

Form **990**

# 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)

OMB No. 1545-0047

# 2009

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Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

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

**A** For the **2009** calendar year, or tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2009** and ending **JUN 30, 2010**

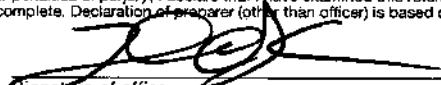
<b>B</b> Check if applicable: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	Please use IRS label or print or type.  See Specific Instructions.	<b>C</b> Name of organization <b>NATIONAL PARKS CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION</b>		<b>D</b> Employer identification number <b>53-0225165</b>
		Doing Business As		<b>E</b> Telephone number <b>202-223-6722</b>
		Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address)	Room/suite	
		<b>777 6TH STREET, NW</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>G</b> Gross receipts \$ <b>43,486,924.</b>
City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 <b>WASHINGTON, DC 20001</b>		<b>H(a)</b> Is this a group return for affiliates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
<b>F</b> Name and address of principal officer: <b>THOMAS KIERNAN</b> <b>SAME AS C ABOVE</b>		<b>H(b)</b> Are all affiliates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)		
<b>I</b> Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) ( 3 ) (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527		<b>H(c)</b> Group exemption number ▶		
<b>J</b> Website: <b>WWW.NPCA.ORG</b>				
<b>K</b> Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶		<b>L</b> Year of formation: <b>1919</b> <b>M</b> State of legal domicile: <b>DC</b>		

## Part I Summary

<b>Activities &amp; Governance</b>	<b>1</b> Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <b>SEE PART III, LINE 1.</b>		
	<b>2</b> Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.		
	<b>3</b> Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	<b>3</b>	<b>27</b>
	<b>4</b> Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	<b>4</b>	<b>26</b>
	<b>5</b> Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a)	<b>5</b>	<b>213</b>
	<b>6</b> Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	<b>6</b>	<b>75</b>
	<b>7a</b> Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	<b>7a</b>	<b>257,891.</b>
<b>b</b> Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	<b>7b</b>	<b>0.</b>	
<b>Revenue</b>	<b>8</b> Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	<b>Prior Year</b>	<b>Current Year</b>
	<b>9</b> Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	<b>22,052,422.</b>	<b>38,675,583.</b>
	<b>10</b> Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	<b>464,646.</b>	<b>1,089,538.</b>
	<b>11</b> Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	<b>856,795.</b>	<b>263,429.</b>
	<b>12</b> Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	<b>551,470.</b>	<b>-1,115,250.</b>
<b>Expenses</b>	<b>13</b> Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	<b>23,925,333.</b>	<b>38,913,300.</b>
	<b>14</b> Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	<b>1,110,361.</b>	<b>1,324,717.</b>
	<b>15</b> Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	<b>14,443,227.</b>	<b>14,351,890.</b>
	<b>16a</b> Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	<b>380,669.</b>	<b>487,875.</b>
	<b>b</b> Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ <b>5,210,837.</b>		
	<b>17</b> Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f)	<b>16,803,234.</b>	<b>17,506,003.</b>
	<b>18</b> Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	<b>32,737,491.</b>	<b>33,670,485.</b>
<b>19</b> Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	<b>-8,812,158.</b>	<b>5,242,815.</b>	
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>20</b> Total assets (Part X, line 16)	<b>Beginning of Current Year</b>	<b>End of Year</b>
	<b>21</b> Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	<b>50,691,951.</b>	<b>59,530,823.</b>
	<b>22</b> Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	<b>3,754,082.</b>	<b>4,461,980.</b>
		<b>46,937,869.</b>	<b>55,068,843.</b>

## 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 ▶  Date **4/20/11**

Signature of officer

**THOMAS KIERNAN, PRESIDENT**  
Type or print name and title

**Paid Preparer's Use Only**

Preparer's signature ▶  Date **4/16/11** Check if self-employed  Preparer's identifying number (see instructions)

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 ▶ **GELMAN, ROSENBERG & FREEDMAN**  
**4550 MONTGOMERY AVE., SUITE 650 NORTH**  
**BETHESDA, MD 20814-2930**

EIN ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ Phone no. ▶ **(301) 951-9090**

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

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

TO PROTECT AND ENHANCE AMERICA'S NATIONAL PARKS FOR PRESENT AND FUTURE GENERATIONS.

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 X

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 X

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 \$ 10225623. including grants of \$ 154,878. ) (Revenue \$ )

PARK RESOURCE PROTECTION:

THESE PROGRAMS PROTECT PARKS FROM EXTERNAL THREATS THAT NEGATIVELY IMPACT, DEGRADE, OR DESTROY PARK RESOURCES OR VALUES, AND SERVE TO PROTECT, RESTORE, AND MAINTAIN PARK, NATURAL, AND CULTURAL RESOURCES UNIMPAIRED FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS. THE NATIONAL PARKS CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION HAS OFFICES ACROSS THE NATION TO ENSURE THAT THREATS TO RESOURCES AT OUR PARKS ARE DETECTED EARLY AND SOLUTIONS TO THESE THREATS IMPLEMENTED QUICKLY. THESE OFFICES ALSO WORK TO SEIZE OPPORTUNITIES TO MEASURE THE HEALTH OF AND IMPROVE THE CONDITION OF THESE RESOURCES.

4b (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 5,798,078. including grants of \$ 1,551. ) (Revenue \$ )

VISITORS EXPERIENCE:

OUR NATIONAL PARKS SHOULD OFFER VISITORS MEMORABLE EXPERIENCES THAT CREATE A SENSE OF WONDER, CURIOSITY AND INSPIRATION. THE NATIONAL PARKS CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION WORKS TO ENSURE THAT VISITORS FROM SCHOOL CHILDREN TO TOURISTS ARE OFFERED INTERPRETIVE EXPERIENCES THAT RELATE THE SPECIAL NATURE OF AMERICA'S HISTORY CULTURE AND LANDSCAPES. THE NATIONAL PARKS CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION ALSO SEEKS TO ENSURE THAT THESE EXPERIENCES ARE UNSULLIED BY THE LOSS OF NATURAL SOUNDS, NATURAL LIGHT OR THE INTRUSION OF INAPPROPRIATE PARKS USES.

4c (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 5,918,246. including grants of \$ 707,641. ) (Revenue \$ )

PARK FUNDING AND MANAGEMENT:

THE ASSOCIATION'S RESEARCH HAS REVEALED THAT THE NATIONAL PARK SYSTEM FACES AN OPERATING FUNDING DEFICIT OF \$750 MILLION OF ITS TOTAL BUDGET, A MAINTENANCE BACKLOG OF ALMOST \$8 BILLION AND A BACKLOG OF LAND ACQUISITION NEEDS WITHIN PARK BOUNDARIES OF ALMOST \$2 BILLION. THE ASSOCIATION IS WORKING CLOSELY WITH THE ADMINISTRATION AND CONGRESS TO SECURE THIS NEEDED FUNDING AND RESTORE THE PARK SYSTEM BY ITS CENTENNIAL. TO ENSURE THAT PARK SERVICE FUNDS ARE WELL SPENT THE ASSOCIATION ALSO PROVIDES MANAGEMENT ADVICE AND CONSULTING SERVICE TO THE NATIONAL PARK SYSTEM.

