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Form **990**

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

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OMB No. 1545-0047

Open to Public Inspection

A F	or th	ne 2024 c	alendar year, or tax year begin	ning 01-01-2024 , and ending 12-	31-2024		
B Che	ck if a	applicable:	C Name of organization PUBLIC INVENTION	D Employer	identification number		
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	me ch tial re	hange	Doing business as				
_		rn/terminated	_				
		d return	Number and street (or P.O. box if ma	ail is not delivered to street address) Room/s	suite	E Telephone	number
ОАр	plicati	ion pending	1709 Norris Dr			(512) 913	3-6103
			City or town, state or province, cour	ntry, and ZIP or foreign postal code			
			Austin, TX 78704			G Gross rece	eipts \$ 406,897
			F Name and address of principa Robert Read	l officer:	H(a)	Is this a group retu	rn for
			1709 Norris Dr			subordinates?	☐Yes ✓ No
			Austin, TX 78704		H(b)	Are all subordinates included?	s □ Yes □No
I Tax	<-exer	mpt status:	✓ 501(c)(3) □ 501(c)()(inse	ert no.)		If "No," attach a lis	
J W	ebsi	te: htt	ps://www.pubinv.org/		H(c)	Group exemption n	umber
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K Forr	n of o	organization	: Corporation Trust Associ	ciation Other	L Year o	f formation: 2019	◀ State of legal domicile: TX
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				nd educate by creating a movement for humanitarian inventions, specifically in			
ė		oxygen co	oncentrator for NASA, a global distr	ributed tracking system for medical sup			
ă		cooking s	tove for wood-based fires, and are	developing a ferrofluid check valve.			
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Activities & Governance							
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	b	Net unre	lated business taxable income fron	n Form 990-T, Part I, line 11	· ·		7b 0
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Pa	rt III	Statement of Program Service Accomplishments	
		Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III	🗸
1	Briefl	efly describe the organization's mission:	
the p	ublic, f e a mo	vention alleviates poverty and advances education, science, and engineering by creating teams of mostly unpaid of the Public". All of our activities are open-source and shared with all businesses and persons under open sou movement for open science and invention similar to the open source software movement, but including inventions biomedical devices.	rce licenses. We seek to
2	Did th	d the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on	
	the p	e prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?	🗸 Yes 🗌 No
	If "Ye	"Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.	
3	Did th	the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program	
	servi	rvices?	🗆 Yes 🗹 No
	If "Ye	"Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.	
4	Section	scribe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as mea ction 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others d revenue, if any, for each program service reported.	
4a	(Code	Code:) (Expenses \$ 79,982 including grants of \$ 95,835) (Revenue \$)
	and t dang	e had a contract with NASA to develop and deliver a digital control system to drive a solid-state oxygen generator. This device is just detected to another firm) by NASA. This will fill spacesuits, allow the tankage of O2 as a rocket oxidizer necessary for angerous oxygen for gases to be processed in space. Additionally, this could revolutionize treatment of childhood pneumonia, which I dillion children around the world every year, because it can be scaled down to the size of a single clinical bed, and is expected to be very the control of the size of the control	refueling rockets, and scrub kills at least a quarter of a
4b	(Code	Code:) (Expenses \$ 29,090 including grants of \$ 157,500) (Revenue \$	0)
	The (falsifi requi	ne Global Distributed Tracking (GDT) project of the Global Open Source Quality Assurance System (which we lead) addresses the prolisified medical devices in the global supply chain. We have created an open-source fully encrypted, anonymously usable track-and-tracking authentication in low- and middle-income countries. This works by placing a QR code on a device, box, carton, or crate. Anyon nend the history of the item or group of items. The website is live now: https://gosqas.org/.	blem of substandard and race system that does not
4c	(Code	Code:) (Expenses \$ 3,778 including grants of \$ 0) (Revenue \$	0)
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4d	Othe	ther program services (Describe in Schedule O.)	

