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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)

OMB No 1545-0047

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Form 990 (2010)

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Pa	rt III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments		•
	Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III		X
1	and organization's mission		
	See Schedule 0		
		_	
2	Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed o	n the prior	
	Form 990 or 990-EZ?	Ye	s X No
_	If 'Yes,' describe these new services on Schedule O	_	
3	and the second conducting, or make digitalized in now it conducts, any program se	rvices?	es X No
	If 'Yes,' describe these changes on Schedule O		
4	Describe the exempt purpose achievements for each of the organization's three largest program service and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants are expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported	is by expenses. Sec and allocations to other	tion 501(c)(3) ers, the total
48	a (Code) (Expenses \$ 98,384. including grants of \$) (F	Revenue \$)
	See Schedule O		
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41	b (Code (Expenses \$ 30,416. including grants of \$) (F)
	Outreach: MCV leaders and staff met with city, county and legis		
	five Montana counties and seven cities who make decisions affect:		
	water and planning and growth. In spring, summer and fall, 2010		
	organizations' meeting and at various Montana colleges and univer		
	registration and vote by mail materials, as well as its global was energy materials mentioned above. MCV upgraded its web site, and		ean
	informational materials featuring its mission and logo. MCV's or		.nuea_co_
	include monthly e-newsletters and periodic updates to its members activities also included staff attendance at the Yellowstone Constant		
	the Missoula Conservation Roundtable, the Flathead Conservation		
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40	d Other program services. (Describe in Schedule O) (Expenses \$ 14,981. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
46	e Total program service expenses ► 166, 861.		
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			Yes	No
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedüle A	1		Х
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors? (see instructions)	2	Х	
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part I	3	Х	
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	4		
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	5	х	
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part I	6		Х
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas or historic structures? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part II	7		Х
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part III	8		Х
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part IV	9		Х
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part V	10		X
11	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is 'Yes', then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.			
а	a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings and equipment in Part X, line 10? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VI	11 a		<u> </u>
ŧ	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	11 b		Х
C	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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i>	11 c		Х
C	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	11 d		Х
e	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part X	11 e	Х	
f	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	11 f		_X_
12 a	a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII	12a		Х
t	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	12b	Х	
	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule E	13		X
	a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a		Х
	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	14b		Х
	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	15		Х
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	16		Х
	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 (see instructions)	17		Х
	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part II	18		X_
	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part III	19		Х
20 a	aDid the organization operate one or more hospitals? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule H	20		Х
b	olf '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)	20 b		

			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		Х
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		Х
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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule J</i>	23	_	Х
24	a 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, and 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		Х
ı	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		-
25	a 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		Х
ı	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		х
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		Х
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		Х
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):			
i	a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part IV	28a		X
I	b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b		Х
(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	28c		Х
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule M	29		Х
	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule M	30	,	Х
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule N, Part I	31		Х
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule N, Part II	32		Х
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 L	33		Х
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1	34	Х	
35	Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35		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 Yes X No			
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36		
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Part VI	37		Х
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	38	Х	
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Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance			_
Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part V			. L
		Yes	No
1a Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096 Enter -0- if not applicable 2			
b Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a Enter -0- if not applicable 1b 0			
c Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1 c		Х
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 29			
b 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		Х
b If 'Yes' has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? <i>If 'No,' provide an explanation in Schedule O</i>	3b		
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 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)? b If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country. ► 	4a		X
See instructions for filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22 1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts		r» ítz '	2 0
5a Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?			- ·
	5a		X
b Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b		X
c If 'Yes,' to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?6a Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization	5c		
solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?	6a	Х	
b If 'Yes,' did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6 b	Х	
7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).	1	dia.	. 4
a Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7a		2.8
b If 'Yes,' did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b		
c Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7с		
d If 'Yes,' indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year 7d	î,¥ % ,		7.5
e Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7 e	************	
f Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7 f		
g If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7 q		
h If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h		
8 Spansoring organizations maintaining dense advised funds and postion 500/5V2) and advisor of the	. 1	· **	
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	<u> </u>	
9 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.	Ū	N.	7 %
a Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a		
b Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b		4
10 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter			
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12			
b Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities			
11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter			
a Gross income from members or shareholders			
b 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?	10-		
	12a		
b If 'Yes,' enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 13 Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.			
a is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state?	12-		
Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.	13a		
b 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			
c Enter the amount of reserves on hand 13c			
14a Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a		Х
b If 'Yes,' has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If 'No,' provide an explanation in Schedule O	14b		

