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Form **990-EZ****Short Form****Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

OMB No 1545-1150

**2016****Open to Public Inspection**Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

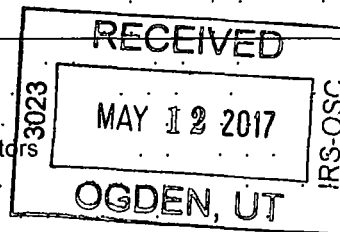
Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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- ▶ Information about Form 990-EZ and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

<b>A</b> For the 2016 calendar year, or tax year beginning , and ending	
<b>B</b> Check if applicable	<b>C</b> Name of organization
<input type="checkbox"/> Address change	KENTUCKY WIRELESS ASSOCIATION
<input type="checkbox"/> Name change	Number and street (or P.O. box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
<input type="checkbox"/> Initial return	15312 CHAMPION LAKE PLACE
<input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated	City or town State ZIP code
<input type="checkbox"/> Amended return	LOUISVILLE KY 40245
<input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	Foreign country name Foreign province/state/county Foreign postal code
	<b>D</b> Employer identification number
	20-5736967
	<b>E</b> Telephone number
	502-544-3898
	<b>F</b> Group Exemption Number ▶
<b>G</b> Accounting Method <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual Other (specify) ▶	<b>H</b> Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)
<b>I</b> Website: ▶ WWW.KENTUCKYWIRELESS.ORG	
<b>J</b> Tax-exempt status (check only one) — <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(6) (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527	
<b>K</b> Form of organization <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
<b>L</b> Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b to line 9 to determine gross receipts. If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets (Part II, column (B) below) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ. ▶ \$ 41,672.	

**Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances** (see the instructions for Part I)Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I ☒

<b>Revenue</b>	1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	
	2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
	3	Membership dues and assessments	3	
	4	Investment income	4	
	5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
	b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
	c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	
	6	Gaming and fundraising events		
	a	Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000)	6a	
	b	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions from fundraising events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the sum of such gross income and contributions exceeds \$15,000)	6b	41,672.
	c	Less direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events	6c	30,182.
	d	Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c)	6d	11,490.
	7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	
	b	Less cost of goods sold	7b	
	c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	
	8	Other revenue (describe in Schedule O)	8	
	9	<b>Total revenue.</b> Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8	9	11,490.
<b>Expenses</b>	10	Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O)	10	12,000.
	11	Benefits paid to or for members	11	
	12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	
	13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	160.
	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	
	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	804.
	16	Other expenses (describe in Schedule O)	16	3,266.
	17	<b>Total expenses.</b> Add lines 10 through 16	17	16,230.
<b>Net Assets</b>	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	(4,740.)
	19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	11,492.
	20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	20	
	21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	21	6,752.



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**Part II Balance Sheets.** (see the instructions for Part II)Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part II. ☐

	(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
<b>22</b> Cash, savings, and investments	11,492.	<b>22</b> 6,752.
<b>23</b> Land and buildings		<b>23</b>
<b>24</b> Other assets (describe in Schedule O)		<b>24</b>
<b>25</b> Total assets	11,492.	<b>25</b> 6,752.
<b>26</b> Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O)		<b>26</b>
<b>27</b> Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	11,492.	<b>27</b> 6,752.

**Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments** (see the instructions for Part III)Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part III. ☐What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? SEE SCHEDULE O

Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title

**Expenses**  
(Required for section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations, optional for others)

<b>28</b>		
(Grants \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>28a</b>	
<b>29</b>		
(Grants \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>29a</b>	
<b>30</b>		
(Grants \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>30a</b>	
<b>31</b> Other program services (describe in Schedule O)		
(Grants \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>31a</b>	
<b>32</b> Total program service expenses. (add lines 28a through 31a)	<b>32</b>	

**Part IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees** (list each one even if not compensated—see the instructions for Part IV)Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part IV. ☒

