DLN: 93492311004257 **Short Form** OMB No 1545-1150 Form 990-EZ **Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax** 2016 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. Open to Public ► Information about Form 990-EZ and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990. Department of the Treasury Inspection Internal Revenue Service A For the 2016 calendar year, or tax year beginning 01-01-2016 and ending 12-31-2016 **B** Check if applicable C Name of organization D Employer identification number Bubye Valley Conservation Research ☐ Address change 47-2943606 ☐ Name change Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite E Telephone number ☐ Initial return 5424 Sunol 10-235 ☐ Final return/terminated (925) 339-2375 City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code ☐ Amended return Pleasanton, CA 94566 F Group Exemption \square Application pending Number H Check ▶ □ if the organization is not

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Part II Balance Sheets (see the instructions for Part II)			
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22 Cash, savings, and investments	63,802	23	61,925
24 Other assets (describe in Schedule O)	13,000	-	59,823
25 Total assets	76,802		121,748
26 Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O)	70,002	26	121,740
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	76,802	-	121,748
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	ganization engage, directly or indirect s for public office? If "Yes," complete				46		N
	ction 501(c)(3) organizations	·			46		No
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47 Did the ord	ganization engage in lobbying activiti	es or have a section 50	01(h) election in effe	ct during the tax year?			
	omplete Schedule C, Part II		• •		47		No
48 Is the orga	anization a school as described in sec	tion 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)?	If "Yes," complete S	chedule E	48		No
49a Did the org	ganization make any transfers to an e	exempt non-charitable	related organization	?	49a		No
b If "Yes," w	as the related organization a section	527 organization? .			49b		No
	this table for the organization's five h				s and key	employ	/ees)
	ne and title of each employee	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employed benefit plans, and	e of oth	stimated er comp	
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52 Did the	organization complete Schedule A? N	INTE All Section 501(c)(3) organizations r	nust attach a			
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Additional Data

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Name: Bubye Valley Conservation Research

Form 990EZ, Part III - Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

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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, number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title.		` (c	Expenses quired for section 501)(3) and 501(c)(4) panizations; optional for others.)
rapidly Today BVC is home to population of lion in Zimbaby conservation, and the unique	Since lions Panthera leo were re-introduced to BVC in 1999 the population has grown to approximately 20% of Zimbabwes lions. This is not just the largest continuous we but also the densest. Due to the importance of this population for the species management challenges associated with a large fenced population of lion, a long-project was established in 2009.	28a	
(Grants \$ 33,505)	If this amount includes foreign grants, check here $\ . \ . \ . \ \blacktriangleright$		

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Rhino Conservation - Black rhinos Dice	ros bicornis were first introduced to BVC in 2002, and the population growth		
,	slocations from other areas that were unable to protect their rhino		
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P	art II Support Schedule for	Organizations	Described in S	ections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) ar	d 170(b)(1)(A	(vi)
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	III. If the organization fa	ails to qualify un	der the tests lis	ted below, plea:	se complete Par	t III.)	
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	Calendar 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 grant ")						
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						
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						
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6	Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						
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(a)2012	(b) 2013	(c) 2014	(d)2015	(e)2016	(f)Total
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9	Amounts from line 6				167,089					
10a	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources									
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First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's check this box and stop here Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage Public support percentage for 2016 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) Public support percentage from 2015 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage Investment income percentage for 2016 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))

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17 Investment income percentage from 2015 Schedule A, Part III, line 17 18

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Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c,

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(Explain in Part VI)

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more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 33 1/3% support tests - 2015. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3% and line 18 is

not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization 20

Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2016

(Complete only if you checked a box on line 12 of Part I If you checked 12a of Part I, complete Sections A and B If you checked 12b of

	Part I, complete Sections A and C If you checked 12c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E If you checked 12d of Sections A and D, and complete Part V)	Part :	I, comp	olete
Se	ction A. All Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	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			
	ın section 509(a)(1) or (2)	2		
3a	Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c)			
	below	3a		
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		
С	Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes?			
	f "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use			
4-	Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Vos" and if you		1	

	determination		
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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	3с	
4a	Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes" and if you		
	checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below	4a	
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	
С	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	
5a	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		

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	to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section $170(c)(2)(B)$ purposes	4c	
5a	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	
С	Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?	5c	
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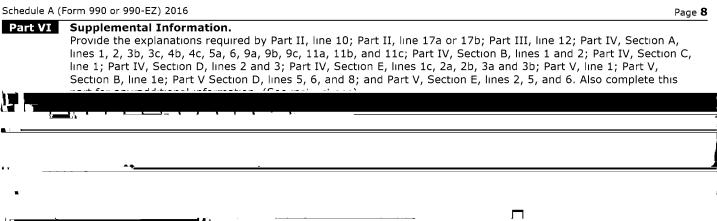
6 ___Did_the_organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other

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	Part V	Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations	
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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) (2016)

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-F7) 2016

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990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information Return Explanation Reference Other Advertising and Promotion \$500 Expenses 1001

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Expenses 1

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information Return Explanation Reference

Other Bank Charges \$393

Expenses 2

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information Return Explanation Reference

Return Reference

Other Dogs - Beginning \$8000 Dogs - Ending \$19750
Assets 1

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

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Other Kennels - Beginning \$5000 Kennels - Ending \$5000
Assets 2

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Explanation

Reference	· ·
Other Assets 3	Portable Radios - Beginning \$0 Portable Radios - Ending \$35073