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Form **990-EZ**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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)

▶ 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.

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A For the 2011 calendar year, or tax year beginning _____, **2011, and ending** _____, **20** _____

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|--|---|---|
| B Check if applicable: | C Name of organization Open Stories Foundation, Inc. | D Employer identification number 27-2026793 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Address change | Number & street (or P.O. box, if mail is not delivered to street addr.) <small>Room/suite</small> | E Telephone number (435) 752-0222 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Name change | 2754 North 920 East | F Group Exemption Number ▶ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return | City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Terminated | North Logan UT 84341 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending | | |

G Accounting Method Cash Accrual Other (specify) ▶ _____

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

I Website: ▶ www.mormonstories.org

J 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 ▶ \$ **106,251**

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.

| | Description | Code | Amount |
|-----------------|--|-----------|---------|
| REVENUE | 1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received | 1 | 106,243 |
| | 2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts | 2 | |
| | 3 Membership dues and assessments | 3 | |
| | 4 Investment income | 4 | 8 |
| | 5a Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory | 5a | |
| | 5b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses | 5b | |
| | 5c Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a) | 5c | |
| | 6 Gaming and fundraising events | | |
| | 6a Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000) | 6a | |
| | 6b Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions from fundraising events reported on line 4) (attach Schedule G if the sum of such gross income and contributions exceeds \$15,000) | 6b | |
| | 6c Less: direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events | 6c | |
| | 6d Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c) | 6d | |
| | 7a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances | 7a | |
| | 7b Less: cost of goods sold | 7b | |
| | 7c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a) | 7c | |
| | 8 Other revenue (describe in Schedule O) | 8 | |
| | 9 Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8 | 9 | 106,251 |
| EXPENSES | 10 Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O) | 10 | |
| | 11 Benefits paid to or for members | 11 | |
| | 12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits | 12 | 40,000 |
| | 13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors | 13 | 11,821 |
| | 14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance | 14 | 234 |
| | 15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping | 15 | |
| | 16 Other expenses (describe in Schedule O) | 16 | 27,018 |
| | 17 Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16 | 17 | 79,073 |
| ASSETS | 18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9) | 18 | 27,178 |
| | 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 | 21,082 |
| | 20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O) | 20 | |
| | 21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20 | 21 | 48,260 |

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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 | 21,082 | 48,652 |
| 23 Land and buildings | 0 | 0 |
| 24 Other assets (describe in Schedule O) | 0 | 938 |
| 25 Total assets | 21,082 | 49,590 |
| 26 Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O) | 0 | 1,330 |
| 27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21) | 21,082 | 48,260 |

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

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

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? **See attachment #1**
 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 | See attachment #2 | | |
| | (Grants \$ 106,243) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/> | 28a | 79,073 |
| 29 | | | |
| | (Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/> | 29a | |
| 30 | | | |
| | (Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/> | 30a | |
| 31 | Other program services (describe in Schedule O) | | |
| | (Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/> | 31a | |
| 32 | Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a) | 32 | 79,073 |

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

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

| (a) Name and address | (b) Title and Average hours per week devoted to position | (c) Reportable compensation (Form W-2/1099 MISC) (If not paid, enter -0-) | (d) Health benefits, Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation | (e) Estimated amount of other compensation |
|----------------------|--|---|--|--|
| See attachment #3 | | | | |
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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
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)
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)?
35b If "Yes," to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O
35c 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
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
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions.
37b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?
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?
38b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved.
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations Enter:
39a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9
39b 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
40b 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.
40c 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
40d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization
40e 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
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed. NONE
42a The organization's books are in care of See attachment #4 Telephone no
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Table with columns Yes and No. Rows 33-40e. Marked with X in the No column for rows 33, 34, 35a, 35b, 35c, 36, 37b, 38a, 40b, 40e.

42b 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.
42c 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:
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

Table with columns Yes and No. Rows 42b, 42c. Marked with X in the No column for rows 42b, 42c.

44a Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ
44b Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ
44c Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?
44d If "Yes" to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O
45a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?
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)

Table with columns Yes and No. Rows 44a-45b. Marked with X in the No column for rows 44a, 44b, 44c, 44d, 45a, 45b.

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

| | Yes | No |
|----|-----|----|
| 46 | | X |

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

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

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

| | Yes | No |
|----|-----|----|
| 47 | | X |

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

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

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

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| 49b | | X |
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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 title 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 | | | | |
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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 | | |
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d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000

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

Yes No

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

Sign Here
 Signature of officer: *John Dehlin*
 Date:
 Type or print name and title: John Dehlin Executive Director

Paid Preparer Use Only
 Print/Type preparer's name: GLENNON, GINA
 Preparer's signature: *Gleannon, Gina*
 Date: 03-30-12
 Check if self-employed
 PTIN: P00218934
 Firm's name: GROVER & CANFIELD
 Firm's EIN: 26-2638946
 Firm's address: 40 W CACHE VALLEY BLVD STE 7B
 Phone no: 435-752-0222

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

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support
Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

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

Name of the organization **Open Stories Foundation, Inc.** Employer identification number **27-2026793**

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?

| | | |
|---------------|-----|----|
| | Yes | No |
| 11g(i) | | X |
 - (ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above?

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|----------------|-----|----|
| | Yes | No |
| 11g(ii) | | X |
 - (iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?

