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2015

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Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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and revenue	e, if any, for each program	zations are required to report the amount of grants a service reported.	and anocations to others, the total expenses,
Describe the	e organization's program se	ervice accomplishments for each of its three largest	program services, as measured by expenses.
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-		, or make significant changes in how it conducts, an	y program services? Yes X No
If 'Yes,' desc	cribe these new services o		
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Did the orga	nization undertake any sig	prificant program services during the year which wer	re not listed on the prior
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Br E	Chec refly description	Statement of Program Check if Schedule O contains a mefly describe the organization's mis- undraising for educat	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III nefly describe the organization's mission: undraising for educational and

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1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If Yes,' complete Schedule A	1	х	
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)?	2	Х	
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part I	3		х
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? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part II	4		х
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? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part III	5		х
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? If Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part I	6		X
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part II	7		х
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part III	8		х
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? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part IV	9		х
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part V	10	х	
11	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes', then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VIII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.			
	a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings and equipment in Part X, line 10? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VI	11 a	х	
ı	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? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VII	11 b		х
•	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? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VIII	11 c		Х
(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? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part IX	11 d		х
•	B Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If Yes, complete Schedule D, Part X	11 e		Х
1	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)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part X	11f		х
12	a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Parts XI, and XII	12a		х
ı	b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If 'Yes,' and if the organization answered 'No' to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional	12b	х	
	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If Yes,' complete Schedule E	13		Х
	a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a		Х
(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? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV	14b		x
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV	15		х
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV	16		х
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? If Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions)	17	x	
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part II	18		х
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part III.	19		х

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P	art IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)			
			Yes	No
2	Da Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If 'Yes', complete Schedule H	20a		X
	b If 'Yes' to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	20Ь	<u> </u>	_
2	1 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	21		х
2	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	22	х	
2	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? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule J	23	х	
2	4a 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? If 'Yes,' answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If 'No, 'go to line 25a	24a		×
	b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		
	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	}	
	d Did the organization act as an 'on behalf of issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		
2	5a Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part I	25a		x
	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? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part I	25b		x
2	6 Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? If 'Yes', complete Schedule L, Part II	26		x
2	7 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? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part III	27	!	x
2	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):	2	178.19	ì
	a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If Yes, 'complete Schedule L, Part IV	28a	<u> </u>	Х
	b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b		х
	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? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part IV	28c		х
2	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If Yes,' complete Schedule M	29	Х	
3	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If Yes, 'complete Schedule M	30	x	
3	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule N, Part I	31		Х
3	2 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If Yes, 'complete Schedule N, Part II	32		х
3	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Part I	33		х
3	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1	34	х	
3	5a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a		Х
	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)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	35b		
3	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If Yes, complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36	x	
3	7 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? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Part VI	37	-	×
3		38	x	

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Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

	Check if Schedule O contains a response of note to any line in this Part V	<u></u>	<u></u>	- 1 -
4 -	Established the control of the Paris of Form 4000 Established	THE SECOND	Yes	No
	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable		1	
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	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1 c		
2 a	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 2 a			
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns?	2 b		
	Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)	A	100	
3 а	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3 a		X
b	off 'Yes' has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If 'No' to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O	3 b		
4 a	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)?	4 a		х
ь	If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country:			
	See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts. (FBAR)		1.3	
	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5 a	-	X
	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5 b	—	X
C	If 'Yes,' to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5 c	 	<u> </u>
6 a	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 chantable contributions?	6 a		x
t	olf Yes,' did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6 b		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).	Ass in	1220	
а	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and			
Ī	services provided to the payor?	7 a	X	
b	If 'Yes,' did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7 b	Х	
C	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7 0		х
	If Yes,' indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year			100
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7 e		X
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7 f	<u> </u>	X
8	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7 g		
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a			1
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring	7 h		narw
-	organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8	200	8.160.25,57727
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.		0.00	103
-	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9 a		a is norm
	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9 b	+	+-
	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:			
	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12			
	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities 10b			
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:		d/b	
а	Gross income from members or shareholders			
t	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)			
12 a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a		T
t	of Yes,' enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 12b			174
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.			
8	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state?	13 a		
	Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.		1	7 m
t	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			
c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand		Eu +	
	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a		X
t	If 'Yes,' has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If 'No,' provide an explanation in Schedule O	14 b		

Form 990 (2015) Middle Tennessee State University Foundation Page 6 62-0695507 Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each 'Yes' response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a 'No' response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions. Section A. Governing Body and Management Yes No 1 a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year If there are material differences in voting rights among members 24 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 24 2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other 2 Х Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision 3 Х Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets? . . 5 6 7 a Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more 7 a Х b Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, 7 b X Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following: 8 a X a The governing body?............ x 8 b **b** Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body? 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 x Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code. Yas No 10 a X b If 'Yes,' did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their 10 b 11 a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? x 11 a 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 Х b Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise 12 b Х c Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If 'Yes,' describe in Х 12 c x 13 x 14 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? 15a 15b X 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 16 a X 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? 16 b Section C. Disclosure List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ▶ Tennessee_ Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply. X Own website Another's website X Upon request Other (explain in Schedule O) Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to

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the public during the tax year

MTSU Foundation

Murfreesboro,

State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records:

