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Short Form  
Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

2011

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

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

► 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

Open to Public  
Inspection

07/01, 2011, and ending

12/31, 2011

## A For the 2011 calendar year, or tax year beginning

B Check if applicable

- Address change
- Name change
- Initial return
- Terminated
- Amended return
- Application pending

## C Name of organization

LYON ARBORETUM ASSOCIATION

## D Employer identification number

23-7429693

Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address)  
3860 MANOA ROAD

Room/suite

City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4  
HONOLULU, HI 96822

## E Telephone number

(808) 988-0464

F Group Exemption  
Number ►

## G Accounting Method

 Cash  Accrual  Other (specify) ►
H Check ►  if the organization is not

I Website: ► Tax-exempt status (check only one) -  501(c)(3)  501(c) ( ) ◀ (insert no)  4947(a)(1) or  527

K Check ►  if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization or a section 527 organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$50,000 A Form 990-EZ or Form 990 return is not required though Form 990-N (e-postcard) may be required (see instructions) But if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return

L Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets (Part II, line 25, column (B) below) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ► \$ 82,583.

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. . . . . 

1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received . . . . .	ATCH 8 . . . . .	1	40,000.
2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts . . . . .		2	
3	Membership dues and assessments . . . . .		3	9,115.
4	Investment income . . . . .	ATCH 1 . . . . .	4	263.
5 a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory . . . . .	5a		
b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses . . . . .	5b		
c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a) . . . . .		5c	
6	Gaming and fundraising events			
a	Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000) . . . . .	6a		
b	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ . . . . . of contributions from fundraising events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the sum of such gross income and contributions exceeds \$15,000) . . . . .	6b	31,555.	
c	Less direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events . . . . .	6c	34,043.	
d	Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c) . . . . .	ATCH 2 . . . . .	6d	-2,488.
7 a	Gross sales of inventory less returns and allowances . . . . .	7a		
b	Less cost of goods sold . . . . .	7b		
c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a) . . . . .		7c	
8	Other revenue (describe in Schedule O) . . . . .	ATCH 3 . . . . .	8	1,650.
9	<b>Total revenue.</b> Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8 . . . . .		9	48,540.
10	Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O) . . . . .	ATCH 9 . . . . .	10	3,390.
11	Benefits paid to or for members . . . . .		11	
12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits . . . . .		12	6,560.
13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors . . . . .		13	4,043.
14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance . . . . .		14	
15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping . . . . .		15	2,014.
16	Other expenses (describe in Schedule O) . . . . .	ATCH 4 . . . . .	16	17,569.
17	<b>Total expenses.</b> Add lines 10 through 16 . . . . .		17	33,576.
18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9) . . . . .		18	14,964.
19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return) . . . . .		19	329,747.
20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O) . . . . .	ATCH 5 . . . . .	20	
21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 18 through 20 . . . . .		21	344,711.

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Form 990-EZ (2011)

Revenue  
18 SEP  
2012Expenses  
Net Assets

**Form 990-EZ (2011)**

**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 . . . . .	ATTACHMENT 6.	329,747.
23	Land and buildings . . . . .	22	344,711.
24	Other assets (describe in Schedule O) . . . . .	0	23
25	<b>Total assets</b> . . . . .	<b>0</b>	<b>24</b>
26	<b>Total liabilities</b> (describe in Schedule O) . . . . .	<b>329,747.</b>	<b>25</b>
27	<b>Net assets or fund balances</b> (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	<b>0</b>	<b>26</b>
		329,747.	344,711.

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

**Statement of Program Service Accomplishments** (see the instructions for Part I)  
Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part III

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What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? **ATTACHMENT 7**

Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title.

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

28 GRANTS & RESEARCH ADMINISTRATION

28a

29

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

29a

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30

**(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 . . . . . ►

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

**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 . . . . .

<b>(a) Name and address</b>	<b>(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position</b>	<b>(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC) (If not paid, enter -0-)</b>	<b>(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation</b>	<b>(e) Estimated amount of other compensation</b>
ATTACHMENT 10				

**Part V Other Information** (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirements in the instructions for Part V.) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part V

33 Did the organization engage in any significant activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O . . . . . 33  X

34 Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach 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) . . . . . 34  X

35a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year from business activities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)? . . . . . 35a  X

b If "Yes," to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O . . . . . 35b

c Was the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III . . . . . 35c  X

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 . . . . . 36  X

37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions ► 37a

b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year? . . . . . 37b  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? . . . . . 38a  X

b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved . . . . . 38b

39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations Enter

a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 . . . . . 39a

b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities . . . . . 39b

40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under section 4911 ► \_\_\_\_\_, section 4912 ► \_\_\_\_\_, section 4955 ► \_\_\_\_\_ 40b  X

