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OMB No. 1545-0047

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

Department of the Treasury

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Inter	rnal Reve	enue Service	Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest	information.		Inspection								
Α	For the	e 2021 calend	dar year, or tax year beginning 07/01 , 2021, and ending	g 06/3	80	,20 22								
в	Check if	f applicable:	C Name of organization LYRIC OPERA OF CHICAGO		D Emplo	oyer identification number								
	Address	s change	change Doing business as 36-6008929											
	Name c	hange	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address)	oom/suite	E Telephone number									
	Initial re	turn	20 N WACKER DRIVE	860		(312) 332-2244								
	Final retu	nal return/terminated City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code												
	Amende	ed return	CHICAGO, IL 60606		G Gross	receipts \$ 137,895,917								
	Applicat	tion pending	F Name and address of principal officer: ANTHONY FREUD	H(a) Is this a gro	oup return fo	r subordinates? 🗌 Yes 🔽 No								
			SAME AS C ABOVE	H(b) Are all su	ubordinat	es included? 🗌 Yes 🗌 No								
<u> </u>	Tax-exe	empt status:	✓ 501(c)(3) 501(c) () ◀ (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527	lf "No," a	attach a lis	st. See instructions.								
J	Website	e: 🕨 WWW.L	YRICOPERA.ORG	H(c) Group ex	xemption	number 🕨								
К	Form of	organization: 🖌	Corporation ☐ Trust	tion: 1954	M State	of legal domicile:								
Ρ	art I	Summa												
	1		cribe the organization's mission or most significant activities: LYRIC											
Ce		PROVIDE A	BROAD, DEEP, AND RELEVANT CULTURAL SERVICE TO THE CHICAGO	REGION AND	THE NA	TION AND TO								
nar			THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE ART FORM OF OPERA.											
ver	2		box \blacktriangleright if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed	of more than	25% of	its net assets.								
ő	3	Number of		3	95									
Activities & Governance	4	Number of	4	93										
itie	5	Total numb	5	923										
cti∨	6	Total numb	6	815										
Ă	7a		ated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12		7a	269,964								
	b	Net unrelat	ed business taxable income from Form 990-T, Part I, line 11	7b	62,224									
	_			Prior Yea		Current Year								
e	8		ons and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)		54,022	56,174,395								
/en	9	•	ervice revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		25,681	12,830,724								
Revenue	10		income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)		45,845	8,301,969								
	11		nue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	,	34,557)	1,059,812								
	12		ue-add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	46,8	90,991	78,366,900								
	13		I similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)		0	0								
	14	•	aid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	05.0	44 700	44 570 044								
ses	15		her compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)	25,2	11,739	41,579,844								
en	16a		al fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		0	50,635								
Expenses	b 17		00.7	06 E 40	00 600 070									
_	17		enses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)		06,542	28,630,273								
	18	•	ess expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12		18,281	70,260,752								
- 2			72,710	8,106,148 End of Year										
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20	Total accort	s (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Curr										
Asse Bala	20			42,149	25,270 283,616,223 42,149 87,777,121									
Net /	21		ties (Part X, line 26)		83,121	195,839,102								
	ZZ			214,3	00,121	190,009,102								

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Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here	Signature of officer VINCENTE MILIANTI, ASST TREASU Type or print name and title	JRER/CFAO	C	ate						
Paid Preparer	Print/Type preparer's name NICOLE BENCIK	Preparer's signature NICOLE BENCIK	Date 5/10/202	3 Check if if self-employed	PTIN P00756195					
Use Only	Firm's name CROWE LLP		Fir	m's EIN ►	35-0921680					
	Firm's address ► 225 WEST WACKER DF	224 Pł	Phone no. (312) 899-7000							
May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions										
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	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:
•	WE BELIEVE IN THE LIFE-CHANGING, TRANSFORMATIONAL, REVELATORY POWER OF GREAT ART AND OPERA.
	LYRIC OPERA OF CHICAGO EXISTS TO PROVIDE A BROAD, DEEP, AND RELEVANT CULTURAL SERVICE TO THE
	CHICAGO REGION AND THE NATION, AND TO ADVANCE THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE ART FORM OF OPERA BY:
	(CONTINUED ON SCHEDULE O)
2	Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the
	prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?
	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?
	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 measure expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to ot the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.
4a	(Code:) (Expenses \$ 55,356,052 including grants of \$ 0) (Revenue \$ 12,800,765) DURING THE FISCAL YEAR, 37 OPERA PERFORMANCES WERE PERFORMED BY LYRIC OPERA OF CHICAGO. THESE
	PERFORMANCES WERE ATTENDED BY APPROXIMATELY 91,200 PEOPLE.
4b	(Code:) (Expenses \$488,835 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
	LYRIC UNLIMITED, AN INITIATIVE OF LYRIC OPERA OF CHICAGO, OFFERS A MULTIFACETED PROGRAM OF
	EXPANDED COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND ARTISTIC INITIATIVES AND INCLUDES LYRIC'S LONGSTANDING
	EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS. LYRIC SEEKS TO ENRICH THE LIVES OF CHICAGO-AREA CHILDREN AND ADULTS
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Part	V Checklist of Required Schedules									
			Yes	No						
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A	1	•							
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors? See instructions	2	~	 						
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I									
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>	4		~						
5	Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Rev. Proc. 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>	5		~						
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I									
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II									
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III	8		~						
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability, 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> .	9		~						
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in donor-restricted endowments or in quasi endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i> .	10	~							
11	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VII, IX, or X, as applicable.									
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b	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>	11b	~							
С	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>	11c		~						
d	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>	11d		~						
е	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	11e	~							
f	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 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>	11f	~							
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII	12a	~							
b	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional	12b		~						
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	13		~						
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a		~						
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate									
15	foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV.</i> Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or	14b	~							
16	for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>	15		V						
17	assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV.</i> Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on	16		~						
18	Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I.</i> See instructions Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on	17	•							
19	Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>	18	~							
	If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III	19		~						
20a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>	20a 20b		-						
ь 21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>			~						
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Part	V Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)			—
~	Did the exercise time was at more than \$5,000 of events or other assistance to an few demonstrational viduals on		Yes	1
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>	22		
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i> .	23	~	
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? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i>	24a		
b c	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception? Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24b 24c		-
d 5a	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year? Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	24d 25a		F
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25b		
6	Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5 or 22, for receivables from or 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>	26		
7	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity (including an employee thereof) or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>	27		
8	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see the Schedule L, Part IV, instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):			ſ
а	A current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, or substantial contributor? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28a		Γ
b c	A family member of any individual described in line 28a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> A 35% controlled entity of one or more individuals and/or organizations described in line 28a or 28b? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28b 28c	~ ~	
9 0	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	29 30	~	+
1 2	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i> Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>	31 32		
3	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i> .	33		ſ
4	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1	34		Ī
5a b	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a 35b		
6	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36		ſ
7	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI	37		f
8	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations on Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note: All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O .	38	~	t
art	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			- - T
1a b	Enter the number reported in box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable 1a 215 Enter the number of Forms W-2G included on line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable 1b 0	-	Yes	
С	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	v	,

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Part			Yes	No					
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 return2a923								
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? .	2b	~						
	Note: If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to <i>e-file</i> . See instructions.								
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a	~						
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation on Schedule O .	3b	~						
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	4a		~					
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ► See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).								
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a		V					
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b		~					
С	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5c							
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 as charitable contributions?	6a		~					
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6b							
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).	0.5							
, 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?	7a	V						
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b	~						
с	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was								
	required to file Form 8282?	7c		~					
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year								
е	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e		~					
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? .	7f		~					
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g							
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h							
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the								
	sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8							
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.								
a	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a							
b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b							
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter: Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12								
a b	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12 10a Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities 10b								
ь 11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:								
a	Gross income from members or shareholders								
b	Gross income from other sources. (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources								
	against amounts due or received from them.)								
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a							
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 12b								
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.								
а	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state?	13a							
	Note: See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.								
b	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which								
	the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans								
С	Enter the amount of reserves on hand								
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a		~					
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation on Schedule O.	14b		ĺ					
15	Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or								
	excess parachute payment(s) during the year?	15		~					
10	If "Yes," see the instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N.	40							
16	Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income?	16		~					
17	If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O. Section 501(c)(21) organizations. Did the trust, any disqualified person, or mine operator engage in any								
17	activities that would result in the imposition of an excise tax under section 4951, 4952 or 4953?	17		Í					
	If "Yes," complete Form 6069.	17							

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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 on Schedule O. See instructions. Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI

Secti	on A. Governing Body and Management											
					Yes	No						
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain on Schedule O.	<u>1a</u>	95	-								
ь 2	Enter the number of voting members included on line 1a, above, who are independent . 1b 93 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?											
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person? .											
4 5	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior For Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization	on's a	assets? .	4		レ レ						
6 7a	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	elect	or appoint	6 7a	~ ~							
b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approva stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?			7b		~						
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions ur the year by the following:		-									
a	The governing body?			8a	~							
р 9	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	ot be		8b 9	~	~						
Secti	on B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by th	e Inte	ernal Reven	ue C	ode.)							
					Yes	No						
10a b	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	f sucl		10a 10b	 							
11a b	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body bef Describe on Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990		ng the form?	11a		~						
12a b c	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? <i>If "No," go to line 13</i> Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the <i>describe on Schedule O how this was done</i> .	ve rise policy	to conflicts? /? If "Yes,"	12a 12b 12c	ン ン ン							
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?			13	~							
14 15	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review a independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation	and a	approval by	14	~							
а	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official			15a	~							
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization			15b	~							
16a	If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process on Schedule O. See instructions. Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or sim with a taxable entity during the year?			16a		v						
b	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	n to e to saf	evaluate its feguard the	16b		-						
Secti	on C. Disclosure			1.00		I						
17 18	List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed CA , IL, NY Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A, if applicabl (3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that	t app	ly.	T (sec	tion 5	501(c)						
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- ✓ Own website ☐ Another's website ✓ Upon request ☐ Other (explain on Schedule O)
- **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 ► VINCENTE MILIANTI, 20 N WACKER DRIVE NO 860, CHICAGO, IL 60606, (312) 332-2244

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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 the 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, Form 1099-MISC, and/or box 1 of Form 1099-NEC) 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 the 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.

