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2008 Return of Exempt Organization

Prepared for

Minnesota FAIR Plan

1201 Marquette Ave #310
Minneapolis, MN 55403-4425

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August 26, 2009

Daniel W. Johnson
Minnesota FAIR Plan
1201 Marquette Ave #310
Minneapolis, Mn 55403-4425

2008 Return of Exempt Organization

Dear Dan:

Enclosed are copies of the Federal non-profit tax return for Minnesota FAIR Plan for the year ended December 31, 2008.

The original return should be dated and signed by an authorized corporate officer in accordance with the filing instructions attached to the duplicate copy of the return. The duplicate copy of the return is in the accompanying folder and is for your files.

We suggest that you review this return before signing to ensure that there are no omissions or misstatements of material facts.

Upon examination of a return by a taxing authority, requests may be made for supporting documentation. Therefore, we recommend that you retain all records pertaining to items in this return for a minimum of three years.

We sincerely appreciate this opportunity to serve you. Please contact us if you have any questions concerning the return, or if we may be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

Linda Nelson

Linda M. Nelson, CPA
Tax Manager

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Enclosures

TAX RETURN FILING INSTRUCTIONS

FORM 990

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

DECEMBER 31, 2008

Prepared for	MINNESOTA FAIR PLAN 1201 MARQUETTE AVENUE NO. 310 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55403-4425
Prepared by	OLSEN THIELEN & CO., LTD 2675 LONG LAKE ROAD ST. PAUL, MN 55113
Amount due or refund	NOT APPLICABLE
Make check payable to	NOT APPLICABLE
Mail tax return and check (if applicable) to	DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE CENTER OGDEN, UT 84201-0027
Return must be mailed on or before	NOVEMBER 15, 2009
Special Instructions	THE RETURN SHOULD BE SIGNED AND DATED.

• If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension, complete only Part II** and check this box ▶ [X]

Note. Only complete Part II if you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

• If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension, complete only Part I** (on page 1).

Part II Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time. Only file the original (no copies needed).

Type or print	Name of Exempt Organization	Employer identification number
File by the extended due date for filing the return. See instructions.	MINNESOTA FAIR PLAN	41-0950742
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 1201 MARQUETTE AVENUE, NO. 310	For IRS use only
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55403-4425	

Check type of return to be filed (File a separate application for each return):

[X] Form 990 [ ] Form 990-EZ [ ] Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust) [ ] Form 1041-A [ ] Form 5227 [ ] Form 8870
[ ] Form 990-BL [ ] Form 990-PF [ ] Form 990-T (trust other than above) [ ] Form 4720 [ ] Form 6069

STOP! Do not complete Part II if you were not already granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

• The books are in the care of ▶ THE ORGANIZATION 1201 MARQUETTE AV STE 310 - MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55403-4425

Telephone No. ▶ 612-338-7584 FAX No. ▶ 612-338-4543

• If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box ▶ [ ]

• If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) ______ . If this is for the whole group, check this box ▶ [ ] . If it is for part of the group, check this box ▶ [ ] and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for.

4 I request an additional 3-month extension of time until NOVEMBER 15, 2009.

5 For calendar year 2008 , or other tax year beginning ______ , and ending ______ .

6 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason: [ ] Initial return [ ] Final return [ ] Change in accounting period

7 State in detail why you need the extension
ADDITIONAL TIME IS NEEDED TO ASSEMBLE THE INFORMATION NECESSARY FOR PREPARATION OF A COMPLETE AND ACCURATE RETURN.

8a	If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	8a	$
b	If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit and any amount paid previously with Form 8868.	8b	$
c	**Balance Due.** Subtract line 8b from line 8a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	8c	$ N/A

Signature and Verification

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form.

Signature ▶ Linda M. Nelson Title ▶ CPA Date ▶ 8/13/09

Form **8868** (Rev. 4-2009)

OLSEN THIELEN & CO., LTD
2675 LONG LAKE ROAD
ST. PAUL, MN 55113-1117

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Form **8868** (Rev. April 2009) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

▶ File a separate application for each return.

OMB No. 1545-1709

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension, complete only Part I** and check this box ▶ [X]
- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension, complete only Part II** (on page 2 of this form).

Do not complete Part II unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time. Only submit original (no copies needed).

A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension - check this box and complete Part I only ▶ [ ]

All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns.