Wood-Stegall, MTSU Box 109,

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Part VIII Cor Inde	npensation	n of Officers Contractors	, Directo	ors, Trustees	s, Key Employ	ees, Highest	Compensated	Employee	s, an	d
Chec	ck if Schedule	O contains a re	sponse or r	note to any line i	in this Part VII		<i>.</i>			Ĺ

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

- 1 a 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, and 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.											
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(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per	thar	one both	box, u an of ector/	inless fficer fruste	ck mor perso and a e)	П	(D) Reportable compensation from	(E) Reportable compensation from	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation	
	week (list any hours for related organiza- tions below dotted line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	from the organization and related organizations	
(1) Mr. Robert Adams	1.00										
Trustee		Х			<u> </u>	L		0.	0.	0.	
(2) John T. Harris	1.00										
Trustee		Х				<u> </u>	L	0.	0.	0.	
(3) Kathy Jones		İ									
Trustee/President		Х		X				0.	0.	0.	
(4) Kent Coleman	1.00									-	
Trustee		Х						0.	0.	0.	
(5) Joe Klingenmeyer											
Trustee		Х						0.	0.	0.	
(8) Richard A. Lewis									, — , — , — , — , — , — , — , — , — , —		
Trustee		Х				L		0.	0.	0.	
_(7) Tom Provow		х		х			 	0.	0.	0.	
(8) Deborah Thompson	1.00						Г			<u>-</u>	
Trustee		Х			ļ			0.	0.	0.	
(9) Phyllis Washington	1.00										
Trustee		X						0.	0.	0.	
(10) Donald McDonald	1.00										
Trustee		Х			ĺ	l _ :		0.	0.	0.	
(11) Derrick Williams	1.00										
Trustee		Х					L.	0.	0.	0.	
(12) Don C. Midgett	1.00										
Trustee		X			L			0.	0.	0.	
(13) Philip M. Cavender	1.00										
Trustee/Treasurer		X		Х		L_:		0.	0.	0.	
(14) Lara Daniel	1.00										
Trustee		Х				<u> </u>		0.	0.	0.	

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(A) Name and title	Average hours per week (list any	off	not ch , unles icer an	ss pe d a d	rson i	s both or/trust	an ee)	(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
	hours for related organiza - tons below dotted line)	or director	nstitutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	(W-21033-MISC)	(W-2 1036-WISC)	organization and related organizations
(15) Dr. Sandra Neal Trustee/Secretary	1.00	x		х				0.	0	. 0.
(16) Kelly G Rollins Trustee	1.00	x						0.	0	
(17) Gregory E. Samuels Trustee	1.00	х						_ 0.	0	
(18) Tommy Smith Trustee	1.00	х						0.	0	0.
(19) Mr. Joe Bales Executive Director	55.00				х			0.	222,481	
(20) Laura Holland Trustee	1.00	х						0.	0	. 0.
(21) G. Ron Nichols Trustee	1.00	x						0.	0	. 0.
Trustee (22) Large Malhort	1.00_	x						0.	0	. 0.
Trustee	1.00	x	\square					0.	0	. 0.
<pre>(24) Danny Wallace Trustee (25) Tim White</pre>	1.00	x					_	0.	0	. 0.
Trustee 1b Sub-total		x					<u> </u>	0.	222,481	
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Sec d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							► ►	0.	222,481	50,000.
from the organization list any former officer, direct on line 1a? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule J for such	tor, or trustee	e, key	y emp	ploy		or hiç	jhes		·	Yes No
For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of the organization and related organizations greate such individual	reportable co er than \$150,	ompe	ensati ' If 'Ye	ion :	and com	othe	r coi	mpensation from		4 X
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue for services rendered to the organization? If Yes										5 X
Section B. Independent Contractors 1 Complete this table for your five highest compensation from the organization. Report com	sated indepe pensation fo	nder r the	nt con caler	ntrac nda	ctors r yea	that ar en	rec ding	eived more than \$ j with or within the	100,000 of organization's tax	year.
(A) Name and business ad	dress							(B) Description of	f services	(C) Compensation
City of Murfreesboro 111 West Vine Stree Aramark Services, Inc. P.O. Box 26	Murfre Murfre	_						Indoor Tenni Food purcha		127,269 205,411
Total number of independent contractors (including)	ng but not lin	nıted	to the	ose	liste	ed ab	ove) who received mo	re than	
\$100,000 of compensation from the organization	▶ 2									

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	r990 (2015) Middle Tennessee State t VIII Statement of Revenue				62-0695507	
	Check if Schedule O contains a response	or note to any line	e in this Part VIII			Г
			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514
its ts	1 a Federated campaigns 1 a					
	b Membership dues 1b					
اج ک	c Fundraising events 1c					
ar /	d Related organizations 1 d					
<u>اءَ</u> چ	Government grants (contributions) 1 e					
and Other Similar Amounts	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above 1 f 7	,699,067.				
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ᄝᇙ	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f		7,699,067.			
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Ž.	c					
3	d				<u> </u>	
E	e					
Program Service Revenue	f All other program service revenue					
4	g Total. Add lines 2a-2f					
	Investment income (including dividends, interother similar amounts)	▶	-161,889.	0.	0.	-161,889.
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond	·				
	5 Royalties	(II) Personal				
	 '' - 	(ii) Personal				
	b Less rental expenses					ļ
	·					
	c Rental income or (loss)		16 407			1.6.407
	(i) Securitor	(II) Other	16,487.	0.	0.	16,487.
	7 a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory 689, 688.	.,				
	b Less cost or other basis					
	and sales expenses 706,874.					
	c Gain or (loss)					
	di Net gain or (loss)		-17,186.	0.	0.	-17,186.
Other Revenue	8 a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1c)					
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Ä	See Part IV, line 18 a			į		
ž.	b Less: direct expenses b			}		<u> </u>
0	c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events					
	9 a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19 a					
	b Less. direct expenses b					
	c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities.					
	10 a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances					
	b Less cost of goods sold b					ļ
	c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory	▶				

