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Form 990

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No. 1545-0047

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

2010

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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

A For the 2010 calendar year, or tax year beginning APRIL 01, 2010, and ending MARCH 31, 2011

B Check if applicable: ☐ Address change ☐ Name change ☐ Initial return ☐ Terminated ☐ Amended return ☐ Application pending	C Name of organization BENEVOLENT & PROTECTIVE ORDER OF EL		D Employer identification number 75-1449530
	Doing Business As		E Telephone number (940) 383-2908
	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) PO BOX 1981		Room/Suite
	City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 Denton TX 76202		G Gross receipts \$ 630,365
	F Name and address of principal officer:		H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? ☐ Yes ☒ No H(b) Are all affiliates included? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "No," attach a list (see instructions)
I Tax-exempt status 501(c)(3) ☒ 501(c)(8) ☐ (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527		H(c) Group exemption number 1156	
J Website: N/A			
K Form of organization Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☒ Other ☐	L Year of formation 1954		M State of legal domicile TX

Part I Summary

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities INCREASE BENEVOLENCE AMONG THE MEMBERS BY PROVIDING ACTIVITIES AND OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE FELLOW MEMBERS AND OTHER NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS.			
2 Check this box ☐ 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)	3	10
4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	10
5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2010 (Part V, line 2a)	5	6
6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	200
7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	6,099
7b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	1,527
		Prior Year	Current Year
8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	50,493	52,858
9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	44,150	
10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	2,191	241
11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	40,464	66,207
12	Total revenue -- add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	137,298	119,306
13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)		
14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		
15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	9,668	15,686
16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		
b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)		
17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f)	139,379	111,002
18	Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	149,047	126,688
19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	-11,749	-7,382
		Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	123,180	118,733
21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	18,232	13,067
22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	104,948	105,666

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 <i>Darlene Krone</i>		Date 7-1-11
	Type or print name and title Darlene Krone, Exalted Ruler		
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name M A WRIGHT	Preparer's signature <i>M A Wright</i>	Date 7-1-11
	Firm's name M A WRIGHT & CO PC	Firm's EIN	Check ☐ if self-employed
	Firm's address 109 S WOODROW LANE STE 100 DENTON TX 76205	Phone no. (940) 387-8721	

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

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate Instructions.

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Part III Statement of Program Service AccomplishmentsCheck if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III ☐**1** Briefly describe the organization's mission:

INCREASE BENEVOLENCE AMONG THE MEMBERS BY PROVIDING ACTIVITIES AND
 OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE FELLOW MEMBERS AND OTHER NONPROFIT
 ORGANIZATIONS.

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 \$ 81,041 including grants of \$ _____) (Revenue \$ _____)

See attachment #1

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

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

4d Other program services. (Describe in Schedule O.)

(Expenses \$ _____ including grants of \$ _____) (Revenue \$ _____)

4e Total program service expenses ► \$ 81,041

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A		X
2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors? (see instructions)		X
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		X
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 N/A		
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 N/A		
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		X
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		X
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III		X
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		X
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		X
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.		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI		X
b 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		X
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII		X
d 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		X
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X		X
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		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		X
b 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		X
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E		X
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV		X
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		X
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		X
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 (see instructions)		X
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	X	
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	X	
20a Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? If "Yes," complete Schedule H		X
b 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) N/A		

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		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		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		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		X
b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception? N/A		
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? N/A		
d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year? N/A		
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		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		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		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		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):		
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		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		X
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M.		X
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M		X
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I		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		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		X
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		X
35 Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		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 ☒ 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		X
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.		X
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19?	X	

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 ☐

Yes No

1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable.	1a	0			
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable.	1b	0			
c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?		N/A	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	6			
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions).			2b	X	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?			3a	X	
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O.			3b	X	
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
b	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
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?		N/A	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
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		N/A	6b		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).					
a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?			7a		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?		N/A	7b		
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?			7c		X
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year.	7d				
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?			7e		X
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?			7f		X
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?			7g		X
h	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		X
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.					
a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?			9a		X
b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?			9b		X
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:					
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12.	10a				
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities.	10b				
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:					
a	Gross income from members or shareholders.	11a				
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them).	11b				
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?			12a		X
b	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.					
a	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.			13a		X
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		X
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O.			14b		X