		(C)								
(A)	(B)				ition			(D)	(E)	(F)
Name and title	Average					e than o is both		Reportable	Reportable	Estimated amount
	hours	,				or/trust		compensation	compensation	of other
	per week (list any	Individual trustee or director	Ins	ę	Бe	em Hig	Fo	from the organization (W-2/	from related organizations (W-2/	compensation from the
	hours for	dire	titu	Officer	Key employee	ghes	Former	1099-MISC/	1099-MISC/	organization and
	related organizations	ual .	liona		nplo	/ee	_	1099-NEC)	1099-NEC)	related organizations
	below	trus	al tr		yee	mpe				
	dotted line)	lee	Institutional trustee			Highest compensated employee				
			œ			ted				
(1) ANTHONY FREUD	40.0									
GENERAL DIRECTOR, PRESIDENT & CEO		~		~				714,627	0	41,481
(2) ENRIQUE MAZZOLA	40.0									
VICE - CHAIR & MUSIC DIRECTOR		~						433,512	0	0
(3) ELIZABETH HURLEY	40.0									
ASST SECRETARY, CHIEF ADVANCEMENT OFFICER				V				360,729	0	44,231
(4) ROBERTA LANE	40.0									
ASST TREASURER, CFAO				~				321,112	0	40,584
(5) DREW LANDMESSER	40.0									
CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER & DEPUTY GENERAL DIRECTOR				~				316,814	0	37,203
(6) KATHLEEN SHEEHAN	40.0									
VICE PRESIDENT FOR PRINCIPAL GIFTS						~		223,664	0	34,362
(7) JOE DOCKWEILER	40.0									
MASTER CARPENTER						~		176,271	0	58,275
(8) MICHAEL BLACK	40.0									
CHORUS MASTER						~		188,987	0	11,876
(9) VINCENTE MILIANTI	40.0									
VICE PRESIDENT FOR FINANCE						~		162,219	0	32,601
(10) TRACY GALLIGHER YOUNG	40.0									
SENIOR DIRECTOR, MARKETING & AUDIENCE DEVELOPMENT						~		149,512	0	48,303
(11) MICHAEL GREEN	40.0									
FORMER PRINCIPAL PERCUSSIONIST							~	163,888	0	8,984
(12) DAVID ORMESHER	2.0									
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CHAIR		~		~				0	0	0
(13) SYLVIA NEIL	6.0									
CHAIR		~		~				0	0	0
(14) JAMES L ALEXANDER	2.0									
VICE-CHAIR		~		~				0	0	0

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Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, 7	rustees,	Key I	Emj	plo	yee	s, an	d H	lighest Compe	ensated Emplo	yees (continued)		
(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(do n box, office or direct	ot ch unles	Pos neck ss pe	C) sition more		one n an	(D) Reportable compensation from the	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/ 1099-MISC/ 1099-NEC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation		
(15) SHIRLEY WELSH RYAN	2.0					<u>a</u>						
VICE-CHAIR		~		~				0	0	0		
(16) WILLIAM C VANCE	2.0											
VICE-CHAIR		~		~				0	0	0		
(17) DAN GROSSMAN	2.0											
TRUSTEE (UNTIL JUNE 2022), TREASURER (BEG JUNE 2022)		~		~				0	0	0		
(18) RUTH ANN M GILLIS	2.0											
TREASURER (UNTIL MAY 2022)		~		~				0	0	0		
(19) DONNA VAN EEKEREN	2.0											
SECRETARY		~		~				0	0	0		
(20) ALLAN B MUCHIN	1.0											
TRUSTEE		~						0	0	0		
(21) ALLAN BULLEY	1.0											
TRUSTEE		~						0	0	0		
(22) ALLAN DREBIN	1.0											
TRUSTEE		~						0	0	0		
(23) AMY CARBONE	1.0											
TRUSTEE		~						0	0	0		

TRUS	TEE	~						0	0	0
(25)	(SEE STATEMENT)									
1b	Subtotal			•				3,211,335	0	357,900
с	Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Sectio	n A						0	0	0
d	Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							3,211,335	0	357,900
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 \blacktriangleright							58		

3	Did the organization list any former officer, director, tr	rustee, key em	ployee, or	highest compensated
	employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such	h individual .		

For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the 4 organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such

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5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person

Section B. Independent Contractors

Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of 1 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
SURBURBAN ELEVATOR, 130 PRAIRIE LAKE ROAD UNIT D, DUNDEE, IL 60118	ELEVATOR SERVICE	1,673,016
BULLEY & ANDREWS CONCRETE RESTORATION, LLC, 1755 W. ARMITAGE AVE., CHICAGO, IL 60622	CONSTRUCTION COMPANY	1,040,654
NAVIGATOR TOPCO LP, 401 W. LINCOLN AVE., LITITZ, PA 17543	MACHINING MANUFACTURER	971,429
ALLIED INTEGRATED MARKETING, 55 CAMBRIDGE PARKWAY, SUITE 200, CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142	ADVERTISING AGENCY	871,640
HMS MEDIA INC., 1677 ELK BLVD., DES PLAINES, IL 60016	VIDEO PRODUCTION	706,204
2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to		
received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization \blacktriangleright	49	

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art VIII Statement of Revenue

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		
ທີ່ ທ	1a	Federated campaigns 1a					30010113 312-314		
Contributions, Gifts, Grants, and Other Similar Amounts	b	Membership dues							
ng 5	с	Fundraising events	1,533,439						
fts, r A	d	Related organizations 10	1						
nila Gi	е	Government grants (contributions) 1e	10,184,200						
Sin	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants,							
utic		and similar amounts not included above 1f	44,456,756						
QI	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a–1f.	• • • • • • • • • •						
ou	L	13	\$ 6,378,571	EC 174 205					
0	h	Total. Add lines 1a–1f	► Business Code	56,174,395					
ö	2a	TICKET SALES	711190	11,667,223	11,667,223				
Program Service Revenue	b	TICKET HNDLG/EXCHG FEES	711190	785,288	785,288				
gram Ser Revenue	c	PRODUCTION RENTALS/CO-PRODUCTION INCOME	711190	247,356	247,356				
am Sve	d	FACILITIES EVENTS FEES	900099	29,959	29,959				
Be	е								
Pro	f	All other program service revenue	711190	100,898	100,898	0	0		
	g	Total. Add lines 2a–2f		12,830,724					
	3	Investment income (including dividend							
	-	other similar amounts)		2,259,590		31,951	2,227,639		
	4	Income from investment of tax-exempt b							
	5	Royalties	(ii) Personal						
	6a	Gross rents 6a							
	b	Less: rental expenses 6b							
	c		0 0						
	d	Not rental income or (loca)	►						
	7a	Gross amount from (i) Securities	(ii) Other						
		sales of assets 63,847,21	7 7,839						
		other than inventory 7a	7,000						
ne	b	Less: cost or other basis							
venue		and sales expenses . 7b 57,812,67							
Other Rev	C L	Gain or (loss) 7c 6,034,54		6.042.270			6,042,379		
ler	d	Net gain or (loss)	· · · · ►	6,042,379			0,042,379		
đ	8a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 1,533,439							
		of contributions reported on line							
		1c). See Part IV, line 18 8a	301,558						
	b	Less: direct expenses 8b	1,505,999						
	С	Net income or (loss) from fundraising ev	rents 🕨	(1,204,441)			(1,204,441)		
	9a	Gross income from gaming							
		activities. See Part IV, line 19 . 9a							
		Less: direct expenses 9b							
	с 10а	Net income or (loss) from gaming activit Gross sales of inventory, less	ies ►						
	IUU	returns and allowances 10	a 815,500						
	b	Less: cost of goods sold 10							
	c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inven		605,158		9,577	595,581		
SI		· · ·	Business Code						
eou	11a	PARTY RECEPTION INCOME	900099	1,467,699		225,609	1,242,090		
enu	b	COAT CHECK REVENUE	900099	18,312			18,312		
Miscellaneous Revenue	С	RENTAL SPACE	900099	2,827		2,827			
Alis H	d	All other revenue	900099	170,257	0	0	170,257		
£	e	Total. Add lines 11a–11d	•	1,659,095		000.001	0.001.017		
0	12 a of Ch		🕨	78,366,900		269,964 23 6-11-18 PM	9,091,817		

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Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX . . **(D)** Fundraising expenses Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b. 7b. (A) Total expenses (C) (B) Program service expenses Management and general expenses 8b. 9b. and 10b of Part VIII. Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations 1 and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21 2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22 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 Compensation of current officers, directors, 5 trustees, and key employees 2.433.632 503.032 1.127.580 803.020 6 Compensation not included above to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) . . 13,985 13,985 Other salaries and wages 28,480,805 23,859,060 2.619.069 2,002,676 7 8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions) 112,417 2,661,265 2,419,491 129.357 Other employee benefits 9 5,220,712 4,682,253 256.673 281,786 10 Payroll taxes 2,769,445 2,308,023 249,620 211,802 11 Fees for services (nonemployees): Management а . . Legal 312.509 247.188 65.321 b С Accounting 213,811 213,811 d Lobbying Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17 50,635 50,635 е Investment management fees 1,507,246 1,501,502 5,744 f Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column a (A), amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.) . 4,928,764 4,195,149 597.811 135,804 12 Advertising and promotion 1,581,027 1,497,412 8.396 75,219 13 1,319,097 831,269 350,202 137,626 Office expenses 1,036,925 66,041 966,131 14 Information technology 4,753 436,918 15 Royalties 436,918 Occupancy 1.995.895 16 2.307.613 213.737 97.981 761,583 533,509 102,529 125,545 17 Travel 18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials 19 5.473 2.534 1.270 1.669 Conferences, conventions, and meetings . 20 Interest 2,424,149 2,140,902 269,899 13,348 21 Payments to affiliates 22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization . 4,342,820 4,015,341 305.050 22,429 23 1,186,745 926.838 254,010 5,897 Insurance 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.) PRODUCTION COSTS 4,559,115 4.553.255 5.860 а CHARGE CARD FEES 12 266,320 224,681 41,627 b CATERING 227.719 14,783 9,613 203.323 С PURCHASES/RENTALS d 17,398 3,401 13,997 All other expenses 1,195,041 237,374 411,244 546.423 е 25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e 70.260.752 56.013.982 9.488.228 4,758,542 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the 26 organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and

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

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fundraising solicitation. Check here ▶ □ if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)

