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Form 990

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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)

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

OMB No. 1545-0047

2010

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Inspection

A For the 2010 calendar year, or tax year beginning and ending

B Check if applicable	C Name of organization The Arc of Minnesota		D Employer identification number 41-0795254
<input type="checkbox"/> Address change	Doing Business As		E Telephone number 651-523-0823
<input type="checkbox"/> Name change	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address)	Room/suite	G Gross receipts \$ 1,134,507.
<input type="checkbox"/> Initial return	800 Transfer Road	7A	H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Terminated	City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4		H(b) Are all affiliates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Amended return	St. Paul, MN 55114		If "No," attach a list (see instructions)
<input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	F Name and address of principal officer Pat Mellenthin same as C above		H(c) Group exemption number ►
I Tax-exempt status <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c)() (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527			
J Website: ► www.thearcofminnesota.org			
K Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ►		L Year of formation: 1955 M State of legal domicile: MN	

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities Promote and protect the human rights of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities.			
	2 Check this box ► <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets			
	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)			
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)			
	5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2010 (Part V, line 2a)			
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)			
	7 a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34			
Revenue	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	RECEIVED	3	23
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		4	23
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)		5	16
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)		6	590
	12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)		7	0.
			8	0.
			9	0.
			10	58,147.
			11	0.
			12	485,003.
			13	633,375.
			14	0.
Expenses	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)		14	0.
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		15	0.
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)		16	526,425.
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		17	547,434.
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ► 114,216.		18	1,011,428.
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f)		19	1,238,956.
	18 Total expenses Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)		20	25,445.
19 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12		21	-124,018.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Current Year	End of Year	
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	642,408.	567,007.	
	22 Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	116,882.	165,499.	
		525,526.	401,508.	

Part II Signature Block

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

Sign Here	► Signature of officer			
	Pat Mellenthin, CEO	Date	5/10/11	
► Type or print name and title				
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name Steven D. Anseth, CPA	Preparer's signature <i>Steven D. Anseth CPA</i>	Date 5/3/11	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>
	Firm's name ► Francis & Associates, P.A.	PTIN		
	Firm's address ► 1809 S Plymouth Road #200 Minnetonka, MN 55305	Firm's EIN ►	Phone no. (952) 593-4000	

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III 1 Briefly describe the organization's mission

The mission of The Arc of Minnesota is promote and protect the human rights of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities, and actively support their full inclusion and participation in the community throughout their lifetimes.

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 \$ 265,931. including grants of \$ 12,250.) (Revenue \$ 8,096.)
Public Policy & Civic Engagement - The Arc of Minnesota is a leader in influencing the development and implementation of public policies that affect the lives of people with intellectual and other developmental disabilities and their families.

4b (Code _____) (Expenses \$ 481,539. including grants of \$ _____) (Revenue \$ 450,000.)
Housing Access Services - The Arc of Minnesota helps eligible Minnesota adults with disabilities seek and locate suitable, affordable, accessible housing.

4c (Code _____) (Expenses \$ 256,707. including grants of \$ 35,000.) (Revenue \$ 54,909.)
Education and Training - The Arc of Minnesota provides extensive training to members and the public on issues impacting people with intellectual and other developmental disabilities.

This includes training on county, state and federal programs and regulations, tools to help find medical services for which they might qualify, special education services, voter's rights, special needs trusts and transition & employment opportunities.

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)

(Expenses \$ 41,050. including grants of \$ _____) (Revenue \$ 270,216.)

4e Total program service expenses ► 1,045,227.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)?
If "Yes," complete Schedule A

2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?

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*

4 **Section 501(c)(3) organizations.** Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? *If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II*

5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? *If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III*

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*

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*

8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III*

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*

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*

11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable

- 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 (ASC 740)? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X*

12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII*

- Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year?
If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional

13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)? *If "Yes," complete Schedule E*

14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?