4d Other program services. (Describe in Schedule O.)

(Expenses \$ 3,873,990. including grants of \$ 460,647. ) (Revenue \$ 831,647. )

4e Total program service expenses \$ 25,815,937.

**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 Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	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	<b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>	X	
5	<b>Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations.</b> Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>	N/A	
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i>		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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>		X
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i>		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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>		X
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>	X	
11	Is the organization's answer to any of the following questions "Yes"? <i>If so, complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable</i>	X	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI.</i></li> <li>• Did the organization report an amount for investments - other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII.</i></li> <li>• Did the organization report an amount for investments - program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII.</i></li> <li>• Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX.</i></li> <li>• Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.</i></li> <li>• Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.</i></li> </ul>		
12	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII.</i>	X	
12A	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional</i>		
		Yes	No
			X
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		X
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
14b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I</i>		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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II</i>		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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III</i>		X
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i>	X	
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>	X	
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		X
20	Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		X

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules** (continued)

	Yes	No
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	X	
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III		X
23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? If "Yes," complete Schedule J	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 lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25		X
b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		
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?		
d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		
25a <b>Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I		X
b Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I		X
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		X
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor, or a grant selection committee member, or to a person related to such an individual? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III		X
28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties, (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):		
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
c An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee of the organization (or a family member) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M		X
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M		X
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I		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		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		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		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		X
36 <b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2		X
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		X
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19?	X	

**Note.** All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O.

**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	59	
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?	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	213	
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? <b>Note.</b> If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file this return. (see instructions)	X	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?	X	
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	X	
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)?		X
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TO 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?		X
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		X
c	If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, Disclosure by Tax-Exempt Entity Regarding Prohibited Tax Shelter Transaction?		
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		
<b>7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).</b>			
a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	X	
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	X	
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?		X
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?		X
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		X
g	For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		
h	For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C as required?		
8	<b>Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations.</b> Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year? <b>N/A</b>		
9	<b>Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.</b>		
a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966? <b>N/A</b>		
b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person? <b>N/A</b>		
<b>10 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:</b>			
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12 <b>N/A</b>		
	10a		
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities		
	10b		
<b>11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:</b>			
a	Gross income from members or shareholders <b>N/A</b>		
	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	<b>Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.</b> 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		
	12b		

**Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure** For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

**Section A. Governing Body and Management**

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body		
1b	Enter the number of voting members that are independent		
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?		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?		X
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its organizational documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		X
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's assets?		X
6	Does the organization have members or stockholders?		X
7a	Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body?		X
7b	Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons?		X
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
8a	The governing body?	X	
8b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	X	
9	Is there any officer, director, 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		X

**Section B. Policies** (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

		Yes	No
10a	Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	X	
10b	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?	X	
11	Has the organization provided a copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	X	
11A	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.		
12a	Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	X	
12b	Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	X	
12c	Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this is done	X	
13	Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	X	
14	Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	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?		
15a	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	X	
15b	Other officers or key employees of the organization	X	
	If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O. (See instructions.)		
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?		X
16b	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?		

**Section C. Disclosure**

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed **SEE SCHEDULE O**
- 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.  
 Own website     Another's website     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: **▶**  
**KEVIN J. BARNHURST - 202-293-8780**  
**777 6TH STREET NW, SUITE 700, WASHINGTON, DC 20001**

**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. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year. 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. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees. See instructions for definition of "key employee."
- 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 current officer, director, or trustee.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(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			
TOM KIERNAN PRESIDENT	40.00	X		X			294,939.	0.	44,382.	
ALAN J. LACY CHAIRMAN	0.50	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
DENIS P. GALVIN VICE CHAIRMAN	0.50	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
SALLY JEWELL VICE CHAIRMAN	0.50	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
THOMAS F. SECUNDA VICE CHAIRMAN	0.50	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
NORMAN C. SELBY TREASURER	0.50	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
DIANA BLANK SECRETARY	0.50	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
DONALD B. AYER TRUSTEE	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.	
WILLIAM R. BERKLEY TRUSTEE	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.	
H. RAYMOND BINGHAM TRUSTEE	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.	
FRANK BONSAI TRUSTEE	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.	
ROBERT F. CALLAHAN TRUSTEE	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.	
JOYCE C. DORIA TREASURER	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.	
JOHN E. HUERTA TRUSTEE	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.	
CAROLE T. HUNTER TRUSTEE	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.	
ROBERT B. KEITER TRUSTEE	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.	
DIRK A. KEMPTHORNE TRUSTEE	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.	

**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)						(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			
WILLIAM H. KURTIS TRUSTEE	0.50	X						0.	0.	0.
STEPHEN H. LOCKHART TRUSTEE	0.50	X						0.	0.	0.
MICHAEL E. MARKS TRUSTEE	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
WILLIAM J. PADE TRUSTEE	0.50	X						0.	0.	0.
WILLIAM B. RESOR TRUSTEE	0.50	X						0.	0.	0.
JAMES T. REYNOLDS TRUSTEE	0.50	X						0.	0.	0.
GREG A. VITAL TRUSTEE	0.50	X						0.	0.	0.
PETER VITOUSEK TRUSTEE	0.50	X						0.	0.	0.
OLENE WALKER TRUSTEE	0.50	X						0.	0.	0.
H. WILLIAM WALTER TRUSTEE	0.50	X						0.	0.	0.
<b>1b Total</b>								<b>1,873,189.</b>	<b>0.</b>	<b>224,954.</b>

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in reportable compensation from the organization **27**

	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		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	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		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
PRODUCTION SOLUTIONS, 1953 GALLOWS RD., SUITE 600, VIENNA, VA 22182	MAIL HOUSE/PRINTING SERVICES	4,779,079.
NAMES IN THE NEWS 180 GRAND AVE, STE 1545, OAKLAND, CA 94596	MAILING LIST SERVICE	552,058.
RR DONNELLY P.O. BOX 730216, DALLAS, TX 75373	MAGAZINE PRINTING & DISTRIBUTION	470,316.
DONOR SERVICES GROUP, 11500 W. OLYMPIC BLVD #540, LOS ANGELES, CA 90064	FUNDRAISING CONSULTANT	429,126.
MERKLE 100 JAMISON CT, HAGERSTOWN, MD 21740	CAGING COMPANY	344,721.
2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in compensation from the organization		<b>11</b>

