

Form **990**
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-0047
2017
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Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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A For the 2017 calendar year, or tax year beginning Oct 1, 2017, and ending Sep 30, 2018

B Check if applicable:
 Address change
 Name change
 Initial return
 Final return/terminated
 Amended return
 Application pending

C Name of organization COLLIN COUNTY FARM BUREAU
 Doing business as _____
 Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
4009 W UNIVERSITY DR
 City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
MCKINNEY, TX 75071

D Employer identification number
75-0819260

E Telephone number
(972) 542-5583

F Name and address of principal officer
JAMES FOSTER, SAME ADDRESS AS "BOX C" ABOVE

G Gross receipts \$ 1,208,368.

H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? Yes No
H(b) Are all subordinates included? Yes No
 If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)

I Tax-exempt status 501(c)(3) 501(c) (5) ◀ (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527

J Website: ▶ N/A

K Form of organization Corporation Trust Association Other ▶

L Year of formation 1950 **M** State of legal domicile TX

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <u>To better the conditions and efficiency of agricultural producers and promote a wholesome and desirable rural life through education, information, and other such programs.</u>		
	2	Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.		
	3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	<u>11</u>
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	<u>11</u>
	5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2017 (Part V, line 2a)	5	<u>29</u>
	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	<u>11</u>
	7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	<u>565,080.</u>
	b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-B, line 24	7b	<u>12,448.</u>	
Revenue	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	<u>524,402.</u>	<u>535,560.</u>
	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		
	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	<u>429.</u>	<u>568.</u>
	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10a, and 11e)	<u>681,295.</u>	<u>672,240.</u>
	12	Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	<u>1,206,126.</u>	<u>1,208,368.</u>
	Expenses	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	<u>6,750.</u>
14		Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		
15		Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)	<u>530,917.</u>	<u>532,379.</u>
16a		Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		
b		Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶		
17		Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)	<u>609,150.</u>	<u>597,475.</u>
18		Total expenses. Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	<u>1,146,817.</u>	<u>1,134,454.</u>
Net Assets or Fund Balances	19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	<u>59,309.</u>	<u>73,914.</u>
	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	<u>1,050,291.</u>	<u>1,123,501.</u>
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	<u>2,014.</u>	<u>1,310.</u>
	22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	<u>1,048,277.</u>	<u>1,122,191.</u>

Part II Signature Block

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: [Signature] Date: 2-11-19

Type or print name and title: PRESIDENT

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name: Patrick Ehlers Preparer's signature: [Signature] Date: 2-5-19 Check if self-employed PTIN: P01278523

Firm's name ▶ Texas Farm Bureau Firm's EIN ▶ 74-1145986

Firm's address ▶ P.O. Box 2689, Waco, TX 76702 Phone no (254) 751-2337

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) Yes No

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III Yes No

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

To better the conditions and efficiency of agricultural producers and promote a wholesome and desirable rural life through education, information, and other such programs.

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? Yes No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

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If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? Yes No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

services? Yes No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i>		X
2 Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> (see instructions)?		X
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i>		X
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>		
5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		X

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

		Yes	No
20 a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		X
b	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>		X
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>		X
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VIII, Section A, line 2, 4, or 5 about compensation of the		

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable		
	Enter the number of Form W-2C included on line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable		

	1a	14		
	1b	0		

Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

Line	Name	Position	Salary	Other Compensation	Total Compensation
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Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees *(continued)*

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(15)										
(16)										
(17)										
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(21)										
(22)										
(23)										
(24)										
(25)										
1b Sub-total							0.	0.	0.	
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A										
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							0.	0.	0.	

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization **0**

3 Did the organization list any **former** officer, director, or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? *If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual*

	Yes	No
3		X

4 For each individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII

			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514	
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a Federated campaigns	1a					
	b Membership dues	1b	535,560.				
	c Fundraising events	1c					
	d Related organizations	1d					
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e					
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f					
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$						
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f ▶		535,560.				
Program Service Revenue	Business Code						
	2a						
	b						
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	e						
	f All other program service revenue .						
g Total. Add lines 2a-2f ▶							
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) ▶		568.	0.	0.	568.	
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds ▶						
	5 Royalties ▶						
	6a Gross rents	(i) Real	105,506.				
		(ii) Personal					
		b Less: rental expenses					
	c Rental income or (loss)		105,506.				
	d Net rental income or (loss) ▶		105,506.	0.	0.	105,506.	
	7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities					
		(ii) Other					
		b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses					
		c Gain or (loss)					
	d Net gain or (loss) ▶						
	8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	a					
		b Less: direct expenses	b				
		c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events . ▶					
	9a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a					
		b Less: direct expenses	b				
		c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities . . ▶					
	10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a					
b Less: cost of goods sold		b					
c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory . . ▶							
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code					
11a INS SERVICE FEES	524298	402,164.	0.	402,164.	0.		
b INS AGENT INCOME	524298	162,796.	0.	162,796.	0.		
c TFB AWARDS	900099	1,500.	0.	0.	1,500.		
d All other revenue		274.	0.	120.	154.		
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d ▶		566,734.					
12 Total revenue. See instructions. ▶		1,208,368.	0.	565,080.	107,728.		

