

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

2015
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A For the 2015 calendar year, or tax year beginning , and ending

B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	C Name of organization <p align="center">Tri State Steelheaders</p> Doing business as Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite <p>PO Box 1375</p> City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code <p>Walla Walla WA 99362</p>	D Employer identification number <p align="center">91-1244161</p> E Telephone number <p align="center">509-529-3543</p> G Gross receipts \$ 559,114
F Name and address of principal officer: <p>Brian Burns PO Box 1375 Walla Walla WA 99362</p>		H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No H(b) Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)
I Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) () t (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527		H(c) Group exemption number u
J Website: u tristatesteelheaders.com		L Year of formation: 1989 M State of legal domicile: WA
K Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other u		

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <p align="center">See Schedule O</p>			
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> u if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.			
	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3		10
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4		10
	5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2015 (Part V, line 2a)	5		5
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6		1500
	7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a		0
	b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b		0
Revenue			Prior Year	Current Year
	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)		330,561	520,908
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)			0
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)		237	227
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)		22,491	21,637
	12 Total revenue – add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)		353,289	542,772
Expenses				
	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)			0
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)			0
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)		112,055	88,675
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)			0
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) u			0
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)		260,322	414,426
	18 Total expenses. Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)		372,377	503,101
	19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12		-19,088	39,671
Net Assets or Fund Balances			Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)		329,210	378,098
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)		19,901	18,361
	22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20		309,309	359,737

Part II Signature Block

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

Sign Here	Signature of officer <p align="center">Brian Burns</p> Type or print name and title	Date <p align="center">Executive Director</p>
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Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name Debora L. Zalaznik	Preparer's signature Debora L. Zalaznik	Date 11/15/16	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN P00078888
	Firm's name } Zalaznik & Associates, PLLC	Firm's EIN } 91-2141072			
	Firm's address } PO Box 1724 Walla Walla, WA 99362	Phone no. 509-526-5689			

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

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

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



1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

See 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? Yes No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? Yes No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

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

4a (Code:) (Expenses \$ **380,830** including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ **373,071**)

OVERVIEW

Tri-State Steelheaders is a community-based non-profit organization that has been actively involved in salmonid habitat restoration since its inception in the mid-1960s. The group was granted 501(c)3 status by Washington State in 1989 and was designated a Regional Fisheries Enhancement Group in December 2000. Projects are funded by grants from state and federal agencies, private foundations, and corporate sponsors. Our organization receives valuable support from the Walla Walla community as well and thanks to generous donations from individuals and businesses, the Steelheaders' 2015 Crab Feed raised \$23,200 for education and youth events. In 2015, volunteers donated over 960 hours to support our mission.

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ **14,023** including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

EDUCATION

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS EVALUATE WATERSHED HEALTH

Teacher/student teams from regional public and private schools monitored riparian restoration sites on streams ranging from Asotin Creek in the east to the Touchet River in the west. Currently in its eighteenth year, this ongoing monitoring program provides students with hands-on science experience and teaches watershed health concepts. Tri-State Steelheaders provided monitoring equipment for students to measure water temperature, stream flow, dissolved oxygen, pH level, macro invertebrate presence, stream bank profiles, and canopy coverage at their assigned project site.

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ **2,500** including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

RECREATION

SUPPORT OF JUMBO TROUT PROGRAM

Tri-State Steelheaders continued to support the WDFW Jumbo Trout Program by purchasing food used to raise about 4,000 juvenile fish prior to release into approximately 20 southeastern Washington lakes, including Bennington Lake.

KIDS FISHING DAYS

On the free fishing weekend in June, Tri-State Steelheaders sponsored an annual Kids Fishing event at Bennington Lake. We also partnered with the

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

(Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e Total program service expenses **u 397,353**

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

		Yes	No
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A	X	
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)?		X
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I		X
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II		X
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 Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III		X
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		X
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II		X
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III		X
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		X
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V		X
11	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.		
a	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI	X	
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII		X
c	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII		X
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX		X
e	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	X	
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)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X		X
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII		X
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		X
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E		X
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV		X
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		X
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		X
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions)		X
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II	X	
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		X

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

		Yes	No
20a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H		X
20b	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		X
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		X
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? If "Yes," complete Schedule J		X
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a		X
24b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		
24c	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		
24d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		
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		X
25b	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I		X
26	Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II		X
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III		X
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):		
28a	a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
28b	b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
28c	c An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M		X
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M		X
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I		X
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II		X
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I		X
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1		X
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		X
35b	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		
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2		X
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI		X
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O.	X	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

