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Form 990  Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)	OMB No 1545-0047 2012 Open to Public Inspection
	The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements	

A For the 2012 calendar year, or tax year beginning 01-01-2012 , 2012, and ending 12-31-2012

B Check if applicable ☐ Address change ☐ Name change ☐ Initial return ☐ Terminated ☐ Amended return ☐ Application pending	C Name of organization THE AMERICAN GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY OF NEW YORK		D Employer identification number 13-1623890
	Doing Business As		
	Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) 32 COURT STREET	Room/suite	E Telephone number (718) 624-2212
	City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 BROOKLYN, NY 11201		G Gross receipts \$ 600,298
	F Name and address of principal officer JEROME E DOBSON 1475 JAYHAWK BOULEVARD LAWRENCE, KS 66045		H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? ☐ Yes ☒ No H(b) Are all affiliates included? ☐ Yes ☒ No If "No," attach a list (see instructions) H(c) Group exemption number ▶
I Tax-exempt status ☒ 501(c)(3) ☐ 501(c) () ◀ (Insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527			
J Website: ▶ www.amergeog.org			

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities To link the business, professional and scholarly worlds in the creation and application of geographical knowledge and techniques to address economic, social and environmental problems			
	2 Check this box ☐ if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets			
	3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	23	
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	23	
	5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2012 (Part V, line 2a)	4	
6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)			
7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	0		
7b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34			
Revenue	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	100,546	126,705
	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	390,691	299,104
	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	49,041	41,729
	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	1,127	168
	12	Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	541,405	467,706
	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)		0
14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		0	
15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)	153,136	246,738	
16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		0	
b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)	18,358		
17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)	279,587	275,464	
18	Total expenses Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	432,723	522,202	
19	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12	108,682	-54,496	
Net Assets or Fund Balances		Beginning of Current Year	End of Year	
	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	1,181,973	1,165,489
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	350,261	282,147
	22	Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	831,712	883,342

Part II Signature Block

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

Sign Here	***** Signature of officer			2013-11-12 Date	
	JOHN E GOULD Chrmn/Councilor Type or print name and title				
Paid Preparer Use Only	Prnt/Type preparer's name Carmine A Principato		Preparer's signature		Date
	Check ☐ if self-employed				PTIN P00013736
	Firm's name ▶ CARMINE A PRINCIPATO CPA PC				Firm's EIN ▶
	Firm's address ▶ 16 CHESTNUT STREET SUITE 201 EMERSON, NJ 07630				Phone no (201) 483-9600

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

Part III

Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III

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1

Briefly describe the organization's mission

To link the business, professional and scholarly worlds in the creation and application of geographical knowledge and techniques to address economic, social and environmental problems

2

Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O

3

Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O

4

Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported

4a

(Code) (Expenses \$ 124,249 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

Publications program serves to increase geographical knowledge "Geographical Review" is a scholarly and authoritative journal serving approximately 1,500 subscribers and is published quarterly "FOCUS" is a magazine with geographical perspectives for the general public serving approximately 2,500 subscribers

4b

(Code) (Expenses \$ 88,836 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

The American Geographical Society (AGS) is conducting a nationwide survey of public attitudes toward geography and public knowledge about geography This is one part of a major study funded by the National Science Foundation This "Roadmap" project is a joint effort of the National Geographic Society, the National Council for Geographic Education, the Association of American Geographers, and AGS The overall goal of the larger project is geographic literacy, a matter of serious concern in the United States today The project brings together the nation's leading thinkers in geography, education, and research to develop and disseminate a set of landmark reports focusing on four key issues for improving education instructional materials for students, in-service and pre-service teacher training, assessment and research It is anticipated that the results will guide K-12 educational reforms that will significantly improve the geographic literacy of U S youth over the next decade The reports will make recommendations about crucial priorities for educators, policymakers, and funding agencies The survey is designed as a voluntary effort with at least one (volunteer) faculty leader per state

4c

(Code) (Expenses \$ 41,547 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

Library and archives program assists with the maintenance and preservation of one of the largest geographical research libraries In addition, preservation and maintenance of the AGS archives These archives are made available to the general public for research purposes

4d

Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)

