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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

2009**Open to Public
Inspection****A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning 07/01/09, and ending 06/30/10**

B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Termination <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.	C Name of organization		D Employer identification number
		Butler County Farm Bureau Assoc.		48-0561117
		Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite 341 N. Main		E Telephone number 316-320-3166
		City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 El Dorado KS 67042		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) (5) ◀ (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 ▶ \$ **67,221****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	7,400
	2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
	3 Membership dues and assessments	3	46,875
	4 Investment income	4	12,933
	5a Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
	b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
	c 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"/>		
	a Gross revenue (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1)	6a	
	b Less direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b	
	c 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	13
	b Less cost of goods sold	7b	47
	c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	-34
	8 Other revenue (describe ▶)	8	
	9 Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8	9	67,174
	Expenses	10 Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)	10
11 Benefits paid to or for members		11	
12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits		12	39,883
13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors		13	
14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance		14	10,713
15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping		15	11
16 Other expenses (describe ▶ See Statement 2)		16	19,202
17 Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16		17	70,809
Net Assets	18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	-3,635
	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	127,520
	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	123,885

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

(See the instructions for Part II.)

	(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments	82,994	73,384
23 Land and buildings	47,538	50,440
24 Other assets (describe ▶ See Statement 3)	465	119
25 Total assets	130,997	123,943
26 Total liabilities (describe ▶ See Statement 4)	3,477	58
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	127,520	123,885

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	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		X
34 Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attached a conformed copy of the changes		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?		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		
36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N		X
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instr 37a		
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		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?		X
b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved 38b		
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations Enter		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 39a		
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities 39b		
40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under section 4911 40a , section 4912 40a , section 4955 40a		
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		
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 40c		
d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization 40d		
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 41 None		
42a The organization's books are in care of 42a OFFICE SECRETARY Telephone no 42a 316-320-3166 341 N MAIN Located at 42a EL DORADO, KS ZIP + 4 42a 67042		
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 42b		
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U S ? 42c		X
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country 42c		
43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041—Check here 43 <input type="checkbox"/>		
and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year 43		
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

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

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

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

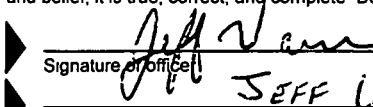

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$100,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances

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

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

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

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 9-30-2010	
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Type or print name and title JEFF WARNER PRESIDENT			
	Preparer's signature 	Date	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	Preparer's Identifying Number (See instr.)
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4			EIN
	This tax return prepared by a non-paid preparer.			Phone

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

▶ ☐ Yes ☐ No

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Federal Statements

FYE: 6/30/2010

Statement 1 - Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 3 - Membership Dues and Assessments

<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
County Dues	\$ 47,231
Membership Dues	-356
Total	<u>\$ 46,875 .</u>

Statement 2 - Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 16 - Other Expenses

<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
	\$
Travel	1,336
4-H Promotion	2,025
Board Expense	1,913
Committees: Ag in the Cla	309
Committees: Other	8
Committees: Policy Develo	195
Committees: Public Relati	261
Committees: Womens	184
Committees: Young Frmrs &	1,894
Dues	275
Insurance: Master Group L	744
Office Expense	1,777
Safety Deposit Box	30
Internet	205
Penalties	16
Advertising	3,804
County Promotion-MEP	205
Taxes: Sales Tax	6
Taxes: Sec of State	40
Contributions	1,418
Expenses	
Meetings: County Annual	1,148
Meetings: Other	450
Meetings: State Annual	352
Motels & Hotels	507
Seminars: Others	100
Total	<u>\$ 19,202 .</u>

Statement 3 - Form 990-EZ, Part II, Line 24 - Other Assets

<u>Description</u>	<u>Beginning of Year</u>	<u>End of Year</u>
Inventories for Sale or Use	\$ 465	\$ 119
	<u>465 .</u>	<u>119 .</u>

Federal Statements**Statement 4 - Form 990-EZ, Part II, Line 26 - Total Liabilities**

<u>Description</u>	<u>Beginning of Year</u>	<u>End of Year</u>
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses	\$ 3,477	\$ 58
	<u>3,477</u>	<u>58</u>

Year Ended: June 30, 2010

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Butler County Farm Bureau Assoc.
341 N. Main
El Dorado, KS 67042

**Electing out of the 50% Bonus Depreciation Allowance for
All Eligible Depreciable Property**

The taxpayer elects out of the 50% first-year bonus depreciation allowance under IRC Section 168(k) for all eligible asset classes of depreciable property acquired after December 31, 2007. This election applies to all eligible depreciable property placed in service during the tax year.

