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Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

2009

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

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

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 August 1, 2009, and ending July 31, 2010

B Check if applicable: Address change, Name change, Initial return, Terminated, Amended return, Application pending. G Name of organization: Covert Resort Association. D Employer identification number: 38-1248633. E Telephone number: (847) 412-9524. G Gross receipts: \$309,956. F Name and address of principal officer: Karen Miller, President, 721 Kimball Ave., Palatine, IL 60067. H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? Yes. H(b) Are all affiliates included? Yes. I Tax-exempt status: 501(c)(7). J Website: na. K Form of organization: Association. L Year of formation: 1910. M State of legal domicile: MI.

Part I Summary

Table with 3 columns: Line number, Description, and Amount. Rows include: 1 Briefly describe the organization's mission... 2 Check this box... 3-7 Number of members, employees, and volunteers. 7a-7b Revenue and net income. 8-12 Revenue breakdown. 13-17 Expenses breakdown. 18 Total expenses. 19 Revenue less expenses. 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: Richard A. Lindrooth, Treasurer, Nov 30, 2010.

Paid Preparer's Use Only: Preparer's signature, Date, Check if self-employed, Preparer's identifying number, Firm's name, EIN, Phone no.

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

Note - Accretion of Payable to Founders

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

See Part I, 1.

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? [] Yes [] No
If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? [] Yes [] No
If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

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

4a (Code:) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

none

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

none

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

none

4d Other program services. (Describe in Schedule O.)
(Expenses \$ none including grants of \$ none) (Revenue \$ none)

4e Total program service expenses ▶ none

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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

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

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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

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

All required information is included in notes on Form 990. Also see Schedule O for a description of organization.

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Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

		Yes	No
1a Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1099, Annual Summary and Transmittal of U.S. Information Returns. Enter -0- if not applicable	1a	0	
b Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	1b	0	
c Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	✓	
2a Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return	2a	1	
b If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file this return. (see instructions)	2b	✓	
3a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?	3a	✓	
b If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	3b	✓	
4a 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)?	4a		✓
b If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶ <u>na</u> See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.	4b		
5a Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a		✓
b Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b		✓
c If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, Disclosure by Tax-Exempt Entity Regarding Prohibited Tax Shelter Transaction?	5c	na	
6a 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?	6a	✓	
b If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6b	✓	
7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).			
a Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7a		✓
b If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b	na	
c Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7c		✓
d If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	7d	na	
e Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e		✓
f Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f		✓
g For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g	na	none
h For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C as required?	7h	na	none
8 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8	na	
9 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.			
a Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a	na	
b Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b	na	
10 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:			
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	10a	none	
b Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	10b	none	
11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter: <u>na</u>			
a Gross income from members or shareholders	11a		
b Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)	11b		
12a Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a	na	
b If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	12b	na	

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

Section A. Governing Body and Management

	Yes	No
1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body		
1b Enter the number of voting members that are independent		
2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	✓	
3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?		✓
4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its organizational documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		✓
5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's assets?		✓
6 Does the organization have members or stockholders? <i>All members are stockholders</i>	✓	
7a Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body?	✓	
7b Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons?	✓	
8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
a The governing body?	✓	
b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	✓	
9 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? <i>If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O</i>		✓

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

	Yes	No
10a Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?		✓
b If "Yes," does the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with those of the organization?	✓	
11 Has the organization provided a copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? <i>A copy of Form 990 is available to each Director upon request</i>	✓	
11A Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.		
12a Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? <i>If "No," go to line 13</i>		✓
b Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?		✓
c Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? <i>If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this is done</i>	na	
13 Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?		✓
14 Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?		✓
15 Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	na	none
b Other officers or key employees of the organization	na	
<i>If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O. (See instructions.)</i>		
16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?		✓
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?	na	

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ▶ *none*
- 18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.
 Own website Another's website Upon request
- 19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public. *na*
- 20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization: ▶ *Richard A. Lindrauth, 102 Harvard St, Glenview, IL 60026 (847) 412-9524*

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

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

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

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

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

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

(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			
Karen Miller, President and Director	Note							0	0	0
Gail Brickman, Secretary								0	0	0
Margo Farrington, Director								0	0	0
Rob Smith, Director								0	0	0
Chuck Rapp, Director								0	0	0
Jack Leach, Vice President and Director								0	0	0
Fran Spitzer, Director								0	0	0
Richard Lindrook, Treasurer								0	0	0
Chris Davey, Director								0	0	0
Donald Burrous, Caretaker		20-40						25,876	0	0
Note - Hours per week vary significantly and none of the Officers or Directors are compensated.										