- 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, Parts I and IV*

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, Parts II and IV*

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, Parts III and IV*

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*

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*

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*

20a Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? *If "Yes," complete Schedule H*

- If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach its audited financial statements to this return? **Note.** Some Form 990 filers that operate one or more hospitals must attach audited financial statements (see instructions)

	Yes	No
1	X	
2	X	
3		X
4	X	
5		
6		X
7		X
8		X
9		X
10	X	
11a	X	
11b		X
11c		X
11d	X	
11e		X
11f	X	
12a	X	
12b		X
13		X
14a		X
14b		X
15		X
16		X
17		X
18	X	
19		X
20a		X
20b		

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	X
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	X
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	X
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	X
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	X
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	X
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	X
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	X
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)	28a	X
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b	X
b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28c	X
c An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	29	X
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	30	X
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	31	X
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations?	32	X
If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I	33	X
32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II	34	X
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	35	X
34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity?	36	X
If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1	37	X
35 Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	38	X
a Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2		
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		
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		
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		

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax ComplianceCheck if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part V

1a Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable 1a 11
1b 0

1b Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable

1c 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 16

2b If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? 2b X
Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)

3a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? 3a

3b 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 X

4b If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ► See instructions for filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22 1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts

5a Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year? 5a X

5b Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? 5b X

5c If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T? 5c

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 X

6b 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).** 7a X
7b

7c If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year 7c X
7d

7d 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? 7d

7e If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided? 7e X

7f Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282? 7f X

7g If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required? 7g X

7h If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C? 7h X

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

9 **Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.** 9a
9b

9a Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966? 9a

9b Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person? 9b

10 **Section 501(c)(7) organizations.** Enter 10a
10b

10a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12

10b Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities

11 **Section 501(c)(12) organizations.** Enter 11a
11b

11a Gross income from members or shareholders

11b Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)

12a **Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.** Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041? 12a

12b If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 12b

13 **Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.** 13a

13a Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? 13a
Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O

13b Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans 13b

13c Enter the amount of reserves on hand 13c

14a Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year? 14a X

14b If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O 14b

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VI

Section A. Governing Body and Management

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year	1a	23
1b	Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent	1b	23
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?	2	X
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?	3	X
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	4	X
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?	5	X
6	Does the organization have members or stockholders?	6	X
7a	Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body?	7a	X
7b	Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons?	7b	X
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following		
a	The governing body?	8a	X
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b	X
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? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O	9	X

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

Section C. Disclosure

17	List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ► <u>MN</u>
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
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Own website <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Another's website <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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
20	State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization ► _____
	<u>The Organization - 651-523-0823</u>
	<u>800 Transfer Road, No. 7A, St Paul, MN 55114</u>

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

 Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VII
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.

- 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, if any 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 neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (describe hours for related organizations in Schedule O)	(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			
Jean Bender <u>Immediate Past President</u>	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Tim Nelson <u>President</u>	0.50	X	X				0.	0.	0.
Deb Good <u>Secretary</u>	0.50	X	X				0.	0.	0.
Larry Kugler <u>First Vice President</u>	0.50	X	X				0.	0.	0.
Les Bauer <u>Treasurer</u>	0.50	X	X				0.	0.	0.
Sherri Larson <u>Director</u>	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Mike Runholt <u>Director</u>	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Lynne Megan <u>Director</u>	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Pam Gonnella <u>Director</u>	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Crystal Stein <u>Director</u>	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Buff Hennessey <u>Director</u>	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Lisa Schoneman <u>Director</u>	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Hunter Sargent <u>Director</u>	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Peggy Smith <u>Secretary</u>	0.50	X	X				0.	0.	0.
Joanie Meyer <u>Director</u>	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Axel Gumbel <u>Director</u>	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Donna Haapala <u>Director</u>	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.

Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (describe hours for related organizations in Schedule O)	(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			
Kim Maag Director	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Cindy Johnson Director	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Judy Tollefsrud Director	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Karen Larson Second Vice President	0.50	X	X				0.	0.	0.
Tim Allen Director	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Michael Valencia Director	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Karen Conrath Director	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Eduardo Montes Director	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
Steve Hayes Director	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.
1b Sub-total						►	0.	0.	0.
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A						►	119,998.	0.	29,120.
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)						►	119,998.	0.	29,120.