12 Total revenue. See instructions BAA

11a <u>Unrealized Gains</u>
b <u>Realized Gains</u>

d All other revenue . . e Total. Add lines 11a-11d . -2,808,457

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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 or note to any line in this Part IX										
	not include amounts reported on lines 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 domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	1,902,162.	1,902,162.								
3	Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals See Part IV, lines 15 and 16										
4 5 6	Benefits paid to or for members Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described										
7	in section 4958(c)(3)(B)										
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)										
9 10	Other employee benefits										
	Fees for services (non-employees): Management	800.	0.	800.	0.						
c	conting										
6	Professional fundraising services See Part IV, line 17 . Investment management fees	89,612.			89,612.						
g 12	Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O)	346,409. 195,880.	0.	346,409. 2,123.	0. 193,757.						
13	Office expenses	472,860.	0.	417,424.	55,436.						
14 15	Information technology	24,128.	0.	24,128.	0.						
16	Occupancy										
17 18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials	206,607.	0.	196,050.	10,557.						
19 20	Interest										
21	Payments to affiliates			04 500							
22 23 24	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	21,590. 37,594.	0.	21,590. 17,930.	19,664.						
	in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)										
	Maintenance and Repairs	209,477.	0.	209,477.	0.						
	b Institutional Support	4,280,581.	0.	4,280,581.	0.						
	Food and Beverage	432,626.	0.	223, 972.	208,654. 0.						
	d In-Kind Gift Expense	1,806,657. 70,044.	0.	1,806,657. 69,071.	973.						
25	All other expenses	10,097,027.	1,902,162.	7,616,212.	578,653.						
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)	'									

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Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees.

Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D

62-0695507 Part X Balance Sheet (B) End of year (A) Beginning of year 1 16,262,122 2 16,921,814. 3 3 9,617,207 8,226,862. 3,306. 8,210. Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors. 5 trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L 5 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 7 8 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges 9 10 a 10 b 1,541,395 10c 1,417,660. 59,377,170 11 56,182,501. Investments - other securities See Part IV, line 11 12 12 13 13 14 14 15 15 16 86,801,200 16 82,757,047 17

Liabilities key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons.

Complete Part II of Schedule L 22 23 23 24 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 . . . 25 26 26 2,247,380 3,530,294 Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ► 🗓 and complete Net Assets or Fund Balances lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34. 27 3,021,843 2,818,276. 28 41,596,952. 28 35,684,330.

39,935,025 40,724,147 Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ▶ and complete lines 30 through 34. 30 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund 31 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds 32 84,553,820 33 79,226,753.

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Pa	Reconciliation of Net Assets			
`	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI		<u>.</u>	$\cdots \square$
1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	4,76	59,960.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	10,09	97,027.
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-5,3 <u>2</u>	27,067.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	84,55	53,820.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5		
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6		
7	Investment expenses	7		
8	Pnor period adjustments	8		
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	<u>79,22</u>	<u> 26,753.</u>
Fa	Financial Statements and Reporting			
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII	. 		П
				Yes No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: Cash X Accrual Other			
	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked 'Other,' explain			
	in Schedule O.			
2	a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?	<i>.</i> .	2 a	Х
	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			
1	b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	 .	2 b	Х
	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 X Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis			
(c If 'Yes' to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the aud review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?	it, 	2 c	x
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.			
3	a 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?		3 a	х
i	b If 'Yes,' did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required a	udit		
	or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits	<u> </u>	3 b	
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SCHEDULE A (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

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

► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ► Information about Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is

at www.irs.gov/form990.

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization

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Employer identification number Middle Tennessee State University Foundation 62-0695507 Partil 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.) 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 (Form 990 or 990-EZ).) 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). Enter the hospital's 4 name, city, and state An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in section 5 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Complete Part II.) A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(v). 6 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.) 7 A community trust described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.) 8 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). 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 in lines 11a through 11d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e, 11f, and 11g Type I. A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B. Type II. A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C. Type III functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E. Type III non-functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V. Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization. g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s). (i) Name of supported organization (v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions) (vi) Amount of other support (see instructions) (ii) EIN (iv) is the organization listed (iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above (see instructions)) in your governing document? Yas No (A) (B) (D) (E)

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.)