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 10	
b Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent	1b 10	
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	
b 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 N/A	
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 Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	12a X	
b Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	12b 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	12c X	
13 Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13	X
14 Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	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?		
a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	15a	X
b Other officers or key employees of the organization	15b X	
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?	16a	X
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?	16b N/A	

Section C. Disclosure

- 17** List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ► TX
- 18** Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.
☐ Own website ☐ Another's website ☒ Upon request
- 19** Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public.
- 20** State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization: ► See attachment #2

Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent ContractorsCheck 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 organizations 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	INSTITUTIONAL	OFFICER	KEY EMPLOYEE	HIGHEST COMPENSATED	FORMER			
MATHA KEMP SECRETARY	10.00				X	X	X		6,625	0	0
PAT ROBINSON TREASURER	5.00				X	X	X		3,250	0	0

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (describe hours for related organiza- tions 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	DIRECTOR	TRUSTEE	INSTITUTIONAL	OFFICER	KEY	EMPLOYEE	HIGH-EST	EMPLOYEE	COMPENSATED	FORMER			
1. [Name and title]	[Average hours per week]	[]	[]	[]	[]	[]	[]	[]	[]	[]	[]	[]	[Reportable compensation]	[Reportable compensation]	[Estimated amount]

[illegible]

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 ►

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.	3	X
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 . .	4	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	5	X

1	Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization.
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(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 ▶	
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Part VIII Statement of Revenue

				(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514
OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS SIMILAR GRANTS AND AMOUNTS	1a Federated campaigns	1a					
	b Membership dues	1b	29,272				
	c Fundraising events	1c					
	d Related organizations	1d					
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e					
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, & similar amounts not included above	1f	23,586				
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f		\$				
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f			52,858			
PROGRAM SERVICE REVENUE			Business Code				
	2a						
	b						
	c						
	d						
	e						
	f All other program service revenue						
	g Total. Add lines 2a-2f						
OTHER REVENUE	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)			241	241		
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds						
	5 Royalties						
		(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
	6a Gross Rents						
	b Less: rental expenses						
	c Rental income or (loss)						
	d Net rental income or (loss)						
		(i) Securities	(ii) Other				
	7a 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)						
	8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 15,988 of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	a	15,988				
	b Less: direct expenses	b	8,181				
	c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events			7,807			
	9a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a	382,605				
	b Less: direct expenses	b	376,506				
	c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities			6,099		6,099	
	10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a	149,806				
b Less: cost of goods sold	b	126,372					
c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory			23,434	23,434			
Miscellaneous Revenue			Business Code				
11a MEMBER VENDING MACHINE			28,867	28,867			
b							
c							
d All other revenue							
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d			28,867				
12 Total revenue. See instructions			119,306	60,349	6,099		

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				
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	9,875		9,875	
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				
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)				
9 Other employee benefits				
10 Payroll taxes	5,811		5,811	
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal				
c Accounting	3,729	1,729	2,000	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees				
g Other				
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses	9,227	7,896	1,331	
14 Information technology				
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	38,766	36,390	2,376	
17 Travel				
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	12,097			
23 Insurance	9,408	1,960	7,448	
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 LOCAL CHARITIES SUPPORT	9,923	9,923		
b LODGE ACTIVITIES	7,338	7,338		
c LAUNDRY / LINEN	5,220	5,220		
d OTHER	4,589	2,314	2,275	
e GRAND LODGE DUES	3,944	3,944		
f All other expenses #3.	6,761	4,327	2,434	
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	126,688	81,041	33,550	
26 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				

Part X Balance Sheet

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
A S S E T S	1 Cash -- non-interest bearing	59,125	1	62,048
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments		2	
	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	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use	5,368	8	5,368
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		9	
	10 a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a 353,269		
	b Less accumulated depreciation	10b 301,952		
		58,606	10c	51,317
	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	81	15		
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	123,180	16	118,733	
L I A B I L I T I E S	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	6,071	17	3,984
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue	12,161	19	9,083
	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	18,232	26	13,067
N E T A S S E T S O R F U N D B A L A N C E S	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here ☒ and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.			
	27 Unrestricted net assets	105,041	27	98,567
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets	-93	28	7,099
	29 Permanently restricted net assets		29	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ☐ 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	104,948	33	105,666
	34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	123,180	34	118,733

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	119,306
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	126,688
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-7,382
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A)) . . .	4	104,948
5	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	5	7,099
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	105,666

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: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ 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?	X	
b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?		X
c If "Yes" to lines 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.	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 ☒ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ 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?		X
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 N/A		

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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.