(Expenses \$ 106,879 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e

Total program service expenses

361,511

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Part IV

Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i> 	1 Yes	
2 Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> (see instructions)? 	2 Yes	
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i>	3	No
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>	4	No
5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>	5	No
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i> 	6	No
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i> 	7	No
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i> 	8 Yes	
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21 for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i> 	9	No
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i> 	10 Yes	
11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI</i> 	11a Yes	
b Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII</i> 	11b Yes	
c Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i> 	11c	No
d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i> 	11d	No
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> 	11e Yes	
f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> 	11f Yes	
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i> 	12a Yes	
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional</i> 	12b	No
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>	13	No
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a	No
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</i>	14b	No
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>	15	No
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i>	16	No
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions)</i>	17	No
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>	18	No
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>	19	No
20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>	20a	No
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	20b	

Part IV

Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to any government or organization in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>	21		No
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>	22		No
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	23		No
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25</i>	24a		No
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		No
c	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c		No
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		No
25a	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25a		No
b	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25b		No
26	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highest compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>	26	Yes	
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>	27		No
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)			
a	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28a		No
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28b		No
c	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28c		No
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	29		No
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	30		No
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>	31		No
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>	32		No
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>	33		No
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i>	34		No
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a		No
b	If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	35b		No
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	36		No
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>	37		No
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38	Yes	

Part V

Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part V

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable.		
1b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable.		
1c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?		No
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return.		
2b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions).	Yes	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		No
3b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O.		No
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?		No
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: _____ See instructions for filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?		No
5b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		No
5c	If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?		
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?		No
6b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
7a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?		No
7b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?		
7c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8822?		No
7d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8822 filed during the year.		0
7e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?		No
7f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		No
7g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		No
7h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?		No
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?		No
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.		
9a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		No
9b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		No
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter		
10a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12.		
10b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities.		
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter		
11a	Gross income from members or shareholders.		
11b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them).		
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?		No
12b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year.		
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.		
13a	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.		No
13b	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans.		
13c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand.		
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?		No
14b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O.		

Part VI

Governance, Management, and Disclosure

For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VI

Section A. Governing Body and Management

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year	23	
If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain in Schedule O			
b	Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent	23	
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	2	No
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?	3	No
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	4	No
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?	5	No
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	6	No
7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?	7a	No
b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?	7b	No
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following		
a	The governing body?	8a	Yes
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b	No
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O	9	No

Section B. Policies

(This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

		Yes	No
10a	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	10a	No
b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?	10b	
11a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	11a	No
b	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990		
12a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	12a	Yes
b	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	12b	Yes
c	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done	12c	Yes
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13	Yes
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	Yes
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
a	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	15a	Yes
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization	15b	No
If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions)			
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?	16a	No
b	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	16b	

Section C. Disclosure

17	List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed	NY
18	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply. ☐ Own website ☐ Another's website ☒ Upon request ☐ Other (explain in Schedule O)	
19	Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year	
20	State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization	AMERICAN GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY 32 COURT STREET BROOKLYN, NY (718) 624-2212

Part VII

Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VII

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

- 1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year
- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid

List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any See instructions for definition of "key employee "

List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations

List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, or highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

List persons in the following order individual trustees or directors, institutional trustees, officers, key employees, highest compensated employees, and former such persons

Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) LAWSON W BRIGHAM Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
(2) HARM DE BLID Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
(3) ERWIN LEVOLD Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
(4) RICHARD A MARSTON Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
(5) PATRICK H O'NEILL Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
(6) MICHAL LEVASSEUR Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
(7) DEBORAH E POPPER VP/Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X		X				0	0	0
(8) EUGENE J PALKA Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
(9) DAVID J KEELING Asst Treasurer	1 00 0 00	X		X				0	0	0
(10) CRAIG COLTEN Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
(11) CLIFTON W PANNELL Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
(12) ROBERT BURT Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
(13) JOSEPH S WOOD Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
(14) DOUGLAS J SHERMAN Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
(15) JOHN NOBLE WILFORD Sec/Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X		X				0	0	0
(16) FREDERICK E NELSON Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
(17) LAWRIE E JORDAN III Cuncilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0