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Р	art X				
		Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Par	t X		
	1	Cash-non-interest-bearing	1,854,700	1	6,550,451
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	864,638	2	862,447
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	23,643,662	3	32,323,064
	4	Accounts receivable, net	145,948	4	451,154
	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	0	5	0
	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) .	0	6	0
ŝ	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
Assets	8	Inventories for sale or use	27,716	8	11,316
As	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	3,096,210	9	4,111,146
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other		-	
		basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D 10a 125,168,956			
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation 10b 82,423,420	41,152,479	10c	42,745,536
	11	Investments – publicly traded securities	56,234,176	11	34,056,614
	12	Investments-other securities. See Part IV, line 11	185,360,421	12	162,457,245
	13	Investments-program-related. See Part IV, line 11	0	13	0
	14	Intangible assets		14	
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	45,320	15	47,250
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33)	312,425,270	16	283,616,223
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	7,920,603	17	6,656,920
	18	Grants payable		18	
	19		9,047,848	19	10,180,323
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities	65,800,000	20	65,800,000
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
Liabilities	22	Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35%			
abi		controlled entity or family member of any of these persons		22	0
Ľ	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	15,273,698	25	5,139,878
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	98,042,149	26	87,777,121
nces		Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here ► ✓ and complete lines 27, 28, 32, and 33.			
ala	27	Net assets without donor restrictions	112,363,494	27	89,333,511
ä	28	Net assets with donor restrictions	102,019,627	28	106,505,591
Net Assets or Fund Balances		Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here ► and complete lines 29 through 33.			
o	29	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		29	
ets	30	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		30	
SSI	31	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		31	
jt ⊿	32	Total net assets or fund balances	214,383,121	32	195,839,102
Š	33	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	312,425,270	33	283,616,223
	00		012,720,270	00	200,010,22

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Part											
	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			66,900						
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2		70,260,752							
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3			06,148						
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A))	4			83,121						
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5		(31,65	4,951)						
6	Donated services and use of facilities										
7	Investment expenses	7									
8	Prior period adjustments	8									
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain on Schedule O)	9		5,0	04,784						
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line										
	32, column (B))	10		195,8	39,102						
Part											
	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: Cash Accrual Other		_								
	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," ex	kplain	on								
	Schedule O.										
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?			3	~						
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were cor	npiled	or								
	reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:										
	Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis										
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	• •	. 21	<u>א</u> מ							
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were aud	ted or	na								
	separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:										
	Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis		-								
С	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for over										
	the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accounta			; /							
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, e	xplain	on								
-	Schedule O.										
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set for	rth in									
	Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		. 3	a 🖌	_						
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not und										
	required audit or audits, explain why on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such a	audits	. 3	י א ו מ							

Part VII

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

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours		(C) Po	ositior	<u>ו</u>		(D) Reportable	(E) Reportable	(F) Estimated
	(list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	Individual trustee or director	(C Institutional trustee	eck all t Officer	that ap Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
(25) ANNA PAGLIA	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (26) BLYTHE J MCGARVIE	1.0									
		1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (27) BRENDA M SHAPIRO	1.0									
TRUSTEE		1						0	0	0
(28) BRENDA ROBINSON	1.0									
TRUSTEE		~						0	0	0
(29) BRYAN TRAUBERT	1.0	1								
TRUSTEE		~						0	0	0
(30) CHARLES DROEGE	1.0	1							0	
TRUSTEE		•						0	0	0
(31) CHAZ EBERT	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE		•						0	0	0
(32) CHERRYL T THOMAS	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE									<u> </u>	
(33) CHRISTINE SCHYVINCK	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE										
(34) CLAUDIA M SARAN	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (UNTIL MAY 2022) (35) CRAIG C MARTIN	1.0									
<u> </u>		1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (36) DAN DRAPER	1.0									
TRUSTEE		1						0	0	0
(37) DAVID W CARPENTER	1.0									
TRUSTEE		~						0	0	0
(38) DON M RANDEL	1.0	1								
TRUSTEE		~						0	0	0
(39) ELKE REHBOCK	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE		•						0	0	0
(40) ELLIOT E HIRSCH	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE		•						0	0	
(41) ERIC L HIRSCHFIELD	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (UNTIL MAY 2022)		_							Ű	
(42) ERIC S SMITH	1.0	1						0	0	0
	4.0									
(43) ETHEL C GOFEN	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (44) FRANCESCA CORNELLI	1.0									
		1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE		L								

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours		(Che	C) Po	sitior	ר plv)		(D) Reportable compensation	(E) Reportable compensation	(F) Estimated amount of other	
	(list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	compensation from the organization and related organizations	
(45) FRANCO TEDESCHI	1.0	1						0	0	0	
TRUSTEE (UNTIL MAY 2022)											
(46) FRANK B MODRUSON	1.0	1						0	0	0	
TRUSTEE											
(47) GREGORY K JONES	1.0	1						0	0	0	
TRUSTEE											
(48) GREGORY O'LEARY	1.0	1						0	0	0	
TRUSTEE											
(49) H. GAEL NEESON	1.0	1						0	0	0	
	1.0										
(50) J THOMAS HURVIS	1.0	1						0	0	0	
	1.0										
(51) JAMES FELLOWS	1.0	1						0	0	0	
(52) JANE CHU	1.0	1						0	0	0	
	1.0										
(53) JANE DIRENZO PIGOTT	1.0	1						0	0	0	
TRUSTEE											
(54) JEFFREY C NEAL	1.0	1						0	0	0	
(55) JODI HOCHBERGER RUBENSTEIN	1.0	~						0	0	0	
TRUSTEE (BEG APRIL 2022)	_										
(56) JOHN E BUTLER	1.0	1						0	0	0	
TRUSTEE								, 	, 	, 	
(57) JOHN NICHOLS	1.0	1						0	0	0	
TRUSTEE								`	•	, 	
(58) JOHN P AMBOIAN	1.0	1						0	0	0	
TRUSTEE											
(59) JONATHAN LEWIS	1.0	1						0	0	0	
TRUSTEE (BEG APRIL 2022)											
(60) JOSE LUIS PRADO	1.0	1						0	0	0	
TRUSTEE											
(61) JOSEF LAKONISHOK	1.0	1						0	0	0	
TRUSTEE											
(62) JOSEPH O RUBINELLI, JR.	1.0	1						0	0	0	
TRUSTEE											
(63) JULIE BASKES	1.0	1						0	0	0	
(64) KAREN FREEMAN-WILSON	1.0	1						0	0	0	
(65) KAREN GRAY-KREHBIEL	1.0	1						0	0	0	
TRUSTEE											

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours		(Ch	C) Po	sitior) plv)		(D) Reportable compensation	(E) Reportable compensation	(F) Estimated amount of other
	per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	compensation from the organization and related organizations
(66) KATHERINE A ABELSON	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE										
(67) KEVIN SMITH	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE	1.0									
(68) KIP KELLEY, II	1.0	1						0	0	0
	1.0									
(69) LARRY A BARDEN	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE										
(70) LAURA DEFELICE	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (BEG DEC 2021)										
(71) LAURIE BAY	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (BEG DEC 2021)										
(72) LESTER CROWN	1.0	1						0	0	0
	4.0									
(73) LINDA K MYERS	1.0	1						0	0	0
	1.0									
(74) LOIS EISEN	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE	4.0									
(75) LORI KOMISAR	1.0	1						0	0	0
(76) MARIA C GREEN	1.0	1						0	0	0
	1.0									
(77) MARION A CAMERON	1.0	1						0	0	0
	1.0									
(78) MARSHA CRUZAN	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (79) MARSHA SERLIN	1.0									
		1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (80) MATTHEW FISHER	1.0									
		1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (81) MATTHEW J PARR	1.0									
		~						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (82) MELVIN GRAY	1.0									
		~						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (83) MICHAEL P COLE	1.0									
TRUSTEE		1						0	0	0
(84) MICHAEL STRAUTMANIS	1.0									
		1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (UNTIL MAY 2022) (85) MILES D WHITE	1.0									
		1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (UNTIL MAY 2022) (86) MIMI MITCHELL	1.0									
TRUSTEE		1						0	0	0

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week		((Che	C) Po	sitior	ר ply)		(D) Reportable compensation	(E) Reportable compensation	(F) Estimated amount of other
	(list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	compensation from the organization and related organizations
(87) NANCY SEARLE	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE										
(88) NASRIN THIERER	1.0	1						0	0	0
	1.0									
(89) NEIL KAWASHIMA	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (BEG APRIL 2022)	1.0									
(90) OLIVIA TYRRELL	1.0	1						0	0	0
	4.0									
(91) OLUFUMMILAYO OLOPADE		1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE										
(92) PAM SZOKOL	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE										
(93) PAUL F ANDERSON	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE										
(94) PENELOPE STEINER	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (BEG DEC 2021)										
	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (UNTIL JUNE 2022)										
(96) RICHARD RYAN	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE										
(97) RICHARD SHEPRO	1.0	1						0	0	0
	1.0									
(98) RICHARD W COLBURN	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE										
(99) ROBERT FORD	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE (BEG FEB 2022)										
(100) ROBERT J MCCULLEN	1.0	1						0	0	0
	1.0									
(101) ROBERTA L WASHLOW	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE	1.0									
(102) SCOTT COZAD		1						0	0	0
	1.0	-								
(103) SCOTT E SANTI	1.0	1						0	0	0
	1.0									
(104) SHARON F OBERLANDER	1.0	1						0	0	0
	1.0									
(105) SONIA FLORIAN	1.0	1						0	0	0
	1.0	-								
(106) STEPHEN KAPLAN	1.0	1						0	0	0
	1.0									
(107) STEVEN FRADKIN	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE										

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week		((Ch	C) Po eck all	ositior	n ply)		(D) Reportable compensation	(E) Reportable compensation	(F) Estimated amount of other
	(list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	compensation from the organization and related organizations
(108) SUSAN MORRISON	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE		•						0	0	0
(109) VIKRAM KARNANI	1.0	1							0	0
TRUSTEE		•						0	0	U
(110) VINAY COUTO	1.0	1								
TRUSTEE		•						0	0	U
(111) WILLIAM A OSBORN	1.0	1						0	0	0
TRUSTEE		•						0	0	0

SCHEDULE A (Form 990)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

OMB No. 1545-0047

Department of the Treasur
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.



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Name of the organization LYRIC OPERA OF CHICAGO

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).)
- 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 33¹/₃% 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 33¹/₃% 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 on 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))	listed in you	organization ur governing ment?	(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.)