Sec	tion A. Public Support					-	
	ndar year (or fiscal year	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) 2015	(f) Total
begiı	nning in) Gifts, grants, contributions, and	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(6) 2013	(0) 2014	(B) 2015	(I) Total
•	membership fees received (Do not include any 'unusual grants')	18,183,650.	14,525,183.	8,782,641.	10,837,273.	7,699,067.	60,027,814.
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	18,183,650.	14,525,183.	8,782,641.	10,837,273.	7,699,067.	60,027,814.
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						60,027,814.
Sec	tion B. Total Support						
Cale	ndar year (or fiscal year nning in) ►	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) 2015	(f) Total
7	Amounts from line 4	18,183,650.	14,525,183.	8,782,641.	10,837,273.	7,699,067.	60,027,814.
8	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	748,247.	1,240,337.	231,222.	-53,401.	-179,075.	1,987,330.
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 VI.)	-872,221.	3,584,198.	6,970,196.	2,161,214.	-2,750,032.	9,093,355.
11	Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						71,108,499.
12	Gross receipts from related activit	ies, etc. (see instru	ictions)			12	
	First five years. If the Form 990 i organization, check this box and s	stop here		third, fourth, or fifth	tax year as a sec	tion 501(c)(3)	▶ □
Sec	tion C. Computation of Pu	blic Support F	Percentage				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
14	Public support percentage for 201	5 (line 6, column (i	f) divided by line 1	1, column (f))		14	84.42 %
	Public support percentage from 20						76.13%
	33-1/3% support test — 2015. If and stop here. The organization of	qualifies as a public	cly supported orga	nization			► [X]
k	33-1/3% support test — 2014. If and stop here. The organization	the organization die qualifies as a publi	d not check a box of cly supported orga	on line 13 or 16a, a inization	and line 15 is 33-1/	/3% or more, check	this box
17 a	10%-facts-and-circumstances to or more, and if the organization methors the facts-	eets the 'facts-and	l-circumstances' te	st, check this box a	and stop here. Exi	olain in Part VI hov	_
	10%-facts-and-circumstances to or more, and if the organization m organization meets the 'facts-and	eets the 'facts-and -circumstances' tes	l-circumstances' te st The organization	st, check this box a n qualifies as a put	and stop here . Exp plicly supported or	plain in Part VI hov ganization	v the · · · · · · · ▶ 🏻
18	Private foundation. If the organiz	zation did not chec	k a box on line 13,	16a, 16b, 17a, or	17b, check this bo	x and see instruction	ons ▶ <u></u>
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Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

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

Sec	tion A. Public Support					•				
	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) 2015	(f) Total			
1	Gifts, grants, contributions and membership fees received. (Do not include any 'unusual grants')									
2	Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose									
3	Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513				,					
5	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf									
	Total. Add lines 1 through 5									
ŧ	Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year									
c	Add lines 7a and 7b									
8	Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6)									
Sec	tion B. Total Support				<u> </u>					
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) 2015	5 (f) Total			
9	Amounts from line 6									
	a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources									
•	Add lines 10a and 10b									
11	Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on									
12	Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI)									
	Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)	:								
	14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here.									
	tion C. Computation of Pu			2			45			
15							15 %			
16	<u>'' '' '</u>				· · · <u>·</u> · · · · · ·		16 8			
	tion D. Computation of Inv				n\	· I	47			
	Investment income percentage for						17 %			
18	•					-	18 8			
19	a 33-1/3% support tests — 2015. lí	r the organization of	ila not check the b	ox on line 14, and l	iine 15 is more tha	⊓ <i>33</i> -1/3%, a omanization	na line 17			
	9a 33-1/3% support tests — 2015. 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									
		f the organization of check this box and	ild not check a box I stop here. The o	on line 14 or line rganization qualifie	19a, and line 16 is es as a publicly sup	more than 33 ported organ	3-1/3%, and nization ▶			

Supporting Organizations
(Complete only if you checked a box in line 11 on Part I. If you checked 11a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked 11b of Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 11c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked 11d of Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

ec	tion A. All Supporting Organizations		Yes	No
			105	NO
1	Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If 'No,' describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain	1		
2	Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If 'Yes,' explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was			
	described in section 509(a)(1) or (2)	2		
3	a Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If 'Yes,' answer (b) and (c) below	3a		
ı	b Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If 'Yes,' describe in Part VI when and how the organization			
	made the determination	3b		
,	c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If 'Yes,' explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use	3c		
4	a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ('foreign supported organization')? If 'Yes' and if you checked 11a or 11b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below	4a		
ļ	b Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If 'Yes,' describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled			
	or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations	4b		
	c Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? If Yes, explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that			
	all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes	4c		
5	a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If 'Yes,' answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by			
	amendment to the organizing document)	5a		
	b Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?	5b		
	c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?	5c	,	
6	Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the chantable class benefited by one			
	or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? If 'Yes,' provide detail in Part VI	6		
7	Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with			
	regard to a substantial contributor? If 'Yes,' complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ)	7		
8	Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? If 'Yes,' complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ)	8		
9	a Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? If 'Yes,' provide detail in Part VI	9a		
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	b Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? If 'Yes,' provide detail in Part VI	9b		
	c Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If Yes,' provide detail in Part VI	9c		
10	a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? If 'Yes,'	105		
	answer 10b below	10a		
	b Did the organization, have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)	10b		