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Part VIII Statement of Revenue		(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts	1a Federated campaigns	1a				
	b Membership dues	1b	304,107			
	c Fundraising events	1c				
	d Related organizations	1d				
	e Government grants (contributions).	1e				
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f				
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$					
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f		304,107			
Program Service Revenue	Business Code					
	2a					
	b					
	c					
	d					
	e					
	f All other program service revenue					
g Total. Add lines 2a-2f						
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		1,206	1,206		
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds					
	5 Royalties					
	6a Gross Rents	(i) Real				
		(ii) Personal				
		b Less: rental expenses				
		c Rental income or (loss)				
	d Net rental income or (loss)					
	7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities				
		(ii) Other				
		b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses				
		c Gain or (loss)				
	d Net gain or (loss)					
	8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	a				
	b Less: direct expenses	b				
c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events						
9a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a					
b Less: direct expenses	b					
c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities						
10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a					
b Less: cost of goods sold	b					
c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory						
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code				
11a Accretion of payable						
b To Founders		1,644				
c						
d All other revenue						
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d		1,644				
12 Total revenue. See instructions.		306,956		1,206		

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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).

	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.				
1 Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the U.S. See Part IV, line 21				
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U.S. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U.S. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	25,876			
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	2,000			
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)				
9 Other employee benefits				
10 Payroll taxes	3,113			
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal				
c Accounting				
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees				
g Other				
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses				
14 Information technology				
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy				
17 Travel				
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization				
23 Insurance	6,263			
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (Expenses grouped together and labeled miscellaneous may not exceed 5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below.)				
a <u>Equipment Rental</u>	9,000			
b <u>Accretion of receivable</u>				
c <u>from members</u>	1,644			
d <u>Federal Income Tax</u>	152			
e <u>See attached</u>	256,783			
f All other expenses				
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	304,878			
26 Joint costs. 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				

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Part X Balance Sheet

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year	
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing		1		
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	114,537	2	116,665	
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net		3		
	4 Accounts receivable, net	21,913	4	11,352	
	5 Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L			5	
	6 Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B). Complete Part II of Schedule L			6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net			7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use			8	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			9	
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a	See Note 1		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	10b		10c	188,194
	11 Investments—publicly traded securities			11	
	12 Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11			12	
	13 Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11			13	
	14 Intangible assets			14	
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11			15	
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)		324,644	16	316,211	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses		17		
	18 Grants payable		18		
	19 Deferred revenue		19		
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20		
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D			21	
	22 Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L. <i>See Note 2</i>		21,913	22	11,352
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties			23	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties			24	
	25 Other liabilities. Complete Part X of Schedule D			25	
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25		21,913	26	11,352
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.				
	27 Unrestricted net assets		302,731	27	304,859
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets			28	
	29 Permanently restricted net assets			29	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.				
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds			30	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund			31	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds			32	
33 Total net assets or fund balances		302,731	33	304,859	
34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances		324,644	34	316,211	

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Part XI Financial Statements and Reporting

	Yes	No
1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.		
2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? . . .	✓	
b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	✓	
c If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? . . . If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.	na	
d If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were issued on a consolidated basis, separate basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		
3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		✓
b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits.	na	

Name of the organization

Covert Resort Association

Employer identification number

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The Covert Resort Association (CRA) operates as a Michigan Resort Association located in Covert Township Michigan. CRA provides water to the 46 residences and maintains the roads and walkways. CRA employs a caretaker who is responsible for all of these duties and, in addition, provides general oversight over the Association property. In addition, CRA collects the property tax from the members and remits payment to the township.

The Board of Directors consists of seven members who serve no more than two three-year terms. Each board member is a home-owner. The Secretary and Treasurer may be but are not necessarily board members. They are elected by the board members each year at the time of the annual meeting. The officers and the board members receive no compensation for their services.

The Board receives financial statements prior to each meeting and approves the report submitted. Dues are collected when the winter tax bills are collected. The amount of dues is approved by the Board based on estimates of operating costs for the coming year. The amount of dues per cottage unit has been relatively constant in recent years.

Outside contractors are used on occasion for such things as water supply maintenance, tree trimming and removal and in a few instances, road maintenance.

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Notes to Balance Sheet—Part X

- (1) The amount shown for Land and Buildings represents a conservative estimate which has been reported on Form 990 for many years. The land portion is our common area which includes approximately 2000 feet of lake front. Our buildings are more than 50 years old and not of significant value.**

- (2) This amount represents the present value, discounted at 7.5%, of sums payable to the ancestors of the two founding members. The final payment is due to be paid in January 2011.**

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Part IX. Statement of Functional Expenses

Line 24e:

Road maintenance	\$ 5,207
Water system	1,784
General maintenance	11,828
Garbage disposal	1,240
Electricity	1,952
Miscellaneous	3,135
Real estate taxes	231,637
	<u>\$256,783</u>