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EXTENSION TO 9/15/11

Short Form

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 1545-1150

Form 990-EZ

2010

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

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

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

A For the 2010 calendar year, or tax year beginning 11/01/10, and ending 10/31/11

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

C Name of organization: Chicagoland Chapter ERA; Address: 111 N. Canal Street, Chicago, IL 60606

D Employer identification number: 36-6169871; E Telephone number: 312-559-3050; F Group Exemption Number

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

H Check [X] if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B

I Website: N/A

J Tax-exempt status (check only one): 501(c)(3) [], 501(c)(6) [X], 4947(a)(1) [], 527 []

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

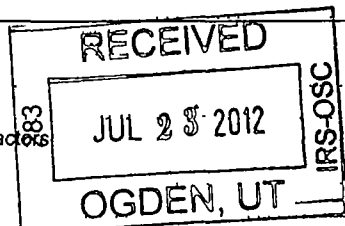
L Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets (Part II, line 25, column (B) below) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ \$ 8,287

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (see the instructions for Part I)

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

Table with 21 rows and 2 columns. Rows include Revenue (1-9), Expenses (10-17), and Net Assets (18-21). Total revenue is 8,287 and total expenses is 9,291, resulting in a deficit of 1,004.

Revenue SCANNED JUL 20 2012



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

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

	(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments	33,376	22	33,535
23 Land and buildings	0	23	
24 Other assets (describe in Schedule O)	365	24	370
25 Total assets	33,741	25	33,905
26 Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O)	1,115	26	2,283
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	32,626	27	31,622

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

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

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

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose?

See Schedule O

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

28 See Schedule O

(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here 28a

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(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here 29a

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(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here 30a

31 Other program services (describe in Schedule O)

(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here 31a

32 Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a) 32

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

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

(a) Name and address	(a) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
Richard Hobby RAH Associates Crown Point IN 46307	Board Chairman	1.00	0	0
Eric Sagendorph Select Technology Group Bloomington IL 60108	President	1.00	0	0
Todd Somers Somers-Stanton, Inc. Palatine IL 60067	VP - Fiscal & Legal	1.00	0	0
Jim Hartranft JLH Consulting Pleasant Prairie WI 53158	VP - Education	1.00	0	0
Joe Braun EK Associates Palatine IL 60074	Director	1.00	0	0
Kingsland Coombs Coombs Associates, Inc. Schaumburg IL 60173	Director	1.00	0	0
Marty Linke Dytec, Inc. Elmhurst IL 60126	Director	1.00	0	0
Ron Riesinger Synmark Sales, Inc. Park Ridge IL 60068	Director	1.00	0	0
Ron Rutkowski Control Sales Elk Grove Village IL 60007	Director	1.00	0	0
Randy Temple Action Integrated Resources Arlington Heights IL 60004	Director	1.00	0	0
Bob Evans EK Associates Palatine IL 60074	National Delegate	0.00	0	0

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

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

		Yes	No
33	Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O		X
34	Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attached a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name. Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O (see instructions)		X
35	If the organization had income from business activities, such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a (among others), but not reported on Form 990-T, explain in Schedule O why the organization did not report the income on Form 990-T		
a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or was it a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?		X
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year (see instructions)?		
36	Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N		X
37a	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions		
b	Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
38a	Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return?		X
b	If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved		
39	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9		
b	Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities		
40a	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under section 4911; section 4912; section 4955		
b	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year, or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year, that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I		
c	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958		
d	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization		
e	All organizations At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T		X
41	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed		
42a	The organization's books are in care of		
	111 N. CANAL STREET		
	Located at		
	CHICAGO		
	IL		
	ZIP + 4		
	60606		
b	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?		X
	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country		
	See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		
c	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U.S.?		X
	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country		
43	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 — Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year		
44a	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		X
b	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		X
c	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?		X
d	If "Yes," to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O		

45 Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?

	Yes	No
45		X

a Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of Form 990-EZ (see instructions)

45a		X
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46 Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I

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

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

47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II

	Yes	No
47		

48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E

48		
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49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?

49a		
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b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?

49b		
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50 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None"

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$100,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances

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

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

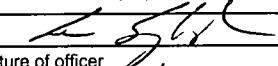
(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation

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

52 Did the organization complete Schedule A? Note All section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A

Yes No

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

Sign Here  Date 7/20/12
 Signature of officer _____ Date _____
 Type or print name and title Eric Sagendorph President

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name <u>Stanton B Herzog</u>	Preparer's signature <u>Stanton B Herzog CIAA</u>	Date <u>7/11/12</u>	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN <u>P00143236</u>
	Firm's name ▶ <u>Applebaum, Herzog & Associates, PC</u>	Firm's EIN ▶ <u>36-4452534</u>			
	Firm's address ▶ <u>614 Academy Dr Northbrook, IL 60062</u>	Phone no <u>847-564-1040</u>			

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions

Yes No

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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Chicagoland Chapter ERA

Employer identification number

36-6169871

Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 16 - Other Expenses

Description	Amount
Expenses	
Other Meetings & Seminars	\$ 1,118
Management Fees	\$ 4,036
Insurance - D & O & Pkg	\$ 511
Brd Meetings & Apprec Eve	\$ 545
Donations	\$ 1,300
Web Site Exp	\$ 520
Misc Income/Expense	\$ 765
Program & Event Expense	\$ 196
Total	\$ 8,991