2010

Open to Public Inspection

Employer Identification number

BENEVOLENT & PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS DENTON LODGE #275-1449530

Part I

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.

- a** ☐ Mail solicitations
- b** ☐ Internet and email solicitations
- c** ☐ Phone solicitations
- d** ☐ In-person solicitations
- e** ☐ Solicitation of non-government grants
- f** ☐ Solicitation of government grants
- g** ☐ Special fundraising events

- 2a** 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?

☐ Yes ☒ No

- 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

(I) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(II) Activity	(III) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(IV) Gross receipts from activity	(V) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col. (I)	(VI) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
		Yes	No			
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	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events	
		GOLF TOURNME (event type)	CASINO (event type)	2 (total number)	(add col. (a) through col. (c))	
1	Gross receipts	11,506	2,298	2,124	15,928	
2	Less: Charitable contributions					
3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	11,506	2,298	2,124	15,928	
DIRECT EXPENSES	4	Cash prizes				
	5	Noncash prizes				
	6	Rent/facility costs				
	7	Food and beverages				
	8	Entertainment				
	9	Other direct expenses	7,557		1,235	8,792
	10	Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)				(8,792)
11	Net income summary. Combine line 3, column (d), and line 10				7,136	

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) thru col. (c))	
		1	Gross revenue	318,684	174,918	
DIRECT EXPENSES	2	Cash prizes	256,376	126,229		382,605
	3	Noncash prizes				
	4	Rent/facility costs				
	5	Other direct expenses	58,820	46,078		104,898
	6	Volunteer labor	☒ Yes _____ % ☒ No _____ %	☒ Yes _____ % ☒ No _____ %	☒ Yes _____ % ☒ No _____ %	
7	Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d)				(487,503)	
8	Net gaming income summary. Combine line 1, column d, and line 7				6,099	

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

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

b If "No," explain:

MEMBER OF NORTH TEXAS STATE FAIR UNIT TRUST

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 ▶ See Attachment #4

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 (iii) 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)

Part II	Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed
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For each individual whose compensation must be reported in Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII.

Note. The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) must equal the applicable column (D) or column (E) amounts on Form 990, Part VII, line 1a

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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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Name of the organization

BENEVOLENT & PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS DENTON LODGE #275-1449530

Employer identification number

PRIOR YEAR ADJUSTMENT TO RECORD

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IN TAX YEAR. ADJUSTMENT TO BEGINNING

DEFERRED DUES BALANCE.

Depreciation and Amortization

(Including Information on Listed Property)

OMB No 1545-0172

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service (99)

▶ See separate instructions.

▶ Attach to your tax return.

2010Attachment
Sequence No. 67

Name(s) shown on return

Business or activity to which this form relates

Identifying number

BENEVOLENT & PROTECTIVE ORDER FOR FORM 990

75-1449530

Part I Election To Expense Certain Property Under Section 179

Note: If you have any listed property, complete Part V before you complete Part I.

1	Maximum amount (see instructions)	1	
2	Total cost of section 179 property placed in service (see instructions)	2	
3	Threshold cost of section 179 property before reduction in limitation (see instructions)	3	
4	Reduction in limitation Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-	4	
5	Dollar limitation for tax year. Subtract line 4 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0-. If married filing separately, see instructions	5	500,000
6	(a) Description of property	(b) Cost (busn use only)	(c) Elected cost
7	Listed property Enter the amount from line 29	7	
8	Total elected cost of section 179 property. Add amounts in column (c), lines 6 and 7	8	
9	Tentative deduction Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8	9	
10	Carryover of disallowed deduction from line 13 of your 2009 Form 4562	10	
11	Business income limitation. Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5 (see instructions)	11	500,000
12	Section 179 expense deduction Add lines 9 and 10, but do not enter more than line 11	12	
13	Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2011. Add lines 9 and 10, less line 12 ▶	13	

Note: Do not use Part II or Part III below for listed property. Instead, use Part V.