Part VII

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(18) JOHN W FRAZIER Councilor	1 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
(19) MARIE D PRICE VP/Councilor	1 00 0 00	X		X				0	0	0
(20) JEROME E DOBSON Pres/Councilor	1 00 0 00	X		X				39,664	0	0
(21) ALEXANDER B MURPHY SVP/Councilor	1 00 0 00	X		X				0	0	0
(22) JOHN J MCCABE Treas/Councilor	1 00 0 00	X		X				0	0	0
(23) JOHN E GOULD Chrmn/Councilor	1 00 0 00	X		X				0	0	0
(24) WILLIAM P DOYLE President Emeri	1 00 0 00			X				0	0	0
(25) MARIA V ROSA Operations Manager	40 00 0 00					X		54,224	0	0
1b Sub-Total										
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A										
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								93,888		

2Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization0

3Did the organization list any **former** officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual

3

Yes

No

4For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual

4

Yes

No

5Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person

5

Yes

No

Section B. Independent Contractors

1Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation

2Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization 0

Part VIII

Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VIII

			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a	Federated campaigns . . .	1a				
	b	Membership dues	1b				
	c	Fundraising events	1c				
	d	Related organizations	1d				
	e	Government grants (contributions)	1e				
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	126,705			
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$					
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f		126,705			
Program Service Revenue	2a	PUBLICATIONS PROGRAM	Business Code 541900	140,092	140,092		
	b	PERMISSIONS & ROYALTIES	541900	26,860	26,860		
	c	Membership Dues & Assessments	541900	20,405	20,405		
	d	EDUCATIONAL TRAVEL PROG	541900	21,189	21,189		
	e	CONTRACTED PROJECTS	541900	90,558	90,558		
	f	All other program service revenue					
	g	Total. Add lines 2a-2f		299,104			
	Other Revenue	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)	49,755			49,755
4		Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds	0				
5		Royalties	0				
6a		Gross rents	(i) Real	(ii) Personal			
		b	Less rental expenses				
		c	Rental income or (loss)				
		d	Net rental income or (loss)		0		
7a		Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	(ii) Other			
		b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses				
		c	Gain or (loss)				
		d	Net gain or (loss)		-8,026	-8,026	
8a		Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18	a				
		b	Less direct expenses	b			
		c	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events		0		
9a		Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19	a				
		b	Less direct expenses	b			
		c	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities		0		
10a		Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a				
		b	Less cost of goods sold	b			
		c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory		0		
	Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code				
11a	Miscellaneous income	541900	168	168			
b							
c							
d	All other revenue						
e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d		168				
12	Total revenue. See Instructions		467,706	291,246		49,755	

Part IX

Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part IX

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Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.		(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States. See Part IV, line 21.	0			
2	Grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States. See Part IV, line 22.	0			
3	Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the United States. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16.	0			
4	Benefits paid to or for members.	0			
5	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees.	39,664	39,664		
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B).	0			
7	Other salaries and wages.	150,762	86,373	51,956	12,433
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions).	0			
9	Other employee benefits.	40,816	23,384	14,066	3,366
10	Payroll taxes.	15,496	8,878	5,340	1,278
11	Fees for services (non-employees):				
a	Management.	0			
b	Legal.	0			
c	Accounting.	11,475		11,475	
d	Lobbying.	0			
e	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17.	0			
f	Investment management fees.	0			
g	Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O).	0			
12	Advertising and promotion.	0			
13	Office expenses.	8,263	5,780	2,483	
14	Information technology.	4,550	3,183	1,367	
15	Royalties.	0			
16	Occupancy.	78,750	59,023	19,727	
17	Travel.	7,369	2,926	4,443	
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials.	0			
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings.	0			
20	Interest.	9,026	6,314	2,712	
21	Payments to affiliates.	0			
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization.	0			
23	Insurance.	21,733	15,202	6,531	
24	Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O):				
a	MISCELLANEOUS	14,589	4,024	10,565	
b	EQUIPMENT RENTAL	17,680	12,367	5,313	
c	Printing and Publications	18,145	16,864		1,281
d	OUTSIDE SERVICE	74,302	73,908	394	
e	All other expenses	9,582	3,621	5,961	
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e.	522,202	361,511	142,333	18,358
26	Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here ☐ if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720).				

