

FOR TAX YEAR 2020

ALTERNATIVE ENERGY RESOURCES ORG

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Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

2020

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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| A For the 2020 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2020, and ending , 20 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending | <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td colspan="2">C Name of organization: ALTERNATIVE ENERGY RESOURCES ORG</td> <td>D Employer identification number 81-0350698</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">Doing business as</td> <td rowspan="2">E Telephone number (406) 443-7272</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address)</td> <td>Room/suite</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">PO Box 1558</td> <td rowspan="2">G Gross receipts \$ 186,849</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code Helena, MT 59624</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">F Name and address of principal officer:</td> <td>H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2"></td> <td>H(b) Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2"></td> <td>If "No," attach a list. See instructions</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2"></td> <td>H(c) Group exemption number ▶</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">I Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) () ◀ (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">J Website: ▶ WWW.AEROMT.ORG</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">K Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶</td> <td>L Year of formation: 1974</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2"></td> <td>M State of legal domicile: MT</td> </tr> </table> | C Name of organization: ALTERNATIVE ENERGY RESOURCES ORG | | D Employer identification number 81-0350698 | Doing business as | | E Telephone number (406) 443-7272 | Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) | Room/suite | PO Box 1558 | | G Gross receipts \$ 186,849 | City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code Helena, MT 59624 | | F Name and address of principal officer: | | H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No | | | H(b) Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | | If "No," attach a list. See instructions | | | H(c) Group exemption number ▶ | I Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) () ◀ (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527 | | | J Website: ▶ WWW.AEROMT.ORG | | | K Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶ | | L Year of formation: 1974 | | | M State of legal domicile: MT |
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| | | H(b) Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | If "No," attach a list. See instructions | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| I Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) () ◀ (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| K Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶ | | L Year of formation: 1974 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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Part I Summary

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|------------------------------------|------------|---|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Activities & Governance | 1 | Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: AERO is a statewide, grassroots membership organization helping communities build a more sustainable Montana. We focus on the sustainable ag and energy/local food system sphere, creating spaces where future food system leaders and inspired community models flourish. | | |
| | 2 | Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets. | | |
| | 3 | Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) | 3 | 9 |
| | 4 | Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) | 4 | 7 |
| | 5 | Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2020 (Part V, line 2a) | 5 | 4 |
| | 6 | Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) | 6 | 7 |
| | 7a | Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 | 7a | 0 |
| | b | Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, Part I, line 11 | 7b | 0 |
| Revenue | | | Prior Year | Current Year |
| | 8 | Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) | 373,566 | 186,211 |
| | 9 | Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) | 14,013 | 0 |
| | 10 | Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) | 516 | 638 |
| | 11 | Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e) | | 0 |
| | 12 | Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) | 388,095 | 186,849 |
| Expenses | 13 | Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3) | 600 | 600 |
| | 14 | Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) | | 0 |
| | 15 | Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10) | 129,719 | 106,982 |
| | 16a | Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) | | 0 |
| | b | Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 13,381 | | |
| | 17 | Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e) | 71,752 | 104,678 |
| | 18 | Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) | 202,071 | 212,260 |
| | 19 | Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12 | 186,024 | (25,411) |
| Net Assets or Fund Balances | | | Beginning of Current Year | End of Year |
| | 20 | Total assets (Part X, line 16) | 237,581 | 329,748 |
| | 21 | Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) | 12,506 | 130,084 |
| | 22 | Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20 | 225,075 | 199,664 |

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 | Robin Kelson | | |
| | Signature of officer | | Date |
| | Robin Kelson, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR | | |
| | Type or print name and title | | |

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|-------------------------------|---|--|---------------------------|--|---------------------------|
| Paid Preparer Use Only | Print/Type preparer's name Dustin Wood | Preparer's signature Dustin Wood | Date 11-05-2021 | Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if self-employed | PTIN XXXXXXXXXX |
| | Firm's name ▶ Dustin Wood, CPA | Firm's EIN ▶ | | Phone no. | |
| | Firm's address ▶ PO Box 6943 Helena MT 59604 | | | 406-431-8587 | |

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

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

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

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:
AERO is a statewide, grassroots membership organization helping communities build a more sustainable Montana. We focus on the sustainable ag and energy/local food system sphere, creating spaces where future food system leaders and inspired community models flourish.

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? Yes No
If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? Yes No
If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

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

4a (Code: _____) (Expenses \$ 82,635 including grants of \$ 41,307) (Revenue \$ 6,237)
FOOD SYSTEMS PROGRAMMING: AERO takes action on solutions that build sustainable community food systems to co-create the best future for Montanans. Responding to the pandemic, the MT FOOD PROVIDERS PROJECT partnered with organizations and businesses, purchasing healthy, sustainably produced Montana food products from producers impacted by loss of retail, wholesale and institutional markets and distributed these products to Montanans in need across the state, strengthening partnerships to enhance distribution infrastructures moving forward. Building on the learning from its food system assessment work, the MONTANA FOOD ECONOMY INITIATIVE (MFEI) provided funding and mentorship to 12 community-led solutions for building more resilient local food systems across the state. The 21-WEEK RACIAL EQUITY IN THE FOOD SYSTEM CHALLENGE (REC) provided a virtual learning forum to explore racial inequities in our state. The COTTAGE FOOD EDUCATION program provided covid-safe resources