Electronic Filing (e-file). Generally, you can electronically file Form 8868 if you want a 3-month automatic extension of time to file one of the returns noted below (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T). However, you cannot file Form 8868 electronically if (1) you want the additional (not automatic) 3-month extension or (2) you file Forms 990-BL, 6069, or 8870, group returns, or a composite or consolidated Form 990-T. Instead, you must submit the fully completed and signed page 2 (Part II) of Form 8868. For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit *www.irs.gov/efile* and click on *e-file for Charities & Nonprofits.*

Type or print	Name of Exempt Organization	Employer identification number
File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.	MINNESOTA FAIR PLAN	41-0950742
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 1201 MARQUETTE AVENUE, SUITE 310	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55403-4425	

Check type of return to be filed (file a separate application for each return):

[X] Form 990	[ ] Form 990-T (corporation)	[ ] Form 4720
[ ] Form 990-BL	[ ] Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	[ ] Form 5227
[ ] Form 990-EZ	[ ] Form 990-T (trust other than above)	[ ] Form 6069
[ ] Form 990-PF	[ ] Form 1041-A	[ ] Form 8870

- The books are in the care of ▶ THE ORGANIZATION 1201 MARQUETTE AV STE 310 - MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55403-4425

  Telephone No. ▶ 612-338-7584 FAX No. ▶
- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box ▶ [ ]
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) ______ . If this is for the whole group, check this box ▶ [ ] . If it is for part of the group, check this box ▶ [ ] and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension will cover.

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6-months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until AUGUST 15, 2009 , to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:

▶ [X] calendar year 2008 or

▶ [ ] tax year beginning ______ , and ending ______ .

2 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason: [ ] Initial return [ ] Final return [ ] Change in accounting period

3a	If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	3a	$
b	If this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit.	3b	$
c	**Balance Due.** Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	3c	$ N/A

Caution. If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions.

Form **990**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

▶ The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

OMB No. 1545-0047

2008

Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning and ending

B Check if applicable: ☐ Address change ☐ Name change ☐ Initial return ☐ Termination ☐ Amended return ☐ Application pending

Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.

C Name of organization
MINNESOTA FAIR PLAN
Doing Business As

Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address): 1201 MARQUETTE AVENUE — Room/suite: 310

City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4: MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55403-4425

F Name and address of principal officer: DANIEL W. JOHNSON
SAME AS C ABOVE

D Employer identification number 41-0950742

E Telephone number 612-338-7584

G Gross receipts $ 6,243,827.

H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? ☐ Yes ☒ No

H(b) Are all affiliates included? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)

H(c) Group exemption number ▶

I Tax-exempt status: ☒ 501(c) (6) ◀ (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527

J Website: ▶ WWW.MNFAIRPLAN.ORG

K Type of organization: ☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other ▶

L Year of formation: 1969 **M** State of legal domicile: MN

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: PROVIDE INSURANCE FOR PROPERTY OWNERS WHEN INSURANCE IS NOT AVAILABLE IN VOLUNTARY MARKETS

2 Check this box ▶ ☐ if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its assets.

3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	9
4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	9
5	Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a)	5	16
6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	0
7a	Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, line 12, column (C)	7a	0.
b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	0.

			Prior Year	Current Year
Revenue	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)		
	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	6,504,728.	5,907,429.
	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	541,078.	306,605.
	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	30,681.	29,793.
	12	Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	7,076,487.	6,243,827.
Expenses	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)		166,000.
	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)	980,221.	1,123,617.
	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-24f)	5,579,467.	4,672,671.
	18	Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	6,559,688.	5,962,288.
	19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	516,799.	281,539.
			Beginning of Year	**End of Year**
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	10,818,960.	10,800,618.
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	4,034,873.	3,704,807.
	22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	6,784,087.	7,095,811.

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

▶ Daniel W Johnson — Signature of officer — Date 8·28·09

▶ DANIEL W. JOHNSON, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer's Use Only

Preparer's signature ▶ Linda M Nelson, CPA — LINDA M. NELSON — Date 8/26/09 — Check if self-employed ▶ ☐ — Preparer's identifying number (see instructions)

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 ▶ OLSEN THIELEN & CO., LTD
2675 LONG LAKE ROAD
ST. PAUL, MN 55113

EIN ▶

Phone no. ▶ 651-483-4521

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

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (see instructions)

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:
TO PROVIDE OWNERS AND TENANTS OF INDIVIDUAL RESIDENCES, SMALL BUSINESS OWNERS, FARMERS AND CO-OP RESIDENTS AN OPPORTUNITY TO PURCHASE LIMITED PROPERTY OR HOMEOWNERS INSURANCE WHEN THE ARE UNABLE TO DO SO IN THE VOLUNTARY MARKET.