SEE SCHEDULE J-2 FOR PART VII, SECTION A CONTINUATION

Part VII 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 254,258.				
	b Membership dues	1b				
	c Fundraising events	1c 2203165.				
	d Related organizations	1d				
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e 36,450.				
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f 36,181,710.				
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$					
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f		38,675,583.			
Program Service Revenue	2 a MEMBERSHIP DUES	Business Code 900099	828,864.	828,864.		
	b PUBLICATION	541800	260,674.	2,783.	257,891.	
	c					
	d					
	e					
	f All other program service revenue					
	g Total. Add lines 2a-2f		1089538.			
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		718,108.		718,108.	
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds					
	5 Royalties		89,652.		89,652.	
	6 a Gross Rents	(i) Real	20,609.			
		(ii) Personal				
		b Less: rental expenses				
		c Rental income or (loss)	20,609.			
	d Net rental income or (loss)		20,609.		20,609.	
	7 a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	2,718,303.			
		(ii) Other				
		b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	3,172,982.			
		c Gain or (loss)	-454,679.			
	d Net gain or (loss)		-454,679.		-454,679.	
	8 a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 2,203,165. of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	a	130616.			
		b Less: direct expenses	1,400,642.			
c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events			-1,270,026.		-1,270,026.	
9 a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a					
	b Less: direct expenses					
	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					
	c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory					
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code				
11 a MISCELLANEOUS	900099	44,515.		44,515.		
	b					
	c					
	d All other revenue					
	e Total. Add lines 11a-11d		44,515.			
12 Total revenue. See instructions.		38,913,300.	831,647.	257,891.	-851821.	

**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	1,324,717.	1,324,717.		
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	1,386,158.	1,148,829.	43,118.	194,211.
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	11,291,383.	9,011,640.	303,575.	1,976,168.
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	740,629.	588,594.	19,900.	132,135.
9 Other employee benefits	17,455.	17,334.	106.	15.
10 Payroll taxes	916,265.	734,232.	25,008.	157,025.
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal	94,008.	83,228.	3,972.	6,808.
c Accounting	49,553.	43,871.	2,094.	3,588.
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17	487,875.			487,875.
f Investment management fees				
g Other	4,406,012.	4,105,893.	290,339.	9,780.
12 Advertising and promotion	212,482.	106,434.	30,806.	75,242.
13 Office expenses	8,062,083.	4,821,977.	1,598,657.	1,641,449.
14 Information technology	801,056.	709,203.	33,844.	58,009.
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	1,881,968.	1,450,242.	227,058.	204,668.
17 Travel	1,317,280.	1,207,121.	2,298.	107,861.
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	29,041.	26,618.	234.	2,189.
20 Interest	59,105.	29,606.	8,569.	20,930.
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	88,176.	68,038.	10,586.	9,552.
23 Insurance				
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 <b>EQUIP. RENTAL/MAINT.</b>	154,842.	132,959.	10,183.	11,700.
b <b>TRAINING &amp; DEVELOPMENT</b>	131,106.	65,672.	19,008.	46,426.
c <b>PUB, SUBSCRIP, &amp; DUES</b>	96,230.	90,548.	436.	5,246.
d <b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>	65,674.	32,896.	9,522.	23,256.
e <b>BAD DEBTS EXPENSE</b>	32,511.	16,285.	4,714.	11,512.
f All other expenses	24,876.		-316.	25,192.
25 <b>Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 1 through 24f	33,670,485.	25,815,937.	2,643,711.	5,210,837.
26 <b>Joint costs.</b> Check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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 ...	4,192,338.	2,217,016.	1,057,407.	917,915.

**Part X Balance Sheet**

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year	
Assets	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing	400.	1	22,900.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	6,596,752.	2	7,792,749.
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	22,883,987.	3	26,417,487.
	4	Accounts receivable, net	42,197.	4	60,338.
	5	Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. 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	197,535.	9	72,073.
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a 1,123,503.		
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation	10b 839,720.	10c	283,783.
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities	17,839,652.	11	20,981,947.
	12	Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13	Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11	2,960,830.	13	3,851,685.
	14	Intangible assets		14	
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	61,238.	15	47,861.
16	<b>Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	50,691,951.	16	59,530,823.	
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	2,197,158.	17	2,251,249.
	18	Grants payable		18	
	19	Deferred revenue	112,743.	19	806,985.
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21	Escrow or custodial 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 to unrelated third parties		24	
	25	Other liabilities. Complete Part X of Schedule D	1,444,181.	25	1,403,746.
	26	<b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25	3,754,082.	26	4,461,980.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.</b>				
	27	Unrestricted net assets	6,734,976.	27	6,134,658.
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets	26,113,583.	28	34,794,875.
	29	Permanently restricted net assets	14,089,310.	29	14,139,310.
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 30 through 34.</b>				
	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		32	
33	<b>Total net assets or fund balances</b>	46,937,869.	33	55,068,843.	
34	<b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b>	50,691,951.	34	59,530,823.	

**Part XI Financial Statements and Reporting**

		Yes	No
<b>1</b>	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.		
<b>2a</b>	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? .....		<b>X</b>
<b>2b</b>	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? .....	<b>X</b>	
<b>2c</b>	If "Yes" to line 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? .....	<b>X</b>	
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.		
<b>d</b>	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were issued on a consolidated basis, separate basis, or both: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		
<b>3a</b>	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? .....		<b>X</b>
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits. ....		

Form 990 (2009)

**SCHEDULE A**  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

**Public Charity Status and Public Support**

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2009**

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

Name of the organization **NATIONAL PARKS CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION** Employer identification number **53-0225165**

**Part I Reason for Public Charity Status** (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box.)

- 1  A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).
- 2  A school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Attach Schedule E.)
- 3  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).
- 4  A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: \_\_\_\_\_
- 5  An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Complete Part II.)
- 6  A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).
- 7  An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.)
- 8  A community trust described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.)
- 9  An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions - subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See section 509(a)(2). (Complete Part III.)
- 10  An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See section 509(a)(4).
- 11  An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2). See section 509(a)(3). Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h.
  - a  Type I
  - b  Type II
  - c  Type III - Functionally integrated
  - d  Type III - Other
- e  By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2).
- f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box
- g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?
 

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

  - (i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization? \_\_\_\_\_
  - (ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above? \_\_\_\_\_
  - (iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above? \_\_\_\_\_
- h Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col. (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col. (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col. (i) organized in the U.S.?		(vii) Amount of support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
<b>Total</b>									

**Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	25,289,960.	26,236,416.	58,731,688.	22,052,422.	38,675,583.	170,986,069.
<b>2</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
<b>3</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
<b>4 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3	25,289,960.	26,236,416.	58,731,688.	22,052,422.	38,675,583.	170,986,069.
<b>5</b> The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						49,141,843.
<b>6 Public support.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4.						121,844,226.