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 . . . . . 40c

d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization . . . . . 40d

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 . . . . . 40e  X

41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ► \_\_\_\_\_

42a The organization's books are in care of ► LILLIAN ITO Telephone no ► 808-988-0464 Located at ► 3860 MANOA ROAD HONOLULU, HI ZIP + 4 ► 96822 42b  X

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)? 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 the U.S.? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ► \_\_\_\_\_ 42c  X

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 ► 43

44a Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ . . . . . 44a  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 . . . . . 44b  X

c Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year? . . . . . 44c  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 . . . . . 44d  X

45a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? . . . . . 45a  X

45b 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). . . . . 45b  X

		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 46	<input type="checkbox"/> X

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

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

		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
47	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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 47	<input type="checkbox"/> X
48	Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 48	<input type="checkbox"/>
49a	Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 49a	<input type="checkbox"/> X
b	If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 49b	<input type="checkbox"/>
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"		

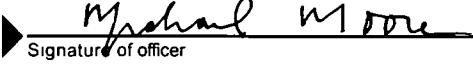
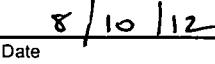
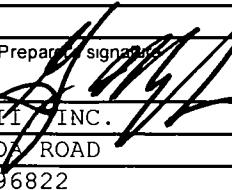
(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$100,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
NONE				

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

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

d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000. . . ►  
 52 Did the organization complete Schedule A? **Note:** All section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A. ►  Yes  No

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

<b>Sign Here</b>			
	Signature of officer	Date	
<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>		Treasurer	
	Type or print name and title		
	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	
	GARY Y. MIYASHIRO		
Firm's name ► MC GROUP HAWAII INC.	Date 07/31/2012	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN P00404797
Firm's address ► 2733 EAST MANOA ROAD HONOLULU, HI 96822	Firm's EIN ► 27-3701730	Phone no 808-988-5757	

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

**SCHEDULE A**  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Public Charity Status and Public Support**

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2011**

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

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

Name of the organization

LYON ARBORETUM ASSOCIATION

Employer identification number

23-7429693

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

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

1  A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).  
 2  A school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Attach Schedule E.)  
 3  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).  
 4  A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). Enter the hospital's name, city, and state \_\_\_\_\_  
 5  An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Complete Part II)  
 6  A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).  
 7  An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II)  
 8  A community trust described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II)  
 9  An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions - subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See section 509(a)(2). (Complete Part III)  
 10  An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See section 509(a)(4).  
 11  An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2). See section 509(a)(3). Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h.  
 a  Type I      b  Type II      c  Type III - Functionally integrated      d  Type III - Other  
 e  By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2).  
 f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box. \_\_\_\_\_  
 g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?  
 (i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization? \_\_\_\_\_  
 (ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above? \_\_\_\_\_  
 (iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above? \_\_\_\_\_  
 h Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the U.S.?		(vii) Amount of support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
(A) LYON ARBORETUM	99-6000354	01	X						0
(B)									
(C)									
(D)									
(E)									
<b>Total</b>									

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2011

**Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants") . . . . .						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf . . . . .						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge . . . . .						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3 . . . . .						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f). . . . .						
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4 . . . . .						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources . . . . .						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on . . . . .						
10 Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV) . . . . .						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10 . . . . .						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (see instructions) . . . . .					12	
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here . . . . . ► <input type="checkbox"/>						

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

14 Public support percentage for 2011 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) . . . . .	14	%
15 Public support percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 . . . . .	15	%
16a 33 1/3% support test - 2011. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . . ► <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 33 1/3% support test - 2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . . ► <input type="checkbox"/>		
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2011. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . . ► <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . . ► <input type="checkbox"/>		
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions . . . . . ► <input type="checkbox"/>		

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants")	23,049.	102,251	145,100	134,104	82,320	486,824
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose . . . . .	23,049	102,251.	145,100	134,104	82,320	486,824
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf . . . . .						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge . . . . .						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5 . . . . .	46,098.	204,502	290,200	268,208.	164,640	973,648.
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons . . . . .						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b. . . . .						
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6) . . . . .						973,648

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6. . . . .	46,098	204,502	290,200	268,208	164,640	973,648
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources . . . . .	2,606	9,900	4,190	738	263	17,697
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975 . . . . .						
c Add lines 10a and 10b . . . . .	2,606	9,900	4,190	738	263	17,697
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on . . . . .						
12 Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV) . . . . .						
	495	183				678
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12) . . . . .	48,704	214,897	294,573	268,946	164,903	992,023
14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here . . . . . ► <input type="checkbox"/>						

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

15 Public support percentage for 2011 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) . . . . .	15	98.15 %
16 Public support percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 . . . . .	16	97.45 %