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Pa	Supporting Organizations (continued)		Yes	No
11	Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		Yes	NO
;	A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (b) and (c) below, the governing body of a supported organization?	11a		
1	b A family member of a person described in (a) above?	11b		
	c A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? If 'Yes' to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI	11c		
	ction B. Type I Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the tax year? If 'No,' describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year	1		
2	Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If 'Yes,' explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.	2		
Sec	ction C. Type II Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If 'No,' describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s)	1		
Sec	ction D. All Type III Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?	1		
2	Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If 'No,' explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s)	2		
3	By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? If 'Yes,' describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard	3		
Sec	ction E. Type III Functionally-Integrated Supporting Organizations			
1	Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions,) <i>:</i>		
	a The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.			
	b The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.			
	c The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see instruc	tions).		
2	Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.		Yes	No
	a Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the			
	supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If 'Yes,' then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.	2a		
	b Did the activities described in (a) constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If 'Yes,' explain in Part VI the reasons for			
	the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement	2b		
3				
	a Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? Provide details in Part VI	3a		

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Pa	Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Orga	niza	tions	
1	Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nother Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sec	Novem tions A	ber 20, 1970. See instru A through E.	ctions. All
Sec	tion A — Adjusted Net Income		(A) Pnor Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
_1	Net short-term capital gain	1		
_2	Recovenes of prior-year distributions	2		
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3		
4	Add lines 1 through 3	4		_
5	Depreciation and depletion	5		
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6		
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7		-
8	Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6 and 7 from line 4)	8		
Sec	tion B — Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Pnor Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):			
а	Average monthly value of securities	1 a		
b	Average monthly cash balances	1 b		
С	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1 c		*-
d	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1 d	<u> </u>	
8	Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI):			
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2		
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3		
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4		
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5		
6	Multiply line 5 by 035	6		
7	Recovenes of prior-year distributions	7		
8	Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8		
Sec	tion C — Distributable Amount			Current Year
_1	Adjusted net income for pnor year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	1		
2	Enter 85% of line 1	2		
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	3		
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3	4		
5	Income tax imposed in prior year	5		
6	Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions)	6		
7	Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally-integrated (see instructions).	d Type	e III supporting organizati	on
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Par	t V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Su	pporting Organiz	ations (continued)	
Sect	tion D - Distributions			Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purpose	es		
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes in excess of income from activity			
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of support			
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets			
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (pnor IRS approval required)			
6	Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions			
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6	<u> </u>		
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organizat in Part VI) See instructions			
9	Distributable amount for 2015 from Section C, line 6			
10	Line 8 amount divided by Line 9 amount			
Sect	tion E – Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2015	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2015
1	Distributable amount for 2015 from Section C, line 6			
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2015 (reasonable cause required — see instructions)			
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015:			
a				
b				
C				·
d	From 2013			
	From 2014			
f	Total of lines 3a through e			
9	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h	Applied to 2015 distributable amount			
i	Carryover from 2010 not applied (see instructions)			
	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f	_		
4	Distributions for 2015 from Section D, line 7:			
	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
	Applied to 2015 distributable amount			
	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4			
	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2015, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2 (if amount greater than zero, see instructions)		:	
6	Remaining underdistributions for 2015. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1 (if amount greater than zero, see instructions)			
7	Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Add lines 3j and 4c			
8	Breakdown of line 7:			
а				
b				
c	Excess from 2013			
	Excess from 2014			

Part VI Supplemental Information. Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17 or 17b; Part III, line 12; Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a and 3b; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V, Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions)

Pt II Ln 10 Other Income Part II, Line 10 Description: Rent Income 2011: 2431. 2012: 1717. 2013: 3288. 2014: 14968. 2015: 16487. Description: Unrealized Losses 2011: -1147352. 2012: 3329987. 2013: -280830. 2014: 0. 2015: -2808457. Description: Realized Gains 2011: 272700. 2012: 252494. 2013: 7247738. 2014: 100069. 2015: 41938. Description: Unrealized Gains 2014: 2046177. 2015: 0.

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Supplemental Financial Statements

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990,
Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.

Attach to Form 990.

Information about Schedule D (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization

	Middle Tennessee State University Foundation		62-0695507	
Par	Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Ot Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990,	her Similar F Part IV, line 6	Funds or Accounts.	
	(a) Donor advised	funds	(b) Funds and other accounts	
1	Total number at end of year			
2	Aggregate value of contributions to (during year)			
3	Aggregate value of 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 ass are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal cor	ntrol?		
6	Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing to charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or impermissible private benefit?	for any other pu	can be used only impose conferring Yes No	
Par	Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990,		7.	
1				
	Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or education)	1_1	n of a historically important land area	
	Protection of natural habitat	Preservation	n of a certified historic structure	
	Preservation of open space			
2	Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation of last day of the tax year.	contribution in the	e form of a conservation easement on the	
			Held at the End of the Tax Ye	ar
£	Total number of conservation easements		2a	
t	Total acreage restricted by conservation easements		2b	
	Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in			
•	Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, and structure listed in the National Register	not on a historic	2d	
3	Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished 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, if and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?			
6	Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violation			
7	Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, a $\blacktriangleright \varsigma$	and enforcing cor	nservation easements during the year	
8	Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requand section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?	irements of section	ion 170(h)(4)(B)(i) Yes No	
9	In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in it include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial state conservation easements.	ts revenue and ex ements that desc	expense statement, and balance sheet, and cribes the organization's accounting for	
Par	Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historica Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990,	I Treasures, Part IV, line 8	or Other Similar Assets. 8.	
1 8	If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to repart, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, educa in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes the	tion, or research	e statement and balance sheet works of in furtherance of public service, provide,	
i	If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, following amounts relating to these items:	, or research in fu	urtherance of public service, provide the	
	(i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1		·	
	(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X		· 	
	If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other si amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these in	items:		
	Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1		· 	
1	Assets included in Form 990, Part X		▶ \$	

