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Form 990-EZ

Short Form

OMB No 1545-1150

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		October 1,	2011, and ending	September 31, 2012
B Check if applicable		C Name of Organization		
() Address change		Wyoming Farm Bureau Federation (Sheridan County)		
() Name change		D Employer identification number		
(X) Initial return		83-0175722		
() Terminated		E Telephone number		
() Amended return		(307) 745-4835		
() Application pending		F Group Exemption Number		
		> 1852		
G Accounting Method (X) Cash () Accrual Other (specify) > _____				
I Web Site: > _____				
J Tax-exempt status (check only one) - { } 501(c)(3) {X} 501(c)(5) < (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 \$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. > \$ 188,527

Part 1		Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the instructions for Part 1)		Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any questions in this Part I {X}	
Revenue	1	Contributions, gift, grants, and similar amounts received	1		
	2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2		
	3	Membership dues and assessments	3		26,503
	4	Investment income	4		296
	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 1) (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		161,728	
9	Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8	9		188,527	
Expenses	10	Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O)	10		
	11	Benefits paid to or for members	11		17,547
	12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12		
	13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13		
	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14		
	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15		
	16	Other expenses (describe in Schedule O)	16		166,281
	17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17		183,828
Net Assets	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18		4,698
	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		49,002
	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		53,700

Part II

{X}

22	Cash, savings, and investments	50,902	22	53,900
23	Land and buildings		23	
24	Other assets (describe in Schedule O)		24	
25	Total assets	50,902	25	53,900
26	Total Liabilities (describe in Schedule O)	1,900	26	200
27	Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	49,002	27	53,700

Part III

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

501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4)

organizations and section
4947(a)(1) trusts, optional
for others)

28	Membership - Wyoming Farm Bureau Federation, American Farm Bureau Federation	
	(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here > { }	28a
29		
	(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here > { }	29b
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 > { }	31a
32	Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a)	> 32

Part IV

 $\{ \}$ [illegible]

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," 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)		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)?		
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	X	
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	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		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	501(c)(3) and (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		X
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 state with which a copy of this return is filed		
42a	The organization's books are in care of > JoAnn Tardif Telephone no > (307) 674-7600		
	Located at > Shendan, WY Zip + 4 > 82801		
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.	Yes	No
c	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U S ? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country >		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 > { }	Yes	No
44a	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? 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		
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)		

- 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		X
49a		X
49b		X

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

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

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

- 50 Complete this table for the 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 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 & statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct & complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here	Signature of officer <u>Ken Hamilton</u>		Date <u>2-15-13</u>		
	Type or print name and title <u>Ken Hamilton ASST. TREAS.</u>				
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check { } if self-employed	PTIN
	Firm's name > <u>Mountain West Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Co</u>			Firm's EIN >	<u>83-0181634</u>
Firm's address > <u>P.O. Box 1348 Laramie, WY 82073</u>			Phone no		<u>(307) 745-4835</u>

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions > [X] Yes [] No

Schedule O

(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

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Inspection**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue ServiceComplete 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.

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

Wyoming Farm Bureau Federation (Shendan County)

83-0175722

Other Revenues

9,149 Services Rendered

65,750 Mountain West Farm Bureau

84,041 Agent Contribution

1,396 Reimbursements

1,391 Memberships

Other Expenses

50,380 Payroll

15,788 Payroll Taxes

2,102 Postage

226 Bank Charges

70 P O Box Rental

1,985 Meetings & Travel

3,754 Donations

25 WY Secretary of State

75 Audit

2,000 Scholarships

250 Insurance

1,880 Supplies

76 Property Taxes

1,279 Depreciation

8,923 Telephone

64,900 Rent

2,466 Advertising

4,871 Employee Benefits

4,448 Office Expense

130 Licenses

464 Internet Service

189 Reimbursements

Sheridan County Farm Bureau
Depreciation Schedule
September 30, 2012

Description	Life	Purchase Date	Purchase Amount	Depreciation	Accumulated Depreciation	Book Value 9/30/09
Copier	3 Years	01/00	\$1,431.00	\$0.00	\$1,431.00	\$0.00
Copier	3 Years	10/05	3,222.00	0.00	3,222.00	0.00
File Cabinet	3 Years	11/06	234.67	0.00	234.67	0.00
Copier	3 Years	1/12	3,837.00	1,279.00	1,279.00	2,558.00
TOTALS			\$8,724.67	\$1,279.00	\$6,166.67	\$2,558.00