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.

	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	2,800.			
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22	1,800.			
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees				
6 Compensation not included above to disqualified				

Part X Balance Sheet

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing	275,808.	1	347,074.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	201,487.	2	202,095.
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4 Accounts receivable, net	80.	4	
	5 Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	11,551.	9	12,686.
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a 1,056,393.		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	10b 494,747.	561,365.	10c 561,646.
	11 Investments—publicly traded securities		11	
	12 Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13 Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14 Intangible assets		14	
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		15	
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)		1,050,291.	16	1,123,501.
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	2,014.	17	1,310.
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue		19	
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22 Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24	
	25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D		25	
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25		2,014.	26
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.			
	27 Unrestricted net assets		27	
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets		28	
	29 Permanently restricted net assets		29	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.			
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds	1,048,277.	32	1,122,191.
33 Total net assets or fund balances	1,048,277.	33	1,122,191.	
34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	1,050,291.	34	1,123,501.	

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	1,208,368.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	1,134,454.
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	73,914.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X line 33, column (A))	4	1,048,277

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b. Attach to Form 990.

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Name of the organization: COLLIN COUNTY FARM BUREAU; Employer identification number: 75-0819260

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

Table with 3 columns: Question number, (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Includes questions 1-6 regarding donor advised funds.

Part II Conservation Easements.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

Form for Part II Conservation Easements, including questions 1-9 and a table for 'Held at the End of the Tax Year' with rows 2a, 2b, 2c, 2d.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets (continued)

3. Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):
- a Public exhibition
 - b Scholarly research
 - c Preservation for future generations
 - d Loan or exchange programs
 - e Other
4. Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.
5. During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? Yes No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

- 1a. Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? Yes No
- b. If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table:
- | | Amount |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| c Beginning balance | 1c |
| d Additions during the year | 1d |
| e Distributions during the year | 1e |
| f Ending balance | 1f |
- 2a. Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability? Yes No
- b. If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided on Part XIII

Part V Endowment Funds.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance					
b Contributions					
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance					

2. Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:

- a Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶ _____ %
- b Permanent endowment ▶ _____ %
- c Temporarily restricted endowment ▶ _____ %

The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.

3a. Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:

- (i) unrelated organizations
- (ii) related organizations

	Yes	No
3a(i)		
3a(ii)		
3b		

b. If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?

4. Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		12,095.		12,095.
b Buildings		659,845.	217,080.	442,765.
c Leasehold improvements		53,084.	7,297.	45,787.
d Equipment		168,848.	165,690.	3,158.
e Other		162,521.	104,680.	57,841.
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.)				561,646.

Part VII Investments—Other Securities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely-held equity interests		
(3) Other		
(A)		
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(H)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) ▶		

Part VIII Investments—Program Related.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
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Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.) ▶		

Part IX Other Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
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Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.) ▶	

Part X Other Liabilities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
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Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) ▶	

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740). Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII

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.

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Name of the organization

COLLIN COUNTY FARM BUREAU

Employer identification number

75-0819260

Pt III, Line 4d Other Program Services-YOUTH LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE-Sponsored
student(s) to attend the Farm Bureau Youth Leadership Conference. The purpose
of the conference is to give selected high school students in Texas a better
understanding of the various forms of government and educate them on their responsibilities
as citizens. The conference runs three full days and includes lectures, discussions
and films by outstanding authorities in government, history and economics. ADDITIONAL-Members
of the County Farm Bureau are also members of Texas Farm Bureau, a statewide

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

COLLIN COUNTY FARM BUREAU

75-0819260

Pt VI, Line 19: The organization makes its Form 990 and any other required information available to the public upon specific request only.

Other: Pt VI, Line 15-

No officers or directors receive any compensation; therefore, no compensation review is needed.

Other: Pt XII, Line 2a&b-

While the financial statements are not compiled by an "independent" accountant, they are compiled by a separate entity who compiles its financial statements and prepares and files all of its state and federal tax returns/reports. This entity also reconciles the organization's bank statements. The organization pays a fee for these services.