) (Revenue \$

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including grants of \$

112,850

(Expenses \$

Total program service expenses

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Pai	t IV Checklist of Required Schedules		Yes	No
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A	1	Yes	NO
2	Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> ? See instructions	2	Yes	
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I	3		No
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		No
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	5		No
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D,</i> Part I	6		No
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>	7		No
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D,</i> Part III	8		No
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV	9		No
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>	10		No
11	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VIII, VIII, IX, or X , as applicable.			
а	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI	11a		No
	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII	11b		No
	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		No
	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX	11d		No
е	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	11e		No
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		No
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i>	12a		No
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		No
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	13		No
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a		No
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 foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</i>	14b		No
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than $5,000$ of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV	15		No
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than $5,000$ of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV	16		No
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I.</i> See instructions	17		No
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II	18		No
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III	19		No
20a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20a		No

 $\textbf{b} \quad \text{If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?}$

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? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II

No

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Part IV	Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

			Yes	No	
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	22	. 65	No	
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		No	
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a	24a		No	
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b			
С	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c			
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d			
25a	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a		No	
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		No	
26	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II	26		No	
27					
28	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):				
а	A current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, or substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes,"</i> complete Schedule L, Part IV	28a		No	
b	A family member of any individual described in line 28a? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b		No	
С	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>	28c		No	
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	29		No	
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	30		No	
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I	31		No	
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II	32		No	
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>	33		No	
34	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		No	
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a		No	
b	If 'Yes' to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	35b		No	
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	36		No	
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>	37		No	
38	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	Yes		
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	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V	· ·		<u></u>	
12	Enter the number reported in box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable 1a 0		Yes	No	
	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included on line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable . 1b 0				
	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	Yes		
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Pa	Statements Regarding Other 1R5 Finnigs and Tax Comphanice (Continued)			
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return			
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns?	2b		
3а	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of $$1,000$ or more during the year?	3a		No
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O	3b		
	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		No
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		No
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b		No
c	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		No
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).			
а	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		
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			
e	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?	7 f		
g	g If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?			
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.			
а	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a		
	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter: Initiation food and contributions included an Part VIII. line 13			
	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12			
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:			
 а	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		
	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year.			
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.			
	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state?	13a		
b	Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O. Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in			
С	which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans			
	Enter the amount of reserves on hand	14a		No
	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	14b		140
	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		
16	If "Yes," see the instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N. Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income?	16		
	If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O.			
17	Section 501(c)(21) organizations. Did the trust, or any disqualified or other person engage in any activities that would result in the imposition of an excise tax under section 4951, 4952, or 4953? 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 ines 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI **✓** Section 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 in Schedule O. **b** Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent 1b Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee? 2 No Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision No of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person? . $\ \, \text{Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?} \, \, \textbf{.}$ 4 No 5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets? 5 No Did the organization have members or stockholders? 6 No 6 7a Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more 7a No 7b No Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following: 8b Yes No Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.) Yes No **10a** Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates? . 10a No If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, 10b and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes? 11a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the 11a Yes **b** Describe on Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990. **12a** Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13 12a Yes Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? . 12b Yes Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe on Schedule O how this was done 12c Yes Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy? 13 No 13 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? 14 No 14 Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent 15 persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision? **a** The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official . 15a Yes 15b Yes If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process on Schedule O. See instructions. 16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a 16a No If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt 16b Section C. Disclosure 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (1024 or 1024-A, if applicable), 990, and 990-T (section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply. ☐ Own website ☐ Another's website ☑ Upon request ☐ Other (explain in Schedule O) Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest 19

policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.

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State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records:

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

- 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, box 6 of 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, or 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. (A) Name and title (C) Position (do not check **(D)** Reportable **(E)** Reportable **(F)** Estimated Average more than one box, unless person is both an officer hours per compensation compensation amount of other week (list from the from related compensation organization (Wany hours for and a director/trustee) organizations from the (W-2/1099-MISC/1099related 2/1099organization and Officer Former Key Individual trustee Institutional Highest compensated employee MISC/1099organizations related director below dotted NEC) NEC) organizations employee line) trustee 55.00 (1) Robert L Read Χ Χ Х Х 0 President

