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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)

▶ Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.

▶ Information about Form 990-EZ and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

A For the 2016 calendar year, or tax year beginning January 1, 2016, and ending December 31, 2016	
B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	C Name of organization NALC Branch 219 Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address) P O. Box 104 Room/suite City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code Aurora, IL 60507-0104
D Employer identification number 366089800	E Telephone number 630-688-5712
F Group Exemption Number ▶ 0685	
G Accounting Method <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual Other (specify) ▶	H Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)
I Website: ▶	
J Tax-exempt status (check only one) — <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) (5) ◀ (insert no) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527	
K Form of organization <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
L 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 ▶ \$ 81049	

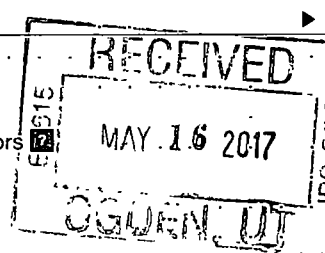
Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (see the instructions for Part I) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received 0
	2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts 0
	3 Membership dues and assessments 80993
	4 Investment income 56
	5a Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory 5a 0
	b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses 5b 0
	c Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a) 5c 0
	6 Gaming and fundraising events
	a Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000) 6a 0
	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 0
c Less direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events 6c 0	
d Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c) 6d 0	
7a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances 7a 0	
b Less cost of goods sold 7b 0	
c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a) 7c 0	
8 Other revenue (describe in Schedule O) 8 0	
9 Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8 9 81049	
Expenses	10 Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O) 10 1797
	11 Benefits paid to or for members 11 0
	12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits 12 31909
	13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors 13 1268
	14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance 14 1224
	15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping 15 2990
	16 Other expenses (describe in Schedule O) 16 40750
	17 Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16 17 79938
Net Assets	18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9) 18 1111
	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 27313
	20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O) 20 0
	21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20 21 28424

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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
22 Cash, savings, and investments	27313	22 28424
23 Land and buildings	0	23 0
24 Other assets (describe in Schedule O)	0	24 0
25 Total assets	27313	25 28424
26 Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O)	0	26 0
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	27313	27 28424

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)

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

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
MARGARET PARKER PRESIDENT	5	4745	0	1409
MARIO WALKER VICE PRESIDENT	1	4422	0	975
STEVE LINDEN RECORDING SECRETARY	1	694	0	0
JO ANNE ORTEGA TREASURER	1	4135	0	796
THOMAS BARNES SERGEANT AT ARMS	0	0	0	0
BRYAN HAYES HEALTH BENEFIT CO-ORDINATOR	1	2414	0	377
FRANK IACOVELLA NEWSLETTER EDITOR	1	0	0	125
CATHY BAXTER DIRECTOR OF RETIREES	1	0	0	377
JEFFREY BOEDEWIG TRUSTEE	1	2070	0	377
RHIANNON VAZQUEZ-GAITOR TRUSTEE	1	1721	0	497
DONALD MURRAY TRUSTEE	1	1721	0	681
DAN HINES TRUSTEE	1	1841	0	177

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
33 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	33	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
34 Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name. Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O (see instructions)	34	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
35a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year from business activities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)?	35a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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	35b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
c Was the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	35c	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N	36	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions	37a	0
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	37b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
38a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return?	38a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved	38b	
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9	39a	
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities	39b	
40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under section 4911; section 4912; section 4955		
b 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	40b	
c 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		0
d Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization		0
e All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T	40e	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed	NONE	
42a The organization's books are in care of	JO ANNE ORTEGA	Telephone no. 630-688-5712
Located at	68 W RICKARD DR., OSWEGO, IL	ZIP + 4 60543-8841
b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).	42b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
c 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:	42c	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 —Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year	43	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
44a Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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	44b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
c Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?	44c	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
d If "Yes" to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	44d	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
45a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	45a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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)	45b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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

	Yes	No
46		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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
47		

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

	Yes	No
48		

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

	Yes	No
49a		

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

	Yes	No
49b		

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

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

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.

Sign Here ▶ *Jo Anne Ortega* **5/11/17**
 Signature of officer Date
 ▶ *Jo Anne Ortega - Treasurer*
 Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
Firm's name ▶	Firm's EIN ▶		Phone no. ▶	
Firm's address ▶				

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions ▶ ☐ Yes ☐ No

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

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Internal Revenue Service

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.

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Name of the organization

NALC BRANCH 219

Employer identification number

36-6089800

Form 990-EZ, Part III - Organization's Primary Exempt Purpose

THE LABOR ORGANIZATION REPRESENTS ITS 247 MEMBERS BY PROTECTING WORKING CONDITIONS, BENEFITS AND WAGES
DEFENDING AGAINST MANAGEMENT ABUSE

Form 990-EZ, Part 1, Line 10

Grants and Similar Amounts Paid:

RETIREE ACTIVITIES/WATCHES..... \$ 1,572 00

CHARITABLE DONATIONS..... 100.00

GIFTS AND GRATUITIES..... 125.00

TOTAL \$ 1,797 00

Form 990-EZ, Part 1, Line 16

Other Expenses.

BONDING..... \$ 200 00

BENEVOLENT FUND..... 332.00

NATIONAL CONVENTION HOTEL & TRAVEL..... 11,367 00

STATE CONVENTION HOTEL & TRAVEL..... 3,311.00

EDUCATION/TRAINING OFFICER & STEWARD..... 3,860.00

CONFERENCES & SEMINARS..... 2,531.00

UNION MEETINGS..... 1,334.00

AFL-CIO DUES..... 1,254 00

FOOD DRIVE..... 724 00

MDA CONTRIBUTIONS..... 1,457.00

BRANCH PARTIES & PICNIC..... 5,234.00

BRANCH RELATIONS..... 500 00

Name of the organization
NALC BRANCH 219Employer identification number
36-6089800

CONTINUED. Form 990-EZ, Part 1, Line 16

Other Expenses Continued.

125TH CELEBRATION..... \$ 8,646 00

TOTAL \$ 40,750.00

CONTINUED. Form 990-EZ, Part IV List of Officers, Trustees & Key Employees

(A) NAME (B) HOURS (C) COMPENSATION (D) HEALTH BENEFITS (E) OTHER COMPENSATION

MARY KLUBER, TRUSTEE 1 \$ 215 \$ 0 \$ 120

SARAH LAFRANZO, TRUSTEE 1 2,294 0 497

JAMES MOULTON, STEWARD 1 2,414 0 489

MARIO CONTRERAS, EMPLOYEE 1 695 0 242

DEVIN BRODERICK, EMPLOYEE 1 510 0 0

MICHAEL HOWELL, EMPLOYEE 1 469 0 0

ANGELIQUE WALKER, EMPLOYEE 1 0 0 270

JERRY (TONY) HUTSON, EMPLOYEE 1 0 0 168