

Form 990-EZ

Short Form

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-0047

2019

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

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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InspectionA For the 2019 calendar year, or tax year beginning **january 1**, 2019, and ending **december 31**, 2019

B Check if applicable	C Name of organization UNITED STEELWORKERS LOCAL UNION 1280	D Employer identification number 55-0707054
<input type="checkbox"/> Address change	Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address)	Room/suite
<input type="checkbox"/> Name change	P.O. BOX 281	
<input type="checkbox"/> Initial return	City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code	
<input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated	FOLLANSBEE WV 26037	
<input type="checkbox"/> Amended return		
<input type="checkbox"/> Application pending		

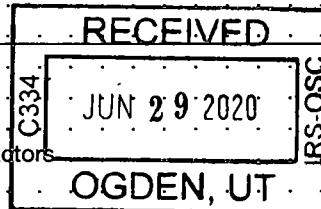
G Accounting Method: Cash Accrual Other (specify) ►

I Website: ►

J Tax-exempt status (check only one) - 501(c)(3) 501(c) (5) (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527K Form of organization: Corporation Trust Association Other **LABOR UNION**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)) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ► \$ **53,461****Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances** (see the instructions for Part I)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I □

	Revenue	Expenses	Net Assets
1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	0
2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	0
3	Membership dues and assessments	3	49,357
4	Investment income	4	311
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	3,793
9	Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8 ►	9	53,461
10	Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O)	10	2,700
11	Benefits paid to or for members	11	0
12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	35,294
13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	206
14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	280
15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	240
16	Other expenses (describe in Schedule O)	16	12,124
17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16 ►	17	50,844
18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	2,617
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	93,590
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	96,207



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	92,585	22
23	Land and buildings	0	23
24	Other assets (describe in Schedule O)	1,005	24
25	Total assets	93,590	25
26	Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O)	0	26
27	Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	93,590	27
			96,207

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? **COLLECTIVE BARGAINING**

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)

28 THE LOCAL ENFORCED THE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT TO BETTER THE WORKING CONDITIONS OF THE LOCAL UNION AND PROVIDE REPRESENTATION TO ITS MEMBERS.

(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here	> <input type="checkbox"/>	28a
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(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
FORREST WIETFELD				
PRESIDENT	2	5,504	0	0
MICHAEL W GILCHRIST JR				
VICE PRESIDENT	2	3,371	0	0
JAMES W GRIMM				
RECORDING SECRETARY	1	4,120	0	0
GEORGE M ADAMS				
FINANCIAL SECRETARY	4	6,451	0	0
FRANK CARROTHERS				
TREASURER	1	2,803	0	0
ROBERT J BURNS				
TRUSTEE	1	200	0	0
LEONARD MONTELEONE				
TRUSTEE	1	0	0	0
BRENT STAUB				
GUIDE	1	0	0	0
KEITH BODNAR				
OUTSIDE GUARD	1	0	0	0
RICK RANIERI				
INSIDE GUARD	1	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

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 ✓

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 ✓

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 ✓

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 ► _____ 40b

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 40c

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 40d

d Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization 40e ✓

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 40f

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 ► _____

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).

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 ► _____

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

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 ✓

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 ✓

c Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year? 44c ✓

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 ✓

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 ✓

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		✓

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

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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 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

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 "

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.

► George M. Adams 6/24/10
Signature of officer Date
► George M. Adams Financial Secretary
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)

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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

UNITED STEELWORKERS LOCAL UNION

Employer identification number

55-0707054

8. VOIDED CHECK 106, REIMBURSEMENT FROM INTERNATIONAL UNION 2335, VENDING MACHINES 1087, SOCIAL RECEIPTS 265.

10. SCHOLARSHIPS 2700.

16. REIMBURSED EXPENSES 2119, EDUCATION/RECREATION 3000, TAXES PAID BY THE LOCAL 3369, WORKERS COMP PREMIUM 659.

COMPANY COMPANY 2521, TAX REFUND 59, DUES TO INTERNATIONAL UNION 397.