4b (Code: _____) (Expenses \$ 52,745 including grants of \$ 37,471) (Revenue \$ _____)
COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT: AERO serves as a statewide information resource hub on sustainability topics, particularly those relating to sustainable and regenerative agriculture practices, renewable energy, resilient community food systems, and policy and legislative matters relating to food systems. AERO shares information and resources in these topic areas through its website, monthly eNews, quarterly Sun Times, social media outreach, member interviews, and periodic webinars. In 2020, AERO dedicated significant effort to expanding its online local food directory, ABUNDANT MONTANA (AMT), adding user-friendly features, food pantry/community meal resources, and lister access to an on-line sales platform, recognizing AMT provides a market pivot tool for food and farming businesses who lost market channels due to pandemic disruptions.

4c (Code: _____) (Expenses \$ 40,439 including grants of \$ 19,247) (Revenue \$ 5,392)
NETWORK WEAVING & EDUCATION: Key to AERO's success in developing community leaders and inspiring community models for sustainable agriculture, food systems, and renewable energy across the state is bringing people together to learn from one another through workshops, panel discussions, webinars and community gatherings designed to promote learning and knowledge-building, connection, networks, resource-sharing, problem-solving and finding common ground. While the 2020 pandemic precluded in-person events, AERO stepped up with virtual tours, dialogues and webinars. AERO's first virtual Expo brought people together from around the state for eleven days of virtual tours, DIY workshops, policy discussions, films, & knowledge-sharing on on-farm resiliency; renewable energy; food system cross-sector engagement; and how to move forward with learnings from the pandemic.

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

4e Total program service expenses ▶ **175,819**

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

Table with 3 columns: Question ID, Question Text, Yes, No. Rows include questions 1 through 21 regarding organizational requirements and reporting.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows 22-38 detailing various organizational requirements and compliance checks.

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

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

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows 1a-1c detailing IRS filings and backup withholding rules.

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued)

Table with columns for question number, question text, and Yes/No response boxes. Includes questions 2a through 16 regarding employee reporting, tax shelter transactions, contributions, and organizational compliance.

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

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 5 columns: Question ID, Question Text, Line Number, Yes, No. Rows include 1a, 1b, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7a, 7b, 8a, 8b, 9.

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

Table with 5 columns: Question ID, Question Text, Line Number, Yes, No. Rows include 10a, 10b, 11a, 11b, 12a, 12b, 12c, 13, 14, 15a, 15b, 16a, 16b.

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed Montana
18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
19 Describe on Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.
20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records Robin Kelson (406)443-7272, 32 S Ewing St 333, Helena, MT 59601

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

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

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

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.

- 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, if any. 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.

See instructions for the order in which to list the persons above.

Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee.

| (A) Name and title | (B) Average hours per week per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line) | (C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee) | | | | | | (D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC) | (E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC) | (F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations |
|--|---|---|-----------------------|---------|--------------|------------------------------|--------|--|---|---|
| | | Individual trustee or director | Institutional trustee | Officer | Key employee | Highest compensated employee | Former | | | |
| (1) Erin Carroll MEMBER | 1.00 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (2) Dodie Andersen MEMBER | 1.00 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (3) Andrew Crowe MEMBER | 1.00 | X | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (4) Kendra Proue VICE-CHAIR | 4.00 | X | | X | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (5) Madison Boone SECRETARY | 4.00 | X | | X | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (6) Rebecca Meyers CHAIR | 4.00 | X | | X | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (7) Mark Juedeman TREASURER | 4.00 | X | | X | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (8) LINDSAY GANONG Grant Programs Manager | 40.00 | | | | X | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (9) Robin Kelson EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR | 40.00 | | | | | X | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (10) | | | | | | | | | | |
| (11) | | | | | | | | | | |
| (12) | | | | | | | | | | |
| (13) | | | | | | | | | | |
| (14) | | | | | | | | | | |

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

| (A) Name and title | (B) Average hours per week per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line) | (C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee) | | | | | | (D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC) | (E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC) | (F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations |
|--|---|---|-----------------------|---------|--------------|------------------------------|--------|--|---|---|
| | | Individual trustee or director | Institutional trustee | Officer | Key employee | Highest compensated employee | Former | | | |
| (15) ----- | | | | | | | | | | |
| (16) ----- | | | | | | | | | | |
| (17) ----- | | | | | | | | | | |
| (18) ----- | | | | | | | | | | |
| (19) ----- | | | | | | | | | | |
| (20) ----- | | | | | | | | | | |
| (21) ----- | | | | | | | | | | |
| (22) ----- | | | | | | | | | | |
| (23) ----- | | | | | | | | | | |
| (24) ----- | | | | | | | | | | |
| (25) ----- | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1b Subtotal | | | | | | | | | | |
| c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A | | | | | | | | | | |
| d Total (add lines 1b and 1c) | | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