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.

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 exempt purpose achievements for each of the organization's three largest program services by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code:) (Expenses $ including grants of $) (Revenue $)
MFP ISSUED 2,192 NEW POLICIES OF INSURANCE DURING 2008 AND 4,987 RENEWAL POLICIES FOR INDIVIDUALS UNABLE TO OBTAIN PROPERTY INSURANCE FROM A PRIVATE INSURER.

4b (Code:) (Expenses $ including grants of $) (Revenue $)

4c (Code:) (Expenses $ including grants of $) (Revenue $)

4d Other program services. (Describe in Schedule O.)
(Expenses $ including grants of $) (Revenue $)

4e **Total program service expenses** ▶ $ *(Must equal Part IX, Line 25, column (B).)*

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)? *If "Yes," complete Schedule A*	1		X
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	2		X
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? *If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I*	3		X
4	**Section 501(c)(3) organizations.** Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? *If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II*	4		
5	**Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations.** Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? *If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III*	5		X
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any accounts where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I*	6		X
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II*	7		X
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III*	8		X
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21; serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV*	9		X
10	Did the organization hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V*	10		X
11	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, lines 10, 12, 13, 15, or 25? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable*	11	X	
12	Did the organization receive an audited financial statement for the year for which it is completing this return that was prepared in accordance with GAAP? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII*	12		X
13	Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? *If "Yes," complete Schedule E*	13		X
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the U.S.?	14a		X
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than $10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the U.S.? *If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I*	14b		X
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than $5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? *If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II*	15		X
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than $5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? *If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III*	16		X
17	Did the organization report more than $15,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 11e? *If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I*	17		X
18	Did the organization report more than $15,000 total on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? *If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II*	18		X
19	Did the organization report more than $15,000 on Part VIII, line 9a? *If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III*	19		X
20	Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? *If "Yes," complete Schedule H*	20		X
21	Did the organization report more than $5,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 1? *If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II*	21	X	
22	Did the organization report more than $5,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 2? *If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III*	22		X
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, questions 3, 4, or 5? *If "Yes," complete Schedule J*	23		X
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than $100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? *If "Yes," answer questions 24b-24d and complete Schedule K. If "No", go to question 25*	24a		X
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		
c	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c		
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		
25a	**Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations.** Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? *If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I*	25a		
b	Did the organization become aware that it had engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person from a prior year? *If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I*	25b		
26	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? *If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II*	26		X
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, or substantial contributor, or to a person related to such an individual? *If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III*	27		X

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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules *(continued)*

			Yes	No
28	During the tax year, did any person who is a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee:			
a	Have a direct business relationship with the organization (other than as an officer, director, trustee, or employee), or an indirect business relationship through ownership of more than 35% in another entity (individually or collectively with other person(s) listed in Part VII, Section A)? *If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV*	28a		X
b	Have a family member who had a direct or indirect business relationship with the organization? *If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV*	28b		X
c	Serve as an officer, director, trustee, key employee, partner, or member of an entity (or a shareholder of a professional corporation) doing business with the organization? *If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV*	28c		X
29	Did the organization receive more than $25,000 in non-cash contributions? *If "Yes," complete Schedule M*	29		X
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? *If "Yes," complete Schedule M*	30		X
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? *If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I*	31		X
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? *If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II*	32		X
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? *If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I*	33		X
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? *If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1*	34		X
35	Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? *If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2*	35		X
36	**Section 501(c)(3) organizations.** Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? *If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2*	36		
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? *If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI*	37		X

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

					Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096, Annual Summary and Transmittal of U.S. Information Returns. Enter -0- if not applicable	1a	103			
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	1b	0			
c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?			1c	X	
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return	2a	16			
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns?			2b	X	
	Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to *e-file* this return. (see instructions)					
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of $1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?			3a		X
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? *If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O*			3b		
4a	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)?			4a		X
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶ See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.					
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?			5a		X
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?			5b		X
c	If "Yes," to question 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, Disclosure by Tax-Exempt Entity Regarding Prohibited Tax Shelter Transaction?			5c		
6a	Did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?			6a		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?			6b		
7	**Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).** N/A					
a	Did the organization provide goods or services in exchange for any quid pro quo contribution of more than $75?			7a		
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?			7b		
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?			7c		
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	7d				
e	Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?			7e		
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?			7f		
g	For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?			7g		
h	For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C as required?			7h		
8	**Section 501(c)(3) and other sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations.** Did the supporting organization, or a fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year? N/A			8		
9	**Section 501(c)(3) and other sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.**					
a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966? N/A			9a		
b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?			9b		
10	**Section 501(c)(7) organizations.** Enter: N/A					
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	10a				
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	10b				
11	**Section 501(c)(12) organizations.** Enter: N/A					
a	Gross income from members or shareholders	11a				
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)	11b				
12a	**Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.** Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?			12a		
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year N/A	12b				