(a) Name and title	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC) (if not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Health benefits contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
CRAIG THIEMAN PRESIDENT	Hr/WK 2		0	
STEVE NICLEY VICE PRESIDENT	Hr/WK 2		0	
LEANN BRYAN TREASURER	Hr/WK 2		0	
DON HALL BOARD MEMBER	Hr/WK 2		0	
	Hr/WK			
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	Hr/WK			
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**Part V Other Information** (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirements in the instructions for Part V) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part V ☐

	Yes	No
<b>33</b> Did the organization engage in any significant activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O	<b>33</b>	X
<b>34</b> Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name. Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O (see instructions)	<b>34</b>	X
<b>35 a</b> Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year from business activities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)?	<b>35a</b>	X
<b>b</b> If "Yes," to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	<b>35b</b>	
<b>c</b> Was the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	<b>35c</b>	X
<b>36</b> Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N	<b>36</b>	X
<b>37 a</b> Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions <b>37a</b> 0		
<b>b</b> Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	<b>37b</b>	
<b>38 a</b> Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return?	<b>38a</b>	X
<b>b</b> If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved <b>38b</b>		
<b>39</b> Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter		
<b>a</b> Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 <b>39a</b>		
<b>b</b> Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities <b>39b</b>		
<b>40 a</b> Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 <b>40a</b> , section 4912 <b>40b</b> , section 4955 <b>40c</b>		
<b>b</b> Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year, or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	<b>40b</b>	
<b>c</b> Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 <b>40c</b>		
<b>d</b> Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization <b>40d</b>		
<b>e</b> All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T <b>40e</b>		X
<b>41</b> List the states with which a copy of this return is filed <b>41</b>		
<b>42 a</b> The organization's books are in care of <b>42a</b> CRAIG THIEMAN Telephone no <b>42a</b> 502-544-3898 Located at <b>42a</b> 15312 CHAMPI City LOUISVILLE ST KY ZIP + 4 <b>42a</b> 40245		
<b>b</b> At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country <b>42b</b>	<b>42b</b>	X
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).		
<b>c</b> At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside the United States? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country <b>42c</b>	<b>42c</b>	X
<b>43</b> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041—Check here <b>43</b>		
and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year <b>43</b>		
<b>44 a</b> Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ <b>44a</b>	<b>44a</b>	X
<b>b</b> Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ <b>44b</b>	<b>44b</b>	X
<b>c</b> Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year? <b>44c</b>	<b>44c</b>	X
<b>d</b> If "Yes" to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O <b>44d</b>	<b>44d</b>	
<b>45 a</b> Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <b>45a</b>	<b>45a</b>	X
<b>45 b</b> Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of Form 990-EZ (see instructions). <b>45b</b>	<b>45b</b>	X

- 46** Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I.

	Yes	No
<b>46</b>		X

**Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations only**

All section 501(c)(3) organizations must answer questions 47-49b and 52, and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

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

- 47** Did the organization engage in lobbying activities or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II

	Yes	No
<b>47</b>		
<b>48</b>		
<b>49a</b>		
<b>49b</b>		

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

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

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

- 50** Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees, and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and title of each employee	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
Name _____ Title _____	Hr/WK			
Name _____ Title _____	Hr/WK			
Name _____ Title _____	Hr/WK			
Name _____ Title _____	Hr/WK			
Name _____ Title _____	Hr/WK			

- f** Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 **▶** \_\_\_\_\_

- 51** Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

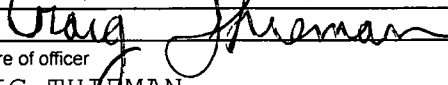
(a) Name and business address of each independent contractor	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
Name <b>NONE</b> Str _____ City ST ZIP _____		
Name _____ Str _____ City ST ZIP _____		
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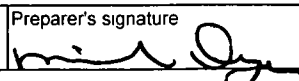
- d** Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000 **▶** \_\_\_\_\_

- 52** Did the organization complete Schedule A? **Note:** All section 501(c)(3) organizations must attach a completed Schedule A.