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

| | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----------|
| 3 Did the organization list any former officer, director, trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i> | | 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i> | | x |
| 5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i> | | 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. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

| (A) Name and business address | (B) Description of services | (C) Compensation |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------|
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2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

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

| | | | (A) Total revenue | (B) Related or exempt function revenue | (C) Unrelated business revenue | (D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514 | |
|---|--|---|----------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts | 1a Federated campaigns | 1a | 2,287 | | | | |
| | b Membership dues | 1b | 27,282 | | | | |
| | c Fundraising events | 1c | | | | | |
| | d Related organizations | 1d | 6,237 | | | | |
| | e Government grants (contributions) . . | 1e | 105,471 | | | | |
| | f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above | 1f | 44,934 | | | | |
| | g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f | 1g | \$ | | | | |
| | h Total. Add lines 1a-1f ▶ | | | 186,211 | | | |
| Program Service Revenue | | | Business Code | | | | |
| | 2a _____ | | | | | | |
| | b _____ | | | | | | |
| | c _____ | | | | | | |
| | d _____ | | | | | | |
| | e _____ | | | | | | |
| | f All other program service revenue | | | | | | |
| g Total. Add lines 2a-2f ▶ | | | | | | | |
| Other Revenue | 3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) ▶ | | 638 | 638 | | | |
| | 4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds . . . ▶ | | | | | | |
| | 5 Royalties ▶ | | | | | | |
| | 6a Gross rents | 6a | (i) Real | | | | |
| | | | (ii) Personal | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | b Less: rental expenses | 6b | | | | | |
| | c Rental income or (loss) | 6c | | | | | |
| | d Net rental income or (loss) ▶ | | | | | | |
| | 7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory | 7a | (i) Securities | | | | |
| | | | (ii) Other | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses | 7b | | | | | |
| c Gain or (loss) | 7c | | | | | | |
| d Net gain or (loss) ▶ | | | | | | | |
| 8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18 | 8a | | | | | | |
| | | b Less: direct expenses | 8b | | | | |
| | | c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events ▶ | | | | | |
| 9a Gross income from gaming activities, See Part IV, line 19 | 9a | | | | | | |
| | | b Less: direct expenses | 9b | | | | |
| | | c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities ▶ | | | | | |
| 10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances | 10a | | | | | | |
| | | b Less: cost of goods sold | 10b | | | | |
| | | c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory ▶ | | | | | |
| Miscellaneous Revenue | | | Business Code | | | | |
| | 11a _____ | | | | | | |
| | b _____ | | | | | | |
| | c _____ | | | | | | |
| | d All other revenue | | | | | | |
| e Total. Add lines 11a-11d ▶ | | | | | | | |
| 12 Total revenue. See instructions ▶ | | | 186,849 | 638 | 0 | 0 | |

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

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

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

| Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII. | | (A) Total expenses | (B) Program service expenses | (C) Management and general expenses | (D) Fundraising expenses |
|---|---|-----------------------|---------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21 . . . | | | | |
| 2 | Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22 | 600 | 600 | | |
| 3 | Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16 | | | | |
| 4 | Benefits paid to or for members | | | | |
| 5 | Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees | 85,855 | 69,943 | 8,840 | 7,072 |
| 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 | 9,766 | 8,008 | 781 | 977 |
| 8 | Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions) | | | | |
| 9 | Other employee benefits | 2,867 | 1,988 | 391 | 488 |
| 10 | Payroll taxes | 8,494 | 6,965 | 680 | 849 |
| 11 | Fees for services (nonemployees): | | | | |
| a | Management | | | | |
| b | Legal | | | | |
| c | Accounting | 4,159 | | 4,159 | |
| d | Lobbying | | | | |
| e | Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17 | | | | |
| f | Investment management fees | | | | |
| g | Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.) | | | | |
| 12 | Advertising and promotion | 21 | | 21 | |
| 13 | Office expenses | 566 | 39 | 347 | 180 |
| 14 | Information technology | 2,248 | 2,148 | 100 | |
| 15 | Royalties | | | | |
| 16 | Occupancy | 3,309 | | 3,309 | |
| 17 | Travel | 2,895 | 1,181 | 849 | 865 |
| 18 | Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials | | | | |
| 19 | Conferences, conventions, and meetings | 2,965 | 2,965 | | |
| 20 | Interest | | | | |
| 21 | Payments to affiliates | 18,941 | 18,941 | | |
| 22 | Depreciation, depletion, and amortization | 1,085 | | 1,085 | |
| 23 | Insurance | 2,137 | | 2,137 | |
| 24 | Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses on line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.) | | | | |
| a | CONTRACTORS | 57,576 | 56,756 | | 820 |
| b | DUES, FEES, SUBSCRIPTIONS | 3,594 | 2,515 | | 1,079 |
| c | POSTAGE AND PRINTING | 4,038 | 2,626 | 361 | 1,051 |
| d | TRANSACTION FEES | 1,144 | 1,144 | | |
| e | All other expenses _____ | | | | |
| 25 | Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e. | 212,260 | 175,819 | 23,060 | 13,381 |
| 26 | Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720) | | | | |