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in reportable compensation from the organization ► 0

3 Did the organization list any former officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual	Yes	No
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual	3	X
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person	4	X
	5	X

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. **NONE**

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in compensation from the organization ► 0

See Part VII, Section A Continuation sheets

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, and other similar amounts	1 a Federated campaigns b Membership dues c Fundraising events d Related organizations e Government grants (contributions) f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$ h Total. Add lines 1a-1f	1a 1b 57,603. 1c 2,343. 1d 1e 1f 189,105. 18,564. ► 249,051.			
Program Service Revenue	2 a Minnesota State Contra b Chapter Fair Share Fee c Registration and other d e f All other program service revenue g Total. Add lines 2a-2f	Business Code 900099 455,000. 900099 269,495. 900099 53,509. ► 778,004.	455,000. 269,495. 53,509.		
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) 4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds 5 Royalties 6 a Gross Rents b Less rental expenses c Rental income or (loss) d Net rental income or (loss) 7 a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses c Gain or (loss) d Net gain or (loss) 8 a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 2,343. of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18 b Less direct expenses c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events 9 a Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19 b Less direct expenses c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities 10 a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances b Less cost of goods sold c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory 11 a Miscellaneous Revenue b c d All other revenue e Total. Add lines 11a-11d 12 Total revenue See instructions.	(i) Real ► (i) Securities ► a 68,230. b 19,569. ► 48,661. a b ► a b ► Business Code 900099 5,217. 5,217. ► 5,217. ► 1114938. 783,221. 0. 82,666.	34,005. ► ► 34,005.		

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).

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
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	58,147.	58,147.		
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	228,196.	157,040.	31,897.	39,259.
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	339,259.	300,164.	3,843.	35,252.
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	2,948.	2,581.	162.	205.
9 Other employee benefits	25,182.	19,692.	3,016.	2,474.
10 Payroll taxes	37,790.	31,407.	2,791.	3,592.
11 Fees for services (non-employees)				
a Management				
b Legal	2,145.	2,145.		
c Accounting	20,303.	3,206.	17,097.	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees				
g Other	19,564.	18,301.		1,263.
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses	73,611.	51,621.	8,377.	13,613.
14 Information technology				
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	42,644.	31,702.	6,819.	4,123.
17 Travel	54,097.	45,336.	1,609.	7,152.
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	6,994.	6,477.	12.	505.
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates	296,891.	294,608.	1,397.	886.
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization				
23 Insurance	10,252.	8,624.	996.	632.
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24f. If line 24f amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24f expenses on Schedule O)				
a <u>Miscellaneous</u>	14,577.	10,691.	837.	3,049.
b <u>Banking</u>	6,356.	3,485.	660.	2,211.
c				
d				
e				
f All other expenses				
25 Total functional expenses Add lines 1 through 24f	1,238,956.	1,045,227.	79,513.	114,216.
26 Joint costs Check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720) Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				

Part X Balance Sheet

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing	200,006.	1	108,769.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments		2	
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net	58,567.	3	40,336.
	4 Accounts receivable, net	64,391.	4	36,144.
	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)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions)		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	7,303.	9	6,808.
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	120,776.		
	b Less accumulated depreciation	10b 60,983.	10c 13,090.	59,793.
	11 Investments - publicly traded securities		1,012.	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	298,039.	15	315,157.
	16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	642,408.	16	567,007.
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	90,637.	17	108,452.
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue	26,245.	19	57,047.
	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		22	
	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	116,882.	26	165,499.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here ► <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.			
	27 Unrestricted net assets	86,849.	27	4,430.
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets	138,546.	28	96,878.
	29 Permanently restricted net assets	300,131.	29	300,200.
	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	525,526.	33	401,508.
	34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	642,408.	34	567,007.

Part XI Reconciliation of Net AssetsCheck if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	1,114,938.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	1,238,956.
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-124,018.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	525,526.
5	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	5	
6	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3, 4, and 5 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	6	401,508.

Part XII Financial Statements and ReportingCheck if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII

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

Form 990 (2010)

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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

OMB No 1545-0047

2010

**Open to Public
Inspection**

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

41-0795254

The Arc of Minnesota

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

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

1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches 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) 2010

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 or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2006	(b) 2007	(c) 2008	(d) 2009	(e) 2010	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants")						
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 Total. Add lines 1 through 3						
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)						
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2006	(b) 2007	(c) 2008	(d) 2009	(e) 2010	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
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 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (see instructions)					12	
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here						► <input type="checkbox"/>