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Ра	Governance, Management and Disclosure For each 'Yes' response to lines 2 through 7b be a 'No' response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or chair Schedule O. See instructions. Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VI	low, nges	and in	for
Sec	ction A. Governing Body and Management			
	Al doverning body and management		Yes	No
1:	a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year 14		163	110
	b Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent 1b 14	- 1		
	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other	1		
	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	4	ļ	<u> </u>
	since the prior Form 990 was filed?			
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	<u> </u>	X
7	Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body?	7a		X
1	Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons?	7ь		X
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following			
	The governing body?	8a		Х
ı	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8ь		Х
9	Is there any officer, director or 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
Sec	tion B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)			
			Yes	No
10	a Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	10a	Х	
١	o 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	х	
11 :	Has the organization provided a copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	11 a	X	<u> </u>
	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990. See Schedule O		. 3	3769
12	a Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If 'No,' go to line 13	12a	X	
i	o Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	12b	х	<u> </u>
•	Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If 'Yes,' describe in Schedule O how this is done	12c	х	
13	Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13	Х	
14	Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	X	ļ
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?		L`.^	,
i	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official See Schedule 0	15a	Х	L
I	Other officers of key employees of the organization See Schedule O	15b	Х	
	If 'Yes' to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (See instructions)			
16	a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?	16a		X
	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	16h		

Sec	ction C. Disclosure			
17	List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ► N/A			
18	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) a	vailab	le for p	oubl

inspection Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply Own website Another's website X Upon request

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 See Schedule O

20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization

► Theresa Keaveny 3318 3rd Avenue N. #208 Billings MT 59101 (406) 254-1593

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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	ion nor any	relate	d o	rgan	ızat	ion co	mpe	ensated any current o	fficer, director, or trus	tee
(A)	(B)	(C)						(D)	(E)	(F)
Name and title	Average hours per week (describe hours for related organizations in Schedule			Officer	Rey employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099 MISC)	Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
	0)	"	tee			sate				
(1) Tracy Lakuta-Cosgrove						┝▔				
Director	7 0	X					ŀ	0.	0.	0.
(2) Ben Graybill										
Director	7 0	Х						0.	0.	0.
(3) Elizabeth Scanlin								-		
Director	7 o	X			İ			0.	0.	0.
(4) Jason Smith										
Director	7 0	Х						0.	0.	0.
(5) Michelle Stearns										
Director	0	X						0.	0.	0.
(6) Dan Short										
Director	0	Х						0.	0.	0.
(7) Bill Walker										
Director	0	X						0.	0.	0.
(8) Robin Saha										
Director	0	X			_			0.	0.	0.
(9) Juanita Vero						i				
Director	0	X				<u> </u>		0.	0.	0.
(10) Katie Craig Scherfig	_					ĺ				
Director	0	X				<u> </u>		0.	0.	0.
(11) David Tyler	_	ŀ								
Treasurer	0			Х			ļ	0.	0.	0.
(12) Rich Day	_									
Vice Chair	0			Х			ļ	0.	0.	0.
(13) Rachel Carroll Rivas	-									
Secretary	0			X	_	ļ	ļ.,	0.	0.	0.
(14) Ryan Busse	4 ,									_
Chairman	0			Х			<u> </u>	0.	0.	<u>0.</u>
(15) Theresa Keaveny	4				۱			04 555		
Executive Direc	15		<u> </u>		Х			21,775.	36,465.	4,916.
(16)	-									
(17)	1									
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Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (cont)										
(A)	(B) (c)				(D)	(E)	(F)			
Name and title	l bours		osition (check Officer Institut				pply) Former	Reportable compensation from the organization (W 2/1099-MISC)	Reportable compensation from related organization (W 2/1099 MISC)	Estimated m amount of other compensation) from the
	per week (describe hours for related organi-	ndual t	tutiona	Ĕ	Key employee	est co loyee	ner	(11 2 1033 111100)	(11 2 1033 111100)	organization and related
	zations in Sch O)	trustee	Institutional trustee		yee	Highest compensate				organizations
			66			ated				
_(19)										
_(20)									<u> –</u>	
(21)										
(22)										
(23)										
(24)										
_(25)										
			-							
(27)										
(28)										
(29)		_								
1 b Sub-total	L							21,775.	36,46	5. 4,916.
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section	A						•	0.		$\frac{3}{0}$, $\frac{4}{910}$.
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							•	21,775.	36,46	
2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited from the organization ► 0	d to tho	se li	sted	abo	ove)	who	o red	ceived more than	\$100,000 in rep	
3 Did the organization list any former officer, director	or trust	ee, I	кеу	emp	oloye	ee, d	or hi	ghest compensat	ed employee	Yes No
on line 1a ⁵ If 'Yes,' compléte Schedule J for such ii 4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of re	portable	cor	npe	nsat	tion	and	oth	er compensation	from	3 X
the organization and related organizations greater to such individual										4 X
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue of for services rendered to the organization? If 'Yes,' or	ompens complete	atıoı e <i>Sc</i>	n fro <i>hed</i>	om a ule .	any <i>J foi</i>	unre <i>suc</i>	late ch p	d organization or erson	ındıvıdual	5 X
Section B. Independent Contractors 1 Complete this table for your five highest compensate	ed inde	nenc	lent	con	ntrac	tors	tha	t received more t	han \$100 000 of	f
compensation from the organization	- Tride	PCITO		-						
Name and business addres	s					_		Description	of services	(C) Compensation
								-		
						-			_	
										1
2 Total number of independent contractors (including \$100,000 in compensation from the organization		limi	ted	to th	nose	list	ed a	above) who receiv	ed more than	