Part X Balance Sheet

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

| | | (A) | | (B) | |
|---|--|-------------------|-----------|-------------|---------|
| | | Beginning of year | | End of year | |
| Assets | 1 Cash - non-interest-bearing | (2,816) | 1 | 119,451 | |
| | 2 Savings and temporary cash investments | | 2 | | |
| | 3 Pledges and grants receivable, net | | 3 | | |
| | 4 Accounts receivable, net | | 4 | | |
| | 5 Loans and other receivables from any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons | | 5 | | |
| | 6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) | | 6 | | |
| | 7 Notes and loans receivable, net | | 7 | | |
| | 8 Inventories for sale or use | | 8 | | |
| | 9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges | | 9 | | |
| | 10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D | 8,922 | | | |
| | b Less: accumulated depreciation | 5,125 | 3,797 | 10c | 3,797 |
| | 11 Investments - publicly traded securities | | 11 | | |
| | 12 Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11 | 236,600 | 12 | 206,500 | |
| | 13 Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11 | | 13 | | |
| | 14 Intangible assets | | 14 | | |
| | 15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11 | | 15 | | |
| 16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33) | | 237,581 | 16 | 329,748 | |
| Liabilities | 17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses | 12,506 | 17 | 11,584 | |
| | 18 Grants payable | | 18 | | |
| | 19 Deferred revenue | | 19 | | |
| | 20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities | | 20 | | |
| | 21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D | | 21 | | |
| | 22 Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons | | 22 | | |
| | 23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties | | 23 | | |
| | 24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties | | 24 | | |
| | 25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D | | 25 | 118,500 | |
| | 26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25 | | 12,506 | 26 | 130,084 |
| Net Assets or Fund Balances | Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27, 28, 32, and 33. | | | | |
| | 27 Net assets without donor restrictions | 225,075 | 27 | 199,664 | |
| | 28 Net assets with donor restrictions | | 28 | | |
| | Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 29 through 33. | | | | |
| | 29 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds | | 29 | | |
| | 30 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund | | 30 | | |
| | 31 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds | | 31 | | |
| | 32 Total net assets or fund balances | 225,075 | 32 | 199,664 | |
| 33 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances | 237,581 | 33 | 329,748 | | |

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

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

| | | | |
|-----------|--|-----------|-----------------|
| 1 | Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) | 1 | 186,849 |
| 2 | Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) | 2 | 212,260 |
| 3 | Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1 | 3 | (25,411) |
| 4 | Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A)) | 4 | 225,075 |
| 5 | Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments | 5 | |
| 6 | Donated services and use of facilities | 6 | |
| 7 | Investment expenses | 7 | |
| 8 | Prior period adjustments | 8 | |
| 9 | Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain on Schedule O) | 9 | 0 |
| 10 | Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 32, column (B)) | 10 | 199,664 |

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

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

| | | Yes | No |
|-----------|---|-----|----------|
| 1 | 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. | | |
| 2a | Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis | | x |
| b | Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis | | x |
| c | 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? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain on Schedule O. | | |
| 3a | As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133? | | x |
| 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 on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits | | |

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

OMB No. 1545-0047

2020

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.

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

ALTERNATIVE ENERGY RESOURCES ORG

81-0350698

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 12, 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 (Form 990 or 990-EZ).)
- 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 agricultural research organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ix)** operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land-grant college of agriculture (see instructions). Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university: _____
- 10 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.)
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4)**.
- 12 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 in lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g.
 - a **Type I.** A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.**
 - b **Type II.** A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.**
 - c **Type III functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.**
 - d **Type III non-functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.**
 - e Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.
 - f Enter the number of supported organizations
 - g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

| (i) Name of supported organization | (ii) EIN | (iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-10 above (see instructions)) | (iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document? | | (v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions) | (vi) Amount of other support (see instructions) |
|------------------------------------|----------|---|---|----|---|---|
| | | | Yes | No | | |
| (A) | | | | | | |
| (B) | | | | | | |
| (C) | | | | | | |
| (D) | | | | | | |
| (E) | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | | |

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 or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support

Table with 7 columns: (a) 2016, (b) 2017, (c) 2018, (d) 2019, (e) 2020, (f) Total. Rows include: 1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received; 2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit; 3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit; 4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3; 5 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); 6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.

Section B. Total Support

Table with 7 columns: (a) 2016, (b) 2017, (c) 2018, (d) 2019, (e) 2020, (f) Total. Rows include: 7 Amounts from line 4; 8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources; 9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on; 10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.); 11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10; 12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions); 13 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.

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

Table with 3 columns: Line number, Description, and Percentage. Rows include: 14 Public support percentage for 2020 (line 6, column (f), divided by line 11, column (f)); 15 Public support percentage from 2019 Schedule A, Part II, line 14; 16a 33 1/3% support test - 2020; b 33 1/3% support test - 2019; 17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2020; b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2019; 18 Private foundation.