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

17 Investment income percentage for 2011 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) . . . . .	17	1.78 %
18 Investment income percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 17 . . . . .	18	2.42 %
19a 331/3% support tests - 2011. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 331/3%, and line 17 is not more than 331/3%, check this box and stop here The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
b 331/3% support tests - 2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 331/3%, and line 18 is not more than 331/3%, check this box and stop here The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► <input type="checkbox"/>		
20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions ► <input type="checkbox"/>		

**Part IV Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; and Part III, line 12. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

*✓*

<u>DIRECT PUBLIC SUPPORT</u>	<u>DATE</u>

12/17/2011

12/01/2011

12/13/2011

12/16/2011

TOTAL CONTRIBUTION AMOUNTS

40,000.

**SCHEDULE G**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service**Supplemental Information Regarding  
Fundraising or Gaming Activities**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.

OMB No 1545-0047

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Inspection

Name of the organization

LYON ARBORETUM ASSOCIATION

Employer identification number

23-7429693

**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 <input type="checkbox"/>	Mail solicitations	e <input type="checkbox"/>	Solicitation of non-government grants
b <input type="checkbox"/>	Internet and email solicitations	f <input type="checkbox"/>	Solicitation of government grants
c <input type="checkbox"/>	Phone solicitations	g <input type="checkbox"/>	Special fundraising events
d <input type="checkbox"/>	In-person solicitations		

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			
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
9						
10						
<b>Total</b>						

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

	(a) Event #1 LYON IN SUMMER (event type)	(b) Event #2 NONE (event type)	(c) Other Events (total number)	(d) Total events (add col (a) through col (c))
Revenue	1 Gross receipts . . . . .	31,555.		31,555.
	2 Less Charitable contributions . . . . .	3,828.		3,828.
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2). . . . .	27,727.		27,727.
	4 Cash prizes . . . . .			
	5 Noncash prizes . . . . .			
Direct Expenses	6 Rent/facility costs . . . . .	14,808.		14,808.
	7 Food and beverages . . . . .	12,252.		12,252.
	8 Entertainment . . . . .	3,681.		3,681.
	9 Other direct expenses . . . . .	3,302.		3,302.
	10 Direct expense summary Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) . . . . .		► (	34,043.)
	11 Net income summary Combine line 3, column (d), and line 10 . . . . .		►	-6,316.

**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.

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

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

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

b If "No," explain \_\_\_\_\_

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

b If "Yes," explain \_\_\_\_\_

## Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2011

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

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

13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in

a The organization's facility	13a	%
b An outside facility	13b	%

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

Name ► \_\_\_\_\_

Address ► \_\_\_\_\_

15 a 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 explanation 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).

**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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ATTACHMENT 1

FORM 990EZ, PART I - INVESTMENT INCOME

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
INTEREST INCOME	263.
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>263.</b>

ATTACHMENT 2

FORM 990EZ, PART I - FUNDRAISING EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>GROSS REVENUE</u>	<u>DIRECT EXPENSES</u>	<u>NET INCOME</u>
LYON IN SUMMER	31,555.	34,043.	-2,488.
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>31,555.</b>	<b>34,043.</b>	<b>-2,488.</b>

ATTACHMENT 3

FORM 990EZ, PART I - OTHER REVENUE

GRANTS-INTERNATIONAL INTERNS	570.
NON SPECIFIC USE CONTRIBUTIONS	1,080.
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>1,650.</b>

Name of the organization LYON ARBORETUM ASSOCIATION	Employer identification number 23-7429693
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## ATTACHMENT 4

FORM 990EZ, PART I - OTHER EXPENSES

SUPPLIES	118.
BANK SERVICE CHARGE	286.
STORAGE	1,301.
CREDIT CARD FEES	1,203.
GARDEN OF REMEMBRANCE	9,842.
OFFICE EXPENSE	250.
LYON IN SUMMER EXPENSE	
GENERAL EXCISE	4,569.
D&O INS	
 TOTAL	 <u>17,569.</u>

## ATTACHMENT 5

FORM 990EZ, PART I - OTHER CHANGES IN FUND BALANCESDECREASES IN FUND BALANCES

TAX PENALTIES

TOTAL

## ATTACHMENT 6

FORM 990EZ, PART II - CASH, SAVINGS AND INVESTMENTS

DESCRIPTION	BEGINNING OF YEAR	END OF YEAR
CASH	71,892.	137,860.
SAVINGS	257,855.	206,851.
 TOTALS	 <u>329,747.</u>	 <u>344,711.</u>