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Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued) (A) Name and title **(D)** Reportable (B) Average (C) Position (do not check **(F)** Estimated amount (E) Reportable more than one box, unless person is both an officer of other hours per compensation compensation from the organization (Wcompensation from the week (list from related organizations (Wany hours for and a director/trustee) 2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC) 2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC) organization and related related Officer Individual trustee or director Former Highest compensated employee organizations nstitutional trustee below dotted line) organizations employee 1b Sub-Total . c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A . d Total (add lines 1b and 1c) Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization 0Yes No 3 Did the organization list any **former** officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual . 3 No For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than 150,000? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such 4 4 No 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 No **Section B. Independent Contractors** Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year. 1

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

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

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Part	VIII	Statement	of R	Revenue							_
		Check if Scheo	lule	O contains	a res	ponse	e or note to an	y line in this Part VII	,		🗆
								(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections
	1-								revenue		512 - 514
के क	1a	Federated campaig			1a		0				
Grants mounts	D	Membership dues			1b		0				
A G		Fundraising events		•	1c		6,012				
Gifts, Grants ilar Amounts		Related organization			1d						
S, C		Government grants (c		,	1e		118,830				
tributions, Gift Other Similar		All other contributions and similar amounts r			1f		282,055				
the But	g	above Noncash contributions	s inclu	uded in							
Contributions, and Other Sim		lines 1a - 1f:\$			1 g		0				
Cont	h	Total. Add lines 1a	1-11		•	• •	•	406,897			
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	4 I	Income from invest	men	t of tax-ex	cempt	bond	proceeds				
	5 F	Royalties									
	6-	Constants		(i) I	Real		(ii) Personal				
		Gross rents	6a								
	b	Less: rental expenses	6b								
	С	Rental income or (loss)	6с								
	d	Net rental income	or ((loss) .							
				(i) Sec	urities	;	(ii) Other				
		Gross amount from sales of	7a								
		assets other than inventory									
ne		Less: cost or	7b								
/en		other basis and sales expenses									
æ	С	Gain or (loss)	7c								
Other Revenue	d	Net gain or (loss)	•		•						
O.	8a	Gross income from fu	ndrai	ising events							
		(not including \$contributions reported			f						
		See Part IV, line 18			8	а					
		Less: direct expen									
	С	Net income or (los	s) fr	om fundra	ising e	event	S	_			
	9a	Gross income from	gami	ing activitie	es.						
		See Part IV, line 19	•		9:	а					
		Less: direct expen									
	С	Net income or (los	s) fr	om gamin	g activ	/ities	• •				
	10a	Gross sales of inve	entor	y, less							
		returns and allowa	inces	5	10)a					
		Less: cost of good			10						
	С	Net income or (los	s) fr	om sales	of inve	_	Business Code				
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Be	С					+					
Other Revenue											
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		Total. Add lines 1									
	12	Total revenue. S	ee in	structions							

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section $501(c)(3)$ and $501(c)(4)$ organiza	ions must complete all columns. All othe	r organizations must complete column (A)
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	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to ar	ny line in this Part IX			\square
	not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21				
2	Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22				
3	Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4	Benefits paid to or for members				_
5	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees				
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section $4958(f)(1)$) and persons described in section $4958(c)(3)(B)$				
7	Other salaries and wages				
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)				
9	Other employee benefits				
10	Payroll taxes				
11	Fees for services (non-employees):				_
ā	Management	5,329		5,329	
Ŀ	Legal	1,859		1,859	
c	: Accounting				
c	Lobbying				
•	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f	Investment management fees				
ç	Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O)				
12	Advertising and promotion	2,635		1,326	1,309
13	Office expenses	2,097		2,097	
14	Information technology				
15	Royalties				
16	Occupancy				
17	Travel	1,627	1,627		
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials .				
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	0	0		
20	Interest				
21	Payments to affiliates				
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization				
23	Insurance				
24	Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
	a Technical Contractors (programmers and engineers)	102,028	102,028		
	b Equipment (primarily electronics, but also 3D printing)	14,960	14,960		
	c Publication of Technical Papers	689	689		
	d Shipping	741	741		
	e All other expenses	2,966	0	2,966	•
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	134,931	120,045	13,577	1,309
26	Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here ☐ if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720).				