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support

| Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶ | (a) 2016 | (b) 2017 | (c) 2018 | (d) 2019 | (e) 2020 | (f) Total |
|---|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| 1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") | 199,844 | 211,585 | 243,568 | 387,059 | 186,849 | 1,228,905 |
| 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 | | 1,662 | 732 | 1,037 | | 3,431 |
| 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 | 199,844 | 213,247 | 244,300 | 388,096 | 186,849 | 1,232,336 |
| 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.) | | | | | | 1,232,336 |

Section B. Total Support

| Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶ | (a) 2016 | (b) 2017 | (c) 2018 | (d) 2019 | (e) 2020 | (f) Total |
|--|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| 9 Amounts from line 6 | 199,844 | 213,247 | 244,300 | 388,096 | 186,849 | 1,232,336 |
| 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 VI.) | | | | | | |
| 13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.) | 199,844 | 213,247 | 244,300 | 388,096 | 186,849 | 1,232,336 |

14 First 5 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** ▶

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

| | | |
|---|-----------|----------|
| 15 Public support percentage for 2020 (line 8, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)) | 15 | 100.00 % |
| 16 Public support percentage from 2019 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 | 16 | 100.00 % |

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

| | | |
|--|-----------|--------|
| 17 Investment income percentage for 2020 (line 10c, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)) | 17 | 0.00 % |
| 18 Investment income percentage from 2019 Schedule A, Part III, line 17 | 18 | 0.00 % |

19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2020. 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 - 2019. 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 . . . ▶

Part IV Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box in line 12 on Part I. If you checked box 12a, Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked box 12b, Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked box 12c, Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked box 12d, Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

| | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----|
| 1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.</i> | | |
| 2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).</i> | | |
| 3a Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 3b and 3c below.</i> | | |
| b Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.</i> | | |
| c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.</i> | | |
| 4a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? <i>If "Yes," and if you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer lines 4b and 4c below.</i> | | |
| b Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.</i> | | |
| c Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.</i> | | |
| 5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 5b and 5c below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).</i> | | |
| b Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document? | | |
| c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control? | | |
| 6 Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i> | | |
| 7 Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (as defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).</i> | | |
| 8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).</i> | | |
| 9a Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons, as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i> | | |
| b Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i> | | |
| c Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i> | | |
| 10a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? <i>If "Yes," answer 10b below.</i> | | |
| b Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? <i>(Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)</i> | | |

Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)

| | Yes | No |
|--|------------|----|
| 11 Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons? | | |
| a A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in lines 11b and 11c below, the governing body of a supported organization? | 11a | |
| b A family member of a person described in line 11a above? | 11b | |
| c A 35% controlled entity of a person described in 11a or 11b above? <i>If "Yes" to line 11a, 11b, or 11c, provide detail in Part VI.</i> | 11c | |

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

| | Yes | No |
|---|----------|----|
| 1 Did the governing body, members of the governing body, officers acting in their official capacity, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees at all times during the tax year? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove officers, directors, or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.</i> | 1 | |
| 2 Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.</i> | 2 | |

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

| | Yes | No |
|--|----------|----|
| 1 Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).</i> | 1 | |

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

| | Yes | No |
|---|----------|----|
| 1 Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided? | 1 | |
| 2 Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? <i>If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).</i> | 2 | |
| 3 By reason of the relationship described in line 2, above, did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.</i> | 3 | |

Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations

| | | |
|---|-----------|--|
| 1 Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions). | | |
| a <input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below. | | |
| b <input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below. | | |
| c <input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see instructions). | | |
| 2 Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b below. | | |
| a Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? <i>If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.</i> | 2a | |
| b Did the activities described in line 2a, above, constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.</i> | 2b | |
| 3 Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer lines 3a and 3b below. | | |
| a Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? <i>If "Yes" or "No," provide details in Part VI.</i> | 3a | |
| b Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.</i> | 3b | |

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations

- 1 Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970 (*explain in Part VI*). See instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

| Section A - Adjusted Net Income | | (A) Prior Year | (B) Current Year (optional) |
|--|--|----------------|--------------------------------|
| 1 | Net short-term capital gain | 1 | |
| 2 | Recoveries of prior-year distributions | 2 | |
| 3 | Other gross income (see instructions) | 3 | |
| 4 | Add lines 1 through 3. | 4 | |
| 5 | Depreciation and depletion | 5 | |
| 6 | Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions) | 6 | |
| 7 | Other expenses (see instructions) | 7 | |
| 8 | Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4) | 8 | |

| Section B - Minimum Asset Amount | | (A) Prior Year | (B) Current Year (optional) |
|---|---|----------------|--------------------------------|
| 1 | Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year): | | |
| a | Average monthly value of securities | 1a | |
| b | Average monthly cash balances | 1b | |
| c | Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets | 1c | |
| d | Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c) | 1d | |
| e | Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (<i>explain in detail in Part VI</i>): | | |
| 2 | Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets | 2 | |
| 3 | Subtract line 2 from line 1d. | 3 | |
| 4 | Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 0.015 of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions). | 4 | |
| 5 | Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3) | 5 | |
| 6 | Multiply line 5 by 0.035. | 6 | |
| 7 | Recoveries of prior-year distributions | 7 | |
| 8 | Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6) | 8 | |

| Section C - Distributable Amount | | | Current Year |
|---|---|---|--------------|
| 1 | Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A) | 1 | |
| 2 | Enter 0.85 of line 1. | 2 | |
| 3 | Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A) | 3 | |
| 4 | Enter greater of line 2 or line 3. | 4 | |
| 5 | Income tax imposed in prior year | 5 | |
| 6 | Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions). | 6 | |
| 7 | <input type="checkbox"/> Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions). | | |