County	Committee Position	Member Name Number Address
8 Butler	County Board President	250927 JEFF VARNER 9769 SW PARALLEL ST TOWANDA KS 67144-9343
8 Butler	County Board Vice-President	450379 DAMIAN KORTE 14236 SE STONY CREEK RD LATHAM KS 67072-9008
8 Butler	County Board Secretary	86982 RALPH CLAASSEN 11195 NW SANTA FE LAKE RD WHITEWATER KS 67154-8951
8 Butler	County Board Treasurer	86982 RALPH CLAASSEN 11195 NW SANTA FE LAKE RD WHITEWATER KS 67154-8951
8 Butler	County Board Board Member	69048 ZACK WILKERSON 3543 SW OHIO STREET RD EL DORADO KS 67042-9079
8 Butler	County Board Board Member	100777 VERNON WILLHITE 4886 SE STONY CREEK RD ROSALIA KS 67132-9120
8 Butler	County Board Board Member	402544 ELDON MARSHALL 38 SE 70TH ST LEON KS 67074-7906
8 Butler	County Board Board Member	484210 JEREMY CHINN 2705 RUSHWOOD DRIVE AUGUSTA KS 67010-1941

Form **4562**
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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Depreciation and Amortization
(Including Information on Listed Property)

▶ See separate instructions.

▶ Attach to your tax return.

OMB No 1545-0172

2009Attachment
Sequence No **67**

Name(s) shown on return

Butler County Farm Bureau Assoc.

Identifying number

48-0561117

Business or activity to which this form relates

Operations**Part I Election To Expense Certain Property Under Section 179****Note:** If you have any listed property, complete Part V before you complete Part I.

1	Maximum amount. See the instructions for a higher limit for certain businesses	1	250,000
2	Total cost of section 179 property placed in service (see instructions)	2	
3	Threshold cost of section 179 property before reduction in limitation (see instructions)	3	800,000
4	Reduction in limitation Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-	4	
5	Dollar limitation for tax year. Subtract line 4 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0-. If married filing separately, see instructions	5	
6	(a) Description of property	(b) Cost (business use only)	(c) Elected cost
7	Listed property Enter the amount from line 29	7	
8	Total elected cost of section 179 property Add amounts in column (c), lines 6 and 7	8	
9	Tentative deduction Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8	9	
10	Carryover of disallowed deduction from line 13 of your 2008 Form 4562	10	
11	Business income limitation Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5 (see instructions)	11	
12	Section 179 expense deduction Add lines 9 and 10, but do not enter more than line 11	12	
13	Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2010 Add lines 9 and 10, less line 12	13	

Note: Do not use Part II or Part III below for listed property. Instead, use Part V**Part II Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation (Do not include listed property.) (See instr.)**

14	Special depreciation allowance for qualified property (other than listed property) placed in service during the tax year (see instructions)	14	
15	Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election	15	
16	Other depreciation (including ACRS)	16	1,109

Part III MACRS Depreciation (Do not include listed property.) (See instructions)**Section A**

17	MACRS deductions for assets placed in service in tax years beginning before 2009	17	0
18	If you are electing to group any assets placed in service during the tax year into one or more general asset accounts, check here <input type="checkbox"/>		

Section B—Assets Placed in Service During 2009 Tax Year Using the General Depreciation System

(a) Classification of property	(b) Month and year placed in service	(c) Basis for depreciation (business/investment use only—see instructions)	(d) Recovery period	(e) Convention	(f) Method	(g) Depreciation deduction
19a 3-year property						
b 5-year property		1,247	5.0	HY	S/L	125
c 7-year property						
d 10-year property						
e 15-year property						
f 20-year property						
g 25-year property			25 yrs		S/L	
h Residential rental property			27.5 yrs	MM	S/L	
i Nonresidential real property	04/20/10	2,904	39 yrs	MM	S/L	15

Section C—Assets Placed in Service During 2009 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System

20a Class life				S/L	
b 12-year			12 yrs	S/L	
c 40-year			40 yrs	MM	S/L

Part IV Summary (See instructions.)

21	Listed property Enter amount from line 28	21	
22	Total. Add amounts from line 12, lines 14 through 17, lines 19 and 20 in column (g), and line 21 Enter here and on the appropriate lines of your return Partnerships and S corporations—see instructions	22	1,249
23	For assets shown above and placed in service during the current year, enter the portion of the basis attributable to section 263A costs	23	

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There are no amounts for Page 2