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Pantill Organizations Maintai	ining Collections	of Art, Histo	orical	Treasures, o	r Other Similar Ass	ets (continu	ued)
3 Using the organization's acquisition items (check all that apply):	n, accession, and other	r records, check	any of	the following that	are a significant use of its	collection	
a Public exhibition		d Loan	or exch	ange programs			
b Scholarly research		e Other					
c Preservation for future generat	ions						
4 Provide a description of the organiz Part XIII.	zation's collections an	d explain how the	ey furth	er the organization	n's exempt purpose in		
5 During the year, did the organization to be sold to raise funds rather than	to be maintained as	part of the organ	ization's	s collection?	<u> </u>	Yes	No
Partity Escrow and Custodia line 9, or reported an ar	mount on Form 9	Complete if t 90, Part X, lin	ne org e 21.	janization ansi	wered 'Yes' on Form	990, Part I	v,
1 a Is the organization an agent, truste on Form 990, Part X?	e, custodian or other	intermediary for o	contribu	tions or other ass	ets not included	Yes	No
b If 'Yes,' explain the arrangement in	Part XIII and complet	e the following ta	ıble:				
						Amount	
c Beginning balance							
d Additions during the year					. 1d		
e Distributions during the year					. 10		
f Ending balance					. 1f		
2 a Did the organization include an am	ount on Form 990, Pa	rt X, line 21, for	escrow	or custodial accou	unt liability?	Yes	No
b If 'Yes,' explain the arrangement in	Part XIII. Check here	of the explanation	n has b	een provided on F	Part XIII		
Pant♥ Endowment Funds. C	omplete if the org	anization ans	werec				
_	(a) Current year	(b) Prior yea	$\overline{}$	(c) Two years back		(e) Four year	
1 a Beginning of year balance	61,590,944.	59,491,7		49,766,34		40,557	
b Contributions	<u>665,535.</u>	2,529,3	394.	4,372,90	0. 5,994,947.	1,316	<u>,626.</u>
c Net investment earnings, gains,	2 040 041	2 122 2		7 270 10		21	026
and losses	-3,049,841.	2,123,2		7,378,18			,036.
d Grants or scholarships	2,268,762.	2,116,1	65.1	1,828,35	1,584,310.	1,464	, 189.
Other expenditures for facilities and programs	~54,180.	437,2	283.	197,35	4311,778.	301	,023.
f Administrative expenses	_ 					 	
g End of year balance	56,992,056.	61,590,9	44.	59,491,72	9. 49,766,349.	40,129	.579.
2 Provide the estimated percentage					311 237 . 007 0 231	1 10/1	, , , , , ,
a Board designated or quasi-endown	_).60 %	,	(-//			
b Permanent endowment ▶	71.45 %						
c Temporarily restricted endowment		5 %					
The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, a							
3 a Are there endowment funds not in organization by:	·		t are he	ld and administen	ed for the	Yes	No
(i) unrelated organizations						. 3a(i)	 X
(ii) related organizations						. 3a(ii)	$\frac{1}{x}$
b If Yes' on line 3a(ii), are the related						3b	 ^- -
4 Describe in Part XIII the intended u	-			Kr		[JD	ــــــ
		in s endowinent	unas.				
Land, Buildings, and Equipment. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.							
Description of property		t or other basis vestment)		Cost or other asis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book v	alue
1a Land			<u> </u>	581,393.		581	<u>,393.</u>
b Buildings				1,540,325.	704,058.	836	,267.
c Leasehold improvements							
d Equipment							
							

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Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.) .

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Part VII Investments — Other Securities. Complete if the organization answered '	Yes' on Form 990. I	Part IV. line 11b. See	Form 990. Part X line	. 12.
(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value		tion: Cost or end-of-year market v	
(1) Financial derivatives				_
(2) Closely-held equity interests				
(3) Other				
(A)		ļ		
(B)				
(C) (D)		 		
(E)		 		
(F)				
(G)				
(H)	<u></u>			
(I)				
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B) line 12) . > Part VIII Investments - Program Related.		<u> </u>		
Complete if the organization answered				
(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuatio	n: Cost or end-of-year mark	et value
(1)		 -		
(2)				
(4)				
(5)				
(6)				
(7)				
(8)				
(9) (10)				
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B) line 13) ▶				
Part IX Other Assets.				
Complete if the organization answered 7	<u>Yes' on Form 990, I</u> sc⊓ption	Part IV, line 11d. See	Form 990, Part X, line	
(1)	oonpaon		(5) 5001	· value
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
(6)				
(7)				
(8)				
(9) (10)				
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B) li	ne 15.)			
Part X Other Liabilities.				
Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on F		1e or 11f. See Form 990,	Part X, line 25	
(a) Description of liability (1) Federal income taxes	(b) Book value			
(2)				
(3)				1
(4)				j
(5) (6)		 -		
(7)		_		
(8)		\Box		
(9)				}
(10) (11)				
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B) line 25)	•			
2. Liability for uncertain tax positions In Part XIII, provide the text of the foot	note to the organization's fina	ncial statements that reports the	organization's tlability for uncerta	in
tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740) Check here if the text of the footnote				🔲
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SCHEDULE G (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