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations (continued)

| Section D - Distributions | | Current Year |
|---------------------------|---|--------------|
| 1 | Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes | 1 |
| 2 | Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity | 2 |
| 3 | Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations | 3 |
| 4 | Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets | 4 |
| 5 | Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required) - <i>provide details in Part VI</i> | 5 |
| 6 | Other distributions (<i>describe in Part VI</i>). See instructions. | 6 |
| 7 | Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6. | 7 |
| 8 | Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (<i>provide details in Part VI</i>). See instructions. | 8 |
| 9 | Distributable amount for 2020 from Section C, line 6 | 9 |
| 10 | Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount | 10 |

| Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions) | (i) Excess Distributions | (ii) Underdistributions Pre-2020 | (iii) Distributable Amount for 2020 |
|---|---|--|---|
| 1 | Distributable amount for 2020 from Section C, line 6 | | |
| 2 | Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2020 (reasonable cause required - <i>explain in Part VI</i>). See instructions. | | |
| 3 | Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2020 | | |
| a | From 2015 | | |
| b | From 2016 | | |
| c | From 2017 | | |
| d | From 2018 | | |
| e | From 2019 | | |
| f | Total of lines 3a through 3e | | |
| g | Applied to underdistributions of prior years | | |
| h | Applied to 2020 distributable amount | | |
| i | Carryover from 2015 not applied (see instructions) | | |
| j | Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f. | | |
| 4 | Distributions for 2020 from Section D, line 7: \$ | | |
| a | Applied to underdistributions of prior years | | |
| b | Applied to 2020 distributable amount | | |
| c | Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4. | | |
| 5 | Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2020, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI</i> . See instructions. | | |
| 6 | Remaining underdistributions for 2020. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI</i> . See instructions. | | |
| 7 | Excess distributions carryover to 2021. Add lines 3j and 4c. | | |
| 8 | Breakdown of line 7: | | |
| a | Excess from 2016 | | |
| b | Excess from 2017 | | |
| c | Excess from 2018 | | |
| d | Excess from 2019 | | |
| e | Excess from 2020 | | |

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Supplemental Financial Statements

OMB No. 1545-0047

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

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Attach to Form 990.

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

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

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

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include: 1 Total number at end of year, 2 Aggregate value of contributions to (during year), 3 Aggregate value of 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?, 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?

Part II Conservation Easements.

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

Table with 2 columns: Description, Held at the End of the Tax Year. Rows include: 1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply), 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, 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?, 6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year, 7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, 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)?, 9 In Part XIII, 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" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include: 1a If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, 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 XIII the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items. 1b If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, 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) Revenue included on 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 FASB ASC 958 relating to these items: a Revenue included on 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 make significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):
- a Public exhibition
 - b Scholarly research
 - c Preservation for future generations
 - d Loan or exchange programs
 - e Other _____
- 4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.
- 5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? Yes No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.

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

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

Part V Endowment Funds.

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

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

- 2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:
- a Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶ _____ %
 - b Permanent endowment ▶ _____ %
 - c Term endowment ▶ _____ %
- The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.
- 3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:
- | | Yes | No |
|--|--------|----|
| (i) Unrelated organizations | 3a(i) | |
| (ii) Related organizations | 3a(ii) | |
| b If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? | 3b | |
- 4 Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

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

| Description of property | (a) Cost or other basis (investment) | (b) Cost or other basis (other) | (c) Accumulated depreciation | (d) Book value |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|
| 1a Land | | | | |
| b Buildings | | | | |
| c Leasehold improvements | | | | |
| d Equipment | 8,922 | | 5,125 | 3,797 |
| e Other | | | | |

Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.) ▶ **3,797**

Part VII Investments - Other Securities.

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

| (a) Description of security or category (including name of security) | (b) Book value | (c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value |
|---|----------------|--|
| (1) Financial derivatives | | |
| (2) Closely-held equity interests | | |
| (3) Other | | |
| (A) Timeless Seed Stock | 206,500 | FMV |
| (B) | | |
| (C) | | |
| (D) | | |
| (E) | | |
| (F) | | |
| (G) | | |
| (H) | | |
| Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) ▶ | 206,500 | |

Part VIII Investments - Program Related.

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

| (a) Description of investment | (b) Book value | (c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value |
|---|----------------|--|
| (1) | | |
| (2) | | |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |
| (7) | | |
| (8) | | |
| (9) | | |
| Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.) ▶ | | |

Part IX Other Assets.

