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Form **990-EZ**

Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

OMB No. 1545-1150 2016

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A For the 2016 calendar year, or tax year beginning . 2016, and ending

~ '	-or use	2010 Calerius	ir year, or tax year beginning , 2016, a	and ending		, 20			
B	Check if ap	plicable	C Name of organization		D Employer ic	lentification number			
	Address d	Opening Doors a Louisiana Nonprofit Corporation, LLC		:] 3	8-3645358			
	Name cha					Telephone number			
=	Initial retur		2:	25-766-8161					
=		n/terminated		Group Exemption					
=	Amended : Application		Deta- Deure I A 70040 4024		Number I	•			
_			Baton Rouge, LA 70810-4024 ✓ Cash Accrual Other (specify) ►						
		ing Method:	Cash Cash Chief (specify)			if the organization is not			
	Vebsite:				•	ach Schedule B			
			ck only one) — 🗹 501(c)(3) 🔲 501(c) () ◀ (insert no.) 🗌 4947(a)(1) or	527	(Form 990, 99	0-EZ, or 990-PF).			
		-	☑ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other						
			7b to line 9 to determine gross receipts. If gross receipts are \$200,000 or n		assets				
(Pa	rt II, colı		v) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ		▶ \$	181,597			
Р	art I	Revenu	e, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balance	es (see the	instructions	s for Part I)			
		Check if	the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question i	n this Part I					
	1		ns, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received		1	181,597			
	2		ervice revenue including government fees and contracts		2				
	3	-	ip dues and assessments		3				
	4	Investment			4				
	1 _				· ·				
	5a		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		———				
	b		or other basis and sales expenses			i			
	C	•	ss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from li	ne 5a)	<u>5</u> c				
	6	_	d fundraising events						
_	а	Gross inc							
3	ł	\$15,000) .							
Revenue	b	Gross inco	me from fundraising events (not including \$ of	contribution	s				
ě		from fundr	aising events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the						
_		sum of suc	h gross income and contributions exceeds \$15,000) 6b						
	C	Less: direc	t expenses from gaming and fundraising events 6c						
	d		e or (loss) from garning and fundraising events (add lines 6a and	6b and sub	otract				
	_	line 6c) .			· · 6d				
	7a		s of inventory, less returns and allowances		👊	- 			
	1 .		of goods sold 7b		 i				
	b				 _				
	C		it or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a) .		<u>7c</u>	····			
	8		nue (describe in Schedule O) 17 . O		8				
	9		nue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8	<u> </u>	. 🕨 9	181,597			
	10	Grants and	similar amounts paid (list in Schedule 0)		10	145,463			
	11		aid to or for members M. UT		11	0			
98	12	Salaries, of	ther compensation, and employee benefits		12	0			
90808	13	Profession	al fees and other payments to independent contractors		13	3,000			
8	14	Occupancy	, rent, utilities, and maintenance		14	15,037			
Exp	15	Printing, p	ublications, postage, and shipping		15				
	16	.	enses (describe in Schedule O)		16	5,926			
	17		enses. Add lines 10 through 16			169,426			
	18		(deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)		18				
a	19		or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A))			12,171			
Net Assets			r figure reported on prior year's return)	. •					
	-	-			<u> </u>	67,661			
	20		ages in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)			-3,315			
	21				. ▶ 21	76,517			
For	Paper	work Reduct	ion Act Notice, see the separate instructions. Cat.	No. 10642I		Form 990-EZ (2016)			