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Part X Balance Sheet

Cash-non-interest-bearing			Check if Schedule O contains a response or not	e to any line in this Part IX			\square
2 Savings and temporary cash investments			·	·	(A)		
3 Pledges and grants receivable, net 4 Accounts receivable, net 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 6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(1(1)), and persons described in section 4958(1(1)) and persons described in an accordance and persons 4958(1(1)) and persons described in a section 4958(1(1)) and persons descr		1	Cash-non-interest-bearing		12,504	1	115,409
4 Accounts receivable, net 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 (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), and persons described in section 4958(f)(1). 7 Notes and loans payable and pulpher to the section 4958(f)(1), and persons described in section 4958(f)(1), and persons described in section 4958(f)(1), and persons described in section 4958(f)(1). 8 Possible and the payable and accorded expenses and the payable and accorded expenses and other payable to any of these persons and other payable to any other payab		2	Savings and temporary cash investments	[2	150,000
10		3	Pledges and grants receivable, net			3	
trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons 6 6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958f(c)), and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B). 7 Notes and loans receivable, net		4	Accounts receivable, net	[4	
6 Leans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(8) . 6 7 Notes and loans receivable, net . 7 8 Inventories for sale or use . 8 9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . 9 10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part V of Schedule D 1 Less: accumulated depreciation . 10b . 10c 1 Investments—publicly traded securities . 11 1 Interpretate — Forgram-related. See Part IV, line 11 . 13 1 Interpretate — Forgram-related. See Part IV, line 11 . 13 1 Interpretate — Forgram-related. See Part IV, line 11 . 15 1 Tother assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33) . 12.504 16 . 265.409 17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses . 17 18 Grants payable and accrued expenses . 17 19 Deferred revenue . 19 20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities . 19 21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D 22 Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons . 22 23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties . 24 24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties . 24 25 Other liabilities (notling federal income tax, payables to related third parties . 24 26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25 . 0 26 0 0 27 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25 . 0 26 28 Net assets with donor restrictions . 28 29 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds . 29 30 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund . 30 31 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds . 25 32 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds . 25 33 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds . 25 34 Capital sto		5	trustee, key employee, creator or founder, subs	tantial contributor, or 35%		5	
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11 Investments—publicly traded securities .		10a		10a			
12 Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11		b	Less: accumulated depreciation	10b		10c	
13 Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11		11	Investments—publicly traded securities .			11	
14 Intangible assets		12	Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line	11		12	
15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		13	Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line	11		13	
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33)		14	Intangible assets		14		
17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses		15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	[15	
18 Grants payable		16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equ	ual line 33)	12,504	16	265,409
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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 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25			3 3 1 7	' <u> </u>			
Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here lines 27, 28, 32, and 33. Net assets without donor restrictions		25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, parand other liabilities not included on lines 17 - 24		25		
29 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25 .		0	26	0
29 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds	lances	27	lines 27, 28, 32, and 33.	neck here		27	
29 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds	Ba	28	Net assets with donor restrictions			28	
29 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds	Fund		Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC	958, check here ▶ ☑ and			_
	or	29				29	
	ts	30	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or eq	uipment fund		30	
	SSe	31	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated inc	come, or other funds	12,504	31	265,409
33 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances		32	Total net assets or fund balances		12,504	32	265,409
	Ne		Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances .		12,504	33	265,409

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Pa	rt XI Reconcilliation of Net Assets				
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI				
1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1			406,897
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2			134,931
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3			271,966
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A))	4			12,504
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5			
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6			
7	Investment expenses	7			
8	Prior period adjustments	8			
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9			
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 32, column (B))	10			265,409
Pa	rt XII Financial Statements and Reporting				
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII				
				Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990:				
_	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain on Schedule O.				
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?		2a		No
	If 'Yes,' check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:	on a			
	☐ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis				
	Separate basis Separate basis Separate basis				
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?		2b		No
	If 'Yes,' check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate consolidated basis, or both:	basis,			
	☐ 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 oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?		2c		No
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Sch	edule O.			
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the U Guidance, 2 C.F.R. Part 200, Subpart F?	niform	3a		No
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the requaudit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits.	ıired	3b		No
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SCHEDULE A (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support
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 <u>www.irs.gov/Form990</u> for instructions and the latest information.