Secti	ion A. Public Support				•	,	
Calen	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2017	(b) 2018	(c) 2019	(d) 2020	(e) 2021	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	27,438,056	39,120,440	36,568,721	33,854,022	56,174,395	193,155,634
2	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						0
3	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						0
4	Total. Add lines 1 through 3	27,438,056	39,120,440	36,568,721	33,854,022	56,174,395	193,155,634
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)						23,061,040
<u>6</u>	Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						170,094,594
	ion B. Total Support Idar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2017	(b) 2019	(a) 2010	(4) 2020	(a) 2021	
Calen 7	Amounts from line 4	(a) 2017 27,438,056	(b) 2018 39,120,440	(c) 2019 36,568,721	(d) 2020 33,854,022	(e) 2021 56,174,395	(f) Total 193,155,634
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	2,193,262	3,804,399	4,260,908	1,980,287	3,469,729	15,708,585
10	Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)	36,546	72,976	25,654	0 102,179	62,224	<u> 197,400</u> 3,189,081
11	Total support. Add lines 7 through 10	1,023,141	1,210,737	002,400	102,173	100,000	212,250,700
12	Gross receipts from related activities, etc	. (see instructio	ons)			12	95,757,803
13 Secti	First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the organization, check this box and stop he ion C. Computation of Public Support	organization's re	first, second,	third, fourth,	or fifth tax ye	ar as a section	n 501(c)(3)
14	Public support percentage for 2021 (line (1 column (f))		14	80.14 %
15	Public support percentage from 2020 Scl		-			15	77.78 %
16a	33 ¹ / ₃ % support test - 2021. If the organi box and stop here. The organization qua	ization did not	check the box	on line 13, an	d line 14 is 33		check this
b	33 ¹ / ₃ % support test — 2020. If the organi this box and stop here. The organization						
17a	7a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test-2021. 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 VI how the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization						
b	10%-facts-and-circumstances test — 2 15 is 10% or more, and if the organizatio in Part VI how the organization meets the organization	on meets the fa e facts-and-circ	cts-and-circur cumstances te	nstances test, st. The organiz	check this boz zation qualifies	x and stop he s as a publicly	r e. Explain supported
18	Private foundation. If the organization instructions	did not check	a box on line	13, 16a, 16b,	17a, or 17b,	check this bo	x and see
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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.)

Secti	on A. Public Support						
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2017	(b) 2018	(c) 2019	(d) 2020	(e) 2021	(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						
F	· ·						
5	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the						
	organization without charge						
6	Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
	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						
	Add lines 7a and 7b						-
8	Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						
Secti	on B. Total Support						
	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2017	(b) 2018	(c) 2019	(d) 2020	(e) 2021	(f) Total
9	Amounts from line 6	(4) _0	(,	(0) _0.0	(0) =0=0	(0) = 0 = 1	(.)
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						
	Add lines 10a and 10b						
11	Net income from unrelated business						
	activities not included on line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12	Other income. Do not include gain or						+
12	loss from the sale of capital assets						
	(Explain in Part VI.)						
13	Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11,						
	and 12.)						
14	First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the	•	s first, second	, third, fourth,	or fifth tax ye	ar as a sect	ion 501(c)(3)
	organization, check this box and stop he						🕨 🗌
	on C. Computation of Public Suppor						
15	Public support percentage for 2021 (line 8		•			15	<u>%</u>
<u>16</u>	Public support percentage from 2020 Sch					16	%
Secti 17	on D. Computation of Investment In Investment income percentage for 2021 (I		-	v line 12 och	ump (f))	17	%
18	Investment income percentage from 2021 (-		18	<u> </u>
19a	33 ¹ / ₃ % support tests-2021. If the organi						
	17 is not more than $33^{1/3}$ %, check this box						
b	331/3% support tests-2020. If the organiz	-	-	-		-	
	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 di	d not check a	box on line 14	, 19a, or 19b, o	check this box	and see instr	ructions 🕨 🗌
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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

- 1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? 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.
- 2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in **Part VI** how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).
- **3a** Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer lines 3b and 3c below.
- **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)? If "Yes," describe in **Part VI** when and how the organization made the determination.
- **c** Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in **Part VI** what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.
- **4a** Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes," and if you checked box 12a or 12b in Part I, answer lines 4b and 4c below.
- **b** Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? 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.
- **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)? 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.
- 5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? 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).
- **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? *If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.*
- 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? *If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).*
- 8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described on line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).
- **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))? *If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.*
- **b** Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined on line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? *If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.*
- **c** Did a disqualified person (as defined on line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? *If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.*
- **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)? If "Yes," answer line 10b below.
 - **b** Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)

Yes No 1 2 3a 3b 3c 4a 4b 4c 5a 5b 5c 6 7 8 9a 9b 9c 10a 10b

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Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

- 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? 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.
- 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? 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.

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

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)? 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).

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? If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s). 2 3 By reason of the relationship described on 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? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.

Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations

- Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions). 1
- а The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete **line 2** below.
- The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. *Complete line 3 below.* b
- С The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in **Part VI** how you supported a governmental entity (see instructions).
- 2 Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b below.
- Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of а the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? 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.
- b Did the activities described on 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? 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.
- 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? If "Yes" or "No," provide details in Part VI.
- Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each b of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.

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Yes No

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2a

2b

3a

Yes No

Yes No

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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.

Sect	ion 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		
Sect	ion 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):			
а	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		
е	Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI):			
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		
Sect	ion 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	Check here if the surrent year is the organization's first as a new function	-		

7 Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).

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Part	Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organi	zations (continue	<u>d)</u>	Page I
		by Supporting Organi		<u> </u>	A 1 Y
Sect	on D—Distributions				Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish e		1		
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exe	empt purposes of suppo	orted		
	organizations, in excess of income from activity			2	
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purp	oses of supported orga	nizations	3	
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets			4	
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required-	–provide details in Part	VI)	5	
6	Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions.			6	
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.			7	
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to whic (provide details in Part VI). See instructions.	h the organization is res	ponsive	8	
9	Distributable amount for 2021 from Section C, line 6			9	
10	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount			10	
Sect	on E—Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistribution Pre-2021	IS	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2021
1	Distributable amount for 2021 from Section C, line 6				
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2021 (reasonable cause required— <i>explain in Part VI</i>). See instructions.				
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2021				
а	From 2016				
b	From 2017				
С	From 2018				
d	From 2019				
е	From 2020				
f	Total of lines 3a through 3e				
g	Applied to underdistributions of prior years				
h	Applied to 2021 distributable amount				
i	Carryover from 2016 not applied (see instructions)				
j	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f.				
4	Distributions for 2021 from Section D, line 7: \$				
а	Applied to underdistributions of prior years				
b	Applied to 2021 distributable amount				
С	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4.				
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2021, 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 2021. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in</i> Part VI. See instructions.				
7	Excess distributions carryover to 2022. Add lines 3j and 4c.				
8	Breakdown of line 7:				
а	Excess from 2017				
b	Excess from 2018				
С	Excess from 2019				
d	Excess from 2020				
e	Excess from 2021				

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Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; Part III, line 12; Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a, and 3b; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V, Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions.)

Return Reference - Identifier				Explanation			
SCHEDULE A, PART II, LINE 10 - OTHER	Description	(a) 2017	(b) 2018	(c) 2019	(d) 2020	(e) 2021	(f) Total
INCOME	(1) DINING SPACES	795,866	853,776	495,871	0	0	2,145,513
	(2) OTHER	233,275	362,961	156,584	102,179	188,569	1,043,568
	Total	1,029,141	1,216,737	652,455	102,179	188,569	3,189,081

Schedule	E
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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

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Employer identification number

36-6008929

Name of the organization LYRIC OPERA OF CHICAGO

Organization type (check one):

Section:						
✓ 501(c)(3) (enter number) organization						
4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust not treated as a private foundation						
527 political organization						
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, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

Special Rules

- For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) 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), that checked Schedule A (Form 990), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions 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 an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I (entering "N/A" in column (b) instead of the contributor name and address), II, and III.
- For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled 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. Don't complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year

Caution: An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990), 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 its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990).

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Part	Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate co	ples of Part I if additional space is	needed.
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
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(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$\$	PersonImage: Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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Name of organization	Employer identification number
LYRIC OPERA OF CHICAGO	36-6008929
Part L Contributors (see instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part Lif additional space	is needed

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(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
		\$\$	PersonImage: Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
		\$	PersonImage: Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
		 	PersonPayrollNoncash(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
		 	PersonPayrollNoncash(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
		 	PersonPayrollNoncash(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution			
		 	PersonPayrollNoncashImage: Noncash(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)			

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Part II Noncash

Noncash Property (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
2	PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES	-	
		\$3,039,382	11/04/2021
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
3	PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES	-	
		\$2,004,872	01/19/2022
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		-	
		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		-	
		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		-	
		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		-	
	·	- \$\$	

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Name of or	-			Employer identification number			
Part III	(10) that total more than \$1,000 fo	r the year from any ations completing Par	one contributor. t III, enter the tota	36-6008929 escribed in section 501(c)(7), (8), or Complete columns (a) through (e) and I of <i>exclusively</i> religious, charitable, etc., ee instructions.) ► \$			
	Use duplicate copies of Part III if ad						
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use c		(d) Description of how gift is held			
	Transferee's name, address, a	(e) Transfo and ZIP + 4	-	nship of transferor to transferee			
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use c	of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held			
		(e) Transfer of gift					
	Transferee's name, address, a	and ZIP + 4	Relation	nship of transferor to transferee			
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use c	of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held			
-		(e) Transf					
-	Transferee's name, address, a			nship of transferor to transferee			
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use c	of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held			
-	Transferee's name, address, a	(e) Transfo and ZIP + 4		nship of transferor to transferee			

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SCHEDULE D

Supplemental Financial Statements

Open to Public Inspection

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🗌 Yes 🗌 No

☐ Yes ☐ No

Held at the End of the Tax Year

by the organization during the

(Form 990)		••			
Department of the Treasury 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. Department of the Treasury Attach to Form 990.		1 0			2021
			Open to Publi		
	Revenue Service	► Go to www.irs.gov/Form9	90 for instructions and the latest informa	tion.	Inspection
Name o	of the organization			Employer ic	lentification number
LYRIC	OPERA OF CHI	CAGO			36-6008929
Par	t I Organi	zations Maintaining Donor Advis	sed Funds or Other Similar Funds	s or Acc	ounts.
	Comple	ete if the organization answered "	Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.		
			(a) Donor advised funds	(b) F	Funds and other accounts
1	Total number a	at end of year			
2	Aggregate valu	e of contributions to (during year) .			
3	Aggregate valu	e of grants from (during year)			
4		le at end of year			
5	Did the organi	zation inform all donors and donor a	advisors in writing that the assets held	d in dono	r advised
		•	organization's exclusive legal control?		
6			d donor advisors in writing that grant		
			t of the donor or donor advisor, or for	any other	r purpose
	conferring imp	ermissible private benefit?			· · · 🗌 Yes 🗌
Par	t II Consei	vation Easements.			
	Comple	ete if the organization answered "	Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.		
1		conservation easements held by the o			
	• • • •	of land for public use (for example, recrea		a historica	ally important land area
		of natural habitat			historic structure
	Preservatio	n of open space			
2			d a qualified conservation contribution	in the forr	n of a conservation
	easement on t	he last day of the tax year.			Held at the End of the Tax
а	Total number of	of conservation easements		. 2a	
b	Total acreage				
c	•	-	storic structure included in (a)		
d			c) acquired after 7/25/06, and not or		
3	Number of cor	nservation easements modified. trans	ferred, released, extinguished, or termi		the organization during
	tax year ►	,		J	J
4	Number of stat	tes where property subject to conserv	vation easement is located ►		

- Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of 5
- 6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year
- Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year 7 ▶\$
- Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) 8
- 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.	