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
<b>7</b> Amounts from line 4	25,289,960.	26,236,416.	58,731,688.	22,052,422.	38,675,583.	170,986,069.
<b>8</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	1,063,975.	1,018,217.	1,254,346.	1,330,719.	828,369.	5,495,626.
<b>9</b> Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
<b>10</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)	34,532.	266,109.	138,768.	37,428.	44,515.	521,352.
<b>11 Total support.</b> Add lines 7 through 10						177,003,047.
<b>12</b> Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	5,736,312.
<b>13 First five years.</b> If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here <input type="checkbox"/>						

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

<b>14</b> Public support percentage for 2009 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	<b>14</b>	68.84 %
<b>15</b> Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	<b>15</b>	68.03 %
<b>16a 33 1/3% support test - 2009.</b> If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
<b>b 33 1/3% support test - 2008.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>17a 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2009.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>b 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2008.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>18 Private foundation.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions <input type="checkbox"/>		

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)** (Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						
14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here <input type="checkbox"/>						

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

15 Public support percentage for 2009 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	%

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

17 Investment income percentage for 2009 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	%

19a **33 1/3% support tests - 2009.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b **33 1/3% support tests - 2008.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

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

**Schedule B**

(Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

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**Schedule of Contributors**

▶ Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF.

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**2009**

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

**NATIONAL PARKS CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION**

**53-0225165**

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)( 3 ) (enter number) organization

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust not treated as a private foundation

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

**Note.** Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

**General Rule**

For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II.

**Special Rules**

For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, aggregate contributions of more than \$1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not aggregate to more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year. ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Caution.** An organization that is not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules does not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2 of its Form 990, or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ, or on line 2 of its Form 990-PF, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

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Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2009)

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**Part I Contributors** (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
<u>1</u>	 <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>3,037,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
<u>2</u>	 <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>8,254,510.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
<u>3</u>	 <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>1,000,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
<u>4</u>	 <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>850,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
<u>5</u>	 <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>1,000,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
	 <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ _____	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

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**Part II Noncash Property** (see instructions)

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
	   	\$ _____	_____
	   	\$ _____	_____
	   	\$ _____	_____
	   	\$ _____	_____
	   	\$ _____	_____
	   	\$ _____	_____
	   	\$ _____	_____
	   	\$ _____	_____

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**Part III** Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., individual contributions to section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organizations aggregating more than \$1,000 for the year. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions.) ▶ \$

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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**(e) Transfer of gift**

Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4

Relationship of transferor to transferee

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**(e) Transfer of gift**

Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4

Relationship of transferor to transferee

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**(e) Transfer of gift**

Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4

Relationship of transferor to transferee

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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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**(e) Transfer of gift**

Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4

Relationship of transferor to transferee

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**SCHEDULE C**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

**Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities**  
For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

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▶ **Complete if the organization is described below.**  
▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.** ▶ **See separate instructions.**

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and B. Do not complete Part I-C.
- Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and C below. Do not complete Part I-B.
- Section 527 organizations: Complete Part I-A only.

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-A. Do not complete Part II-B.
- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-B. Do not complete Part II-A.

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 5 (Proxy Tax), then

- Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations: Complete Part III.

Name of organization <b>NATIONAL PARKS CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION</b>	Employer identification number <b>53-0225165</b>
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**Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.**

- 1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV.
- 2 Political expenditures ..... ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 Volunteer hours .....

**Part I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3).**

- 1 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955 ..... ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955 ..... ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year? .....  Yes  No
- 4a Was a correction made? .....  Yes  No
- b If "Yes," describe in Part IV.

**Part I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).**

- 1 Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities ..... ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities ..... ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 Total exempt function expenditures. Add lines 1 and 2. Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b ..... ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 Did the filing organization file Form 1120-POL for this year? .....  Yes  No
- 5 Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which payments were made. For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization's funds. Also enter the amount of political contributions received that were promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a political action committee (PAC). If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV.

(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization. If none, enter -0-.

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**Part II-A** Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

- A Check  if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group.  
 B Check  if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply.

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)		(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals												
1a	Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)														
b	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)	546,451.													
c	Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)	546,451.													
d	Other exempt purpose expenditures	33071735.													
e	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)	33618186.													
f	Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table in both columns.	1,000,000.													
<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:</th> <th>The lobbying nontaxable amount is:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Not over \$500,000</td> <td>20% of the amount on line 1e.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000</td> <td>\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000</td> <td>\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$1,000,000.</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:	Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e.	Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000.	Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.	Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000.	Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000.		
If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:														
Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e.														
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000.														
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.														
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000.														
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000.														
g	Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)	250,000.													
h	Subtract line 1g from line 1a. If zero or less, enter -0-	0.													
i	Subtract line 1f from line 1c. If zero or less, enter -0-	0.													
j	If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No												

**4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)**  
 (Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the instructions for lines 2a through 2f on page 4.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2006	(b) 2007	(c) 2008	(d) 2009	(e) Total	
2a	Lobbying nontaxable amount	1,000,000.	1,000,000.	1,000,000.	1,000,000.	4,000,000.
b	Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					6,000,000.
c	Total lobbying expenditures	222,175.	537,555.	598,895.	546,451.	1,905,076.
d	Grassroots nontaxable amount	250,000.	250,000.	250,000.	250,000.	1,000,000.
e	Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					1,500,000.
f	Grassroots lobbying expenditures	18,511.	180,333.	2,811.		201,655.

**Part II-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and has NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).**

	(a)		(b)
	Yes	No	Amount
<b>1</b> During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of:			
<b>a</b> Volunteers?			
<b>b</b> Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1j)?			
<b>c</b> Media advertisements?			
<b>d</b> Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?			
<b>e</b> Publications, or published or broadcast statements?			
<b>f</b> Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?			
<b>g</b> Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?			
<b>h</b> Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?			
<b>i</b> Other activities? If "Yes," describe in Part IV			
<b>j</b> Total. Add lines 1c through 1i			
<b>2a</b> Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?			
<b>b</b> If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912			
<b>c</b> If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912			
<b>d</b> If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?			

**Part III-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6).**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?	1	
<b>2</b> Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?	2	
<b>3</b> Did the organization agree to carryover lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?	3	

**Part III-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) if BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2 are answered "No" OR if Part III-A, line 3 is answered "Yes."**

<b>1</b> Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	1	
<b>2</b> Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).		
<b>a</b> Current year	2a	
<b>b</b> Carryover from last year	2b	
<b>c</b> Total	2c	
<b>3</b> Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	3	
<b>4</b> If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and political expenditure next year?	4	
<b>5</b> Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)	5	

**Part IV Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1; Part I-B, line 4; Part I-C, line 5; and Part II-B, line 1i. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

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**Schedule D**  
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplemental Financial Statements**

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12.  
▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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**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.

	(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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		

**Part II Conservation Easements.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

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 a certified historic structure

Preservation of open space

2 Complete lines 2a through 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 Tax 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 tax 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, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?  Yes  No

6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation 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.

- 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 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 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 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.

- 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 the organization answered "Yes" to 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	14,089,310.	12,588,310.			
b Contributions	50,000.	150,100.			
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	14,139,310.	14,089,310.			