Part VI **Governance, Management, and Disclosure** *(Sections A, B, and C request information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)*

Section A. Governing Body and Management

For each "Yes" response to lines 2-7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8 or 9b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

			Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body	1a 9		
b	Enter the number of voting members that are independent	1b 9		
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	2		X
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?	3		X
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its organizational documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	4		X
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's assets?	5		X
6	Does the organization have members or stockholders?	6	X	
7a	Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body?	7a	X	
b	Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons?	7b		X
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:			
a	The governing body?	8a	X	
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b		X
9a	Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	9a		X
b	If "Yes," does the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with those of the organization?	9b		
10	Was a copy of the Form 990 provided to the organization's governing body before it was filed? All organizations must describe in Schedule O the process, if any, the organization uses to review the Form 990	10		X
11	Is there any officer, director or trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? *If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O*	11		X

Section B. Policies

			Yes	No
12a	Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? *If "No," go to line 13*	12a		X
b	Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	12b		
c	Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? *If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this is done*	12c		
13	Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13		X
14	Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	X	
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision:			
a	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official?	15a	X	
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization? Describe the process in Schedule O. (see instructions)	15b	X	
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?	16a		X
b	If "Yes," has the organization adopted a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and taken steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	16b		

Section C. Disclosure

17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ▶ NONE

18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.

[X] Own website [ ] Another's website [X] Upon request

19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public.

20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization: ▶

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

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

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Use Schedule J-2 if additional space is needed.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation, and **current** key employees. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than $100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than $100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than $10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

☐ Check this box if the organization did not compensate any officer, director, trustee, or key employee.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position: Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	(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
JAMES MELCHIOR CHAIR	1.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
ALEXANDER MCKINNEY III VICE CHAIR	1.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
RENEE TOMATZ SECRETARY	1.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
DANIEL K. JOHNSON TREASURER	1.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
DAN SCHNEEMAN DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
VICKY RIZZOLO DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
EDWARD PRIESTER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
ROGER OOMS DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
TERREL MADSEN DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
DANIEL W. JOHNSON EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	45.00			X		X		118,955.	0.	25,069.

Part VII **Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees** *(continued)*

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply): Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	(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
1b Total ▶								118,955.	0.	25,069.

2 Total number of individuals (including those in 1a) who received more than $100,000 in reportable compensation from the organization ▶ 1

		Yes	No
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*	3		X
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than $150,000? *If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual*	4		X
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization for services rendered to the organization? *If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person*	5		X

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than $100,000 of compensation from the organization.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation

2 Total number of independent contractors (including those in 1) who received more than $100,000 in compensation from the organization ▶ 0

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts						
1 a	Federated campaigns	1a				
b	Membership dues	1b				
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 ▶					
Program Service Revenue		Business Code				
2 a	PREMIUMS EARNED	524298	5907429.	5907429.		
b						
c						
d						
e						
f	All other program service revenue					
g	**Total.** Add lines 2a-2f ▶		5907429.			
Other Revenue						
3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) ▶		306,605.			306,605.
4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds ▶					
5	Royalties ▶					
		(i) Real / (ii) Personal				
6 a	Gross Rents					
b	Less: rental expenses					
c	Rental income or (loss)					
d	Net rental income or (loss) ▶					
7 a	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) ▶					
8 a	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 ▶					
9 a	Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a				
b	Less: direct expenses	b				
c	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities ▶					
10 a	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				
11 a	INSTALLMENT SERVICE FE	524298	24,087.	24,087.		
b	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	900099	5,706.	5,706.		
c						
d	All other revenue					
e	**Total.** Add lines 11a-11d ▶		29,793.			
12	**Total Revenue.** Add lines 1h, 2g, 3, 4, 5, 6d, 7d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e ▶		6243827.	5937222.	0.	306,605.

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) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).