Complete If the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization

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Par	Fundraising Activities. Comp Form 990-EZ filers are not requ	lete if the organi: iired to complete	zation ans this part.	wered Yes	s' on Form 990, Part IV, I	ine 17.	
1	Indicate whether the organization rai	sed funds throug	gh any of t	he followin	g activities. Check all tha	at apply.	
а	X Mail solicitations			е	X Solicitation of non-go	overnment grants	
b	X Internet and email solicitations			f	X Solicitation of govern	nment grants	
	<u>⊫</u> 15			_	X Special fundraising	_	
C				9	r opcolar landiding		
d							
	Did the organization have a written of employees listed in Form 990, Part \	/II) or entity in co	onnection	with profes	sional fundraising servic	es?	XYes No
b	If 'Yes,' list the ten highest paid indiv compensated at least \$5,000 by the	iduals or entities organization.	(fundraise	ers) pursua	int to agreements under	which the fundraiser is to	be be
(i)	Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(lif) Did fi have custor of contri	undraiser dy or control ibutions?	(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in column (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
	Ruffalo Noel Levitz, LLC		Yes	No			
1	Rullulo Roci Ecvici, 220						
-		Annual Giving		x	0.	35,000.	-35,000.
	Stelter Company	Minual Olving	-		· · ·	3370001	3070001
2	Sterter company						
-		 		x	0.	19,350.	-19,350.
	Table O. Harrison Commons. Inc.	Capital Campaign		<u> </u>	U .	19,330.	-19,330.
_	John C. Harper Company, Inc.						
3		l		.,	•		5 110
	<u> </u>	Walnut Grove Society		X	0.	5,119.	-5,119.
	Courier Printing			ł			
4				ĺ			
		Fall Appeal Mailer		X	0.	29,799.	<u>-29,799.</u>
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		_		_			
9							
10							
Tata	1		•	·	0.	89,268.	-89,268.
	List all states in which the organizat or licensing.			d to solicit			
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Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b.

List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

(a) Event #1 (b) Event #2 (c) Other events (d) Total events

			(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events (add column (a)				
R			(event type)	(event type)	(total number)	through column (c)				
REVENUE	1	Gross receipts			-					
E	2	Less: Contributions			<u> </u>					
	3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)			<u></u>					
	Ť				.	<u></u>				
	4	Cash prizes								
D	5	Noncash prizes	i							
DIRECT	6	Rent/facility costs								
	7	Food and beverages								
E X P E	8	Entertainment								
EXPEZSES	9	Other direct expenses								
S	10	Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through								
(11	Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from								
Par	<u>}Ш</u>	Gaming. Complete if the organizati \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.	on answered 'Yes'	on Form 990, Part I\	V, line 19, or reporte	ed more than				
ACZB <ax< th=""><th></th><th></th><th>(a) Bingo</th><th>(b) Pull tabs/Instant bingo/progressive bingo</th><th>(c) Other gaming</th><th>(d) Total gaming (add column (a) through column (c))</th></ax<>			(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/Instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add column (a) through column (c))				
E	1	Gross revenue								
Е	2	Cash prizes								
D-RECT	3	Noncash prizes								
C S T E S	4	Rent/facility costs								
	5	Other direct expenses								
	6	Volunteer labor	Yes %	Yes %	Yes 8					
	7	Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through	gh 5 in column (d)							
	8	Net gaming income summary. Subtract line	7 from line 1, column (d)						
8 Net gaming income summary. Subtract line 7 from line 1, column (d)										
		re any of the organization's gaming licenses r	10 a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year?							

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	Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers?	No
12	Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming?	No
13	Indicate the percentage of gaming activity conducted in:	
a	The organization's facility	- %
	An outside facility	ફ
14	Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:	
	Name •	
	Address •	.
15 a	a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue?	s No
t	b If 'Yes,' enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization \$ and the amount	_
	of gaming revenue retained by the third party \$	
C	c If 'Yes,' enter name and address of the third party:	
	Name •	
		-
	Address •	
16	Gaming manager information:	
	Name •	
	Gaming manager compensation ► \$	
	Description of services provided	
	Director/officer Employee Independent contractor	
17	Mandatory distributions	
ε	a Is the organization required under state law to make chantable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license?	s No
Ŀ	b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the	_
~	organization's own exempt activities during the tax year \$	
FA	Supplemental Information. Provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v)	;
	and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also provide any additional information (see instructions).	

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Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations, Governments, and Individuals in the United States

Complete If the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.

Attach to Form 990.

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the selection criteri	a used to award the g	rants or assistance?			es' eligibility for the grant s			X Yes No				
					remments. Comple			s' on				
1 (a) Name and address or govern	as of organization	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash essistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance				
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2 Enter total number	of section 501(c)(3) a	ind government orga	inizations listed in the	e line 1 table .			. •					
3 Enter total number	of other amounted	s listed in the line 1 t	able				-					

can be duplicated if additional space				r	,
(e) Type of grant or essistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
ucational Scholarships and Awards	1,326	1,902,162.	0.	Cost	N/A
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SCHEDULE J (Form 990)

Compensation Information

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.