- 2 Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as:
- a Board designated or quasi-endowment  %
  - b Permanent endowment  100.00 %
  - 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 |     | X  |
| (ii) related organizations  |     | X  |
- b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?
- 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) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings				
c Leasehold improvements		121,310.	107,327.	13,983.
d Equipment		655,023.	478,061.	176,962.
e Other		347,170.	254,332.	92,838.
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				283,783.



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

1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	38,913,300.
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	33,670,485.
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	5,242,815.
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	4	2,888,159.
5	Donated services and use of facilities	5	
6	Investment expenses	6	
7	Prior period adjustments	7	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	8	
9	Total adjustments (net). Add lines 4 through 8	9	2,888,159.
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per audited financial statements. Combine lines 3 and 9	10	8,130,974.

**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	45,180,367.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:		
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a	2,888,159.
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	1,978,266.
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	2d	1,400,642.
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	6,267,067.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	38,913,300.
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	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)	5	38,913,300.

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

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	37,049,393.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	1,978,266.
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Other losses	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	2d	1,400,642.
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	3,378,908.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	33,670,485.
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 must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	5	33,670,485.

**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, line 2; Part XI, line 8; Part XII, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

**PART V, LINE 4: PARK PROTECTION ENDOWMENT: ITS PURPOSE IS TO ENHANCE**

**THE LONG TERM FINANCIAL BASE OF THE ASSOCIATION IN ORDER TO CONSISTENTLY**

**PROPEL THE ORGANIZATION TOWARDS PROTECTING AND ENHANCING AMERICA'S**

**NATIONAL PARKS FOR PRESENT AND FUTURE GENERATIONS.**

**EDAR ENDOWMENT:FOR THE PURPOSE OF CREATING A PERMANENT MEMORIAL ENDOWMENT**

**FUND TO FURTHER THE MISSION OF THE ASSOCIATION.**

**FRANK H. FILLEY AND FAMILY ENDOWMENT FUND: ESTABLISHED AS AN ENDOWMENT**

**Part XIV** Supplemental Information (continued)

GENERALLY SUPPORTING THE ACTIVITIES OF THE ASSOCIATION.

H. WILLIAM WALTER ENDOWED INTERNSHIP PROGRAM: THE INVESTMENT INCOME IS TO SUPPORT AN INTERNSHIP PROGRAM AT THE ASSOCIATION, SO THAT COLLEGE AND GRADUATE STUDENTS CAN HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO GAIN EXPERIENCE, POSSIBLY LEADING TO CAREERS IN PARK CONSERVATION.

STEPHEN TYNG MATHER AWARD: THE INVESTMENT INCOME OF THE FUND IS SPECIFICALLY DIRECTED TO BE USED TO OFFSET THE COST OF THE AWARD, GIVEN EACH YEAR TO A DESERVING NATIONAL PARK SERVICE EMPLOYEE WHO HAS EXHIBITED EXEMPLARY AND DISTINGUISHED PERFORMANCE IN PARK PROTECTION AND ENHANCEMENT.

GENERAL NATIONAL PARKS CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION ENDOWMENT FUND: THIS ENDOWMENT WAS INITIATED THROUGH THE GENEROSITY OF JOHN AND JANE STRANDBERG WHO INDICATED A DESIRE TO FUND A GENERAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ASSOCIATION.

NORMAN G. COHEN PARK EDUCATION ENDOWMENT: EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES THAT HELP THEM APPRECIATE AND UNDERSTAND THE NATIONAL PARKS.

YELLOWSTONE CONSERVATION FUND ENDOWMENT: INCOME FROM THE FUND MAY BE USED TO SUPPORT ANY TYPE OF STRATEGY OR PROJECT TO PROTECT THE NATIONAL PARK AND ITS SURROUNDINGS.

NORTHEAST REGIONAL OFFICE (NERO) ENDOWMENT: INCOME FROM THIS FUND MAY BE USED FOR ASSOCIATION WORK THAT DIRECTLY SUPPORTS NERO, FOR NERO STAFF SALARIES AND/OR BENEFITS, CONSULTANTS, DIRECT OPERATING EXPENSES, OFFICE SPACE, OR OTHER REASONABLE AND NECESSARY EXPENSES TO MAINTAIN AN EFFECTIVE PRESENCE IN THE NORTHEAST REGION.

PART X: IN JUNE 2006, THE FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING STANDARDS BOARD (FASB) RELEASED FASB ASC 740-10, INCOME TAXES, THAT PROVIDES GUIDANCE FOR REPORTING UNCERTAINTY IN INCOME TAXES. FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2010, THE ASSOCIATION HAS DOCUMENTED ITS CONSIDERATION OF FASB ASC 740-10 AND

**Part XIV** Supplemental Information (continued)

DETERMINED THAT NO MATERIAL UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS QUALIFY FOR EITHER RECOGNITION OR DISCLOSURE IN THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

PART XII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

SPECIAL EVENT EXPENSES REPORTED AS EXPENSE ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT AND NETTED AGAINST REVENUE ON PART I, LINE 8B.

PART XIII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

SPECIAL EVENT EXPENSES REPORTED AS EXPENSE ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT AND NETTED AGAINST REVENUE ON PART I, LINE 8B.



**Part II Fundraising Events.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events (add col. (a) through col. (c))	
		ANNUAL DINNER (event type)	NEW YORK GALA (event type)	NONE (total number)		
Revenue	1	Gross receipts	244,591.	2,089,190.		2,333,781.
	2	Less: Charitable contributions	188,575.	2,014,590.		2,203,165.
	3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	56,016.	74,600.		130,616.
Direct Expenses	4	Cash prizes				
	5	Noncash prizes				
	6	Rent/facility costs	15,500.	5,950.		21,450.
	7	Food and beverages	52,707.	142,926.		195,633.
	8	Entertainment	875.	71,414.		72,289.
	9	Other direct expenses		1,111,270.		1,111,270.
	10	Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)				( 1,400,642 )
11	Net income summary. Combine line 3, column (d), and line 10				-1,270,026.	