Part X

Balance Sheet

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part X

					(A)		(B)
					Beginning of year		End of year
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing			131,140	1	82,089
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments				2	0
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net			48,442	3	10,000
	4	Accounts receivable, net			16,836	4	4,887
	5	Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees Complete Part II of Schedule L				5	0
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions) Complete Part II of Schedule L				6	0
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net				7	0
	8	Inventories for sale or use				8	0
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			5,459	9	0
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a	44,521			
	b	Less accumulated depreciation	10b	41,021	3,500	10c	3,500
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities				11	0
	12	Investments—other securities See Part IV, line 11			966,010	12	1,054,427
	13	Investments—program-related See Part IV, line 11				13	0
	14	Intangible assets				14	0
	15	Other assets See Part IV, line 11			10,586	15	10,586
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)			1,181,973	16	1,165,489
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses			301,814	17	222,171
	18	Grants payable				18	
	19	Deferred revenue			13,667	19	14,219
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities				20	
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D				21	
	22	Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L			12,000	22	12,000
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties				23	
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties				24	
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24) Complete Part X of Schedule D			22,780	25	33,757
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25			350,261	26	282,147
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ☒ and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.						
	27	Unrestricted net assets			-512,862	27	-470,999
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets			15,000	28	15,000
	29	Permanently restricted net assets			1,329,574	29	1,339,341
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ☐ and complete lines 30 through 34.						
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds				30	
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund				31	
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds				32	
	33	Total net assets or fund balances			831,712	33	883,342
	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances			1,181,973	34	1,165,489

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	467,706
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	522,202
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-54,496
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	831,712
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	92,319
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	13,807
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	883,342

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII

		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 ☐ Cash ☒ Accrual ☐ Other If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both ☐ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis		No
2b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both ☒ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis	Yes	
2c	If "Yes," to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O	Yes	
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		No
3b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits		

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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.

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

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Name of the organization THE AMERICAN GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY OF NEW YORK	Employer identification number 13-1623890
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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 - Non-functionally integrated
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 monetary support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Total									

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) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(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) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(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 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ▶						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage			
14 Public support percentage for 2012 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14		
15 Public support percentage for 2011 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15		
16a 33 1/3% support test—2012. 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			▶
b 33 1/3% support test—2011. 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			▶
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2012. 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			▶
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2011. 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			▶
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			▶

Part IIISupport 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) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	292,504	132,471	181,532	103,815	150,159	860,481
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	402,748	524,814	249,337	415,287	290,648	1,882,834
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						0
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						0
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						0
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5	695,252	657,285	430,869	519,102	440,807	2,743,315
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons	19,886	27,103	15,487	43,200	63,650	169,326
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	162,076	7,900	64,000			233,976
c Add lines 7a and 7b	181,962	35,003	79,487	43,200	63,650	403,302
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6)						2,340,013

Section B. Total Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6	695,252	657,285	430,869	519,102	440,807	2,743,315
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	59,333	52,682	51,678	49,041	49,755	262,489
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						0
c Add lines 10a and 10b	59,333	52,682	51,678	49,041	49,755	262,489
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						0
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						0
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)	754,585	709,967	482,547	568,143	490,562	3,005,804
14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ☐						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage		
15 Public support percentage for 2012 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	77.850 %
16 Public support percentage from 2011 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	79.550 %

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage		
17 Investment income percentage for 2012 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	8.730 %
18 Investment income percentage from 2011 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	8.760 %
19a 33 1/3% support tests—2012. 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—2011. 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 ☐		

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).

Facts And Circumstances Test

Explanation

SCHEDULE D
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

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Name of the organization
THE AMERICAN GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY
OF NEW YORK

Employer identification number

13-1623890

Part I

Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1	Total number at end of year	
2	Aggregate contributions to (during year)	
3	Aggregate grants from (during year)	
4	Aggregate value at end of year	
5	Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? ☐ Yes ☐ No	
6	Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit? ☐ Yes ☐ No	

Part II

Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

1

Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)

☐ Preservation of land for public use (e g , recreation or education) ☐ Preservation of an historically important land area

☐ Protection of natural habitat ☐ Preservation of a certified historic structure

☐ Preservation of open space

2

Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year

	Held at the End of the Year
a	Total number of conservation easements
b	Total acreage restricted by conservation easements
c	Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)
d	Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register

3

Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶ _____

4

Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ _____

5

Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?