## ATTACHMENT 7

FORM 990EZ, PART III - ORGANIZATION'S PRIMARY EXEMPT PURPOSE

FUND RAISING/SUPPORT FOR LYON ARBORETUM IN HONOLULU, HI



## FORM 990EZ, PART IV - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES AND KEY EMPLOYEES

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED TO POSITION	REPORTABLE COMPENSATION (FORM W-2/ 1099-MISC)	HEALTH BENEFITS, CONTRIBUTION TO EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS AND DEFERRED COMPENSATION	ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF OTHER COMPENSATION
JONATHAN STEINER 3860 MANOA ROAD HONOLULU, HI 96822	PRESIDENT 0	0	0	0
MICHAEL MOORE 3860 MANOA ROAD HONOLULU, HI 96822	TREASURER 0	0	0	0
GREG KERNER 3860 MANOA ROAD HONOLULU, HI 96822	1ST VICE PRESIDENT 0	0	0	0
PAUL SIBLEY 3860 MANOA ROAD HONOLULU, HI 96822	2ND VICE PRESIDENT 0	0	0	0
JAMES BELL 3860 MANOA ROAD HONOLULU, HI 96822	BOARD MEMBER 0	0	0	0
ERIC CRISPIN 3860 MANOA ROAD HONOLULU, HI 96822	BOARD MEMBER 0	0	0	0
ANN KADOWAKI 3860 MANOA ROAD HONOLULU, HI 96822	SECRETARY 0	0	0	0
RICHARD KENNEDY 3860 MANOA ROAD HONOLULU, HI 96822	BOARD MEMBER 0	0	0	0

## LYON ARBORETUM ASSOCIATION

23-7429693

FORM 990EZ, PART IV - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES AND KEY EMPLOYEES

<u>NAME AND ADDRESS</u>	<u>TITLE AND AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED TO POSITION</u>	<u>COMPENSATION (FORM W-2 / DEFERRED COMPENSATION</u>	<u>HEALTH BENEFITS, CONTRIBUTION TO EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS AND DEFERRED COMPENSATION</u>	<u>ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF OTHER COMPENSATION</u>
DAVID McCauley 3860 Manoa Road Honolulu, HI 96822	BOARD MEMBER 0	0	0	0
DR. CHRISTOPHER DUNN 3860 Manoa Road Honolulu, HI 96822	DIRECTOR 0	0	0	0
CHUCK PEARSON 3860 Manoa Road Honolulu, HI 96822	BOARD MEMBER 0	0	0	0
RICK QUINN 3860 Manoa Road Honolulu, HI 96822	BOARD MEMBER 0	0	0	0
SONO HIROSE-HULBERT 3860 Manoa Road Honolulu, HI 96822	BOARD MEMBER 0	0	0	0
DIANA SNYDER 3860 Manoa Road Honolulu, HI 96822	BOARD MEMBER 0	0	0	0
MANNING RICHARDS 3860 Manoa Road Honolulu, HI 96822	BOARD MEMBER 0	0	0	0
TRUDY SCHANDLER-WONG 3860 Manoa Road Honolulu, HI 96822	BOARD MEMBER 0	0	0	0

ATTACHMENT 10 (CONT'D)

FORM 990EZ, PART IV - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES AND KEY EMPLOYEES

<u>NAME AND ADDRESS</u>	<u>TITLE AND AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED TO POSITION</u>	<u>COMPENSATION (FORM W-2 / DEFERRED COMPENSATION)</u>	<u>HEALTH BENEFITS, CONTRIBUTION TO EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS AND DEFERRED COMPENSATION</u>	<u>ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF OTHER COMPENSATION</u>
LISA CAVANAH 3860 MANOA ROAD HONOLULU, HI 96822	BOARD MEMBER 0	0	0	0
MARK HASTERT 3860 MANOA ROAD HONOLULU, HI 96822	BOARD MEMBER 0	0	0	0
	GRAND TOTALS	0	0	0

# CHANGE OF ACCOUNTING PERIOD

Form **8868**

(Rev January 2012)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

## Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

OMB No 1545-1709

► 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](http://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 <b>LYON ARBORETUM</b>	Employer identification number (EIN) or <input type="checkbox"/> <b>23-7429693</b>
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 <b>3860 MANOA ROAD</b>	Social security number (SSN) <input type="checkbox"/>
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code For a foreign address, see instructions <b>HONOLULU, HAWAII 96822</b>	

Enter the Return code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return) **0 11**

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 ► **LILLIAN ITO**
- Telephone No. ► **808-988-0464** 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 **AUGUST 15**, 20 **12**, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:

►  calendar year 20  or

►  tax year beginning **JULY 1**, 20 **11**, and ending **DECEMBER 31**, 20 **11**.

2 If the tax year entered in line 1 is for less than 12 months, check reason:  Initial return  Final return  
►  Change in accounting period

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	\$ <b>NONE</b>

**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