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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)

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

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990EZ for instructions and the latest information **1809****2017****Open to Public Inspection**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**A** For the 2017 calendar year, or tax year beginning September 1, 2017, and ending August 31, 20 18**B** Check if applicable

- ☐ Address change
☐ Name change
☐ Initial return
☐ Final return/terminated
☐ Amended return
☐ Application pending

C Name of organization **12**Walla Walla Valley Education AssociationNumber and street (or P.O. box, if mail is not delivered to street address) **13**5 W Alder St

Room/suite

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City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code

Walla Walla, WA 9936206**D** Employer identification number **12**910882363**E** Telephone number509-525-7810**F** Group ExemptionNumber ▶ **12****G** Accounting Method ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual Other (specify) ▶**I** Website ▶ www.wvea.org**J** Tax-exempt status (check only one) — ☐ 501(c)(3) ☒ 501(c) (6) ◀ (insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527**H** Check ☒ if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B **12**
(Form 990 990-EZ or 990-PF)**K** Form of organization ☐ Corporation ☐ Trust ☒ Association ☐ 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 ▶ \$ 117,620.29**Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances** (see the instructions for Part I) **12**Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I ☒

		1	2
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received		4,168.00
	2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts		
	3 Membership dues and assessments		113,446.88
	4 Investment income		
	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	
c Less direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events	6c		
d Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c)			
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)		5.41	
9 Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8		117,620.29	
Expenses	10 Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O)		1,500.00
	11 Benefits paid to or for members		
	12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits 12		21,696.91
	13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors 12		
	14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance		7,063.99
	15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping		99.00
	16 Other expenses (describe in Schedule O) 12		84,741.83
	17 Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16		115,101.73
Net Assets	18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)		2,518.56
	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)		89,366.14
	20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)		
	21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20		91,884.70

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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	89,366 14	22 91,884 70
23 Land and buildings		23
24 Other assets (describe in Schedule O)		24
25 Total assets	89,366 14	25 91,884 70
26 Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O)		26
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	89,366 14	27 91,884 70

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? Negotiating contracts for members

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	115,101 73
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	115,101 73

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
Keith Swanson President	20 00	0	0	0
Mario Uribe Saldana Vice-President	10 00	0	0	0
Ted Knauff Secretary/ Treasurer	5 00	0	0	0
Debbie Bailey Executive Board	5 00	0	0	0
Meg Berg Executive Board	5 00	0	0	0
Lori Dohe Executive Board	5 00	0	0	0
Ryan Blake Executive Board	5 00	0	0	0
Felipe Virrueta Executive Board	5 00	0	0	0

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	
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		
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	39a	
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9		
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 40a section 4912 40a section 4955 40a		
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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 40c		
d Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization 40d		
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 41		
42a The organization's books are in care of Walla Walla Valley Education Association Telephone no 509 525-7810 Located at 5 W Alder St, Ste 231, Walla Walla, WA ZIP + 4 99362		
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 42b	42b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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	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"/>
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	
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
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- 48** Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E

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

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

49b		
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- 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 **▶** _____

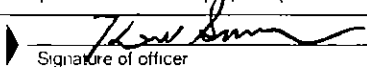
- 51** Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None"

(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	Signature of officer 	Date 1/8/19
	Keith Swanson, President 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 ▶			
	Firm's address ▶	Phone no ▶			

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

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
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
▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information

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Name of the organization
Walla Walla Valley Education Association

Employer identification number
91-0882363

Form 990-EZ, Part 1, Line 8 Other Revenue Interest Income **\$5 41**

Form 990-EZ, Part 1, Line 10 Grants and Similar Amounts Paid **\$500 00** to **Kyndal Locati** **\$500 00** to **Manel Salinas Duran** **\$500 00** to **Tyler**

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Form 990-EZ, Part 1, Line 16, Other Expenses Committee/ Association Expenses **\$12,255 03**

Form 990-EZ, Part 1, Line 16, Other Expenses Conferences/ Conventions **\$7,208 29**

Form 990-EZ, Part 1, Line 16, Other Expenses Insurance **\$329 00**

Form 990-EZ, Part 1, Line 16, Other Expenses Negotiation Expenses **\$10,915 89**

Form 990-EZ, Part 1, Line 16, Other Expenses President's Office **\$40,015 93**

Form 990-EZ, Part 1, Line 16, Other Expenses Office Supplies and Equipment **\$4,372 72**

Form 990-EZ, Part 1, Line 16, Other Expenses Telephone/ Internet **\$2,950 26**

Form 990-EZ, Part 1, Line 16, Other Expenses Agency Fees **\$25 74**

Form 990-EZ, Part 1, Line 16, Other Expenses Taxes Paid and Tax Preparation **\$6,668 97**