☐ Yes ☐ No

6

Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ _____

7

Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \$ _____

8

Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

9

In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

Part III

Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a

If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items

b

If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items

(i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

▶ \$ _____

(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X

▶ \$ _____

2

If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items

a

Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

▶ \$ _____

b

Assets included in Form 990, Part X

▶ \$ _____

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Part III

Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets (continued)

3

Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)

a

☒ Public exhibition

d

☐ Loan or exchange programs

b

☒ Scholarly research

e

☐ Other

c

☒ Preservation for future generations

4

Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII

5

During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?

☐ Yes

☒ No

Part IV

Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a

Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b

If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table

	Amount
1c	
1d	
1e	
1f	

2a

Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b

If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII

☐

Part V

Endowment Funds. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a)Current year	(b)Prior year	b (c)Two years back	(d)Three years back	(e)Four years back
1a	Beginning of year balance	1,294,181	1,376,611	1,334,938	1,262,033
b	Contributions		2,160	2,029	1,904
c	Net investment earnings, gains, and losses	45,160	-49,197	39,644	71,001
d	Grants or scholarships				
e	Other expenditures for facilities and programs				
f	Administrative expenses				
g	End of year balance	1,339,341	1,329,574	1,376,611	1,334,938

2

Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as

a

Board designated or quasi-endowment

b

Permanent endowment

c

Temporarily restricted endowment

The percentages in lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%

3a

Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by

(i)

unrelated organizations

3a(i)

Yes

No

(ii)

related organizations

3a(ii)

No

b

If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?

3b

No

4

Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

Part VI

Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land	3,500			3,500
b Buildings				
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		41,021	41,021	
e Other				
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				3,500

Part XI

Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	555,579
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a	92,319
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	92,319
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	463,260
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	4,446
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	4,446
5	Total revenue Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	5	467,706

Part XII

Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	517,756
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Other losses	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	517,756
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	4,446
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	4,446
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	5	522,202

Part XIII

Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, line 2, Part XI, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Part X	Part X FIN48 Footnote	The Society has determined that there are no uncertain tax positions as of December 31, 2012 and did not record any income tax related penalties or interest for the period presented in the financial statements. The Society has no open tax years prior to the year ended December 31, 2008.
Part V, Line 4	Part V, Line 4 Intended uses of the endowment fund	Income and appreciation are for general unrestricted use, awards and medals program, library and archives program and publications program.
Part III, Line 4	Part III, Line 4 Description of organization's collections and how it furthers its purpose	The archives of the American Geographical Society contain material dating back to 1851, the year of the society's founding. While the archives, which are held on the society's premises, are primarily a comprehensive institutional record, with documents related to the wide range of the society's activities, they hold other treasures as well. These include, among other things, a stunning array of diaries and notebooks from noteworthy explorers. Included in this company are Hudson Stuck's journal of his Mt. Denali ascent, Gerald McKiernan's diary of five years of travel in southern Africa, 1874-1879, the Fanning Collection, which comprises the notebooks and correspondence having to do with Edmund Fanning's exploration in the South Seas, 1799-1840, and John F. Steward's diary of the second Powell Colorado River Expedition. Not surprisingly, the society's archives contain a wealth of polar exploration materials. A small sampling includes notebooks, diaries, and original manuscripts of Sir Hubert Wilkins, the log of Lincoln Ellsworth's Graf Zeppelin flight to the Arctic in 1931, and many other items from his Arctic travels, Arctic memorabilia of Robert E. Peary, diaries of the Arctic explorer Vilhjalmr Stefansson, and correspondence regarding the scientific results of the Challenger Expedition of 1872-1876. In addition, the archive houses a fine selection of artifacts such as the Explorer & Fliers Globe, a flag carried by Richard E. Byrd on his November, 1929 flight to the South Pole, and correspondence from the likes of David Livingstone, John Wesley Powell, Lawrence of Arabia, and the Roosevelts. The Society maintains these archives for the use of scholars. They are welcome to work in the archives by appointment.
Part III, Line 1a	Part III, Line 1a If organization elected under SFAS 116 to not report are, historical treasures, o	The archives of the American Geographical Society contain material dating back to 1851, the year of the society's founding. While the archives, which are held on the society's premises, are primarily a comprehensive institutional record, with documents related to the wide range of the society's activities, they hold other treasures as well.