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Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.
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Name of the organization

Employer identification number

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Pa	役 即 Questions Regarding Compensation			
			Yes	No
1 a	a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.			
	First-class or charter travel Housing allowance or residence for personal use			
	Travel for companions Payments for business use of personal residence		1	
	Tax indemnification and gross-up payments X Health or social club dues or initiation fees			
	X Discretionary spending account Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)			
t	b If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If 'No,' complete Part III to explain	1 b	Х	
2	Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, and officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?	2	х	
3	Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.			
	Compensation committee Written employment contract			
	Independent compensation consultant Compensation survey or study			
	Form 990 of other organizations Approval by the board or compensation committee			
4	During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:			
	Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?			X
	b Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?		_	Х
•	c Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?	4c		X
	If 'Yes' to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.			
	Only section 501(c)(3) 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.			
	For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:			
	a The organization?	5a		Х
t	b Any related organization?	5 b		X
	If 'Yes' to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III			
6	For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:			
	a The organization?	6a		Х
ŧ	b Any related organization?	6b		Х
	If 'Yes' on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III			
7	For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described on lines 5 and 6? If 'Yes,' describe in Part III	7		x
8	Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If 'Yes,' describe in Part III	8		x
9	If 'Yes' to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53 4958-6(c)?			

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Partill Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported on Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii) Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII

Note: The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown o	f W-2 and/or 1099-MIS	C compensation	(C) Retirement	(D) Nontaxable	(E) Total of	(F) Compensation	
		(f) Base compensation	(II) Bonus and incentive compensation	(III) Other reportable compensation	and other deferred compensation	benefits	(E) Total of columns(B)(i)-(D)	in column (B) reported as deferred on pnor Form 990	
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Partill Supplemental Information

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information

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SCHEDULE M (Form 990)

Noncash Contributions

► Complete if the organizations answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization

► Attach to Form 990.

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	TU Types of Property	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts
1	Art – Works of art	Х	1	5,000.	FMV
2	Art - Historical treasures				
3	Art — Fractional interests		-		
4	Books and publications	Х		41,129.	FMV
5	Clothing and household goods	Х		33,245.	FMV
6	Cars and other vehicles	Х	4	20,000.	FMV
7	Boats and planes				
8	Intellectual property				
9	Securities - Publicly traded	Х	9	159,417.	FMV
10	Securities - Closely held stock				
11	Securities - Partnership, LLC, or trust interests				
12	Securities - Miscellaneous				
13	Qualified conservation contribution — Historic structures				
14	Qualified conservation contribution — Other				
15	Real estate - Residential				
16	Real estate - Commercial			_	
17	Real estate — Other				
18	Collectibles		-		
19	Food inventory	Х	3	7,221.	
20	Drugs and medical supplies				
21	Taxidermy				
22	Historical artifacts				
23	Scientific specimens				
24	Archeological artifacts				
25	Other► (<u>University Support</u>) ·	Х	1	1,594,657.	Cost
26	Other► (Supplies & Software) .	Х	9	45,344.	FMV
27	Other► (Music) ·	Х	21	50,655.	FMV
28	Other► (Athletic Gifts) ·	Х	6	9,406.	FMV
29	Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee A				29
					Yes No
30a	During the year, did the organization receive by cont it must hold for at least three years from the date of t for exempt purposes for the entire holding penod?	he initial con	Inbution, and which is no	ot required to be used	
ь	If Yes,' describe the arrangement in Part II.				
31	Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy	that requires	the review of any non-si	tandard contributions?	31 X
32a	Does the organization hire or use third parties or relationations?	-	• • • • • •		32a X
b	of Yes,' describe in Part II.				A A

describe in Part II.

33 If the organization did not report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked,

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Supplemental Information. Provide the information required by Part I, lines 30b, 32b, and 33, and whether the organization is reporting in Part I, column (b), the number of contributions, the number of items received, or a combination of both. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Pt I Line 32b

Regions Bank is used to sell stock gifts.

SCHEDULE O (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

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

► Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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Pt VI, Line 7a	Voting on all finance related issues is required	d.
Pt VI, Line 7b	Voting on all finance related issues is required	i.
Pt VI, Line 8a	Minutes are distributed and kept on file.	
Pt VI, Line 8b	Minutes are distributed and kept on file.	
	The return is reviewed by the Executive Director	and made available for
Pt VI, Line 11b	any board member upon request.	
Pt VI, Line 12c	Finance Committee meetings resolve any conflicts	s of interest.
Pt VI, Line 19	Documents are made available to the public upon	request.

SCHEDULE	R
(Form 990)	

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.

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Name of the organization

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Identification of Disregarded Entities Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.										
(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity					
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| Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.

(a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (f) Name, address, and ElN of related organization Primary activity | Legal domicile (state | Exempt Code | Public charity status | Direct controlling | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section | Section |

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Pnmary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Sec 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
				-		Yes	No
(1) Middle TN State University 1301 East Main Street Murfreesboro, TN 37132-0001 62-6005794	Higher Education	TN	511 (a) (2) (B)	N/A	N/A		x
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Partivia Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 37.

Provide the following information for each entity taxed as a partnership through which the organization conducted more than five percent of its activities (measured by total assets or gross revenue) that was not a related organization. See instructions regarding exclusion for certain investment partnerships

(a) Name, address, and EIN of entity	(b) Primary activity	Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Predominant Income (related, unre- lated, exctuded from tax under	(e) Are all partners section 501(c)(3) organizations?		(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
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Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions).

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