1 41	<u>. v</u>	iii Statement of Ne	venue			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514
S	12	Federated campaigns		1a			Tevende		312, 313, 01 314
ANT		Membership dues	Ì	1b		1			
R O		Fundraising events	Ì	1c					
IFTS IR AI		Related organizations	<u> </u>	1 d			•		
5.₹		Government grants (contribution	ons)	1e		1			
NO S		-	·			1			
CONTRIBUTIONS, GIFTS, GRANTS AND OTHER SIMILAR AMOUNTS		All other contributions, gifts, g similar amounts not included a Noncash contributions include	1f f \$	195,320	<u>. </u>				
SE	•	Total. Add lines 1a-1f	u III IIIS 14-1	' Y_		195,320.			
<u></u>		Total: Add lines 18-11			Business Code	173,320.			1
Ę,	2 a	'			•		***************************************		\
5)				-	· 		
PROGRAM SERVICE REVENUE	•								
\ <u>E</u>	,	' - 							
Σ	•	' `							
P. G.	f	All other program service			-				
Š		Total. Add lines 2a-2f	oc revenu	- L		•			
	<u>-</u> -	Investment income (inc	ludina du	ıdonde	interest and				
	3	other similar amounts)	iualing aiv	iuerius	, interest and	961.			961.
	4	Income from investmen	t of tax-e	kempt	bond proceeds	-			
	5	Royalties		•		-			
		·	(ı) Re	al	(II) Personal				
	6 a	Gross Rents				7			
	t	Less rental expenses				7 (*
	c	: Rental income or (loss)				1			
		Net rental income or (lo	ess)		<u> </u>	-			
		Gross amount from sales of	(ı) Secu	rities	(II) Other			-42-	
	, ,	assets other than inventory		_		7			
	L	Less cost or other basis				1	*		
- 1		and sales expenses							"
		: Gain or (loss)				7			
	c	Net gain or (loss)			•	-			
Щ		Gross income from functions (not including \$	draising e	vents					
REVENUE		of contributions reported	d on line	10)					
		See Part IV, line 18	a 011 11110	. o,. a					,
OTHER	ŀ	Less. direct expenses		b		1			
6		: Net income or (loss) fro	m fundra	_	` <u> </u>		1	· ····································	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
		Gross income from gam See Part IV, line 19							, <u>-</u>
		Less. direct expenses		ь Б		1			
i		: Net income or (loss) fro	m damini			•			
					1003				<u>-</u>
		Gross sales of inventory and allowances		urns a					
		Less cost of goods sold		, b	الــــــــــــــــــــــــــــــــــــ			······································	
-		Net income or (loss) fro Miscellaneous Reveni		ınver	ntory Business Code				
ŀ	11.	Office Equipmen	-	- 1	Dusiness Code	6 07F	6,975.		
				┶┸┝		6,975.	274.		
	-	<u>Database Rental</u>	<u>-</u>			214.	2/4.		-
	•	, 							-
		All other revenue	al .	L		7 240	· · · · · · - · · · - · · · · - · · ·		
		Total. Add lines 11a-11	_			7,249.	7 040		0.61
	12	Total revenue. See inst	ructions		<u></u>	203,530.	7,249.	0.	961.