Part II Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation (Do not include listed property.) (See instructions)

14	Special depreciation allowance for qualified property (other than listed property) placed in service during the tax year (see instructions)	14	
15	Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election	15	
16	Other depreciation (including ACRS)	16	1,491

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

17	MACRS deductions for assets placed in service in tax years beginning before 2010	17	10,164
18	If you are electing to group any assets placed in service during the tax year into one or more general asset accounts, check here ☐		

Section B -- Assets Placed in Service During 2010 Tax Year Using the General Depreciation System

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

Section C -- Assets Placed in Service During 2010 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System

20a Class life	See Statement				S/L	442
b 12-year			12 yrs.		S/L	
c 40-year			40 yrs.	MM	S/L	

Part IV Summary (See instructions)

21	Listed property. Enter amount from line 28	21	
22	Total. Add amounts from line 12, lines 14 through 17, lines 19 and 20 in column (g), and line 21. Enter here and on the appropriate lines of your return. Partnerships and S corporations -- see instructions	22	12,097
23	For assets shown above and placed in service during the current year, enter the portion of the basis attributable to section 263A costs	23	

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see separate instructions.

Form 4562 (2010)

990 PART III - STATEMENT OF PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENT

Attachment 1: Form 990 Page 2, Part III

Open to Public Inspection	For calendar year 2010, or tax period beginning	04-01-2010, and ending	03-31-2011
Name of Organization BENEVOLENT & PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS DENTON LODGE #244			Employer Identification Number 75-1449530

Part III - Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Code:	Expenses:	81,041	including Grants of.	Revenue
Exempt Purpose Achievements				

THE ORGANIZATION PROVIDED AN ATMOSPHERE THAT ALLOWED ASSOCIATION OF MEMBERS THAT INCREASED BROTHERHOOD AND UNITY. THIS RESULTED IN SERVICE TO VARIOUS LOCAL NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS AND TO THE PUBLIC IN GENERAL. FUNDS WERE RAISED TO PROVIDE OUTLETS FOR YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS THRU SPORTS, PROVIDE FOOD BASKETS TO THE NEEDY, AND BRING DRUG AWARENESS TO THE COMMUNITY BY SUPPORTING OTHER NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS. VETERANS WERE HONORED BY RECOGNIZING THEIR SERVICE AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE NATION.

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Attachment 2: Form 990 Page 6, Part VI, Section C, Line 20

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Name of Organization BENEVOLENT & PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS DENTON LODGE #244	Employer Identification Number 75-1449530
Part VI - Line 20	

Individual Name PAT ROBINSON
or
Business Name:

Street Address 228 E OAK

U.S. Address

Zip code 76202 City Denton State TX
or

Foreign Address

City

Province or State

Country

Postal code

Phone Number (940) 383-2908

Fax Number

Attachment 3: Form 990 Page 10, Line 24 - Other Expenses

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990 GAMING/SPECIAL EVENTS BOOKS AND RECORDS

Attachment 4: Sch G Page 3, Part III, Line 14

Open to Public Inspection	For calendar year 2010 or tax period beginning	04-01-2010, and ending	03-31-2011
Name of Organization BENEVOLENT & PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS DENTON LODGE #244			Employer Identification Number 75-1449530
Part III - Line 14			

Individual Name GLENN CARLTON, TRUSTEE
or
Business Name:
NORTH TEXAS STATE FAIR UNIT TRUST

Street Address 2217 NORTH CARROLL BLVD

U.S. Address:

Zip code 76201 City Denton State TX

or

Foreign Address

City

Province or State

Country

Postal code

**ADS CLASS LIFE ASSETS PLACED IN SERVICE DURING 2010
USING ALTERNATE DEPRECIATION SYSTEM**

BENEVOLENT & PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS DENTON
75-1449530

20a Asset Description	(b) Date in Service	(c) Basis	(d) Period	(e) Convention	(f) Method	(g) Depreciation
DISHWASHER	09-01-2010	3,495	5	HY		350
TELEVISION	09-01-2010	918	5	HY		92
Total						442