Schedule L
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Transactions with Interested Persons

▶ Complete if the organization answered
"Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 25a, 25b, 26, 27, 28a, 28b, or 28c,
or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a or 40b.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Employer identification number

13-1623890

Part I Excess Benefit Transactions (section 501(c)(3) and section 501(c)(4) organizations only).
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a or 25b, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 40b

1	(a) Name of disqualified person	(b) Relationship between disqualified person and organization	(c) Description of transaction	(d) Corrected?	
				Yes	No

2 Enter the amount of tax incurred by organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under section 4958 ▶ \$

3 Enter the amount of tax, if any, on line 2, above, reimbursed by the organization ▶ \$

Part II Loans to and/or From Interested Persons.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a, or Form 990, Part IV, line 26, or if the organization reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 5, 6, or 22

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship with organization	(c) Purpose of loan	(d) Loan to or from the organization?		(e) Original principal amount	(f) Balance due	(g) In default?		(h) Approved by board or committee?		(i) Written agreement?	
			To	From			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
(1) Richard Nolte		Working capital	X		10,000	2,000		No	Yes		Yes	
(2) Charles Brush		Working capital	X		10,000	10,000		No	Yes		Yes	
Total ▶ \$							12,000					

Part III Grants or Assistance Benefitting Interested Persons.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 27.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of assistance	(d) Type of assistance	(e) Purpose of assistance

Part IV Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 28a, 28b, or 28c.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of transaction	(d) Description of transaction	(e) Sharing of organization's revenues?	
				Yes	No

Part V Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule L (see instructions)

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
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SCHEDULE O