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 6b,	not include amounts reported on lines 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			7	, ,
2	Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U.S. See Part IV, line 22			* ,	/ û
3	Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U.S. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16			· , 3°	Till M
4	Benefits paid to or for members	<u>_</u> .			
5	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	21,775.	15,148.	-497.	7,124.
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	0.	0.	0.	0.
7	Other salaries and wages	98,411.	73,406.	7,328.	17,677.
8	Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	2,746.	2,173.	216.	357.
9	Other employee benefits	11,092.	7,623.	1,278.	2,191.
10	Payroll taxes	11,590.	7,139.	2,234.	2,217.
11	Fees for services (non-employees)			•	, — — · ·
á	Management				
ı	Legal				
•	Accounting	10,525.	7,131.	1,433.	1,961.
(I Lobbying			·	
•	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17		•		
f	Investment management fees				
ç	Other	13,806.	13,022.	174.	610.
12	Advertising and promotion	54.		54.	
13	Office expenses	1,529.	1,090.	151.	288.
14	Information technology				
15	Royalties				
16	Occupancy	7,616.	5,465.	626.	1,525.
17	Travel	13,132.	9,396.	736.	3,000.
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 20	Conferences, conventions, and meetings Interest	4,503.	3,940.	100.	463.
21	Payments to affiliates				
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	1,507.		1,507.	
	Insurance	935.	778.	44.	113.
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.)	*		骑 。	*
a	Printing and Publications	10,257.	9,515.	-544.	1,286.
	Telephone/Fax	7,758.	6,193.	448.	1,117.
	Postage and Shipping	5,329.	4,306.	155.	868.
c	Bank Charges	1,718.	185.	1,082.	451.
6	Small Equipment	900.		900.	
	All other expenses	351.	351.		
25	Total functional expenses Add lines 1 through 24f	225,534.	166,861.	17,425.	41,248.
	Joint costs. Check here ► ☐ 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				
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		•	(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
	1	Cash – non-interest-bearing	137,240.	1	117,661
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	·	2	<u> </u>
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4	Accounts receivable, net		4	
	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	***************************************
3	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
S	8	Inventories for sale or use		8	
A SSETS	-	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		9	
		Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D. 10a			
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation 10b		10c	
	11	Investments — publicly traded securities		11	•
	12	Investments – other securities See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13	Investments – program-related See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14	Intangible assets		14	
	15	Other assets See Part IV, line 11	4,712.	15	1,229
	16	Total assets Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	141,952.	16	118,890
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	·	17	
	18	Grants payable	•	18	
	19	Deferred revenue		19	
-	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
3	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	
E S	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	1,378.	25	454
1	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	1,378.	26	454
7		Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here ► X and complete lines			
ì		27 through 29 and lines 33 and 34.			
\$	27	Unrestricted net assets	140,574.	27	118,436
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets		28	
\$	29	Permanently restricted net assets		29	
?		Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ► and complete			
;		lines 30 through 34.			
בר ה	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
3	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31	
ij	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
N C	33	Total net assets or fund balances	140,574.	33	118,436
Ę	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	141,952.	34	118,890

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Pa	rt XI Reconciliation of Net Assets				•
	Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI				X
	•				
1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	2	03,5	<u>530.</u>
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2		25,5	
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3		<u>22,0</u>	
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	1	40,5	57 <u>4.</u>
5	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O). See Schedule O.	5		-1	<u> 134.</u>
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	1	18,4	436.
Pai	rt XII Financial Statements and Reporting				
	Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII				
				Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990. X Cash Accrual Other			84	
	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked 'Other,' explain in Schedule O		* ts	· 🔌	
2 8	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?		2a		X
k	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?		2b	X	
ď	If 'Yes' to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight or review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?	f the audit,	2 c		Х
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O		•	, \$10°.	
C	If 'Yes' to line 2a or 2b, check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were is separate basis, consolidated basis, or both.	sued on a	36		
	Separate basis X Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis		د تقد		ال ك
3 <i>a</i>	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?	ne Single	3a		x
t ——	olf 'Yes,' did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the re or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits.	equired audit	3 b		
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SCHEDULE C (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

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

► Complete if the organization is described below.