Pa	t II Balance Sheets (see the instructions					
	 Check if the organization used Schedule 	O to respond to a	ny question in this	Part II	·	· · · · 🗹
				(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
22	Cash, savings, and investments		[59,252	22	88,623
23	Land and buildings		[23	
24	Other assets (describe in Schedule O)		[8,409	24	5,094
25	Total assets		[67,661	25	76,517
26	Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O)		[,	26	17,200
27	Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column			67,661	27	76,517
Par		•		•	.	
	Check if the organization used Schedule	O to respond to a	ny question in this	Part III		Expenses guired for section
Wha	is the organization's primary exempt purpose?					(c)(3) and 501(c)(4)
as n	ribe the organization's program service accompline assured by expenses. In a clear and concise mons benefited, and other relevant information for each	nanner, describe the	of its three largest per services provided	orogram services, d, the number of	orga	anizations; optional for ars.)
28	Shepherd's Marked food pantry, food purchased to s Food Bank. In 2015, food in the amount of 267,865 lb					
	(Grants \$) If this amount	includes foreign gra	ants, check here .	▶ 🗌	28a	113,545
29	Turkey Giveaway at Christmas holiday, free turkeys					
	Gave out about 450 turkeys to as many families.				1	
	(Grants \$) If this amount	includes foreign gra	ants, check here .	▶ 🗆	29a	15,583
30	Holiday Super Store, incentive program for Head Sta	rt parents, rewards t	neir positive actions	by allowing	T	
	them to earn points which ultimately translates into	a dollar value which o	goes towards purcha	sing Christmas	1	
	gifts for them to give to their children. Served 52 chil				1	
		ıncludes foreign gra	ants, check here .	<u> ▶ □</u>	30a	5,647
31	Other program services (describe in Schedule O)	l				
	(Grants \$) If this amount	includes foreign gra	ants, check here .	<u> ▶ □</u>	31a	13,688
	Total program service expenses (add lines 28a				32	148,463
Par				•	nstru	ctions for Part IV)
	Check if the organization used Schedule	O to respond to a				<u> L</u>
	(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-)			Estimated amount of other compensation
Rich	ard Damberg, board president, coordinator for				T	
VIT	A and public school programs, assists with pantryRic	2				
Don	Fuller, board VP, coordinator for for Lives in the	_				
Bal	ance Program and assists setup of youth camp	2		<u> </u>		
LeRo	y Clavenna, board treasurer, assists with programs	_				-
esp	ecially VITA free tax preparation program	4)	4-	
	esa Sandifer, board member, head of Shepherd's				- 1	
	ket food pantry	25)		
	ra Kuykendall, board member, coordinates Holiday	-			1	
	perstore, Parent Recognition, Summer programs	3)	-	
	i Marino, board secretary, coordinator for Holiday	_			l	
	perstore, assists with pantry	5		<u> </u>		
	Forester, board member, coordinator for	-		j		
	blic sschool program	2		<u> </u>	+-	
	Anderson, Shepherd's Market food preparation,	- 20		,		
	ntry setup, assisting clinents Anderson, coordinator for Youth Camp, liaison for	20		}	+	
		-			ļ	
	dere community letcalf, in Shepherd's Market helps with receiving	3	 '	<u> </u>	+	
	its storage, and stocking shelves	12		,		
	e Clavenna, board member, assists with programs	12	<u> </u>	' 	+-	
-07G	, vierenia, podra manos, assiste with programs	1				
Reth	Schroder, board member, coordinator for	'		1	+	
	mmunity Celebration	1		.		

Part				
	instructions for Part V) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this	Part		
.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	Yes	No.
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		•
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		V
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		
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		~
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		/
37a	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions ▶ 37a			
b	Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	37b		~
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		1
b	ff "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved			
39	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:			
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9			
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	~	V
С	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		İ	
d	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization			
9	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		~
41	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ▶			
42a	The organization's books are in care of ▶ Telephone no. ▶			
	Located at ► ZIP + 4 ►		- I	<u> </u>
ь		42b	Yes	No ✓
	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).			
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		~
43	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041—Check here		. 1	▶ 🗆
	and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year			
44a	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be		Yes	No
	completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44a		~
Ь	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	AAL		
_	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?	44b		7
c d	If "Yes" to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an	44c		~
a	explanation in Schedule O	44d		
45a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	440 45a		~
b	Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the	1	$\vdash \vdash \vdash$	_
~	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		~