- If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works 1a 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.
- If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of b 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:

or Do	
b	Assets included in Form 990, Part X
а	Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1
	(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X
	(i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

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Part	III Organizations Maintaining	Collections of A	Art, Historical T	reasures, or O	Other Similar As	sets (contin	ued)
3	Using the organization's acquisition, a collection items (check all that apply):	accession, and otl	ner records, chec	k any of the follo	owing that make si	gnificant use	e of its
а	Public exhibition		d 🗌 Loan (or exchange pro	oram		
b	Scholarly research						
c	 Preservation for future generations 		•				-
4	Provide a description of the organizat XIII.		and explain how th	ney further the o	rganization's exem	ipt purpose i	n Part
5	During the year, did the organization assets to be sold to raise funds rather					r	🗌 No
Part	IV Escrow and Custodial Arra	ingements.					
	Complete if the organization 990, Part X, line 21.	answered "Yes'	' on Form 990, F	Part IV, line 9, c	or reported an am	ount on For	rm
1a	Is the organization an agent, trustee, included on Form 990, Part X? .						No
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Pa	art XIII and comple	ete the following ta	able:			
			5		Ar	nount	
с	Beginning balance				1c		
d	Additions during the year				Id		
е	Distributions during the year				le		
f	Ending balance				1f		
2a	Did the organization include an amour	nt on Form 990, Pa	art X, line 21, for e	scrow or custod	ial account liability	? 🗌 Yes 🛛	_ No
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Pa	art XIII. Check here	e if the explanation	n has been provi	ded on Part XIII .	[
Par	V Endowment Funds.						
	Complete if the organization	answered "Yes'	' on Form 990, F	Part IV, line 10.		_	
		(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years	s back
1a	Beginning of year balance	68,051,058	52,197,208	54,986,09	5 55,392,183	53,15	57,706
b	Contributions	5,161,427	4,364,692	271,61	2 75,467	72	25,560
С	Net investment earnings, gains, and						
	losses	(7,039,532)	14,419,253	(138,918	3) 2,399,562	4,28	87,527
d	Grants or scholarships						
е	Other expenditures for facilities and						
	programs	2,551,173	2,405,839	2,514,31	5 2,516,320	2,43	31,050
f	Administrative expenses	993,891	524,256	407,26	6 364,797	34	47,560
g	End of year balance	62,627,889	68,051,058	52,197,20	8 54,986,095	55,39	92,183
2	Provide the estimated percentage of t	he current year en	d balance (line 1g	, column (a)) hele	d as:		
а	Board designated or quasi-endowmer	nt 🕨0.00	<u>%</u>				
b		00 %					
С	Term endowment ► 37.00 %						
	The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and						
3a	Are there endowment funds not in the	e possession of th	e organization that	at are held and a	administered for the		
	organization by:					Yes	No
	(i) Unrelated organizations					3a(i) 🖌	<u> </u>
	.,					3a(ii)	~
-	If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related o					3b	
4	Describe in Part XIII the intended uses	-	on's endowment fu	unds.			
Part					0 5 000		10
	Complete if the organization						
	Description of property	(a) Cost or ot (investme		r other basis (c ther)) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book valu	ie
1a	Land			696,577		69	96,577
b	Buildings		1	00,596,927	68,957,055	31,63	39,872
С	Leasehold improvements			0	0		0
d	Equipment			18,671,260	11,495,789	7,17	75,471
е	Other			5,204,192	1,970,576	3,23	33,616
Total.	Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) n	nust equal Form 99	90, Part X, column	(B), line 10c.) .		42,74	45,536

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Investments-Other Securities. Part VII Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12. (c) Method of valuation: (a) Description of security or category (b) Book value (including name of security) Cost or end-of-year market value (1) Financial derivatives (2) Closely held equity interests . (3) Other (A) HEDGED EQUITIES- NON-PUBLICLY 22,521,018 END OF YEAR MARKET VALUE END OF YEAR MARKET VALUE (B) ABSOLUTE RETURN- NON-PUBLICLY TRADED 29,975,430 END OF YEAR MARKET VALUE (C) EQUITIES- NON-PUBLICLY TRADED 96,126,833 (D) REAL ASSETS- NON-PUBLICLY TRADED 9.154.535 END OF YEAR MARKET VALUE (E) ASSETS HELD IN TRUST 4,679,429 END OF YEAR MARKET VALUE (F) (G) (H) Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) 162,457,245 Investments-Program Related. Part VIII Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13. (b) Book value (a) Description of investment (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.) Other Assets. Part IX 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.) ► . Other Liabilities. Part X 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 ANNUITIES PAYABLE 562,538 (2) INTEREST RATE SWAP CONTRACT 4,577,340 (3) (4) (5) (6) (7) (8) (9) Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) . ► 5,139,878

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 .

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Part	XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Stateme	ents V	Vith Revenue per	Return.	
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, I	Part I\	/, line 12a.		
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements			1	50,330,030
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:				
а	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a	(31,654,951)		
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	713,799		
С	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	(110,047)		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	3,014,329		
е	Add lines 2a through 2d			2e	(28,036,870)
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	· · .		3	78,366,900
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:				
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a			
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b	0		
С	Add lines 4a and 4b			4c	0
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line			5	78,366,900
Part				er Returr	າ.
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, I	Part IV	/, line 12a.		
1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements			1	68,874,049
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:				
а	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	713,799		
b	Prior year adjustments	2b			
с	Other losses	2c			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	(593,256)		
е	Add lines 2a through 2d			2e	120,543
3	Outstand the state of the state			3	68,753,506
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:				
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	1,507,246		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b	0		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b			4c	1,507,246
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line			5	70,260,752
Part				•	-,, -
	the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and	d 4: Pa	art IV. lines 1b and 2b	: Part V. I	ine 4: Part X. line
	t XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part				
SEE S	STATEMENT	•			

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

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation		
SCHEDULE D, PART XI, LINE	(a) Description	(b) Amount	
2(D) - OTHER REVENUES IN AUDITED FINANCIAL	UNREALIZED GAIN - INTEREST RATE SWAP	4,384,247	
STATEMENTS NOT IN FORM	INVESTMENT ADVISOR FEES	- 1,507,246	
990	COST OF GOODS SOLD	151,611	
	DISPOSAL OF FIXED ASSET	- 7,839	
	FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES	- 6,444	
SCHEDULE D, PART XII, LINE	(a) Description	(b) Amount	
2(D) - OTHER EXPENSES IN AUDITED FINANCIAL	CHANGE IN SEVERANGE PLANS' VALUATION	- 730,584	
STATEMENTS NOT IN FORM	COST OF GOODS SOLD	151,611	
990	GAIN ON DISPOSAL OF FIXED ASSET	- 7,839	
	FUNDRAISING EXPENSES	- 6,444	

Supplemental Information. Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1 and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
SCHEDULE D, PART V, LINE 4 - INTENDED USES OF ENDOWMENT FUNDS	THE OPERA'S ENDOWMENT IS COMPRISED OF DONOR-RESTRICTED ENDOWMENT FUNDS. RELATED NET ASSETS ARE CLASSIFIED AND REPORTED BASED ON THE EXISTENCE OR ABSENCE OF DONOR-IMPOSED RESTRICTIONS.
	THE OPERA'S BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAS APPROVED A SPENDING POLICY WHICH ALLOWS FOR THE TRANSFER OF 5% OF THE AVERAGE OF THE MARKET VALUES OF THE TRAILING TWELVE QUARTER BALANCE OF THE MANAGED PORTFOLIO AT DECEMBER 31 OF THE PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR, INCLUDING ENDOWMENT BALANCES, TO BE USED TO SUPPORT OPERATIONS AND FUND DEBT SERVICE. THE SPENDING RATE APPROXIMATES THE RETURN OBJECTIVE OF THE FUND ALLOWING FOR THE PRESERVATION OF PURCHASING POWER AND GROWTH OF THE MANAGED PORTFOLIO THROUGH INVESTMENT RETURNS IN EXCESS OF THE OBJECTIVE AND NEW GIFTS.
SCHEDULE D, PART X, LINE 2 - FIN 48 (ASC 740) FOOTNOTE	THE OPERA IS EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAXES UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE. THE OPERA HAS CONCLUDED THERE WERE NO MATERIAL UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS NOR DOES THE OPERA EXPECT THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF UNRECOGNIZED TAX BENEFITS TO SIGNIFICANTLY CHANGE IN THE NEXT 12 MONTHS. THE OPERA DOES NOT HAVE NOR DOES IT ANTICIPATE ANY INTEREST AND PENALTIES RELATED TO UNRECOGNIZED TAX POSITIONS IN INTEREST AND INCOME TAX EXPENSE AS OF JUNE 30, 2022 AND JUNE 30, 2021. THERE ARE NO ONGOING FEDERAL, STATE OR LOCAL AUDITS.

(For	m 990) ► (Complete i	if the organ	ization answer	ed "Yes" on Form 990, Part I	V, line 14b, 15, or 16.	20	0 21
Depart	ment of the Treasury	N 0.			ich to Form 990.			to Public
	I Revenue Service	► GO	to www.irs.	gov/Form9901	or instructions and the lates		Inspe	
	of the organization C OPERA OF CHICAGO					En	nployer identific 36-600	
Pa		mation o	on Activit	ias Autsida	the United States. Con	nlete if the organiz		
	Form 990, Part I							
1		grantees	s' eligibility	for the grant	cords to substantiate the a ts or assistance, and the s	selection criteria us	sed to	es 🗌 No
2	For grantmakers. De outside the United Sta		ı Part V the	e organization	's procedures for monitorir	ng the use of its gra	ants and oth	er assistance
3	Activities per Region.	(The follo	wing Part	l, line 3 table c	an be duplicated if addition	nal space is needed	.)	
	(a) Region		(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in the region	(d) Activities conducted in the region (by type) (such as, fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in a program servic describe specific ty service(s) in the rec	e, experience, exp	(f) Total penditures for d investments n the region
(1)	CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN	O THE	0	0	INVESTMENTS	N/A		35,708,808
(1)	EUROPE (INCLUDING ICELAND AND GREENLA	AND)	0	0	PROGRAM SERVICES	ARTISTIC/PRODUC COSTS	TION	1,347,966
(3)	NORTH AMERICA (CANA MEXICO ONLY)	ADA &	0	0	FUNDRAISING	N/A		3,395
(4)	EUROPE (INCLUDING ICELAND AND GREENLA	AND)	0	0	INVESTMENTS	N/A		7,149,233
(5)	NORTH AMERICA (CANA MEXICO ONLY)		0	0	PROGRAM SERVICES	ARTISTIC/PRODUC COSTS	TION	311,170
(6)	NORTH AMERICA (CANA MEXICO ONLY)	ADA &	0	0	MANAGEMENT & GEN'L - INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY COSTS	N/A		10,000
(7)								
(8)								
(9)								
(10)								
(11)								
(12)								
(13)								
(14)								
(15)								
(16)								
(17)								
3a	Subtotal		0	0				44,530,572
b	sheets to Part I	🗋	0	0				0
C	Totals (add lines 3a a	nd 3b)	0	0				44,530,572

Statement of Activities Outside the United States

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.