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

OMB No 1545-0047

Open to Public Inspection

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

		,' to Form 990, Part IV, line 5 (Proxy Tax) organizations Complete Part III	or Form 990-EZ, Part \	V, line 35a (Proxy Tax)	, then
	of organization	riganizations Complete Fait III		Employer identific	ation number
	ntana Conservation	Votors Ind		81-052103	
Pai	rt I-A Complete if the or	rganization is exempt under section	on 501(c) or is a s	ection 527 organ	ization
		organization's direct and indirect political of			e Part IV
	Political expenditures	organization's direct and indirect political t	ampaign activities in	Part IV Set	
	Volunteer hours				·
		rganization is exempt under section	E01(-)(2)	_	
					<u>, </u>
	-	ise tax incurred by the organization under		► 5	'
		ise tax incurred by organization managers		► 9	· — — — —
		a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for	this year?		Yes No
	Was a correction made?				∐ Yes ∐ No
	o If 'Yes,' describe in Part IV		5014	11 504 () (0)	
		rganization is exempt under section			
1	Enter the amount directly ex	pended by the filing organization for section	on 527 exempt functio	n activities	23,216.
2	Enter the amount of the filing function activities	g organization's funds contributed to other	organizations for sec	tion 527 exempt ►	\$
3	Total exempt function expen line 17b	ditures. Add lines 1 and 2 Enter here and	on Form 1120-POL,	▶;	3 23,216.
4	Did the filing organization file	e Form 1120-POL for this year?			X Yes No
	organization made payments amount of political contributi	and employer identification number (EIN) s. For each organization listed, enter the a ons received that were promptly and directly action committee (PAC). If additional spa	mount paid from the f tly delivered to a sepa	ılıng organızatıon's fur arate political organiza	which the filing nds. Also enter the tion, such as a separate
	(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-
(1)					
(2)					
(3)				-	
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					

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Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2010

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Part II-A Complete if section 501(the organization (h)).	is exempt under se	ction 501(c)(3) and	l filed Form 5768 (e	lection under
A Check ► I if the fili	ng organization belo	ngs to an affiliated group			
B Check ► If the file	ng organization che	cked box A and 'limited co	ntrol' provisions apply	ı	
(The term	Limits on Lobby 'expenditures' mea	ng Expenditures ns amounts paid or incun	red.)	(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals
1a Total lobbying expendit	ures to influence pu	blic opinion (grass roots lo	obbying)		
b Total lobbying expendit	ures to influence a l	egislative body (direct lobb	oying)		
c Total lobbying expendit	ures (add lines 1a a	nd 1b)			
d Other exempt purpose	expenditures				
e Total exempt purpose e	expenditures (add Iir	es 1c and 1d)			
f Lobbying nontaxable ar both columns	mount Enter the am	ount from the following tal	ble ın		
If the amount on line 1e, col	lumn (a) or (b) is	he lobbying nontaxable a	mount 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 lin	ne 1a If zero or less	, enter -0-			
i Subtract line 1f from lin	ne 1c If zero or less	, enter -0-			
j If there is an amount of section 4911 tax for this	ther than zero on eit s year?	her line 1h or line 1i, did t	he organization file For	m 4720 reporting	Yes No
(Som	e organizations tha column	4-Year Averaging Period l t made a section 501(h) el s below. See the instruction	Inder Section 501(h) ection do not have to c ons for lines 2a throug	complete all of the five h 2f.)	
	Lobb	ying Expenditures During	4-Year Averaging Per	iod	
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) Total
2a Lobbying non-taxable amount					
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column (e))	. A 2		•	,	
c Total lobbying expenditures					
d Grassroots nontaxable amount					
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))			*	ζ. *	
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures					
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Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2010 Montana Conservation Voters Inc. 81-0521030

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)).