TIN: 83-4036254 OMB No. 1545-0047

Open to Public Inspection

	me of the organization LIC INVENTION						Employer identification number			
PUBLI	_ INVE	NIION					83-4036254			
	rt I	Reason for Public					See instructions.			
	rganiz	zation is not a private fou		•	J ,	,				
1		A church, convention of	churches, or as	ssociation of churches	described in se	ection 170(b)(1)	(A)(i).			
2		A school described in se	ection 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Attach Scl	nedule E (Form	990).)				
3		A hospital or a cooperat	tive hospital ser	vice organization desc	ribed in sectio	n 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).			
4		A medical research organisme, city, and state:	anization operat	ed in conjunction with	a hospital des	cribed in section :	170(b)(1)(A)(iii). Er	nter the hospital's		
5		An organization operate 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Co			rsity owned or	operated by a gov	ernmental unit describ	oed in section		
6		A federal, state, or loca	l government or	governmental unit de	escribed in sec t	tion 170(b)(1)(A	l)(v).			
7	✓	An organization that no section 170(b)(1)(A)	(vi). (Complete	e Part II.)			init or from the genera	I public described in		
8		A community trust desc				•				
9		An agricultural research non-land grant college o	of agriculture. S	ee instructions. Enter	the name, city	and state of the o	college or university:			
10		An organization that no from activities related to investment income and 30, 1975. See section	o its exempt fur unrelated busir	nctions—subject to cer ness taxable income (le	tain exceptions	, and (2) no more	than 33 1/3% of its su	pport from gross		
11		An organization organiz	ed and operated	d exclusively to test fo	r public safety.	See section 509	(a)(4).			
12		An organization organiz more publicly supported on lines 12a through 12	d organizations	described in section 5	609(a)(1) or s	ection 509(a)(2). See section 509(a			
а		Type I. A supporting or organization(s) the pow complete Part IV, Sec	er to regularly	appoint or elect a majo						
b		Type II. A supporting of management of the sup must complete Part I	porting organiz	ation vested in the sar						
С		Type III functionally supported organization(ted with, its		
d		Type III non-function functionally integrated. instructions). You mus	nally integrate The organizatio	d. A supporting organ n generally must satis	ization operate fy a distributio	d in connection win requirement and	th its supported organ			
e		Check this box if the organization	ganization recei	ved a written determin	nation from the	IRS that it is a Ty	pe I, Type II, Type III	functionally		
f	Enter	integrated, or Type III r r the number of supporte					0			
g		de the following informat	-				<u> </u>			
(i) Name of supported organization		(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1- 10 above (see instructions))	(iv) Is the or	rganization listed rning document?	(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)			
					Yes	No				
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(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 failed to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.) Section A. Public Support Calendar year (a) 2020 **(b)** 2021 (c) 2022 (d) 2023 (e) 2024 (f) Total (or fiscal year beginning in) Gifts, grants, contributions, and 91,800 88,748 29,275 65,174 406,897 membership fees received. (Do not 681.894 include any "unusual grant.") . . Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge.. Total. Add lines 1 through 3 88,748 29,275 91,800 65,174 406,897 681,894 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly 373,102 supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f). Public support. Subtract line 5 from 308,792 line 4. Section B. Total Support Calendar year (a) 2020 **(b)** 2021 (c) 2022 (d) 2023 (e) 2024 (f) Total (or fiscal year beginning in) 88,748 29,275 91.80 65.174 406,89 681,894 Amounts from line 4. . Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on 14 26 2,955 2,995 securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources. . . Net income from unrelated business 0 activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on. Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets 0 0 (Explain in Part VI.). 11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 684,889 12 0 13 First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage Public support percentage for 2024 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) 45.090 % 14 15 Public support percentage for 2023 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 38.060 % 16a 33 1/3% support test—2024. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box 33 1/3% support test—2023. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this 17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test-2024. 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 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2023. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part VI how the organization Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see

