.

**Electronic Filing (e-file).** Generally, you can electronically file Form 8868 if you are one of the returns noted below (6 months for a corporation required to file electronically if (1) you want the additional (not automatic) 3-month extension of time to file Form 8868, or a composite or consolidated Form 990-T. Instead, you must submit the fully completed and signed page 2 (Part II) of Form 8868. For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit [www.irs.gov/efile](http://www.irs.gov/efile) and click on e-file for Charities & Nonprofits.

Type or print File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.	Name of Exempt Organization <u>Colorado's for Fairness and Equality dba</u>	Employer identification number <u>02 0758897</u>
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. <u>P.O. Box 1620</u>	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. <u>DENVER, COLORADO 80201</u>	

Check type of return to be filed (file a separate application for each return):

- |   |   |                                    |
|---|---|------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990               | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (corporation)                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4720 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-BL            | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust) | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990-EZ | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (trust other than above)      | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 6069 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF            | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 1041-A                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8870 |

- The books are in the care of ► KAREN BENKER

Telephone No. ► (303) 774-7745 FAX No. ► ( )

- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box ☐
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- 1 I request an automatic 3-month (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until FEB 15, 2011, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:

- ☐ calendar year 20         or  
 ► ☒ tax year beginning JULY 1, 2009, and ending JUNE 30, 2010.

- 2 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason: ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return ☐ Change in accounting period

3a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	3a	\$	<u>0</u>
b If this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit.	3b	\$	<u>0</u>
c <b>Balance Due.</b> Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	3c	\$	<u>0</u>

**Caution.** If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions.



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### Articles of Amendment

filed pursuant to §7-90-301, et seq. and §7-130-105 of the Colorado Revised Statutes (C.R.S.)

ID number 20051402318

1. Entity name Coloradans for Fairness and Equality  
*(If changing the name of the corporation, indicate name BEFORE the name change)*

2. New Entity name  
(if applicable) Colorado Civic Engagement Roundtable

3. *(If the following statement applies, adopt the statement by marking the box and include an attachment )*  
☐ Other amendments are attached.

4. If the nonprofit corporation's period  
of duration as amended is less than  
perpetual, state the date on which the  
period of duration expires \_\_\_\_\_  
*(mm/dd/yyyy)*

OR

If the nonprofit corporation's period of duration as amended is perpetual, mark this box ☒

5. *(Optional)* Delayed effective date \_\_\_\_\_  
*(mm/dd/yyyy)*

6. Additional information may be included pursuant to other organic statutes such as title 12, C.R.S. If  
applicable, mark this box ☐ and include an attachment stating the additional information.

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