**▶** ☐ Yes ☒ No

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

<b>Sign Here</b>		<b>5-8-17</b>
	CRAIG THIEMAN	PRESIDENT

<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name MICHAEL DYER	Preparer's signature 	Date 05/02/2017	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN P00525178
	Firm's name <b>▶</b> TAX PROS USA LLC			Firm's EIN <b>▶</b> 20-5963588	
	Firm's address <b>▶</b> 12204 SHELBYVILLE RO LOUISVILLE KY 40243-			Phone no 502-254-2825	

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions.

**▶** ☒ Yes ☐ No

**Part II 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 <u>GOLF EVENT</u> (event type)	(b) Event #2 _____ (event type)	(c) Other events _____ (total number)	(d) Total events (add col (a) through col (c))
Revenue	1 Gross receipts	41,672.			41,672.
	2 Less: Contributions				
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	41,672.			41,672.
Direct Expenses	4 Cash prizes	2,500.			2,500.
	5 Noncash prizes	9,881.			9,881.
	6 Rent/facility costs	16,267.			16,267.
	7 Food and beverages				
	8 Entertainment				
	9 Other direct expenses	1,534.			1,534.
	10 Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)				30,182.
	11 Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d)				11,490.

**Part III Gaming.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col (a) through col (c))
Revenue	1 Gross revenue				
Direct Expenses	2 Cash prizes				
	3 Noncash prizes				
	4 Rent/facility costs				
	5 Other direct expenses				
	6 Volunteer labor	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes 0.0% <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes 0.0% <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes 0.0% <input type="checkbox"/> No	
7 Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d)					
8 Net gaming income summary. Subtract line 7 from line 1, column (d)					

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization conducts gaming activities: \_\_\_\_\_

a Is the organization licensed to conduct gaming activities in each of these states? \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "No," explain: \_\_\_\_\_

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended, or terminated during the tax year? \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," explain: \_\_\_\_\_

- 11 Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers? ☐ Yes ☐ 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? ☐ Yes ☐ No

13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity conducted in:

- |                               |     |        |
|-------------------------------|-----|--------|
| a The organization's facility | 13a | 0.00 % |
| b An outside facility         | 13b | 0.00 % |

14 Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:

Name ▶ .....

Address ▶ .....

- 15a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 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 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

- a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 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 ▶ \$ .....

**Part IV** **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

**SCHEDULE O**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

**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.

▶ Information about Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

OMB No 1545-0047

**2016**

**Open to Public  
Inspection**

Employer identification number

KENTUCKY WIRELESS ASSOCIATION

20-5736967

**PART III**

THE ASSOCIATION IS COMPRISED OF INDIVIDUALS AND COMPANIES  
INVOLVED IN WIRELESS NETWORKS IN KENTUCKY. ALL REVENUE AND  
EXPENSES, EXCEPT FOR CHARITABLE DONATIONS, ARE INCURRED FOR  
THE DEVELOPMENT AND PROMOTION OF THIS INDUSTRY.

**PART I LINE 10**

GRANTEE #1 ALS ASSOCIATION

~~1170 OLD HENDERSON ROAD SUITE 221~~

COLUMBUS OH 43220

NO RELATIONSHIP, AMOUNT DONATED \$3000

**PART I LINE 10**

GRANTEE #2 KENTUCKY HUMANE SOCIETY

241 STEEDLY DR, LOUISVILLE KY 40214

NO RELATIONSHIP, AMOUNT DONATED \$2500

**PART I LINE 10**

GRANTEE #3 SPECIAL OLYMPICS KY

105 LAKEVIEW CT, FRANKFORT KY 40601

NO RELATIONSHIP, AMOUNT DONATED \$6000

**PART I LINE 10**

GRANTEE #4 HOPE FOR HADLEY JO

13703 FOREST BEND CIRCLE, LOUISVILLE KY 40245

NO RELATIONSHIP, AMOUNT DONATED \$500

**PART I LINE 16**

INSURANCE \$1028 BANK FEES \$15 ANNUAL FEE TO KY \$35 BOARD AND  
MEMBER MEETINGS \$2138 OFFICE EXPENSE \$50 TOTAL \$3266