46	Did th	ne organization engage, directly or in	directly, in political c	ampaign activities	on behalf	of or in opposi	tion		Yes	No		
	to car	ndidates for public office? If "Yes," c	omplete Schedule C					46		~		
Part \		Section 501(c)(3) organizations All section 501(c)(3) organizations 50 and 51.		stions 47–49b ar	nd 52, and	d complete th	e tab	les f	or lin	es		
	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		
48	•	the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E										
		ne organization make any transfers to						48 49a		V		
b		s," was the related organization a se	•				. [49b				
50		plete this table for the organization's byees) who each received more than										
	(8)	Name and title of each employee	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MIS	contribu	lealth benefits, itions to employee plans, and deferred ompensation		stimated amount of her compensation				
NONE												
			····									
51	Comp	number of other employees paid ove plete this table for the organization's ,000 of compensation from the organ	s five highest compe	ensated independe	ent contra	 ctors who eacl	n rece	eived	more	than		
	(a)	Name and business address of each independent	ent contractor	(b) Type of	service	(c	(c) Compensation					
NONE												
d 52	Did t	number of other independent contra- the organization complete Schedul eleted Schedule A	•	ction 501(c)(3) or	_		na	Yes		No.		
		of perjury, I declare that I have examined this red d complete. Declaration of preparer (other than					nowledg	ge and	belief,	it is		
C!		Lekog K. Clave	nra			5/13/	20	17				
Sign Here		Signature of officer LeRoy R. Claverna, Treasurer and	Board member of Ope	ening Doors		Date '						
	L_	Type or print name and title	Preparer's signature		Date		<u> </u>	TIN				
Paid		Print/Type preparer's name	Lichara salitarria		טמוט	Check self-emplo	l of	1114				
Prepa		Firm's name >	-L		l	Firm's EIN ▶	,,,,,					
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May th	e IRS	discuss this return with the preparer	shown above? See i	nstructions			▶ □	Vac		No.		

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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.

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Employer identification number

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization

► 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.

Inspection

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)pe	ning [Doors a Louisiana Nonprofit Cor					38-36-					
	rt I	Reason for Public Char						ns.				
	ne organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 12, check only one box.)											
1 2	A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(i). A school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ).)											
3							• •					
4												
•	hospital's name, city, and state:											
5												
6 7	=											
8		A community trust described in		•	Part II.)							
9		An agricultural research organi or university or a non-land-gra university:	zation described nt college of agr	d in section 170(b)(1) iculture (see instruction	(A)(ix) op ons). Ente	r the nan	ne, city, and state of	the college or				
10	!	An organization that normally receipts from activities related support from gross investment acquired by the organization a	to its exempt full income and uni	nctions—subject to c related business taxal	ertain exc ble incom	eptions, le (less si	and (2) no more that ection 511 tax) from	n 33¹/₃% of its				
11		An organization organized and		-			•					
12		An organization organized and of one or more publicly support Check the box in lines 12a thro	rted organizatio	ns described in secti	on 509 (a)(1) or se	ection 509(a)(2). See	section 509(a)(3).				
ŧ	a [Type I. A supporting organ the supported organization supporting organization. You	(s) the power to	regularly appoint or e	lect a ma	jority of t	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •					
ı	b [☐ Type II. A supporting organization(s). You must or management of the organization(s). You must organization(s).	the supporting o	rganization vested in	the same		•					
•		Type III functionally integ						ally integrated with,				
•	d [Type III non-functionally in that is not functionally integrequirement (see instruction	grated. The orga	nization generally mus	st satisfy	a dıstribı	ition requirement an					
•	e [Check this box if the organ functionally integrated, or T						ıl, Type III				
1		iter the number of supported o						[
		ovide the following information					,					
	(i) N	ame of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1–10 above (see instructions))				(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)				
					Yes	No	!	ļ ,				
A)												
B)												
C)												
D)												
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Part							
	(Complete only if you checked the						alify under
	Part III. If the organization fails to	o qualify unde	r the tests lis	ted below, p	lease comple	te Part III.)	
Section	on A. Public Support						
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2012	(b) 2013	(c) 2014	(d) 2015	(e) 2016	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and						
•	membership fees received. (Do not						
	include any "unusual grants.")						
_	•	52248	90003	169762	154195	181897	647805
2	Tax revenues levied for the						
	organization's benefit and either paid						
	to or expended on its behalf	0	0	0	0	. 0	0
3	The value of services or facilities						
	furnished by a governmental unit to the						
	organization without charge	l ol	0	n	n	a	n
4	Total. Add lines 1 through 3	52248	90003	169762	154195	181897	647805
-	•	32240	30003	103702	134133	101037	047003
5	The portion of total contributions by						
	each person (other than a						
	governmental unit or publicly	į					
	supported organization) included on						
	line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount						
	shown on line 11, column (f)						142500
6	Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4]					505305
Section	on B. Total Support						
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2012	(b) 2013	(c) 2014	(d) 2015	(e) 2016	(f) Total
7	Amounts from line 4	52248	90003	169762	154195	181897	647805
8	Gross income from interest, dividends,		- 00003	100702	104133	101037	047000
0	payments received on securities loans,						
	· ·	\	İ				
	rents, royalties and income from similar						
	sources	0	0	0	0	. 0	0
9	Net income from unrelated business						
	activities, whether or not the business			1			
	is regularly carried on	o	0	0	0	0	0
10	Other income. Do not include gain or						
	loss from the sale of capital assets						
	(Explain in Part VI.)	ol	0	o	o	o	o
11	Total support. Add lines 7 through 10	<u>`</u>				·	647805
12	Gross receipts from related activities, etc	(see instruction	nns)	L.,	ا ــــــــــــــــــــــــــــــــــــ	12	
13	First five years. If the Form 990 is for the						0 n 501(a)(3)
13							
-	organization, check this box and stop he				<u> </u>	• • • • •	
Section	on C. Computation of Public Suppor				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
14	Public support percentage for 2016 (line		•	. ,		14	78.0 %
15	Public support percentage from 2015 Sci					15	74.7 %
16a	331/3% support test-2016. If the organi						
	box and stop here. The organization qua	lifies as a publ	cly supported	organization			Þ 🗹
b	331/3% support test-2015. If the organi	zation did not	check a box o	n line 13 or 16	a, and line 15	is 331/3% or m	ore. check
	this box and stop here. The organization						
170	10%-facts-and-circumstances test-2	016 If the oras	nization did n	ot check a box	v on line 12 1	6a or 16b and	d line 14 is
174	10% or more, and if the organization me						
	Part VI how the organization meets the "						
		iacis-anu-circi	umstances te	St. 1116 Organi	zation qualines	as a publicly	
	organization						▶ ⊔
b	10%-facts-and-circumstances test-2						
	15 is 10% or more, and if the organiza						
	Explain in Part VI how the organization r	neets the "fact	s-and-circum	stances" test.	The organizatı	on qualifies as	a publicly
	supported organization						▶ 🗆
18	Private foundation. If the organization di	id not check a	box on line 13	, 16a, 16b, 17a	, or 17b, chec	k this box and	see
	instructions				•		