Form 990-EZ, Part II, Line 24 - Other Assets

Description	Beg. of Year	End of Year
Prepaid Expenses and Deferred Charges	\$ 365	\$ 370
Total	\$ 365	\$ 370

Form 990-EZ, Part II, Line 26 - Other Liabilities

Description	Beg. of Year	End of Year
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses	\$ 600	\$ 1,716
Accrued Expenses	\$ 515	\$ 567

Form 990-EZ, Part III - Primary Exempt Purpose

PERIODIC CHAPTER MEETINGS ARE HELD DURING THE YEAR, AVAILABLE TO ALL

Name of the organization

Chicagoland Chapter ERA

Employer identification number

36-6169871

MEMBERS, WITH A DISCUSSION ON A CURRENT BUSINESS TOPIC.

THE ORGANIZATION HAS NO PERSONAL BENEFITS CONTRACTS.

Form 990-EZ, Part III, Line 28 - First Achievement

THE PRIMARY PURPOSE OF THE ORGNIZATION IS THE FURTHERANCE OF KNOWLEDGE OF THE MANUFACTURERS' REPRESENTATIVES MEMBERS ABOUT CURRENT ELECTRONICS INDUSTRY CONDITIONS AND SUPPORT AND ENCOURAGE PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE OF THE ROLE AND IMPORTANCE OF MANUFACTURERS REPRESENTATIVES.

• If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only Part II and check this box

Note. Only complete Part II if you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

• If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only Part I (on page 1).

Part II Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time. Only file the original (no copies needed).

Enter filer's identifying number, see instructions

Type or print File by the due date for filing your return See instructions	Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions Chicagoland Chapter ERA	Employer identification number (EIN) or <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 36-6169871
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P O. box, see instructions. 111 N. Canal Street 885	Social security number (SSN) <input type="checkbox"/>
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions Chicago IL 60606	

Enter the Return code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return)

01

Application Is For	Return Code	Application Is For	Return Code
Form 990	01		
Form 990-BL	02	Form 1041-A	08
Form 990-EZ	01	Form 4720	09
Form 990-PF	04	Form 5227	10
Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	05	Form 6069	11
Form 990-T (trust other than above)	06	Form 8870	12

STOP! Do not complete Part II if you were not already granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

• The books are in the care of **William Warfield** 111 N. Canal Street IL 60606
Telephone No. **312-559-3050** FAX No. **312-559-4566**

• If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box

• If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) _____ If this is for the whole group, check this box . If it is for part of the group, check this box and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for.

4 I request an additional 3-month extension of time until **09/15/12**.

5 For calendar year _____, or other tax year beginning **11/01/10**, and ending **10/31/11**

6 If the tax year entered in line 5 is for less than 12 months, check reason: Initial return Final return
 Change in accounting period

7 State in detail why you need the extension
More time is required to assemble the information necessary to file a complete and accurate return

8a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	8a	\$
b If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit and any amount paid previously with Form 8868.	8b	\$
c Balance due. Subtract line 8b from line 8a. Include your payment with this form, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	8c	\$

Signature and Verification must be completed for Part II only.

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form.

Signature **Stewart B. Keagy** Title **CPA** Date **06/14/12**
Form **8868** (Rev 1-2012)

Form **8868**
(Rev. January 2012)

Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

OMB No 1545-1709

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ **File a separate application for each return.**

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** and check this box
- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** (on page 2 of this form).

Do not complete Part II unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868

Electronic filing (e-file). You can electronically file Form 8868 if you need a 3-month automatic extension of time to file (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T), or an additional (not automatic) 3-month extension of time. You can electronically file Form 8868 to request an extension of time to file any of the forms listed in Part I or Part II with the exception of Form 8870, Information Return for Transfers Associated With Certain Personal Benefit Contracts, which must be sent to the IRS in paper format (see instructions) For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit www.irs.gov/efile and click on e-file for Charities & Nonprofits

Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time. Only submit original (no copies needed).

A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension-check this box and complete Part I only

All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns

Enter filer's identifying number, see instructions

Type or print	Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions. Chicagoland Chapter ERA	Employer identification number (EIN) or <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 36-6169871
File by the due date for filing your return See instructions	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions 111 N. Canal Street 885	Social security number (SSN) <input type="checkbox"/>
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions Chicago IL 60606	

Enter the Return code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return)

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Application Is For	Return Code	Application Is For	Return Code
Form 990	01	Form 990-T (corporation)	07
Form 990-BL	02	Form 1041-A	08
Form 990-EZ	01	Form 4720	09
Form 990-PF	04	Form 5227	10
Form 990-T (sec 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	05	Form 6069	11
Form 990-T (trust other than above)	06	Form 8870	12

- The books are in the care of ▶

Telephone No. ▶

FAX No. ▶

- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) _____ . If this is for the whole group, check this box . If it is for part of the group, check this box and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for.

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until **06/15/12** , to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for
▶ calendar year _____ or

▶ tax year beginning **11/01/10** , and ending **10/31/11**

2 If the tax year entered in line 1 is for less than 12 months, check reason. Initial return Final return
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3a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions	3a	\$
b If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit	3b	\$
c Balance due. Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	3c	\$

Caution. If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions

For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see Instructions.