	(6	(a)		(b)	
	Yes	No	Am	ount	
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				•	and the second second second
a Volunteers?					-
b Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?	-				
c Media advertisements?		——			
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?					
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements?			_		
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?					
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?		_			
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?					
i Other activities? If 'Yes,' describe in Part IV					
j Total Add lines 1c through 1i					
2a Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?					
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		Γ			
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	X	
2 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?			2	Х	
3 Did the organization agree to carryover lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?			3		<u>X</u>
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 Pais answered 'Yes.'	art III-	A, line	3		
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		2 c			
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 exceedoes the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and police.	SS				
expenditure next year?	licai	4			0.
5 Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)	l	5			0.
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, at Also, complete this part for any additional information	nd Part	II-B, lır	ne 1ı	-	
Part I-A, Line_1 - Direct and Indirect Political Campaign Activities					
Monana Conservation Voters, a 501c4 organization, had an MCFL exc	<u>epti</u>	on _ur	til t	<u>ne_</u> _	
Citizens United Case rendered this issue moot. MCV is able to wo	or <u>k</u> f	or_tl	<u>e_ele</u>	<u>ctio</u> :	<u>u</u>
or_defeat of candidates In 2010, MCV_registered as an incidenta	il_co	<u>mmitt</u>	<u>ee wi</u>	<u>th_</u> _	
the Montana Commissoner of Political Practices to suport the re-	elect	<u>ion c</u>	<u>f PSC</u>	 -	
Commissioner Ken Toole to district 5. MCV spent \$23,216 on mailing				_	
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(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes,' to Form 990, Part IV, lines 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12.

► Attach to Form 990. ► See separate instructions.

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Inspection 1 Name of the organization Employer identification number Montana Conservation Voters Inc. 81-0521030 Part 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) Aggregate value at end of year 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? No 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? No Part.II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV 1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply) Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or education) Preservation of an historically important land area Protection of natural habitat Preservation of a certified historic structure Preservation of open space 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. Held at the End of the Tax Year a Total number of conservation easements 2a b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements 2b c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a) 2c d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ► Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? No 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 >\$ 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)? 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 Partill 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 **>**\$ 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

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Part III Organizations Mainta	ining Colle	ections	s of Art, Hist	<u>orical</u>	Treasures, o	r Other Si	milar Ass	ets (c	ontınu	ed).
3 Using the organization's acquisit items (check all that apply)	ion, accessio	n, and c	other records, ch	neck ar	ny of the followin	g that are a	significant u	se of its	collec	tion
a Public exhibition			d Loan	or exc	hange programs					
b Scholarly research			e Other	r						
c Preservation for future gener	ations		_							
4 Provide a description of the organ Part XIV.	inization's co	llections	and explain ho	w they	further the organ	nızatıon's exe	empt purpos	se in		
5 During the year, did the organiza assets to be sold to raise funds i	ition solicit of rather than to	receive be mai	donations of a ntained as part	rt, histo of the	orical treasures, organization's co	or other simi	lar [Yes	Γ	No
Part IV. Escrow and Custodia 9, or reported an amo	l Arranger	nents.	Complete if	organ	ization answe	ered 'Yes'	to Form 9	90, Pa	art IV,	line
1a Is the organization an agent, trus included on Form 990, Part X?						her assets no	ot [Yes		No
b If 'Yes,' explain the arrangement	in Part XIV	and com	nplete the follow	ing tat	ole					
								Amount	l	
c Beginning balance						1 c				
d Additions during the year						1 d				
e Distributions during the year						1 e				
f Ending balance						1f				
2a Did the organization include an a		rm 990,	Part X, line 21	?				Yes		No
b If 'Yes,' explain the arrangement										
Part V Endowment Funds. Co					<u>:d 'Yes' to For</u>	T		<u> 10. </u>		
	(a) Curren	t year	(b) Prior yea	ar	(c) Two years bac		e years back	(e) f	our years	s back
1 a Beginning of year balance								<u> </u>		
b Contributions										
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses								,		
d Grants or scholarships						\$ Mar		ž ,		
 Other expenditures for facilities and programs 										
f Administrative expenses						\$		<i>*</i>		
g End of year balance						N IN	7	3		
2 Provide the estimated percentage	e of the year	end bal	ance held as [,]							
a Board designated or quasi-endow	vment ▶		%							
b Permanent endowment ►		i								
c Term endowment ►	%									
3a Are there endowment funds not a organization by	n the posses	sion of	the organization	that a	re held and adm	ınıstered for	the	۱	Yes	No
(i) unrelated organizations.								3a(i)		
(ii) related organizations								3a(ii)		
b If 'Yes' to 3a(II), are the related of	organizations	listed a	s required on S	chedul	e R ⁹			3b		
4 Describe in Part XIV the intended										
Part VI Land, Buildings, and I										
Description of investment		(a) Cos (ır	t or other basis evestment)	(b)	Cost or other asıs (other)	(c) Accur deprec		(d) E	Book va	lue
1 a Land						\$~\cdot\	1.3			
b Buildings										
c Leasehold improvements										
d Equipment										
e Other										
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Colum	n (d) must e	qual For	m 990, Part X,	column	(B), line 10(c))		•			0.