(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or to provide any additional information.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Line 19	Form 990, Part VI, Line 19 Other Organization Documents Publicly Available	Documents made available upon request
Form 990, Part VI, Line 12c	Form 990, Part VI, Line 12c Explanation of Monitoring and Enforcement of Conflicts	Councilors affirm annually
Form 990, Part VI, Line 11b	Form 990, Part VI, Line 11b Form 990 Review Process	The Organization's Treasurer, Executive Director and Controller each reviews Form 990 prior to filing
Form 990, Part III, Line 4d	Form 990, Part III, Line 4d Other Program Services Description	OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES 4 Educational travel program serves individuals who desire an enhanced experience when visiting different places around the world. An eminent geographer contributes his expertise of a selected location, thereby increasing the geographical knowledge of the travelers. (Expense \$7,972) OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES 5 Service to Business and Education program provides career information to students and educators, assistance with improving geography education in grades K-12, presentations to the business community designed to provide awareness of geographical perspectives and research services. (Expense \$31,421) OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES 6 Library and archives program assists with the maintenance and preservation of one of the largest geographical research libraries. In addition, preservation and maintenance of the AGS archives. These archives are made available to the general public for research purposes. OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES 7 Exploration program establishes grants to individuals and institutions for geographic exploratory projects: terrestrial, ocean, Aquaterra, atmospheres, inner earth, and planetary. (Expense \$13,452) OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES 8 The American Geographical Society (AGS) is conducting a nationwide survey of public attitudes toward geography and public knowledge about geography. This is one part of a major study funded by the National Science Foundation. This "Roadmap" project is a joint effort of the National Geographic Society, the National Council for Geographic Education, the Association of American Geographers, and AGS. The overall goal of the larger project is geographic literacy, a matter of serious concern in the United States today. The project brings together the nation's leading thinkers in geography, education, and research to develop and disseminate a set of landmark reports focusing on four key issues for improving education: instructional materials for students, in-service and pre-service teacher training, assessment and research. It is anticipated that the results will guide K-12 educational reforms that will significantly improve the geographic literacy of U.S. youth over the next decade. The reports will make recommendations about crucial priorities for educators, policymakers, and funding agencies. The survey is designed as a voluntary effort with at least one (volunteer) faculty leader per state. OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES 9 Other Programs. (Expense \$8,176)
		Client Note 1 - American Geographical SocietyEIN 13-1623890December 31, 2012Statement A No of Units/Security DateShares Description Acquired Cost Total FMV Total 25000 0 GMAC 6 750% 07/27/1025,251 25 27,125 00 25000 0 GMAC 6 750% 12/01/0425,220 92 27,125 00 30000 0 Prologis 6 250% 07/23/1029,987 56 34,504 80 500 00 Citigroup Capital 6%03/05/0312,682 16 12,485 00 500 00 Citigroup Capital 6%11/19/0312,737 41 12,485 00 500 00 GE 6 10% 11/15/0212,500 00 12,400 00 500 00 GE 6 10% 01/31/0313,085 71 12,400 00 500 00 JPM Chase 6 875%11/30/0912,584 12 12,745 00 500 00 Kimco Realty 5 5%09/12/1212,432 00 12,405 00 400 00 MS CAP Trust 6 45%05/23/0710,050 53 9,956 00 400 00 MS CAP Trust 6 60%09/30/1010,027 39 10,080 00 500 00 Vornado Realty 5 7%09/12/1212,507 00 12,765 00 250 00 Bank of America Corp02/01/0713,039 04 2,902 50 100 00 BP Plc 07/31/034,240 50 4,164 00 450 00 Centurylink Inc 02/01/1015,578 46 17,604 00 150 00 Centurylink Inc 07/23/105,215 26 5,868 00 600 00 Coca Cola Co 09/19/0716,958 05 21,750 00 400 00 Dow Chemical 03/22/0415,990 13 12,931 76 2000 0 Frontier Communicatons 09/30/1016,605 55 8,560 00 400 00 Genl Electric Co06/20/0120,039 55 8,396 00 200 00 Genl Electric Co10/12/017,716 97 4,198 00 150 00 Ishares Dow 11/06/0610,418 81 8,586 00 300 00 Johnson & Johnson03/05/0316,091 03 21,030 00 400 00 JPM Chase Manhattan 07/25/902,630 19 17,587 64 400 00 Microsoft Corp 09/07/0411,065 44 10,683 88 600 00 Penn Virginia Resource03/21/1214,899 00 15,588 00 400 00 Penn Virginia Resource07/18/1210,299 00 10,392 00 394 00 Pfizer (Wyeth) 01/01/802,251 73 9,881 24 700 00 Powershrs Financial 07/18/1212,830 93 12,795 93 200 00 Travelers Cos Inc09/30/1010,501 45 14,364 00 150 00 Bank of America Corp02/01/077,822 45 1,741 50 50 00 Centurylink Inc 07/23/101,750 45 1,956 00 200 00 Coca Cola Co 09/19/075,669 50 7,250 00 150 00 Genl Electric Co01/29/025,852 86 3,148 50 100 00 JPM Chase Manhattan 02/21/891,062 08 4,396 91 200 00 Microsoft Corp 07/31/035,399 77 5,341 94 100 00 Procter & Gamble04/11/962,070 99 6,789 00 400 00 Goldman Sachs 6 20% 01/06/119,784 96 10,060 00 300 00 Kimco Realty 5 5%09/12/127,537 00 7,443 00 300 00 Vornado Realty 5 7% 09/12/127,582 00 7,659 00 95 00 Bank of America Corp02/01/074,960 81 1,102 95 200 00 Centurylink Inc 07/23/106,998 50 7,824 00 20 00 Citigroup 06/02/038,390 23 791 20 250 00 Genl Electric 06/02/037,222 16 5,247 50 150 00 J&J 06/04/038,185 42 10,515 00 50 00 Chevrontexaco Corp08/29/084,174 44 5,407 00 1283 3 DWS Growth & Income FdN / A 25,878 91 23,472 69 500 00 Kimco Realty 5 5%09/12/1212,562 00 12,405 00 500 00 Vornado Realty 5 7%09/12/1212,632 00 12,765 00 Huntington TrustN / A 225,000 00 515,352 17 765,973 66 1,054,427 11