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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 private

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AF	or the 2014 cal	<u>endar year, or tax year beginnin</u>	g <u>09-01-2014, and ending 08-31-20</u>	15			
B C	neck if applicable	C Name of organization VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF T	HE UNITED STATES		D Employ	D Employer Identification number	
∏ Ad	dress change			44-04	74290		
Name change		Doing business as		7			
Initial return				E Telephor	ne number		
Final return/terminated Amended return Application pending		Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite 406 W 34TH ST		uite			
				(816) 756-3390			
		City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code KANSAS CITY, MO 64111			G Gross receipts \$ 163,941,664		
		F Name and address of prii	ncipal officer	H(a) Ist	this a group i	return for	
		LAWRENCE M MAHER 406 W 34TH ST			ordinates?	Γ Yes ✓ No	
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I Ta	x-exempt status	501(c)(3) 501(c)(19) ◀	(insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527	If "No," attach a list (see instructions)			
J W	ebsite ► WV	VW V FW O RG		H(c) Gr	oup exempti	on number 🟲	
K Form of organization ✓ Corporation Trust Association Other ►				L Year of	L Year of formation 1899 M State of legal domicile		
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26	2 Check this box ► if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets						
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	1		of the governing body (Part VI, line 18			4	
	5 Total nu	mber of individuals employed in	calendar year 2014 (Part V, line 2a)		[5 2	
	6 Total nu	mber of volunteers (estimate if n	ecessary)		[6 3,0	
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	b Net unre	lated business taxable income n	rom Form 990-T, line 34		· · ·	7b -39,1	
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