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.

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization ► Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.
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Employer identification number

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Opening Doors a Louisiana Nonprofit Corporation, LLC	38-364535	8
Part I, Line10, Grants and similar amounts paid		••••••
1) Computer Room, VITA Client Access		\$610
2) Donations to Schools	*	\$1,000
3) Summer program, supply books and other educ. material for 135 Head Start children during s	summer break	\$1,274
4) Holiday Super Store, incentive program for Head Start parents, rewards positive actions with	Xmas gifts for 52 children	\$5,647
5) Lives in the Balance Program, giving five Wildwood Elementary teachers the tools to aid at ris	sk children	\$250
6) Parent Recognition, incentive program for Head Start parents with reward for parent, 16 paren	nts	\$1,600
7) Teacher Appreciation at Wildwood Elementary		\$28
9) Youth Camp for disadvantage middle and high school youths, served 32 (+ \$3000 for instruct	ors to Part I, line 13)	\$5,330
10) Donations to help flood victims, support Gardere back to school initiative		\$596
11) Food for Shepherd's Marked pantry, purchased and donated (FMV), served about 18,000 indi	ividuals	\$113,545
12) Turkey Giveaway, free turkeys and sides for food pantry clients for Christmas holiday, serve	d 450 families	\$15,583
	OTAL for Part I, Line10	\$145,463
Part I, Line 16, Other expenses		
1) Operating fees and charges, \$15 General +\$223 Shepherd's Market		\$238
2) Non-food supplies and equipment (including that to be depreciated) for Shepherd,s Market fo	ood pantry	\$2,910
3) Shepherd's Market food pantry's truck expenses		\$2,110
4) Website / computer expenses		\$668
	Total for Part I, Line 16	\$5,926
Part I Line 20, Other changes in net assets or fund balances	····	
1) Depreciation of assets		(\$3,315)
Part II, Line 26, Total Liabilities		
1) Expenses made in 2016 that did not clear by end of year 2016		\$17,200
	Total for Part II, Line 26	\$17,200

Name of the organization	Employer identification number				
Opening Doors a Louisiana Nonprofit Corporation, LLC	_	38-364			
Part III, Line 31, Other program services: See information above for Part I, Line10					
1) Programs listed above for Part I, Line 10 not included in Part III Lines 28, 29, and 30			\$10,688		
2) Varith Camp for disadvantage middle and high cahool verifics income paid to instructors/siz	idaa		#3 000		
2) Youth Camp for disadvantage middle and high school youths; income paid to instructors/ai	des		\$3,000		
	Total for P	art III, Line 31	\$13,688		
					
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