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

Schedule A (Form 990) 2024

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Part III Support Schedule for					المالح ميالة ا	andou Doub II Te
(Complete only if you c the organization fails to						nder Part II. II
ection A. Public Support	quality und	er the tests liste	d below, please	complete rait	11.)	
lendar year		T	1	1	1	T
fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2020	(b) 2021	(c) 2022	(d) 2023	(e) 2024	(f) Total
Gifts, grants, contributions, and						
membership fees received. (Do not						
include any "unusual grants.") .						
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						
Gross receipts from activities that are						
not an unrelated trade or business						
under section 513						
Tax revenues levied for the						
organization's benefit and either paid						
to or expended on its behalf The value of services or facilities						
furnished by a governmental unit to						
the organization without charge						
Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and						
3 received from disqualified persons						
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						
Public support. (Subtract line 7c						
from line 6.)						
ection B. Total Support						
lendar year	(a) 2020	(b) 2021	(c) 2022	(d) 2023	(e) 2024	(f) Total
fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2020	(D) 2021	(C) 2022	(u) 2023	(6) 2024	(I) Iotai
Amounts from line 6						
Gross income from interest,						
dividends, payments received on						
securities loans, rents, royalties and						
income from similar sources						
Unrelated business taxable income						
(less section 511 taxes) from						
businesses acquired after June 30, 1975.						
Add lines 10a and 10b.						
Net income from unrelated business activities not included on line 10b,						
whether or not the business is						
regularly carried on.						
Other income. Do not include gain						
or loss from the sale of capital						
assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c,						
11, and 12.)		1	ı	1	1	1

14	First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section!	501(c)	(3) organization, check
	this box and stop here		▶□
Se	ction C. Computation of Public Support Percentage		
15	Public support percentage for 2024 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	
16	Public support percentage from 2023 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	
Se	ction D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage		
17	Investment income percentage for 2024 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	
18	Investment income percentage from 2023 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	
19a	33 1/3% support tests-2024. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33	1/3%,	and line 17 is not
	more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	n	🕨 🗆
b	33 1/3% support tests—2023. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is mo		
	not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	ation	▶□

Supporting Organizations

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

Se	ction A. All Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
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.	1		
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).	2		
3а	Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer lines 3b and 3c below.	- За		
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.	<u> </u>		
	determination.	3b		
С	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.	3с		
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.	4a		
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.	4b		
С	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.	4c		
5a	(4, 7, 7, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1,	5a		
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?	5b		-
С	Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?	5c		
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 .	6		
7	Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (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).	7		
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).	8		
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 .	9a		
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.	9b		
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 .	9c		
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.	10a		
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).	10a		
	Schedule A		990)	2024

Г	Supporting Organizations (Continued)			
			Yes	No
11	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	<u> </u>		
а	A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described on lines 11b and 11c below, the governing body of a supported organization?	11a		
b	A family member of a person described on 11a above?	11b		
c	A 35% controlled entity of a person described on line 11a or 11b above? If "Yes" to 11a, 11b, or 11c, provide detail in Part VI .	11c		
5	Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Did the officers, directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's 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 directors or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.	1		
2	Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? 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.	2		
	Casting C. Torra II Commenting Commissions			
3	Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations		Yes	No
1	Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of		. 05	
_	each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the	1		
	supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).			
5	Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations		V	N.
1	Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's		Yes	No
•	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 in line 2 above, did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.	3		
9	Section E. Type III Functionally-Integrated Supporting Organizations			
1	Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instruction)	ons):		
	a The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.			
	b The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.			
	c	instru	ctions)	
2	Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b below.		Yes	No
	a Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? 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.	2a	<u> </u>	
	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.			
3	Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer lines 3a and 3b below.	2b	<u> </u>	
3	a Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of	3a		
	the supported organizations? If "Yes" or "No", provide details in Part VI .	-	 	
	b Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs and activities of each of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI. the role played by the organization in this regard.	3b		

Pa	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 tri instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organiz						
	Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)			
1	Net short-term capital gain	1					
2	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2					
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3					
4	Add lines 1 through 3	4					
5	Depreciation and depletion	5					
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6					
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7					
8	Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6 and 7 from line 4)	8					
	Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)			
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):	1					
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					
e	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					
	Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year			
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	1					
2	Enter 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 current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally-instructions)	ntegra	ted Type III supporting o	organization (see			

