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Form 990-EZ

Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-1150

2010

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds, organizations that operate one or more hospital facilities, and certain controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990 (see instructions) All other organizations with gross receipts less than \$200,000 and total assets less than \$500,000 at the end of the year may use this form. The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

A For the 2010 calendar year, or tax year beginning, 2010, and ending, 20

- B Check if applicable: Address change, Name change, Initial return, Terminated, Amended return, Application pending

C Name of organization: MITCHELL COUNTY DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION. Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address): PO BOX 858. Room/suite: Room/suite. City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4: SPRUCE PINE, NC 28777

D Employer identification number: 56-2262436. E Telephone number: (828) 765-9033. F Group Exemption Number: []

G Accounting Method: [X] Cash [] Accrual Other (specify) []

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

I Website: []

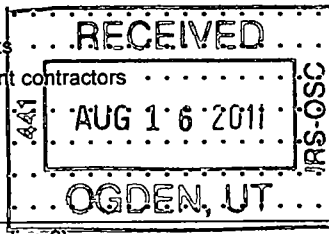
J Tax-exempt status (check only one) - [X] 501(c)(3) [] 501(c)() (insert no) [] 4947(a)(1) or [] 527

K Check [] if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$50,000 A Form 990-EZ or Form 990 return is not required though Form 990-N (e-postcard) may be required (see instructions) But if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return

L Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts. If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets (Part II, line 25, column (B) below) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ \$ 123,850

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (see the instructions for Part I) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I [X]

Table with 21 rows and 3 columns: Description, Sub-column, Amount. Includes revenue lines 1-9, expense lines 10-17, and net asset lines 18-21. Total revenue: 59,695. Total expenses: 83,128. Net assets at end of year: 273,909.



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Part III Balance Sheets. (see the instructions for Part II)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part II [X]

Table with 3 columns: Description, (A) Beginning of year, (B) End of year. Rows include Cash, savings, and investments; Land and buildings; Other assets; Total assets; Total liabilities; Net assets or fund balances.

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (see the instructions for Part III)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part III []

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL ASSISTANCE

Describe what was achieved in carrying out the organization's exempt purposes. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title.

Expenses (Required for section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts, optional for others)

Table with 3 columns: Description, (A) Beginning of year, (B) End of year. Rows include ORGANIZATION RAISES MONEY AND PROVIDES DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITY FOR LOCAL BUSINESSES AND AIDS IN STIMULATING LOCAL ECONOMY; Other program services; Total program service expenses.

Part IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees. List each one even if not compensated (see the instructions for Part IV.)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part IV []

Table with 5 columns: (a) Name and address, (b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position, (c) Compensation (if not paid, enter -0-), (d) Contributions to empl benefit plans & deferred compensation, (e) Expense account and other allowances. Rows include HARPER WILSON (PRESIDENT), DR BROCK WOMBLE (VICE PRESIDENT), DENISE COOK (SECRETARY), JEFF GOUGE (TREASURER).

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

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part V

33 Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? 34 Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? 35 If the organization had income from business activities... 36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? 37 a Enter amount of political expenditures... b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year? 38 a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee... b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved 39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter: a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities 40 a Section 501(c)(3) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under... b Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year... c Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons... d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization e All organizations At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? 41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed 42 a The organization's books are in care of SHIRLEY HISE Telephone no 828-765-9033 Located at PO BOX 858 SPRUCE PINE, NC ZIP + 4 28777 b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country... c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the US? 43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041-Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year 44 a Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? b Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? c Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year? d If "Yes," to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments?

	Yes	No
45 Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	45	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," Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of Form 990-EZ (see instructions)	45a	X
46 Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I	46	X

Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts only. All section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must answer questions 47-49b and 52, and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part VI

	Yes	No
47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	47	X
48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	48	X
49 a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	49a	X
b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?	49b	

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

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

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

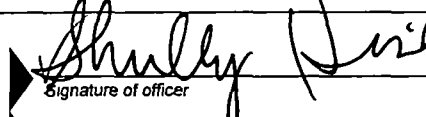
51 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

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

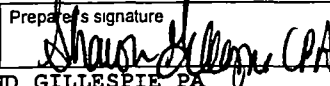
52 Did the organization complete Schedule A? Note: All section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A Yes No

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 Date 8-11-11

Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name: SHARON GILLESPIE, CPA
 Preparer's signature:  Date: 8-11-11
 Check if self-employed PTIN:
 Firm's name: YOUNG MILLER AND GILLESPIE PA Firm's EIN: 50-1789358
 Firm's address: P.O. BOX 723 215 OAK AVENUE SPRUCE PINE NC 28777 Phone no: 828-765-6444

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See Instructions Yes No

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

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

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

Name of the organization

MITCHELL COUNTY DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION

Employer identification number

56-2262436

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)		

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the US?		(vii) Amount of support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
(A)									
(B)									
(C)									
(D)									
(E)									
Total									

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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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")	165,174	320,800	810,700	371,098	17,504	1,685,276
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	165,174	320,800	810,700	371,098	17,504	1,685,276
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						1,685,276

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	165,174	320,800	810,700	371,098	17,504	1,685,276
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.)	410			897	8,608	9,915
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						1,695,191
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

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2010 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	99.42	%
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 checked="" 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"/>

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

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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01. Description of other revenue (Part I, line 8)

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
MISCELLANEOUS	8,608

02. List of grants and similar amounts paid (Part I, line 10)

ACTIVITY	AMOUNT
SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS	
SPRUCE PINE NC 28777	
AMOUNT	1,000

03. Description of other expenses (Part I, line 16)

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
GRANT EXPENSES	19,401
BANK CHARGES	603
DUES	250
SUPPLIES	2,613
DEPRECIATION	7,692

04. Description of total liabilities (Part II, line 26)

CATEGORY	BEGINNING	
	OF YEAR	END OF YEAR
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	0	10,684

* Item was disposed of during current year.

Depreciation Detail Listing

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Name(s) as shown on return

Social security number/EIN

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No	Description	Date	Cost	Salvage	Business percentage	Section 179	Depreciation Basis	Life	Method	Rate	Current depr	Accumulated Depreciation	Prior expense	Bonus depreciation	AMT Current
1	BUILDING	20071001	300,000		100.00		300,000	39	S/L MM	2.564	7,692	24,999			7,692
Totals			300,000				300,000				7,692	24,999			7,692

Land Amount
Net Depreciable Cost

300,000

300,000

7,692

24,999

ST ADJ:

7,692