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

| (a) Description | (b) Book value |
|---|----------------|
| (1) | |
| (2) | |
| (3) | |
| (4) | |
| (5) | |
| (6) | |
| (7) | |
| (8) | |
| (9) | |
| Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.) ▶ | |

Part X Other Liabilities.

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

| 1. (a) Description of liability | (b) Book value |
|---|----------------|
| (1) Federal income taxes | |
| (2) EIDL SBA LOAN | 97,500 |
| (3) PPP SBA LOAN | 21,000 |
| (4) | |
| (5) | |
| (6) | |
| (7) | |
| (8) | |
| (9) | |
| Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) ▶ | 118,500 |

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

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.
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01. Members or stockholder classes and rights (Part VI, line 6)

Organization has members who pay membership dues.

02. Member election for additional members (Part VI, line 7a)

Members vote for the Board of Directors and have to approve certain changes to

Organization bylaws

03. Governing body decisions (Part VI, line 7b)

Members have to approve certain changes to Organization bylaws.

04. Form 990 governing body review (Part VI, line 11)

The Organization's staff management board reviews the form 990 prior to it being filed.

05. Conflict of interest policy compliance (Part VI, line 12c)

AERO board members all sign the Conflict of Interest policy yearly

06. CEO, executive director, top management comp (Part VI, line 15a)

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR COMPENSATION IS DETERMINED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

07. Other officer or key employee compensation (Part VI, line 15b)

Management and key employees compensation is determined by the board of directors.

08. Governing documents, etc, available to public (Part VI, line 19)

The organization makes its governing documents, financial statements, and Form 990

available to the public upon request.

Depreciation and Amortization (Including Information on Listed Property)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service (99)

Attach to your tax return.

Go to www.irs.gov/Form4562 for instructions and the latest information.

Table with 3 columns: Name(s) shown on return, Business or activity to which this form relates, Identifying number. Values: ALTERNATIVE ENERGY RESOURCES ORG, FORM 990 - 1, 81-0350698

Part I Election To Expense Certain Property Under Section 179

Note: If you have any listed property, complete Part V before you complete Part I.

Table with 5 main rows for calculations and 13 rows for property details. Includes columns for description, cost, and elected cost.

Note: Don't use Part II or Part III below for listed property. Instead, use Part V.

Part II Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation (Don't include listed property. See instructions.)

Table with 3 rows for special depreciation allowance, property election, and other depreciation. Total value: 1,085

Part III MACRS Depreciation (Don't include listed property. See instructions.)

Section A

Table with 2 rows for MACRS deductions and a checkbox for grouping assets.

Section B - Assets Placed in Service During 2020 Tax Year Using the General Depreciation System

Table with 7 columns: Classification of property, Month and year placed in service, Basis for depreciation, Recovery period, Convention, Method, Depreciation deduction. Rows include 3-year, 5-year, 7-year, 10-year, 15-year, 20-year, 25-year, Residential rental, and Nonresidential real property.

Section C - Assets Placed in Service During 2020 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System

Table with 4 rows for alternative depreciation system assets: Class life, 12-year, 30-year, 40-year.

Part IV Summary (See instructions.)

Table with 3 rows for summary: Listed property, Total, and Basis attributable to section 263A costs. Total value: 1,085

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see separate instructions.

Application for Automatic Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ **File a separate application for each return.**
▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form8868 for the latest information.**

Electronic filing (e-file). You can electronically file Form 8868 to request a 6-month automatic extension of time to file any of the forms listed below with the exception of Form 8870, Information Return for Transfers Associated With Certain Personal Benefit Contracts, for which an extension request must be sent to the IRS in paper format (see instructions). For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit www.irs.gov/e-file-providers/e-file-for-charities-and-non-profits.

Automatic 6-Month Extension of Time. Only submit original (no copies needed).

All corporations required to file an income tax return other than Form 990-T (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns.

| | | |
|--|--|---|
| Type or print | Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions. ALTERNATIVE ENERGY RESOURCES ORG | Taxpayer identification number (TIN) 81-0350698 |
| File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions. | Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. PO Box 1558 | |
| | City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. Helena MT 59624 | |

Enter the Return Code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return) 0 1

| Application Is For | Return Code | Application Is For | Return Code |
|--|-------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Form 990 or Form 990-EZ | 01 | Form 990-T (corporation) | 07 |
| Form 990-BL | 02 | Form 1041-A | 08 |
| Form 4720 (individual) | 03 | Form 4720 (other than individual) | 09 |
| Form 990-PF | 04 | Form 5227 | 10 |
| Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust) | 05 | Form 6069 | 11 |
| Form 990-T (trust other than above) | 06 | Form 8870 | 12 |

• The books are in the care of ▶ **Robin Kelson, 32 S Ewing St 333 Helena MT 59601**

Telephone No. ▶ **406-443-7272** FAX No. ▶ _____

- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box ▶
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) _____. If this is for the whole group, check this box ▶ . If it is for part of the group, check this box. . . . ▶ and attach a list with the names and TINs of all members the extension is for.