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2010 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	%
15 Public support percentage from 2009 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	%
16a 33 1/3% support test - 2010. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	► <input type="checkbox"/>	
b 33 1/3% support test - 2009. 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 stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	► <input type="checkbox"/>	
17a 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	► <input type="checkbox"/>	
b 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2009. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	► <input type="checkbox"/>	
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions	► <input type="checkbox"/>	

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 or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2006	(b) 2007	(c) 2008	(d) 2009	(e) 2010	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants")	212,324.	336,270.	554,972.	376,378.	310,788.	1,790,732.
2 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	66,928.	89,502.	108,037.	619,349.	778,004.	1,661,820.
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5	279,252.	425,772.	663,009.	995,727.	1,088,792.	3,452,552.
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons	3,909.	9,062.	4,529.	8,228.	7,829.	33,557.
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				219,262.	438,491.	657,753.
c Add lines 7a and 7b	3,909.	9,062.	4,529.	227,490.	446,320.	691,310.
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6)						2,761,242.

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2006	(b) 2007	(c) 2008	(d) 2009	(e) 2010	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6	279,252.	425,772.	663,009.	995,727.	1,088,792.	3,452,552.
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	665.	254.	1,829.	2,919.	34,005.	39,672.
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b	665.	254.	1,829.	2,919.	34,005.	39,672.
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on				5,300.		5,300.
12 Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV)	183,733.	112,199.	121,583.	32,927.	28,111.	478,553.
13 Total support (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12)	463,650.	538,225.	786,421.	1,036,873.	1,150,908.	3,976,077.

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

15 Public support percentage for 2010 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	69.45	%
16 Public support percentage from 2009 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	72.15	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2010 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	1.00	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2009 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	.17	%

19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2010. 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 - 2009. 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 C
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

OMB No 1545-0047

2010

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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

► 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 V, 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), or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 35a (Proxy Tax), then

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

Name of organization

Employer identification number

41-0795254

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

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 the filing organization made payments 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) 2010

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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 groupB 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.)

1a Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)**b** Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)**c** Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)**d** Other exempt purpose expenditures**e** Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)**f** Lobbying nontaxable amount Enter the amount from the following table in both columns

If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:
Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000

g Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)**h** Subtract line 1g from line 1a If zero or less, enter -0-**i** Subtract line 1f from line 1c If zero or less, enter -0-**j** 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? Yes 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) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) Total
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount					
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					
c Total lobbying expenditures					
d Grassroots nontaxable amount					
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

Part II-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and has NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

	(a)	(b)	
	Yes	No	Amount
1 During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of			
a Volunteers?	X		
b Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?	X		
c Media advertisements?		X	
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?	X		90.
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements?	X		
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?		X	
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?	X		1,314.
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?	X		3,249.
i Other activities? If "Yes," describe in Part IV		X	
j Total Add lines 1c through 1i			4,653.
2a Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?		X	
b If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912			
c If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912			
d If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?			

Part III-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6).

	Yes	No
1 Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?	1	
2 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?	2	
3 Did the organization agree to carryover lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?	3	

Part III-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) if BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2 are answered "No" OR if Part III-A, line 3 is answered "Yes."

1 Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	1	
2 Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).		
a Current year	2a	
b Carryover from last year	2b	
c Total	2c	
3 Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	3	
4 If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and political expenditure next year?		4
5 Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)		5

Part IV Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1, Part I-B, line 4, Part I-C, line 5, and Part II-B, line 1. Also, complete this part for any additional information

SCHEDULE D
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

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

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The Arc of Minnesota

Employer identification number
41-0795254

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

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year		
2 Aggregate contributions to (during year)		
3 Aggregate grants from (during year)		
4 Aggregate value at end of year		
5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

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

1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or education)	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of an historically important land area
<input type="checkbox"/> Protection of natural habitat	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of a certified historic structure
<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of open space	
2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year	
a Total number of conservation easements	
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)	
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register	
3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ► _____	
4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ► _____	
5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ► _____	
7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ► \$ _____	
8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
9 In Part XIV, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements	

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items	► \$ _____
b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items	► \$ _____
(i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1	► \$ _____
(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X	► \$ _____
2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items	► \$ _____
a Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1	► \$ _____
b Assets included in Form 990, Part X	► \$ _____

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

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

a <input type="checkbox"/> Public exhibition	d <input type="checkbox"/> Loan or exchange programs
b <input type="checkbox"/> Scholarly research	e <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
c <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation for future generations	

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

5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets

to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? Yes No

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

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

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

	Amount
1c	
1d	
1e	
1f	

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

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

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

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	300,131.				
b Contributions	69.	300,131.			
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance	300,200.	300,131.			