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Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated	509(a)(3) Supporting	Organizatio	ns (continue	d)
Section D - Distributions					Current Year
Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish	exempt purposes		1		
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2 Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers e organizations, in excess of income from activity	xempt purposes or supported		2		
3 Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purp	poses of supported organization	ons	3		
4 Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets			4		
5 Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required	d - provide details in Part VI)		5		
6 Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instruction	าร		6		
7 Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.			7		
8 Distributions to attentive supported organizations to white details in Part VI). See instructions	ch the organization is respons	sive (<i>provide</i>	8		
9 Distributable amount for 2024 from Section C, line 6			9		
10 Line 8 amount divided by Line 9 amount			10		
Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	Underdis	ii) tribut 2024	ions	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2024
1 Distributable amount for 2024 from Section C, line 6					
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2024 (reasonable cause required explain in Part VI). See instructions.					
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2024:					
a From 2019					
b From 2020					
c From 2021					
d From 2022					
e From 2023					
f Total of lines 3a through e					
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years					
h Applied to 2024 distributable amounti Carryover from 2019 not applied (see					
instructions)					
j Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f.					
4 Distributions for 2024 from Section D, line 7:					
\$ Applied to underdistributions of prior years					
a Applied to underdistributions of prior yearsb Applied to 2024 distributable amount					
c Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4.					
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2024, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. If the amount is greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI</i> . See instructions.					
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2024. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. If the amount is greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI</i> . See instructions.					
7 Excess distributions carryover to 2025. Add lines 3j and 4c.					
8 Breakdown of line 7:					
a Excess from 2020					
b Excess from 2021					
c Excess from 2022					

d Excess from 2023.e Excess from 2024.

Supplemental Information. 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).

Facts And Circumstances Test			
Return Reference	Explanation		

Schedule A (Form 990) 2024

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OMB No. 1545-0047 2024 Department of the Treasury Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information. Internal Revenue Service **Employer identification number** Name of the organization PUBLIC INVENTION 83-4036254 Organization type (check one): Filers of: Section: Form 990 or 990-EZ 501(c)(3) (enter number) organization 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation ☐ 527 political organization 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation Form 990-PF 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 other 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 331/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), 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, 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

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

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Name of organization PUBLIC INVENTION Employer idea 83-4036254			dentification number
Part I	Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space	is needed.	
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	Scott Alexander Gray 513 Hickory St San Francisco, CA 94102	\$ 225,000	Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
2	Margaret Read 22018 Lapis Creek Ln Katy, TX 77450	\$ 6,000	Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
3	Robert Read 1709 Norris Dr Austin, TX 78704	\$ 2,004	Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
-			Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
			Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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			Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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Part II	Noncash Property					
(a) No. from Part I	(see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed. (b) Description of noncash property given	(C) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions)	(d) Date received			
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Part III	Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contribution \$1,000 for the year from any one contribution completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively information once. See instructions.) \$ Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space.	coutor. Complete columns (a) through (e) a religious, charitable, etc., contributions of	and the following line entry. For organizations	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held	
-		(e) Transfer of gift		
-	Transferee's name, address, and ZIF		nship of transferor to transferee	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held	
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	(e) Transfer of gift Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4 Relationship of transferor to transferee			
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-	Transferee's name, address, and ZIF	(e) Transfer of gift ZIP 4 Relationship of transferor to transferee		
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Name of the organization PUBLIC INVENTION

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83-4036254 Return **Explanation** Reference Part III, Line In 2024 we significantly expanded work on our "Global Distributed Tracking (GDT)" project, which provides an open source 2 software website for increasing trust through transparency in the world-wide supply chain of medical devices and disaster aid Part VI, Line No board member is compensated. We have no regular employees; the President peformed the duties normal performed by an 15a Executive Director without compensation. Nobody on the governing body is compensated by our bylaws. We have no other officers or key employees. The contract fees of low-level assistants is approved by the board. Part VI, Line 15b Part VI, Line In 2024 we did not make these documents public, though they were available on request.

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