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 governments and organizations in the U.S. See Part IV, line 21	166,000.			
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U.S. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U.S. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	144,024.			
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	678,645.			
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	90,206.			
9 Other employee benefits	149,817.			
10 Payroll taxes	60,925.			
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal	24,160.			
c Accounting	19,045.			
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees				
g Other	30,197.			
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses	200,786.			
14 Information technology	531,923.			
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	76,174.			
17 Travel	8,024.			
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	230.			
23 Insurance	14,596.			
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (Expenses grouped together and labeled miscellaneous may not exceed 5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below.)				
a LOSSES & LOSS ADJ EXPEN	3,014,576.			
b COMMISSIONS	364,711.			
c PREMIUM TAXES	115,271.			
d SURVEYS	73,767.			
e EDUCATION	72,179.			
f All other expenses	127,032.			
25 **Total functional expenses.** Add lines 1 through 24f	5,962,288.			
26 **Joint Costs.** Check here ▶ ☐ if following SOP 98-2. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				

Part X Balance Sheet

			(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing	3,185.	1	16,065.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	10,441,981.	2	10,580,846.
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4	Accounts receivable, net		4	
	5	Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, or other related parties. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6	Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B). 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		9	
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost basis 10a 655,517.			
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation. Complete Part VI of Schedule D 10b 655,517.	230.	10c	0.
	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	373,564.	15	203,707.
	16	**Total assets.** Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	10,818,960.	16	10,800,618.
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	269,057.	17	316,526.
	18	Grants payable		18	
	19	Deferred revenue	2,348,563.	19	2,111,226.
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21	Escrow account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22	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		24	
	25	Other liabilities. Complete Part X of Schedule D	1,417,253.	25	1,277,055.
	26	**Total liabilities.** Add lines 17 through 25	4,034,873.	26	3,704,807.
Net Assets or Fund Balances		**Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ [ ] 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, check here ▶ [X] and complete lines 30 through 34.			
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds	0.	30	0.
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund	0.	31	0.
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds	6,784,087.	32	7,095,811.
	33	Total net assets or fund balances	6,784,087.	33	7,095,811.
	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	10,818,960.	34	10,800,618.

Part XI Financial Statements and Reporting

				Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: [ ] Cash [X] Accrual [ ] Other				
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?		2a		X
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?		2b	X	
c	If "Yes" to lines 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?		2c	X	
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		3a		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits?		3b		

Schedule D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

▶ Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12.

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Name of the organization: MINNESOTA FAIR PLAN

Employer identification number: 41-0950742

Part I — Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6. N/A

		(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1	Total number at end of year		
2	Aggregate contributions to (during year)		
3	Aggregate grants from (during year)		
4	Aggregate value at end of year		

5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? ☐ Yes ☐ No

6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds may be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor or other impermissible private benefit? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Part II — Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7. N/A

1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply).

☐ Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or pleasure)
☐ Preservation of an historically important land area
☐ Protection of natural habitat
☐ Preservation of certified historic structure
☐ Preservation of open space

2 Complete lines 2a-2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year.

			Held at the End of the Year
a	Total number of conservation easements	2a	
b	Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	2b	
c	Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)	2c	
d	Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06	2d	

3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the taxable year ▶ ________

4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ ________

5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? ☐ Yes ☐ No

6 Staff or volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing easements during the year ▶ ________

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing easements during the year ▶ $ ________

8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

9 In Part XIV, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements.

Part III — Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8. N/A

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items.

b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items:

(i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ $ ________

(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ $ ________

2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 relating to these items:

a Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ $ ________

b Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ $ ________

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

3 Using the organization's 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 XIV.

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 Trust, Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

N/A

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 XIV 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? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV.

Part V Endowment Funds. Complete if organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

N/A

	(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 Investment earnings or 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 year end balance held as:

a Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶ ______ %
b Permanent endowment ▶ ______ %
c Term endowment ▶ ______ %

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

		Yes	No
(i) unrelated organizations	3a(i)		
(ii) related organizations	3a(ii)		
b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?	3b		

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

Part VI Investments - Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of investment	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings				
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		655,517.	655,517.	0.
e Other				
Total. Add lines 1a-1e. *(Column (d) should equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)* ▶				0.

Part VII Investments - Other Securities. 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
Financial derivatives and other financial products		
Closely-held equity interests		
Other		
Total. (Col (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12.) ▶		

Part VIII Investments - Program Related. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

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

Part IX Other Assets. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

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

Part X Other Liabilities. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

(a) Description of liability	(b) Amount
Federal income taxes	
UNPAID LOSS & LOSS ADJ EXPENSE	1,277,055.
Total. *(Column (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25.)* ▶	1,277,055.

In Part XIV, 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.

Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Financial Statements

1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	6,243,827.
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	5,962,288.
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	281,539.
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	4	
5	Donated services and use of facilities	5	
6	Investment expenses	6	
7	Prior period adjustments	7	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	8	30,185.
9	Total adjustments (net). Add lines 4-8	9	30,185.
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per financial statements. Combine lines 3 and 9	10	311,724.

Part XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements			1	6,214,034.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:				
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a			
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b			
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d			
e	Add lines 2a through 2d			2e	0.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			3	6,214,034.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:				
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a			
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	29,793.		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b			4c	29,793.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)			5	6,243,827.

Part XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements			1	5,932,495.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:				
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a			
b	Prior year adjustments	2b			
c	Losses reported on Form 990, Part IX, line 25	2c			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	<29,793.>		
e	Add lines 2a through 2d			2e	<29,793.>
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			3	5,962,288.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:				
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a			
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b			
c	Add lines 4a and 4b			4c	0.
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)			5	5,962,288.

Part XIV Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X; Part XI, line 8; Part XII, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b.

PART XI, LINE 8 - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

CHANGE IN NONADMITTED ASSETS, PER STATUTORY BASIS FINANCIAL STATEMENTS: 30185.

PART XII, LINE 4B - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

INCOME NETTED AGAINST EXPENSES ON FINANCIAL STATEMENT, REPORTED AT GROSS ON FORM 990: 29,793.

Part XIV Supplemental Information *(continued)*

PART XIII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

INCOME NETTED AGAINST EXPENSES ON FINANCIAL STATEMENT, REPORTED AT GROSS ON FORM 990: 29,793.

SCHEDULE I
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
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Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations, Governments, and Individuals in the U.S.

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, lines 21 or 22.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990.**

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Employer identification number 41-0950742

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? ..... [X] Yes [ ] No

2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States.

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than $5,000. Check this box if no one recipient received more than $5,000. Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed ... ▶ [ ]

1 (a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
MINNESOTA STATE FIRE CHIEFS ASSOCIATION - 1433 IDAHO AVENUE WEST - ST. PAUL, MN 55108	41-1247114	501(C)(3)	166,000.	0.			PUBLIC FIRE SAFETY EDUCATION CAMPAIGN & ACTIVITIES

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations ..... ▶

3 Enter total number of other organizations ..... ▶

LHA **For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.**

Part III **Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22. Use Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance

Part IV **Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, and any other additional information.

SCHEDULE I, PART I, LINE 2: THE GRANT RECIPIENT, THROUGH ITS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, AGREES TO PROVIDE AN ACCOUNTING AT LEAST ANNUALLY OF THE USE OF THE FUNDS IN ITS CAMPAIGN PROGRAM.

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990)

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Supplemental Information to Form 990

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FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 6: "MEMBER" MEANS AN "INSURER" WHICH IS AUTHORIZED TO WRITE AND IS ENGAGED IN WRITING, WITHIN THIS STATE, ON A DIRECT BASIS, PROPERTY OR LIABILITY INSURANCE OR ANY COMPONENT THEREOF CONTAINED IN A MULTIPERIL POLICY, INCLUDING HOMEOWNERS AND COMMERCIAL MULTIPERIL POLICIES, AND WHO SHALL PARTICIPATE IN THE PLAN AS A CONDITION OF ITS AUTHORITY TO WRITE SUCH KINDS OF INSURANCE WITHIN THIS STATE.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7A: THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ARE ELECTED AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MINNESOTA FAIR PLAN'S MEMBERS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 8B: THERE WERE MEETINGS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE FOR WHICH THERE WERE NO MINUTES OR AGENDAS. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, DANIEL W. JOHNSON, AND FAIR PLAN STAFF DID NOT ATTEND.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 10: THE FORM 990 IS REVIEWED BY THE FAIR PLAN'S ACCOUNTANT AND EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR PRIOR TO FILING WITH THE IRS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15: THE GOVERNING BOARD REVIEWS AND APPROVES THE COMPENSATION FOR THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR. A SALARY SURVEY IS DONE USING WATSON WYATT INFORMATION. A MERIT PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT IS DONE. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR USES THE SAME PROCESS ON THE FAIR PLAN MANAGEMENT.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19: THE ORGANIZATION MAKES IT GOVERNING DOCUMENTS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC BY POSTING THEM ON THE ORGANIZATION'S WEBSITE AND UPON REQUEST.

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PART XI, LINE 2C

NO CHANGES TO THE AUDIT OVERSIGHT PROCESS.