1 I request an automatic 6-month extension of time until 11-15, 20 21, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:

- ▶ calendar year 20 20 or
- ▶ tax year beginning _____, 20 _____, and ending _____, 20 _____.

2 If the tax year entered in line 1 is for less than 12 months, check reason: Initial return Final return
 Change in accounting period

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

Caution: If you are going to make an electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions.

For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see instructions.

IRS e-file Signature Authorization for an Exempt Organization

For calendar year 2020, or fiscal year beginning _____, and ending _____

Do not send to the IRS. Keep for your records.

Go to www.irs.gov/Form8879EO for the latest information.

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of exempt organization or person subject to tax: ALTERNATIVE ENERGY RESOURCES ORG; Taxpayer identification number: 81-0350698

Name and title of officer or person subject to tax: Robin Kelson, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Part I Type of Return and Return Information (Whole Dollars Only)

Check the box for the return for which you are using this Form 8879-EO and enter the applicable amount, if any, from the return. If you check the box on line 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, 5a, 6a, or 7a, below, and the amount on that line for the return being filed with this form was blank, then leave line 1b, 2b, 3b, 4b, 5b, 6b, or 7b, whichever is applicable, blank (do not enter -0-). But, if you entered -0- on the return, then enter -0- on the applicable line below. Do not complete more than one line in Part I.

Table with 2 columns: Line number and description, and Amount. Line 1a: Form 990 check here [X]; Line 1b: Total revenue, if any (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12) 186,849.

Part II Declaration and Signature Authorization of Officer or Person Subject to Tax

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that [] I am an officer of the above organization or [] I am a person subject to tax with respect to (name of organization) _____, (EIN) _____ and that I have examined a copy of the 2020 electronic return and accompanying schedules and statements, and, to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I further declare that the amount in Part I above is the amount shown on the copy of the electronic return. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send the return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS (a) an acknowledgement of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, (b) the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and (c) the date of any refund. If applicable, I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) entry to the financial institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of the federal taxes owed on this return, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account. To revoke a payment, I must contact the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent at 1-888-353-4537 no later than 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial institutions involved in the processing of the electronic payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and resolve issues related to the payment. I have selected a personal identification number (PIN) as my signature for the electronic return and, if applicable, the consent to electronic funds withdrawal.

PIN: check one box only

[X] I authorize Dustin Wood, CPA to enter my PIN 50698 as my signature. ERO firm name: Dustin Wood, CPA; PIN: 50698. Enter five numbers, but do not enter all zeros.

on the tax year 2020 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I also authorize the aforementioned ERO to enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

[] As an officer or person subject to tax with respect to the organization, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the tax year 2020 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I will enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

Signature of officer or person subject to tax: _____ Date: 11-01-2021

Part III Certification and Authentication

ERO's EFIN/PIN. Enter your six-digit electronic filing identification number (EFIN) followed by your five-digit self-selected PIN. 811596 56999. Do not enter all zeros.

I certify that the above numeric entry is my PIN, which is my signature on the 2020 electronically filed return indicated above. I confirm that I am submitting this return in accordance with the requirements of Pub. 4163, Modernized e-File (MeF) Information for Authorized IRS e-file Providers for Business Returns.

ERO's signature: _____ Date: 11-05-2021

ERO Must Retain This Form - See Instructions Do Not Submit This Form to the IRS Unless Requested To Do So

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Overflow Statement

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Name(s) as shown on return

FEIN

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Description

Amount

Montana Shares

\$ 2,287

Total: \$ 2,287

* Item is included in UBIA
for Section 199A calculations.
See "UBIA" in lower right corner.

Depreciation Detail Listing

Management & General
For your records only

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Name(s) as shown on return

Social security number/EIN

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| No. | Description | Date | Cost | Basis Adjustment | Business percentage | Section 179 | Bonus depreciation | Depreciable Basis | Life | Method | Rate | Prior Depreciation | Current Depreciation | Accumulated Depreciation | AMT Current |
|---------------|-------------------|----------|-------|------------------|---------------------|-------------|--------------------|-------------------|------|--------|------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | 4 Apple Computers | 01232017 | 5,424 | | 100.00 | | | 5,424 | 5 | SL HY | 20 | 2,712 | 1,085 | 3,797 | 1,085 |
| Totals | | | 5,424 | | | | | 5,424 | | | | 2,712 | 1,085 | 3,797 | 1,085 |

Land Amount
Net Depreciable Cost

5,424

CY 179 and CY Bonus
TOTAL CY Depr including 179/bonus

1,085

ST ADJ:

Next Year's Depreciation Worksheet

(Keep for your records)

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| Form | Multi-Form | Description | Date | Basis | Method | Life | Deduction |
|------------|------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|-----------|----------|--------------|
| MGT | 1 | 4 Apple Computers | 01-23-2017 | 5,424 | SL | 5 | 1,085 |
| | 1 | FULLY DEPRECIATED OFFICE | 01-01-2010 | 3,498 | SL | 5 | |
| | | TOTAL | | | | | 1,085 |