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

a Board designated or quasi-endowment ► _____ %

b Permanent endowment ► 100.00 %

c Term endowment ► _____ %

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

	Yes	No
3a(i)	X	
3a(ii)		X
3b		

b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?

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

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

	Description of investment	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land					
b Buildings					
c Leasehold improvements		38,709.	4,435.	34,274.	
d Equipment		82,067.	56,548.	25,519.	
e Other					

Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c)) ► 59,793.

Part VII Investments - Other Securities. See Form 990, Part X, line 12

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely-held equity interests		
(3) Other		
(A)		
(B)		
(C)		
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
(I)		

Total (Col (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12.) ►

Part VIII Investments - Program Related. See Form 990, Part X, line 13

(a) Description of investment type	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
(10)		

Total (Col (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13) ►

Part IX Other Assets. See Form 990, Part X, line 15

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1) Beneficial interest in assets held by others	315,157.
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
(10)	

Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 15) ►

315,157.

Part X Other Liabilities. See Form 990, Part X, line 25

(a) Description of liability	(b) Amount
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
(10)	
(11)	

Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25.) ►

FIN 48 (ASC 740) Footnote In Part XIV, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under

2. FIN 48 (ASC 740)

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

1	1,114,938.
2	1,238,956.
3	-124,018.
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	0.
10	-124,018.

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

1	1,139,853.
2	
2a	
2b	16,398.
2c	
2d	
2e	16,398.
3	1,123,455.
4	
4a	
4b	-8,517.
4c	-8,517.
5	1,114,938.

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

1	1,263,871.
2	
2a	16,398.
2b	
2c	
2d	
2e	16,398.
3	1,247,473.
4	
4a	
4b	-8,517.
4c	-8,517.
5	1,238,956.

Part XIV Supplemental Information

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

Part V, line 4: Funds are held to further the work of The Arc of

Minnesota and Minnesota statewide Arc chapters.

Part X, Line 2: The Organization is exempt from income taxes under

Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and Minnesota Statute

290.05. Accordingly, no provision for income taxes is included in these

financial statements. Because the Organization is a public charity,

contributions may qualify for tax deductions by the contributors. However,

Part XIV Supplemental Information (continued)

any unrelated business income may be subject to taxation.

Management believes that it is not reasonably possible for any tax position benefits to increase or decrease significantly over the next 12 months. As of December 31, 2010 and 2009, there were no income tax related accrued interest or penalties recognized in either the statement of financial position or the statement of activities.

The Company files informational returns in the U.S. federal jurisdiction, and in the Minnesota state jurisdiction. U.S. federal returns and Minnesota returns prior to fiscal year 2006 are closed. No returns are currently under examination in any tax jurisdiction.

Part XII, Line 4b - Other Adjustments:

Special event expenses -8,517.

Part XIII, Line 4b - Other Adjustments:

Special event expenses -8,517.

SCHEDULE G
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

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

Name of the organization

Employer identification number
41-0795254

The Arc of Minnesota

41-0795254

Part I Fundrais

Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 17. Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

1 Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.

2 a Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services?

b If "Yes," list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization

Total

3 List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit contributions or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing

Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

Revenue		(a) Event #1 Rose Sale (event type)	(b) Event #2 Public Policy Recog (event type)	(c) Other events 1 (total number)	(d) Total events (add col (a) through col (c))
1	Gross receipts	21,459.	47,679.	1,435.	70,573.
2	Less Charitable contributions		2,343.		2,343.
3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	21,459.	45,336.	1,435.	68,230.
4	Cash prizes		875.		875.
5	Noncash prizes				
6	Rent/facility costs				
7	Food and beverages		5,519.		5,519.
8	Entertainment		498.		498.
9	Other direct expenses	11,055.	1,622.	0.	12,677.
10	Direct expense summary Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)			► (19,569.)
11	Net income summary Combine line 3, column (d), and line 10			►	48,661.