**Part III Gaming.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col. (a) through col. (c))
Revenue	1	Gross revenue			
Direct Expenses	2	Cash prizes			
	3	Noncash prizes			
	4	Rent/facility costs			
	5	Other direct expenses			
	6	Volunteer labor	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No
7	Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d)				( _____ )
8	Net gaming income summary. Combine line 1, column (d), and line 7				

	Yes	No
9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities: _____ a Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states? _____ b If "No," explain: _____	9a	
10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year? _____ b If "Yes," explain: _____	10a	
11 Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers? _____	11	
12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? _____	12	

**13** Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in:

- |                                     |     |   |
|-------------------------------------|-----|---|
| a The organization's facility ..... | 13a | % |
| b An outside facility .....         | 13b | % |

**14** Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:

Name ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

Address ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

**15a** Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue? ..... **15a**

b If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

c If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party:

Name ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

Address ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

**16** Gaming manager information:

Name ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Description of services provided ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

- Director/officer     
  Employee     
  Independent contractor

**17** Mandatory distributions:

a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license? .....

b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**17a**

	Yes	No

**SCHEDULE I  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,  
Governments, and Individuals in the United States**

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

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**53-0225165**

**NATIONAL PARKS CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION**

**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?  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" to 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 J-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
NATIONAL PARKS FOUNDATION 1201 EYE STREET, NW, SUITE 5508 WASHINGTON, DC 20005	52-1086761	501(C)(3)	706,000.	0.			IMPROVING NATIONAL PARKS.
NATIONAL WILDLIFE FEDERATION 11100 WILDLIFE CENTER DRIVE RESTON, VA 20190	53-0204616	501(C)(3)	468,787.	0.			IMPROVING NATIONAL PARKS.
SOUTH FLORIDA PARKS TRUST 1390 SOUTH DIXIE HIGHWAY SUITE 2203 CORAL GABLES, FL 33146	13-4341209	501(C)(3)	118,500.	0.			IMPROVING NATIONAL PARKS.

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

**3** Enter total number of other organizations ..... **0.**

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**Part III** Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22. Use Part IV and 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: GRANTS ARE ONLY AWARDED TO OTHERS WHO ARE PARTNERING IN THE SAME PROJECTS TOWARD MUTUAL GOAL OF BENEFITTING NATIONAL PARKS. THESE ORGANIZATIONS PROVIDE BUDGETS TO NATIONAL PARKS THAT DETAIL THE EXPENDITURES THAT GRANT FUNDS ARE USED FOR.**

**SCHEDULE J  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Compensation Information**

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 23.

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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**Part I Questions Regarding Compensation**

	Yes	No
<b>1a</b> Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items. <input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel <input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions <input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account <input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence <input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)		
<b>b</b> If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain	<b>1b</b>	
<b>2</b> Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all officers, directors, trustees, and the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b> Indicate which, if any, of the following the organization uses to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations <input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee		
<b>4</b> During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization: <b>a</b> Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment? <b>b</b> Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan? <b>c</b> Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement? If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.	<b>4a</b> <b>4b</b> <b>4c</b>	<b>X</b> <b>X</b> <b>X</b>
<b>Only section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete lines 5-9.</b>		
<b>5</b> For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of: <b>a</b> The organization? <b>b</b> Any related organization? If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.	<b>5a</b> <b>5b</b>	<b>X</b> <b>X</b>
<b>6</b> For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of: <b>a</b> The organization? <b>b</b> Any related organization? If "Yes" to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.	<b>6a</b> <b>6b</b>	<b>X</b> <b>X</b>
<b>7</b> For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III	<b>7</b>	<b>X</b>
<b>8</b> Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regs. section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III	<b>8</b>	<b>X</b>
<b>9</b> If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?	<b>9</b>	

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Schedule J (Form 990) 2009

**NATIONAL PARKS CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION 53-0225165**

**Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees.** Use Schedule J-1 if additional space is needed.  
 For each individual whose compensation must be reported in Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii).  
 Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII.

**Note.** The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) must equal the applicable column (D) or column (E) amounts on Form 990, Part VII, line 1a.

(A) Name	(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported in prior Form 990 or Form 990-EZ
	(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
(i) TOM KIERNAN	261,339.	33,600.	0.	36,750.	7,632.	339,321.	0.
(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(i) THERESA PIERNO	167,808.	0.	0.	13,646.	5,292.	186,746.	0.
(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(i) RON TIPTON	158,952.	0.	0.	12,740.	2,880.	174,572.	0.
(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(i) RAY FOOTE	152,140.	0.	0.	12,922.	10,152.	175,214.	0.
(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(i) JAMES NATIONS	164,248.	0.	0.	13,362.	6,155.	183,765.	0.
(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(i) KEN TICHELBAUT	166,284.	0.	0.	12,345.	4,512.	183,141.	0.
(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(i) CRAIG OBEY	144,771.	0.	0.	12,028.	2,700.	159,499.	0.
(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(i)							
(ii)							
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(i)							
(ii)							

**SCHEDULE J-2**  
**(Form 990)**

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**Continuation Sheet for Form 990**

▶ Attach to Form 990 to list additional information for Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a.  
▶ See the instructions for Form 990.

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**Part I Continuation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees**

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(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			
THERESA PIERNO VICE PRESIDENT	40.00			X				167,808.	0.	18,938.
RON TIPTON SR. VICE PRESIDENT	40.00			X				158,952.	0.	15,620.
KAREN ALLEN V.P. H.R.	40.00			X				108,544.	0.	14,954.
RAY FOOTE VP DEVELOP.	40.00				X			152,140.	0.	23,074.
JAMES NATIONS VP STATE PARKS	40.00				X			164,248.	0.	19,517.
KEN TICHELBAUT VP CENTER FOR PARK MGMT.	40.00				X			166,284.	0.	16,857.
LORAN FRASER E.D. NPC 2ND COMMISSION	40.00					X		134,099.	0.	10,630.
CRAIG OBEY V.P. GOV'T AFFAIRS	40.00					X		144,771.	0.	14,728.
MARK WENZLER DIR. CLEAN AIR & CLIMATE	40.00					X		129,794.	0.	14,786.
ALEXANDER BRASH SENIOR DIRECTOR	40.00					X		126,878.	0.	20,894.
ELIZABETH BORG SR. REGIONAL DIR.	40.00					X		124,732.	0.	10,574.

SCHEDULE O  
(Form 990)

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Supplemental Information to Form 990

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on  
Form 990 or to provide any additional information.  
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FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4D, OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES:

PUBLIC ADVOCACY:

AMERICANS HAVE ALWAYS BEEN DRAWN TO THE NATIONAL PARKS FOR BEAUTY,  
SOLACE, AND INSPIRATION. IN UNCERTAIN AND TROUBLING TIMES, THE PARKS  
BECOME EVEN MORE POTENT SYMBOLS OF OUR HISTORY AND CULTURE. THIS  
PROGRAM SEEKS TO ENHANCE THE AWARENESS OF MEMBERS, INDIVIDUALS,  
COMPANIES AND NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS REGARDING NATIONAL PARK ISSUES  
AND TO GALVANIZE THAT GROUP INTO TAKING ACTION TO PROTECT THE PARKS.  
EXPENSES \$ 3873990. INCLUDING GRANTS OF \$ 460647. REVENUE \$ 831647.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11: THE 990, ONCE RECEIVED FROM THE  
HIRED PREPARER, IS REVIEWED BY NPCA VP OF FINANCE, KEVIN BARNHURST AND  
THERESA PIERNO, EVP. IF APPROVED THE 990 GOES TO TOM KIERNAN, PRESIDENT,  
NPCA FOR SIGNATURE, THEN TO THE BOARD FOR REVIEW BEFORE SUBMISSION.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C: EMPLOYEES OF ALL LEVELS ARE  
SURVEYED EACH YEAR REGARDING CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. IF A CONFLICT OF  
INTEREST AROSE, THE ORGANIZATION WOULD SEEK REMUNERATION, IF NEEDED AND END  
ANY FUTURE OCCURRENCES.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15: THE PROCESS FOR DETERMINING  
COMPENSATION OF THE ORGANIZATION'S OFFICERS INCLUDES A REVIEW BY THE BOARD.  
THERE IS USE OF COMPARABILITY DATA AND THE BOARDS' DECISION IS DOCUMENTED.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 17, LIST OF STATES RECEIVING COPY OF FORM 990:

AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, FL, GA, HI, IL, KS, KY, LA, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, MO, NH, NJ, NM, NY, NC

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ND, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, WV, WI

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19: THE ORGANIZATION MAKES ITS  
GOVERNING DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY, AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC UPON REQUEST.

# Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return

(and proxy tax under section 6033(e))

## 2009

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service (77)

For calendar year 2009 or other tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2009** and ending **JUN 30, 2010**

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501(c)(3) Organizations Only

<b>A</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check box if address changed	Name of organization ( <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if name changed and see instructions.) <b>NATIONAL PARKS CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION</b>	<b>D</b> Employer identification number (Employers' trust, see instructions for Block D on page 9.) <b>53-0225165</b>
<b>B</b> Exempt under section <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 408(e) <input type="checkbox"/> 220(e) <input type="checkbox"/> 408A <input type="checkbox"/> 530(a) <input type="checkbox"/> 529(a)	Print or Type Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see page 8 of instructions. <b>777 6TH STREET, NW, NO. 700</b> City or town, state, and ZIP code <b>WASHINGTON, DC 20001</b>	<b>E</b> Unrelated business activity codes (See instructions for Block E on page 9.) <b>541800</b>
<b>C</b> Book value of all assets at end of year <b>59530823.</b>	<b>F</b> Group exemption number (See instructions for Block F.) <b>G</b> Check organization type <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) corporation <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) trust <input type="checkbox"/> 401(a) trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other trust	

**H** Describe the organization's primary unrelated business activity. **▶ ADVERTISING**

**I** During the tax year, was the corporation a subsidiary in an affiliated group or a parent-subsidiary controlled group?  Yes  No  
 If "Yes," enter the name and identifying number of the parent corporation. **▶**

**J** The books are in care of **▶ KEVIN J. BARNHURST** Telephone number **▶ 202-293-8780**

Part I Unrelated Trade or Business Income	(A) Income	(B) Expenses	(C) Net
<b>1a</b> Gross receipts or sales			
<b>b</b> Less returns and allowances <span style="float: right;"><b>c</b> Balance <b>▶</b></span>	<b>1c</b>		
<b>2</b> Cost of goods sold (Schedule A, line 7)	<b>2</b>		
<b>3</b> Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c	<b>3</b>		
<b>4a</b> Capital gain net income (attach Schedule D)	<b>4a</b>		
<b>b</b> Net gain (loss) (Form 4797, Part II, line 17) (attach Form 4797)	<b>4b</b>		
<b>c</b> Capital loss deduction for trusts	<b>4c</b>		
<b>5</b> Income (loss) from partnerships and S corporations (attach statement)	<b>5</b>		
<b>6</b> Rent income (Schedule C)	<b>6</b>		
<b>7</b> Unrelated debt-financed income (Schedule E)	<b>7</b>		
<b>8</b> Interest, annuities, royalties, and rents from controlled organizations (Sch. F)	<b>8</b>		
<b>9</b> Investment income of a section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) organization (Schedule G)	<b>9</b>		
<b>10</b> Exploited exempt activity income (Schedule I)	<b>10</b>		
<b>11</b> Advertising income (Schedule J)	<b>11</b> 257,891.	52,299.	205,592.
<b>12</b> Other income (See instructions; attach schedule.)	<b>12</b>		
<b>13 Total.</b> Combine lines 3 through 12	<b>13</b> 257,891.	52,299.	205,592.

**Part II Deductions Not Taken Elsewhere** (See instructions for limitations on deductions.)  
 (Except for contributions, deductions must be directly connected with the unrelated business income.)

<b>14</b> Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees (Schedule K)	<b>14</b>	
<b>15</b> Salaries and wages	<b>15</b>	
<b>16</b> Repairs and maintenance	<b>16</b>	
<b>17</b> Bad debts	<b>17</b>	
<b>18</b> Interest (attach schedule)	<b>18</b>	
<b>19</b> Taxes and licenses	<b>19</b>	
<b>20</b> Charitable contributions (See instructions for limitation rules.)	<b>20</b>	
<b>21</b> Depreciation (attach Form 4562)	<b>21</b>	
<b>22</b> Less depreciation claimed on Schedule A and elsewhere on return	<b>22a</b>	<b>22b</b>
<b>23</b> Depletion	<b>23</b>	
<b>24</b> Contributions to deferred compensation plans	<b>24</b>	
<b>25</b> Employee benefit programs	<b>25</b>	
<b>26</b> Excess exempt expenses (Schedule I)	<b>26</b>	
<b>27</b> Excess readership costs (Schedule J)	<b>27</b>	205,592.
<b>28</b> Other deductions (attach schedule)	<b>28</b>	
<b>29 Total deductions.</b> Add lines 14 through 28	<b>29</b>	205,592.
<b>30</b> Unrelated business taxable income before net operating loss deduction. Subtract line 29 from line 13	<b>30</b>	0.
<b>31</b> Net operating loss deduction (limited to the amount on line 30)	<b>31</b>	
<b>32</b> Unrelated business taxable income before specific deduction. Subtract line 31 from line 30	<b>32</b>	0.
<b>33</b> Specific deduction (Generally \$1,000, but see instructions for exceptions.)	<b>33</b>	1,000.
<b>34 Unrelated business taxable income.</b> Subtract line 33 from line 32. If line 33 is greater than line 32, enter the smaller of zero or line 32	<b>34</b>	0.