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Part VII Investments—Other Securities. See F	- '	ne 12. N/A	<u> </u>
(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of v Cost or end-of-year	
(1) Financial derivatives			
(2) Closely-held equity interests			
(3) Other			
(A)			
(B)			
(C)	-		
(D)			
(E)			
(F)			
(G)			
(H)			
(1)			
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990 Part X, column (B) line 12)			
Part VIII Investments-Program Related. (See	Form 990, Part X,	line 13) N/A	·
(a) Description of investment type	(b) Book value	(c) Method of v	aluation.
		Cost or end-of-year	market value
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			
(7)			
(8)			
(9)			
(10)	- <u></u>		
Total (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B) line 13)			
Part IX Other Assets. (See Form 990, Part X,		<u> </u>	
	scription		(b) Book value
(1)			
_(2)			
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(4)			
(5)			
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(8)			
(9)			
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Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, column(B			<u> </u>
Part X Other Liabilities. (See Form 990, Part	<u> </u>		
(a) Description of liability	(b) Amount		,
(1) Federal income taxes			!
(2) Payroll Liabilities	45	54.	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
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(7)			; ;
(8)			,
(9)			
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(11)			
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B) line 25)		54.	
2. FIN 48 (ASC 740) Footnote In Part XIV, provide the text organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN	of the footnote to the 48 (ASC 740).	organization's financial statements	that reports the

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Pa	rt XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Audited Financial Statements		N/A	
1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII,column (A), line 12)	ļ		
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)			
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year Subtract line 2 from line 1			
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments			
5	Donated services and use of facilities			
6	Investment expenses			
7	Prior period adjustments			
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV)			
9	Total adjustments (net) Add lines 4 through 8			
10				
Pai	rt XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per R	eturn	N/A	
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1		
2				
	a Net unrealized gains on investments	1		
	b Donated services and use of facilities 2b			
	c Recoveries of prior year grants	1 1		
	d Other (Describe in Part XIV)			
	e Add lines 2a through 2d	2e		
	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3		
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1.	H		
-	Investments expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b			
	b Other (Describe in Part XIV)			
	c Add lines 4a and 4b	1		
		4c		
	Total revenue Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12) It XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per		rn N/A	
	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	III N/A	
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2				
	a Donated services and use of facilities b Prior year adjustments 2b	-		
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	C Other losses 2c			
	d Other (Describe in Part XIV.)			
	e Add lines 2a through 2d	2e		
-	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3		
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:	**************************************		
	a Investments expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b b Other (Describe in Part XIV.) 4b	-		
	b Other (Describe in Part XIV.) c Add lines 4a and 4b .	4c		
	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	5		
	rt XIV Supplemental Information		1	
Part	iplete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV 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 complet additional information	, lines e this	1b and 2b; part to provid	de
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Client MCV	Montana Conservation Voters Inc.			81-052103	
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SCHEDULE R (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Montana Conservation Voters Inc.

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Name of the organization

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

► Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35, 36, or 37. ► Complete if the organization Form 990. ► See separate instructions.

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Employer Identification number 81-0521030 (f) Direct controlling entity

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(e) End-of-year assets **Paristy** Identification of Disregarded Entities (Complete If the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 33.) (d) Total income (c)
Legal domicile (state or foreign country) (b) Primary activity (a) Name, address, and EIN of disregarded entity

|Partile | Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations (Complete or If the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.)

Schedule R (Form 990) 2010 Sec 512(b)(13) controlled entity? £ × Yes (f)
Direct controlling
entity N/A (e)
Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3)) (d) Exempt Code section TEEA5001L 12/22/10 03 (c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country) 뒫 (b) Primary activity Education BAA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990. (1) Montana Conservation Voters Educat PO Box 853 (a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization (2) <u>Billings, MT 59103</u> 51-0525336 € ල ତ୍ର ତ୍ର C