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SCHEDULE F

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Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 15, for any recipient who received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1	(a) Name of organization	(b) IRS code section and EIN (if applicable)	(c) Region	(d) Purpose of grant	(e) Amount of cash grant	(f) Manner of cash disbursement	(g) Amount of noncash assistance	(h) Description of noncash assistance	(i) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
(1)									
(2)									
(3)									
(4)									
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(6)									
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(8)									
(9)									
(10)									
(11)									
(12)									
(13)									
(14)									
(15)									
(16) 2	Enter total p	mber of region	ent organizations li	sted above that are		rities by the foreign			
2	exempt 501(c)(3) organizatior	n by the IRS, or for	which the grantee or ties	counsel has provid	ed a section 501(c)(3) equivalency letter	►	

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Part III can be duplica	ated if additional spa	ice is needed.					
(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Region	(c) Number of recipients	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Manner of cash disbursement	(f) Amount of noncash assistance	(g) Description of noncash assistance	(h) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
(1)							
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Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 16. Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

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Part	IV Foreign Forms		
1	Was the organization a U.S. transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 926, Return by a U.S. Transferor of Property to a Foreign Corporation (see Instructions for Form 926).	✓ Yes	🗌 No
2	Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to separately file Form 3520, Annual Return To Report Transactions With Foreign Trusts and Receipt of Certain Foreign Gifts, and/or Form 3520-A, Annual Information Return of Foreign Trust With a U.S. Owner (see Instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A; don't file with Form 990)	Yes	V No
3	Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign corporation during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5471, Information Return of U.S. Persons With Respect to Certain Foreign Corporations (see Instructions for Form 5471)	✓ Yes	🗌 No
4	Was the organization a direct or indirect shareholder of a passive foreign investment company or a qualified electing fund during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8621, Information Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund (see Instructions for Form 8621)</i>	✓ Yes	🗌 No
5	Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign partnership during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8865, Return of U.S. Persons With Respect to Certain Foreign Partnerships (see Instructions for Form 8865)	✓ Yes	🗌 No
6	Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to separately file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see Instructions for Form 5713; don't file with Form 990).	Yes	🖌 No

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Supplemental Information. Provide the information required by Part I, line 2 (monitoring of funds); Part I, line 3, column (f) (accounting method; amounts of investments vs. expenditures per region); Part II, line 1 (accounting method); Part III (accounting method); andPart III, column (c) (estimated number of recipients), as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information (see instructions).

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
3 - METHOD ÚSED TO	CENTRAL AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN -ACCRUAL EUROPE (INCLUDING ICELAND AND GREENLAND) -ACCRUAL NORTH AMERICA (CANADA & MEXICO ONLY) -ACCRUAL

SCHEDULE G					raising or Gam		OMB No. 1545-0047
(Form 990)	Complete if	the organization an organization ente	swered "Yes' red more than	' on Form 99 n \$15,000 on	0, Part IV, line 17, 18, Form 990-EZ, line 6a	or 19, or if the	2021
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service			tach to Form		990-EZ. and the latest information of the la	tion	Open to Public
Name of the organization		do to www.ns.gov/	-0111390 101 1			Employer identified	Inspection cation number
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	ising Activities. 90-EZ filers are n				vered "Yes" on	Form 990, Part IV,	line 17.
1 Indicate whet	her the organizatic	n raised funds t	• •		•	heck all that apply.	
a 🗹 Mail solici			_		ion of non-govern	-	
b ⊻ Internet a c ✓ Phone sol	nd email solicitatio	ns	f 🗠 g 🔽		ion of governmen fundraising events	•	
	solicitations		9 -				
						icers, directors, trust	
			-		-	fundraising services?	
	he 10 highest paid I at least \$5,000 by			draisers) pi	ursuant to agreen	nents under which th	e fundraiser is to be
(i) Name and addr or entity (fu		(ii) Activity	custody o	draiser have r control of outions?	(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col. (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
			Yes	No			
SD&A TELESERVICE CENTURY BLVD., SU CA 90045	S, INC., 5757 W. ITE 300, LOS ANGELES,	TELEMARKETING		~	39,426	47,972	(8,546)
2							(0,0.0)
3							
4							
5							
6							
7							
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9							
10							-
Total		1		•	39,426	47,972	(8,546)
	in which the orga	nization is regis				ns or has been notifi	, , , ,
registration o CA, IL, IN, NY, WI	-	C C					·

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 Part II
 Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. 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))

 (a)
 Event type)
 (event type)
 (event type)
 (c)
 Other events
 (d)
 Total events (add col. (a)
 (add col. (a)
 through col. (c))

			(event type)	(event type)	(total number)	col. (c))
Revenue	1	Gross receipts	1,184,293	45,750 12,750	604,954 389,796	1,834,997
	3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	53,400	33,000	215,158	301,558
	4	Cash prizes				0
	5	Noncash prizes				0
sesue	6	Rent/facility costs	641,037	2,164	18,560	661,761
Direct Expenses	7	Food and beverages	81,885	46,069	67,638	195,592
Direc	8	Entertainment	8,800		4,440	13,240
	9	Other direct expenses .	276,709	17,637	341,060	635,406
	10	Direct expense summary. Ad				1,505,999
	11	Net income summary. Subtra	act line 10 from line 3, co	lumn (d)	🕨	(1,204,441)

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

Revenue			(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col. (a) through col. (c))
Reve	1	Gross revenue				
es	2	Cash prizes				
Direct Expenses	3	Noncash prizes				
rect E	4	Rent/facility costs				
Ō	5	Other direct expenses .				
	6	Volunteer labor	│	│	│	
	7	Direct expense summary. Ac	ld lines 2 through 5 in c	olumn (d) .		
	8	Net gaming income summar	y. Subtract line 7 from li	ne 1, column (d)		
9	E	nter the state(s) in which the or	ganization conducts ga	ming activities:		
		the organization licensed to c "No," explain:		s in each of these states	s?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
10	a W	/ere any of the organization's g	aming licenses revoked	l, suspended, or termina	ated during the tax year	? . □ Yes □ No

b If "Yes," explain:

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11	Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers?
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?
13	Indicate the percentage of gaming activity conducted in:
а	The organization's facility
b	An outside facility
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
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ► \$ and the
	amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party > \$
с	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
17	Mandatory distributions:
а	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 \$
Part	Supplemental Information. Provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v); and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also provide any additional information. See instructions.
SEE	NEXT PAGE

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Supplemental Information. Provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v), and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also provide any additional information (see instructions).

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
LINE 11 NET INCOME	THE MECHANICS OF SCHEDULE G REQUIRE THAT WE REMOVE CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS COLLECTED AT THE SPECIAL EVENT, IN ORDER TO DETERMINE INCOME OR LOSS ON EVENTS. \$1.5 MILLION OF CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS WERE COLLECTED (SCHEDULE G, PART II, LINE 2) FOR A TRUE NET INCOME OF \$0.3 MILLION COLLECTED AT THESE EVENTS.

	EDULE J	Compe	nsation Information		OMB No.	1545-0)047
(Form	990)	For certain Officers, Dire	ctors, Trustees, Key Employees, a mpensated Employees	nd Highest	20	21	1
Departm	ent of the Treasury	Complete if the organization	on answered "Yes" on Form 990, F ▶ Attach to Form 990.	Part IV, line 23.	Open t		
Internal I	Revenue Service	► Go to www.irs.gov/Form	990 for instructions and the latest		Insp	ectio	n
	f the organization	CAGO		Employer identificati 36-6	on number 008929		
Part	Questic	ons Regarding Compensation					
						Yes	No
1a		propriate box(es) if the organization pr ection A, line 1a. Complete Part III to p			orm		
		or charter travel	Housing allowance or reside				
	Travel for c	-	Payments for business use of Health or social club dues of	•			
		nification and gross-up payments ry spending account	Personal services (such as r				
b	or reimburser	boxes on line 1a are checked, did t nent or provision of all of the ex	penses described above? If "I		to		
	explain				· 1b		
2		nization require substantiation pric tees, and officers, including the CE					
	1a?				· 2		
3	organization's	n, if any, of the following the organiza CEO/Executive Director. Check all t	hat apply. Do not check any box	es for methods used by	/a		
	-	zation to establish compensation of		-			
	•	tion committee	Written employment contrac				
		nt compensation consultant f other organizations	 Compensation survey or stu Approval by the board or co 	•			
4		ar, did any person listed on Form 990 r a related organization:), Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with	respect to the filing			
а	0	erance payment or change-of-contro	bl payment?		. 4a	V	
b	Participate in o	or receive payment from a suppleme	ntal nonqualified retirement plan	?	. 4b	~	
С		or receive payment from an equity-b r of lines 4a–c, list the persons and p			. <u>4c</u>		
5	For persons	501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) of listed on Form 990, Part VII, Sect contingent on the revenues of:	• •		any		
а		on?					~
b	•	ganization?			. 5 b		~
	If "Yes" on line	e 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.					
6		listed on Form 990, Part VII, Sect contingent on the net earnings of:	tion A, line 1a, did the organiz	ration pay or accrue	any		
а		on?					~
b	•	ganization?			. <u>6b</u>		
7		isted on Form 990, Part VII, Section described on lines 5 and 6? If "Yes,"					~
8	to the initial	ounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, contract exception described in	Regulations section 53.4958-4	(a)(3)? If "Yes," desci	ribe		~
					Ű		
9		ne 8, did the organization also fo ection 53.4958-6(c)?					
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Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported on 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 aren't listed on Form 990, Part VII.