Part III Gaming. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a

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

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities _____

a Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states? Yes No

b If "No," explain _____

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year? Yes No

b If "Yes," explain _____

11 Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers? Yes No

12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? Yes No

13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in

a The organization's facility 13a %

b An outside facility 13b %

14 Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records

Name ► _____

Address ► _____

15a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue? Yes No

b If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ► \$ _____ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ► \$ _____

c If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party

Name ► _____

Address ► _____

16 Gaming manager information

Name ► _____

Gaming manager compensation ► \$ _____

Description of services provided ► _____

Director/officer Employee Independent contractor

17 Mandatory distributions

a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license? Yes No

b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ► \$ _____

Part IV **Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (ii) and (v), and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information (see instructions)

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
Housing assistance	152	58,147.	0.		

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Schedule I, Part I, Line 2: In most cases the funds are paid directly to provide housing assistance.

SCHEDULE M
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Noncash Contributions

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The Arc of Minnesota

Employer identification number

41-0795254

Part I Types of Property

	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts
1 Art - Works of art				
2 Art - Historical treasures				
3 Art - Fractional interests				
4 Books and publications				
5 Clothing and household goods				
6 Cars and other vehicles				
7 Boats and planes				
8 Intellectual property				
9 Securities - Publicly traded				
10 Securities - Closely held stock				
11 Securities - Partnership, LLC, or trust interests				
12 Securities - Miscellaneous				
13 Qualified conservation contribution - Historic structures				
14 Qualified conservation contribution - Other				
15 Real estate - Residential				
16 Real estate - Commercial				
17 Real estate - Other				
18 Collectibles				
19 Food inventory				
20 Drugs and medical supplies				
21 Taxidermy				
22 Historical artifacts				
23 Scientific specimens				
24 Archeological artifacts				
25 Other ► (<u>Office furnit</u>)	X	2	16,000.	Cost of donated item
26 Other ► (<u>Tile/grout</u>)	X	1	1,425.	Cost of donated item
27 Other ► (<u>Printing</u>)	X	1	1,139.	Cost of donated item
28 Other ► ()				

29 Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions
for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee Acknowledgement

29

30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1-28 that it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which is not required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period?

b If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II

31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any non-standard contributions?

32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash contributions?

b If "Yes," describe in Part II

33 If the organization did not report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II

	Yes	No
30a		X
31		X
32a		X

LHA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.

Schedule M (Form 990) (2010)

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.
► Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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Form 990, Part III, Line 4d, Other Program Services:

Chapter Support Services - The Arc of Minnesota supports 12 affiliated local Arc chapters across Minnesota in the areas of statewide programs and funding, community events, fundraising, leadership development, and monitoring local services for people with intellectual and other developmental disabilities.

Expenses \$ 38,004. including grants of \$ 0. Revenue \$ 238,478.

Advocacy Services - The Arc of Minnesota collaborates with 12 affiliated local Arc chapters across Minnesota to support families and individuals with intellectual and other developmental disabilities.

This includes information and referrals and individual advocacy.

Expenses \$ 3,046. including grants of \$ 0. Revenue \$ 31,738.

Form 990, Part VI, Section A, line 6: The organization has voting members that consist of local associations or corporations. These local associations or corporations pay their Fair Share Fee (FSF) and conduct their business so as to remain in good standing with the Board of Directors of The Arc. The organization also has non-voting members that consist of local associations or corporations that have not paid their FSO in a timely manner or otherwise do not remain in good standing.

Form 990, Part VI, Section A, line 7a: The Board of Directors is made up of the current officers, past president, each region's elected directors and several elected directors at large.

Name of the organization

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Form 990, Part VI, Section A, line 7b: The decisions of the Board of Directors are subject to vote by the membership. Members consist of local associations that are in good standing as required by the Board of Directors.

Form 990, Part VI, Section B, line 11: The organization provides a copy of the Form 990 to the board of directors for review and approval prior to filing.

Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 12c: Each year The Arc ensures that all board members and employees are provided a copy of the Conflict of Interest Policy and sign a Conflict of Interest Form.

Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 15: Initial compensation for the executive director and officers/key employees is based on experience, qualifications and current employment market. Performance evaluations are conducted at least annually based on work plans that are established and reviewed at least annually. Increases in compensation are based on performance and adjusted periodically for inflation.

Form 990, Part VI, Section C, Line 19: Documents are available upon request. The Annual Report, which includes financial statements for the year are also posted on our website.

Part VII **Section A** Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)