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|-----------------|-----|----|
| | Yes | No |
| 11g(iii) | | X |
- h Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

| (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 | |
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| Total | | | | | | | | | |

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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.") | | | | 58,570 | 106,243 | 164,813 |
| 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. | | | | 58,570 | 106,243 | 164,813 |
| 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. | | | | | | 164,813 |

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 | | | | 58,570 | 106,243 | 164,813 |
| 8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources | | | | 10 | 8 | 18 |
| 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 | | | | | | 164,831 |
| 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

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|---|-----------|---------|
| 14 Public support percentage for 2011 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) | 14 | 99.99 % |
| 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 checked="" 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.") | | | | 58,570 | 106,243 | 164,813 |
| 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 | | | | | | |
| 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 | | | | 58,570 | 106,243 | 164,813 |
| 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.) | | | | | | 164,813 |

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 | | | | 58,570 | 106,243 | 164,813 |
| 10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources | | | | 10 | 8 | 18 |
| b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975. | | | | | | |
| c Add lines 10a and 10b | | | | 10 | 8 | 18 |
| 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.) | | | | | | |
| 13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.) | | | | 58,580 | 106,251 | 164,831 |

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

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

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|--|-----------|---------|
| 15 Public support percentage for 2011 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) | 15 | 99.99 % |
| 16 Public support percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 | 16 | % |

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

| | | |
|--|-----------|--------|
| 17 Investment income percentage for 2011 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)). | 17 | 0.01 % |
| 18 Investment income percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 17 | 18 | % |

19a 33 1/3 % support tests -- 2011. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3 %, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3 %, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 33 1/3 % support tests -- 2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3 %, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3 %, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions.

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
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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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Inspection

Name of the organization

Open Stories Foundation, Inc.

Employer identification number

27-2026793

Other expense include operational expenses necessary
to carry out the mission of the foundation

Other assets include equipment necessary for podcasts
and recording conferences

Other liabilities are payroll liabilities for payroll taxes due
but not paid at year end

990 PRIMARY EXEMPT PURPOSE

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|---|---|
| Open to Public Inspection | For calendar year 2011 or tax period beginning , and ending |
| Name of Organization Open Stories Foundation, Inc. | Employer Identification Number 27-2026793 |

| Primary Purpose |
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| The corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and/or scientific purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, including the making of distributions, for such purposes, to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or a corresponding section of any future federal code. The character of affairs which the corporation intends actually to conduct shall include producing and distributing downloadable podcasts that deal with religious and educational topics, along with a website for such distribution. The corporation may also produce publications and and conduct presentations and symposiums for such educational purposes. |

990 PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENT

Attachment 2: page 1 - 990-EZ Page 3, Part III

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| Open to Public Inspection | For calendar year 2011 or tax period beginning _____, and ending _____ |
| Name of Organization Open Stories Foundation, Inc. | Employer Identification Number 27-2026793 |

Part III - Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

| | | | | |
|------------------------|---------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|--------|
| Grants and allocations | 106,243 | Amount includes foreign grants | Program service expenses | 79,073 |
|------------------------|---------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|--------|

Exempt Purpose Achievements

2011 was a banner year for the Open Stories Foundation. 80 regional support communities were created in 2011, and thousands of podcast listeners have joined these communities over the past 12 months, and as a result have obtained considerable social support. Successful regional conferences were held in New York, Salt Lake City, San Diego and Washington, D.C. Mormon Stories podcast continues to grow in terms of subscribers and global visibility: with several high quality episodes being released in 2011. Mormon Matters podcast was revived last year and has become one of the most successful podcasts in Mormonism. Finally, the Open Stories Foundation was able to attract over \$100,000 in donations for the first time ever, and support for the Open Stories Foundation continues to grow.

Open Stories Foundation, Inc.

27-2026793

| (a) Name and Address | (b) Title and average hrs/week devoted to position | (c) Compensation | (d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred comp plans | (e) Expense and account allowances |
|---|--|------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| John Dehlin 2754 North 200 East North Logan, UT 84341 See Comp. Expl: #1 | Executive Director 50.0 | 40,000.00 | - | - |
| Joanna Brooks 6141 Romany Drive San Diego, CA 92120 | President 0.1 | - | - | - |
| Elizabeth Calvert Smith 16 Highland Park Newton, MA 02460 | Director 0.1 | - | - | - |
| Brian Johnston 9622A Liberty Road Frederick, MD 21701 | Director 0.1 | - | - | - |
| Ann Peffer 325 Commandant's Way #135 Chelsea, MA 02150 | Director 0.1 | - | - | - |
| Tyson Jacobson 33302 Valle Rd #125 San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675 | Director 0.1 | - | - | - |
| Ashley Merback 936 E Elm St Altus, OK 73521 | Director 0.1 | - | - | - |
| Natasha Parker 2327 N Burning Tree St Wichita, KS 67228 | Director 0.1 | - | - | - |
| Robert Scott Holley 16357 Lookout Lane Bow, WA 98232 | Director 0.1 | - | - | - |
| Jeffrey T. Green 5595 Floyd Street Ventura, CA 93003 | Director 0.1 | - | - | - |

Depreciation and Amortization (Including Information on Listed Property)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service (99)

▶ See separate instructions.

▶ Attach to your tax return.

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| Name(s) shown on return Open Stories Foundation, Inc. | Business or activity to which this form relates FOR FORM 990-EZ LINE 14 | Identifying number 27-2026793 |
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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 2010 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 2012. 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)

| | | |
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| 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 | |

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

Section A

| | | |
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| 17 MACRS deductions for assets placed in service in tax years beginning before 2011 | 17 | |
| 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 | ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> | |

Section B -- Assets Placed in Service During 2011 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 | | 1,172 | 05 | HY | 200 DB | 234 |
| 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 2011 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System

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

Part IV Summary (See instructions.)

| | | |
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| 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 | 234 |
| 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 | |

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