Note: The sum of columns (B)(i)–(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

		(B) Breakdown of W-2 a	nd/or 1099-MISC and/or 1		(C) Retirement and	(D) Nontaxable	(E) Total of columns	(F) Compensation
(A) Name and Title		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation	other deferred compensation	benefits	(B)(i)–(D)	in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
ANTHONY FREUD	(i)	599,960	0	114,667	19,448	22,033	756,108	19,500
1 GENERAL DIRECTOR, PRESIDENT & CEO	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ENRIQUE MAZZOLA	(i)	433,512	0	0	0	0	433,512	0
2VICE - CHAIR & MUSIC DIRECTOR	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ELIZABETH HURLEY	(i)	359,903	0	826	19,448	24,783	404,960	0
ASST SECRETARY, CHIEF ADVANCEMENT OFFICER	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROBERTA LANE	(i)	319,845	0	1,267	19,448	21,136	361,696	0
4ASST TREASURER, CFAO	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DREW LANDMESSER	(i)	295,996	0	20,818	18,257	18,946	354,017	0
CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER & DEPUTY GENERAL 5 DIRECTOR	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
KATHLEEN SHEEHAN	(i)	222,838	0	826	13,113	21,249	258,026	0
6 ^{VICE PRESIDENT FOR PRINCIPAL GIFTS}	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JOE DOCKWEILER	(i)	176,271	0	0	21,090	37,185	234,546	0
7MASTER CARPENTER	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MICHAEL BLACK	(i)	188,161	0	826	0	11,876	200,863	0
8CHORUS MASTER	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VINCENTE MILIANTI	(i)	161,931	0	288	10,669	21,932	194,820	0
9VICE PRESIDENT FOR FINANCE	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TRACY GALLIGHER YOUNG	(i)	149,224	0	288	9,839	38,464	197,815	0
SENIOR DIRECTOR, MARKETING & AUDIENCE 10DEVELOPMENT	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MICHAEL GREEN	(i)	15,225	0	148,663	2,065	6,919	172,872	0
11 FORMER PRINCIPAL PERCUSSIONIST	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(i)							
12	(ii)							
	(i)							
13	(ii)							
	(i)							
14	(ii)							
	(i)							
15	(ii)							
	(i)							
16	(ii)	[T

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Supplemental Information. Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
4A - SEVERANCE OR	DUE TO A CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT, LYRIC OPERA IS PROHIBITED FROM DISCLOSING SPECIFIC DETAILS. HOWEVER, THE AMOUNTS OF SEVERANCE RECEIVED BY THE INDIVIDUALS ARE INCLUDED IN SCHEDULE J, PART II, BOX (B)(III).
SCHEDULE J, PART I, LINE 4B - SUPPLEMENTAL NONQUALIFIED RETIREMENT PLAN	LYRIC CONTRIBUTED \$19,500 TO A SUPPLEMENTAL NONQUALIFIED RETIREMENT PLAN FOR ANTHONY FREUD. DREW LANDMESSER CONTRIBUTED \$19,500 TO A SUPPLEMENTAL NONQUALIFIED RETIREMENT PLAN. THE AMOUNTS THAT WERE CONTRIBUTED TO A SUPPLEMENTAL NONQUALIFIED RETIREMENT PLAN ARE INCLUDED IN SCHEDULE J, PART II, BOX (B)(III).

SCHEDULE L (Form 990)

Transactions With Interested Persons

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

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a, 25b, 26, 27, 28a, 28b, or 28c, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a or 40b. ► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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Name of the organization

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art I	Excess Benefit Transactions (section 501(c)(3), section 501(c)(4), and section 501(c)(29) organizations only).
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a or 25b, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 40k

1	(a) Name of disgualified person	(b) Relationship between disqualified person and	(c) Description of transaction	(d) Corrected	
•	(a) Name of disqualined person	organization	(c) Description of transaction	Yes	No
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					
2		ed by the organization managers or dis			
	under section 4958		> \$		
3	Enter the amount of tax, if any, o	on line 2, above, reimbursed by the organi	zation		

Enter the amount of tax, if any, on line 2, above, reimbursed by the organization

Part II Loans to and/or From Interested Persons.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a or Form 990, Part IV, line 26; or if the organization reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 5, 6, or 22.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship with organization	(c) Purpose of loan	fron	an to or 1 the zation?	(e) Original principal amount	(f) Balance due	(g) In c	lefault?	by bo	proved bard or hittee?	(i) Wi agreei	
			То	From			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
(1)												
(2)												
(3)												
(4)												
(5)												
(6)												
(7)												
(8)												
(9)												
(10)												
Fotal					· ·►	\$		•				

Grants or Assistance Benefiting Interested Persons.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 27.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of assistance	(d) Type of assistance	(e) Purpose of assistance
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
(5)				
(6)				
(7)				
(8)				
(9)				
(10)				

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Part III

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·		interested person and the organization	transaction			zation' nues?
					Yes	No
	STATEMENT)					
(2)						
(3)						
(4) (5)						
(5)						
(6)						
(7)						
(8)						
(8) (9) (10)						
(10)						
Part V	Supplemental Information. Provide additional informatio	n for responses to questions	on Schedule L (see	instructions).		

(e) Sharing of

(d) Description of transaction

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(a) Name of interested person

Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 28a, 28b, or 28c.

(b) Relationship between

(c) Amount of

Part IV

Part IV Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons (continued)

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of transaction	org		e) Sharing of organization's revenues?	
				Yes	No	
(1) BULLEY & ANDREWS CONCRETE RESTORATION, LLC	ENTITY MORE THAN 35% OWNED BY A. BULLEY, TRUSTEE	\$1,040,654	CONTRACTED CONSULTANT - NORMAL COURSE OF BUSINESS		>	
(2) COLIN URE	FAMILY MEMBER OF CURRENT TRUSTEE	\$13,985	EMPLOYMENT		>	

SCHEDULE M (Form 990)

Noncash Contributions

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Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.



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Name o	of the organization				Employer ic	dentification number
LYRI	C OPERA OF CHICAGO					36-6008929
Par	Types of Property					
		(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash cont amounts repo Form 990, Part V	orted on	(d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts
1	Art-Works of art					
2	Art-Historical treasures					
3	Art-Fractional interests					

3	Art—Fractional interests				
4	Books and publications				
5	Clothing and household				
	goods	~		47,853	MARKET VALUE
6	Cars and other vehicles				
7	Boats and planes				
8	Intellectual property				
9	Securities-Publicly traded	~	100	6,185,680	MARKET VALUE
10	Securities—Closely held stock .				
11	Securities – Partnership, LLC, or trust interests				
12	Securities-Miscellaneous				
13	Qualified conservation contribution—Historic structures				
14	Qualified conservation contribution—Other				
15	Real estate-Residential				
16	Real estate - Commercial				
17	Real estate-Other				
18	Collectibles				
19	Food inventory				
20	Drugs and medical supplies				
21	Taxidermy				
22	Historical artifacts				
23	Scientific specimens				
24	Archeological artifacts				
25	Other ► (GIFT CERTIFICATES)	~	1	145,038	MARKET VALUE
26	Other ► ()				
27	Other ► ()				
28	Other ► ()				
20	Number of Forme 8283 received	by the or	anization during the tax	voar for contributions for	

Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions for 29 which the organization completed Form 8283, Part V, Donee Acknowledgement

0 29 Yes No

30a	During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1 through 28, that it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which isn't required	
	to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period?	30a
b	If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II.	
31	Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any nonstandard contributions?	31
32a	Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash contributions?	32a
b 33	If "Yes," describe in Part II. If the organization didn't report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked,	

describe in Part II.

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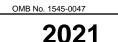
Supplemental Information. Provide the information required by Part I, lines 30b, 32b, and 33, and whether the organization is reporting in Part I, column (b), the number of contributions, the number of items received, or a combination of both. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
	SECURITIES - PUBLICLY TRADED - STOCK DONATIONS RECEIVED
	OTHER - GIFT CERTIFICATES - NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTIONS
NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTIONS	CLOTHING AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS - FURNITURE & AIR PURIFIERS NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTIONS

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.

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- Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.



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Name of the Organization LYRIC OPERA OF CHICAGO