Part III Tax Computation

35 Organizations Taxable as Corporations. See instructions for tax computation. Controlled group members (sections 1561 and 1563) check here... 36 Trusts Taxable at Trust Rates. See instructions for tax computation. Income tax on the amount on line 34 from: 37 Proxy tax. See instructions 38 Alternative minimum tax 39 Total. Add lines 37 and 38 to line 35c or 36, whichever applies

Part IV Tax and Payments

40a Foreign tax credit (corporations attach Form 1118; trusts attach Form 1116) 40b Other credits (see instructions) 40c General business credit. Attach Form 3800 40d Credit for prior year minimum tax (attach Form 8801 or 8827) 40e Total credits. Add lines 40a through 40d 41 Subtract line 40e from line 39 42 Other taxes. Check if from: Form 4255 Form 8611 Form 8697 Form 8866 Other (attach schedule) 43 Total tax. Add lines 41 and 42 44a Payments: A 2008 overpayment credited to 2009 44b 2009 estimated tax payments 44c Tax deposited with Form 8868 44d Foreign organizations: Tax paid or withheld at source (see instructions) 44e Backup withholding (see instructions) 44f Other credits and payments: Form 2439 Form 4136 Other Total 45 Total payments. Add lines 44a through 44f 46 Estimated tax penalty (see instructions). Check if Form 2220 is attached 47 Tax due. If line 45 is less than the total of lines 43 and 46, enter amount owed 48 Overpayment. If line 45 is larger than the total of lines 43 and 46, enter amount overpaid 49 Enter the amount of line 48 you want: Credited to 2010 estimated tax Refunded

Part V Statements Regarding Certain Activities and Other Information (See instructions on page 17)

1 At any time during the 2009 calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account (bank, securities, or other) in a foreign country? If YES, the organization may have to file Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts. If YES, enter the name of the foreign country here 2 During the tax year, did the organization receive a distribution from, or was it the grantor of, or transferor to, a foreign trust? If YES, see page 5 of the instructions for other forms the organization may have to file. 3 Enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year \$

Schedule A - Cost of Goods Sold. Enter method of inventory valuation

N/A

1 Inventory at beginning of year 2 Purchases 3 Cost of labor 4a Additional section 263A costs 4b Other costs (attach schedule) 5 Total. Add lines 1 through 4b 6 Inventory at end of year 7 Cost of goods sold. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and in Part I, line 2 8 Do the rules of section 263A (with respect to property produced or acquired for resale) apply to the organization?

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 taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here Signature of officer Date 4/27/11 Title PRESIDENT Preparer's signature Date 4/14/11 Check if self-employed Preparer's SSN or PTIN Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP code GELMAN, ROSENBERG & FREEDMAN 4550 MONTGOMERY AVE., SUITE 650 NORTH BETHESDA, MD 20814-2930 EIN 52-1392008 Phone no. (301) 951-9090

**Schedule C - Rent Income (From Real Property and Personal Property Leased With Real Property)** (see instr. on pg 18)

**1. Description of property**

(1)
(2)
(3)
(4)

2. Rent received or accrued		3(a) Deductions directly connected with the income in columns 2(a) and 2(b) (attach schedule)
(a) From personal property (if the percentage of rent for personal property is more than 10% but not more than 50%)	(b) From real and personal property (if the percentage of rent for personal property exceeds 50% or if the rent is based on profit or income)	
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
Total	0.	Total 0.

(c) **Total income.** Add totals of columns 2(a) and 2(b). Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (A) **0.**  
**(b) Total deductions.** Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (B) **0.**

**Schedule E - Unrelated Debt-Financed Income** (See instructions on page 19)

1. Description of debt-financed property	2. Gross income from or allocable to debt-financed property	3. Deductions directly connected with or allocable to debt-financed property	
		(a) Straight line depreciation (attach schedule)	(b) Other deductions (attach schedule)
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			

4. Amount of average acquisition debt on or allocable to debt-financed property (attach schedule)	5. Average adjusted basis of or allocable to debt-financed property (attach schedule)	6. Column 4 divided by column 5	7. Gross income reportable (column 2 x column 6)	8. Allocable deductions (column 6 x total of columns 3(a) and 3(b))
(1)		%		
(2)		%		
(3)		%		
(4)		%		

Totals **0.** Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 7, column (A).  
**0.** Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 7, column (B).  
**Total dividends-received deductions included in column 8 0.**

**Schedule F - Interest, Annuities, Royalties, and Rents From Controlled Organizations** (See instructions on page 20)

1. Name of controlled organization	2. Employer identification number	Exempt Controlled Organizations			6. Deductions directly connected with income in column 5
		3. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	4. Total of specified payments made	5. Part of column 4 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					

7. Taxable income	8. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	9. Total of specified payments made	10. Part of column 9 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	11. Deductions directly connected with income in column 10
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				

Add columns 5 and 10. Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 8, column (A). **0.**  
 Add columns 6 and 11. Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 8, column (B). **0.**

**Schedule G - Investment Income of a Section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) Organization**

(see instructions on page 20)

1. Description of income	2. Amount of income	3. Deductions directly connected (attach schedule)	4. Set-asides (attach schedule)	5. Total deductions and set-asides (col. 3 plus col. 4)
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
<b>Totals</b>		Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 9, column (A). 0.		Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 9, column (B). 0.

**Schedule I - Exploited Exempt Activity Income, Other Than Advertising Income**

(see instructions on page 21)

1. Description of exploited activity	2. Gross unrelated business income from trade or business	3. Expenses directly connected with production of unrelated business income	4. Net income (loss) from unrelated trade or business (column 2 minus column 3). If a gain, compute cols. 5 through 7.	5. Gross income from activity that is not unrelated business income	6. Expenses attributable to column 5	7. Excess exempt expenses (column 6 minus column 5, but not more than column 4).
(1)						
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
<b>Totals</b>		Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 10, col. (A). 0.	Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 10, col. (B). 0.			Enter here and on page 1, Part II, line 26. 0.

**Schedule J - Advertising Income** (see instructions on page 21)

**Part I Income From Periodicals Reported on a Consolidated Basis**

1. Name of periodical	2. Gross advertising income	3. Direct advertising costs	4. Advertising gain or (loss) (col. 2 minus col. 3). If a gain, compute cols. 5 through 7.	5. Circulation income	6. Readership costs	7. Excess readership costs (column 6 minus column 5, but not more than column 4).
(1)						
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
<b>Totals (carry to Part II, line (5))</b>		0.	0.			0.

**Part II Income From Periodicals Reported on a Separate Basis** (For each periodical listed in Part II, fill in columns 2 through 7 on a line-by-line basis.)

1. Name of periodical	2. Gross advertising income	3. Direct advertising costs	4. Advertising gain or (loss) (col. 2 minus col. 3). If a gain, compute cols. 5 through 7.	5. Circulation income	6. Readership costs	7. Excess readership costs (column 6 minus column 5, but not more than column 4).
(1) <b>MAGAZINE</b>	257,891.	52,299.	205,592.	9,574.	216,997.	205,592.
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
(5) <b>Totals from Part I</b>	0.	0.				0.
<b>Totals, Part II (lines 1-5)</b>		Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 11, col. (A). 257,891.	Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 11, col. (B). 52,299.			Enter here and on page 1, Part II, line 27. 205,592.

**Schedule K - Compensation of Officers, Directors, and Trustees** (see instructions on page 21)

1. Name	2. Title	3. Percent of time devoted to business	4. Compensation attributable to unrelated business
		%	
		%	
		%	
		%	
<b>Total. Enter here and on page 1, Part II, line 14</b>			0.