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1 - ORGANIZATION'S MISSION	- PRODUCING AND PERFORMING CONSISTENTLY THRILLING, WORLD-CLASS OPERA, WITH A BALANCED REPERTOIRE THAT ENCOMPASSES CORE CLASSICS, LESSER-KNOWN MASTERPIECES, AND NEW WORKS.
	- CREATING A DIVERSE, INNOVATIVE, WIDE-RANGING PROGRAM OF COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND EDUCATION ACTIVITIES THAT REACHES THE WIDEST POSSIBLE PUBLIC.
	- DEVELOPING EXCEPTIONAL EMERGING OPERATIC TALENT.
FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4B - PROGRAM SERVICE DESCRIPTION	ATTENDANCE FOR THESE EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES TOTALED APPROXIMATELY 800. PLEASE NOTE, AS REQUIRED BY THE INSTRUCTIONS, THE REVENUE DISCLOSED HERE DOES NOT INCLUDE CONTRIBUTED REVENUE FOR THESE PROGRAMS.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 1A - DELEGATE BROAD AUTHORITY TO A COMMITTEE	THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SHALL DESIGNATE NOT MORE THAN 30 DIRECTORS TO CONSTITUTE AN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SHALL HAVE ALL OF THE AUTHORITY OF THE BOARD IN THE MANAGEMENT OF THE CORPORATION EXCEPT WITH REGARD TO MATTERS ON WHICH THE BOARD HAS ACTED AND EXCEPT FURTHER THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SHALL NOT:
	 (A) ADOPT A PLAN FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE ASSETS OF THE CORPORATION, OR FOR DISSOLUTION; (B) APPROVE OR RECOMMEND TO MEMBERS ANY ACT THE ILLINOIS GENERAL NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION ACT OF 1986 REQUIRES TO BE APPROVED BY MEMBERS; (C) FILL VACANCIES ON THE BOARD OR ON ANY OF ITS COMMITTEES; (D) ELECT, APPOINT OR REMOVE ANY OFFICER OR DIRECTOR OR MEMBER OF ANY COMMITTEE, OR FIX THE COMPENSATION OF ANY MEMBER OF A COMMITTEE; (E) ADOPT, AMEND, OR REPEAL THE BYLAWS OR THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION; (F) ADOPT A PLAN OF MERGER OR ADOPT A PLAN OF CONSOLIDATION WITH ANOTHER CORPORATION, OR AUTHORIZE THE SALE, LEASE, EXCHANGE OR MORTGAGE OF ALL OR SUBSTANTIALLY ALL OF THE PROPERTY OR ASSETS OF THE CORPORATION; OR (G) AMEND, ALTER, REPEAL OR TAKE ACTION INCONSISTENT WITH ANY RESOLUTION OR ACTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS WHEN THE RESOLUTION OR ACTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS WHEN THE RESOLUTION OR ACTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS WHEN THE RESOLUTION OR ACTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS WHEN THE RESOLUTION OR ACTION OF REPEALED BY ACTION OF A COMMITTEE.
	THE DELEGATION HEREIN OF AUTHORITY TO THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SHALL NOT OPERATE TO RELIEVE THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, OR ANY INDIVIDUAL DIRECTOR, OF ANY RESPONSIBILITY IMPOSED UPON IT, HIM, OR HER BY LAW.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 2 - FAMILY/BUSINESS RELATIONSHIPS AMONGST INTERESTED PERSONS	WILLIAM OSBORN & ROBERT FORD - BUSINESS RELATIONSHIP
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 6 - CLASSES OF MEMBERS OR STOCKHOLDERS	EACH PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION DONATING \$500 OR MORE TO THE CORPORATION IN ANY 10-MONTH PERIOD FROM JULY 1 OF ANY CALENDAR YEAR THROUGH APRIL 30 OF THE FOLLOWING CALENDAR YEAR SHALL BECOME A MEMBER FOR THE 12-MONTH PERIOD BEGINNING ON THE MAY 1 IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE END OF SUCH 10-MONTH PERIOD AND ENDING ON THE FOLLOWING APRIL 30. EACH PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION DONATING \$500 OR MORE TO THE CORPORATION IN ANY 2-MONTH PERIOD BEGINNING ON THE JULY 1 IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE END OF SUCH 2-MONTH PERIOD AND ENDING ON THE FOLLOWING THE END OF SUCH 2-MONTH PERIOD AND ENDING ON THE FOLLOWING JUNE 30.
	THE GENERAL DIRECTOR OR EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SHALL DESIGNATE EACH MEMBER AS ARIA, PLATINUM, GRAND, GOLDEN GRAND, SILVER GRAND, PREMIER BENEFACTOR, BRAVO CIRCLE, IMPRESARIO, FRIEND, SUSTAINER OR SUCH OTHER DESIGNATION AS THE GENERAL DIRECTOR OR EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SHALL DETERMINE BASED UPON AMOUNT OF CONTRIBUTION. THE GENERAL DIRECTOR OR EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SHALL SET AND INCREASE OR DECREASE, FROM TIME TO TIME, THE RESPECTIVE AMOUNTS REQUIRED FOR EACH DESIGNATION. THE VARIOUS DESIGNATIONS SHALL NOT AFFECT THE VOTING AND OTHER LEGAL RIGHTS OF MEMBERS UNDER THE ILLINOIS GENERAL NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION ACT OF 1986.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 7A - MEMBERS OR STOCKHOLDERS ELECTING MEMBERS OF GOVERNING BODY	EACH MEMBER SHALL BE ENTITLED TO ONE VOTE AT EACH ANNUAL MEETING FOR THE ELECTION OF DIRECTORS AND ON SUCH OTHER MATTERS AS ARE SUBMITTED TO A VOTE OF THE MEMBERS. EACH MEMBER SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO VOTE IN PERSON, BY PROXY OR BY E-MAIL OR OTHER ELECTRONIC MEANS FOR AS MANY PERSONS AS THERE ARE DIRECTORS TO BE ELECTED. NO CUMULATIVE VOTING SHALL BE PERMITTED.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 11B - REVIEW OF FORM 990 BY GOVERNING BODY	THE LYRIC OPERA OF CHICAGO FORM 990 AND SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULES ARE PREPARED AND REVIEWED BY LYRIC STAFF. A REVIEW IS THEN PERFORMED BY OUR TAX ADVISOR. THE FORM 990 AND SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULES ARE PROVIDED TO THE FULL LYRIC OPERA AUDIT COMMITTEE, ALONG WITH THE APPROPRIATE MEMBERS OF LYRIC OPERA STAFF, FOR THEIR REVIEW PRIOR TO A MEETING OF THE FULL AUDIT COMMITTEE WHERE THE TAX ADVISOR OVERSEES THE DISCUSSION AND REVIEW OF THE FORM 990. THE AUDIT COMMITTEE THEN APPROVES THE FILINGS PRIOR TO THEM BEING FILED WITH THE IRS.

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation		
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 12C - CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY	LYRIC OPERA MAINTAINS A CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY WHICH APPLIES TO A OFFICERS OF AUXILIARY ORGANIZATIONS AUTHORIZED BY THE OPERA, AS WELL MANAGEMENT AND OTHER DESIGNATED MEMBERS OF THE STAFF. THE POLICY F PERSON TO WHOM THE POLICY APPLIES TO COMPLETE AN ANNUAL DISCLOSURE WHICH IDENTIFIES A BUSINESS OR FINANCIAL INTEREST OF THAT PERSON WHIC ENGAGE IN A BUSINESS TRANSACTION WITH THE OPERA, OR HAS ENGAGED IN A TRANSACTION WITH THE OPERA DURING THE PRECEDING YEAR.	AS SENIOR REQUIRES EACH E QUESTIONNAIRE H IS PLANNING TO	
	THE POLICY FORBIDS SUCH INDIVIDUALS FROM VOTING ON OR USING THEIR PER INFLUENCE IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH TRANSACTIONS. IN THE EVENT THE OPE CONDUCT BUSINESS WITH A RELATED PARTY, THE FINANCIAL TERMS OF THOSE ARE REPORTED ANNUALLY TO THE AUDIT COMMITTEE, WHOSE MEMBERS MUST PER THE TERMS OF ITS CHARTER.	RA DOES RELATIONSHIPS	
	THE OPERA REQUIRES EACH FULL-TIME NON-UNION EMPLOYEE TO CONDUCT TH ACCORDANCE WITH THE CODE OF BUSINESS CONDUCT AND ETHICS, APPROVED BOARD OF DIRECTORS, AND TO SIGN AN ANNUAL STATEMENT ACKNOWLEDGING UNDERSTANDING OF THIS CODE.	BY THE OPERA'S	
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 15A - PROCESS TO ESTABLISH	THE PROCESS OF DETERMINING COMPENSATION OF THE ORGANIZATION'S GENE INCLUDED THE FOLLOWING:	ERAL DIRECTOR	
COMPENSATION OF TOP MANAGEMENT OFFICIAL	THE GENERAL DIRECTOR WAS HIRED IN APRIL 2011 WITH A 5 YEAR CONTRACT, T 2016. THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE, COMPRISED OF SEVEN INDEPENDENT BU AND TWO EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS, WAS CHARGED UNDER THEIR CHARTER WITH T RESPONSIBILITY TO REVIEW AND ESTABLISH OBJECTIVES RELEVANT TO THE GE DIRECTOR'S COMPENSATION, EVALUATE THE GENERAL DIRECTOR'S PERFORMAL THOSE OBJECTIVES, AND RECOMMEND TO THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE THE GEN DIRECTOR'S COMPENSATION LEVEL BASED ON THIS EVALUATION. IN 2016, THE G DIRECTOR (NOW CALLED THE GENERAL DIRECTOR, PRESIDENT AND CHIEF EXEC WAS OFFERED A NEW FIVE-YEAR CONTRACT, STARTING JULY 1, 2016 THROUGH J JUNE 28, 2021, THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE RENEWED THE GENERAL DIREC AND CEO CONTRACT FOR AN ADDITIONAL 5 YEAR TERM ENDING JUNE 30, 2026. T OFFERED IN THE NEW CONTRACT WAS BENCHMARKED AGAINST COMPARABLE O PERFORMING ARTS COMPANIES AND AGAIN APPROVED BY THE COMPENSATION THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.	DARD MEMBERS HE NERAL NCE IN LIGHT OF NERAL ENERAL CUTIVE OFFICER) JUNE 30, 2021. ON TOR, PRESIDENT, HE BASE SALARY DPERA AND	
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 15B - PROCESS TO ESTABLISH COMPENSATION OF OTHER OFFICERS OR KEY EMPLOYEES	THE PROCESS OF DETERMINING COMPENSATION OF OTHER OFFICERS OR KEY E (ANYONE EARNING MORE THAN \$150,000) INCLUDED THE FOLLOWING:	EMPLOYEES	
	1) THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE, MADE UP OF SIX INDEPENDENT BOARD MEMBERS AND TWO EX-OFFICER MEMBERS, REVIEWED THE FISCAL 2022 COMPENSATION ARRANGEMENTS IN JUNE 2021. THIS PROCESS IS DONE ANNUALLY.		
	2) LYRIC SALARY BANDS ARE DETERMINED IN CONSULTATION WITH AN INDEPENDENT CONSULTANT ON A PERIODIC BASIS WHO, LEVERAGING COMPARABILITY DATA AND BENCHMARK COMPARISONS FROM PEER INDUSTRY ORGANIZATIONS BASED ON SIZE OF REVENUE AND OPERATING BUDGET AS WELL AS SCOPE OF MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITY, SETS SALARY BANDS FOR EACH OF LYRIC'S EIGHT STAFF JOB LEVELS.		
	3) SALARIES FOR ALL HIGHLY COMPENSATED EMPLOYEES WITH SALARIES OVER \$150,000 PER YEAR MUST FALL WITHIN THEIR RESPECTIVE SALARY BANDS.		
	4) RECOMMENDATIONS, AS WELL AS ANY DELIBERATION, WERE DOCUMENTED IN THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE MINUTES. A REPORT TO THE BOARD WITH RESPECT TO COMPENSATION RECOMMENDATION WAS REFLECTED IN THE BOARD MEETING MINUTES.		
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 19 - REQUIRED DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC	LYRIC OPERA OF CHICAGO POSTS AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ON ITS WEBSITE. GOVERNING DOCUMENTS AND CONFLICTS OF INTEREST POLICY ARE NOT REQUIRED DISCLOSURES PURSUANT TO IRC SEC. 6104. THESE DOCUMENTS ARE NOT AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC AT THIS TIME.		
FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 9 - OTHER CHANGES IN NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES	(a) Description	(b) Amount	
	CHANGE IN SEVERANCE PLANS' VALUATION	730,584	
	UNREALIZED GAIN - INTEREST RATE SWAP CONTRACT	4,384,247	
	UNCOLLECTIBLE DEBT	- 110,047	
SIGNATURE BLOCK - SIGNING OFFICER	THE SIGNING OFFICER OF THE RETURN, VINCENTE MILIANTI, IS NOT LISTED ON P OFFICER OF THE ORGANIZATION BECAUSE MILIANTI WAS FIRST APPROVED AS A BOARD IN FEBRUARY 2023.		