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

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable		
1b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable		
1c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?		
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		
2b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)	X	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
3b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O		
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?		X
4b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: u 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?		X
5b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		X
5c	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?		
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?		X
6b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
7a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	X	
7b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	X	
7c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?		X
7d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year		
7e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?		X
7f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		X
7g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		X
7h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?		X
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?		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.		
9a	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		
9b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
10a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12		
10b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities		
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:		
11a	Gross income from members or shareholders		
11b	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?		
12b	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.		
13a	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.		
13b	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		
13c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand		
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?		X
14b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O		

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

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

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

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

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

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

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

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) Scott P Landwehr	5.00									
President	0.00	X		X			0	0	0	
(2) Monty Buell	1.00									
Vice President	0.00	X		X			0	0	0	
(3) David L Cowles	0.50									
Secretary	0.00	X		X			0	0	0	
(4) Tom Whitaker	0.50									
Treasurer	0.00	X		X			0	0	0	
(5) David Crabtree	0.50									
Director	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(6) Ralph Hogate	0.50									
Director	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(7) Audra Krussel	0.50									
Director	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(8) Michael Mahan	0.50									
Director	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(9) Daniel M Vernon	0.50									
Director	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(10) Larry Zalaznik	0.50									
Director	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(11) Brian Burns	40.00									
Executive Director	0.00			X			62,897	0	0	

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

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

		(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a Federated campaigns	1a			
	b Membership dues	1b 1,740			
	c Fundraising events	1c 1,550			
	d Related organizations	1d			
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e 514,824			
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f 2,794			
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$				
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f	u 520,908			
Program Service Revenue	2a	Busn. Code			
	b				
	c				
	d				
	e				
	f All other program service revenue				
	g Total. Add lines 2a-2f	u			
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)	u 227			227
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds	u			
	5 Royalties	u			
	6a Gross rents	(i) Real (ii) Personal			
	b Less: rental exps.				
	c Rental inc. or (loss)				
	d Net rental income or (loss)	u			
	7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities (ii) Other			
	b Less: cost or other basis & sales exps.				
	c Gain or (loss)				
	d Net gain or (loss)	u			
	8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 1,550 of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	a 37,979			
	b Less: direct expenses	b 16,342			
	c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events	u 21,637			21,637
	9a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a			
b Less: direct expenses	b				
c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities	u				
10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a				
b Less: cost of goods sold	b				
c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory	u				
Miscellaneous Revenue	11a	Busn. Code			
	b				
	c				
	d All other revenue				
	e Total. Add lines 11a-11d	u			
12 Total revenue. See instructions.	u 542,772	0	0	21,864	

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

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

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

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21				
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22				
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	62,896	6,770	56,126	
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	25,779	14,728	11,051	
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):				
a Management				
b Legal				
c Accounting	10,271	128	10,143	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees				
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.)	1,000		1,000	
12 Advertising and promotion	25		25	
13 Office expenses	2,264	609	1,655	
14 Information technology	70		70	
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	9,900		9,900	
17 Travel	2,435	944	1,491	
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	4,757		4,757	
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	479		479	
23 Insurance	2,814		2,814	
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 Project Exp:	369,598	369,342	256	
b RFEG Quarterly Meetings	2,487		2,487	
c Fish Food	2,178	2,178		
d Telephone	1,426	1,307	119	
e All other expenses	4,722	1,347	3,375	
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	503,101	397,353	105,748	0
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

Part X Balance Sheet

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

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year	
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest bearing	87,711	1	202,237
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	106,235	2	106,448
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4	Accounts receivable, net	114,315	4	68,630
	5	Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L		6	
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8	Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		9	
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	22,242		
	10b	Less: accumulated depreciation	21,459		
	10c		1,087		783
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities		11	
	12	Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13	Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14	Intangible assets		14	
15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	19,862	15		
16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	329,210	16	378,098	
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	18,303	17	17,842
	18	Grants payable		18	
	19	Deferred revenue		19	
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22	Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		22	
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24	
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D	1,598	25	519
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	19,901	26	18,361
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.				
	27	Unrestricted net assets	309,309	27	348,980
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets		28	10,757
	29	Permanently restricted net assets		29	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.				
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31	
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
33	Total net assets or fund balances	309,309	33	359,737	
34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	329,210	34	378,098	

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

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

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	542,772
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	503,101
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	39,671
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	309,309
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	10,757
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	359,737

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

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

		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		X
2b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		X
2c	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.		
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		X
3b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits.		

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

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.
u Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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u Information about Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Name of the organization

Tri State Steelheaders

Employer identification number

91-1244161

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

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

- 1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)**.
- 2 A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)**. (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ).)
- 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**.
- 4 A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. Enter the hospital's name, city, and state:
- 5 An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 6 A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)**.
- 7 An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 8 A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 9 An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2)**. (Complete Part III.)
- 10 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4)**.
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2)**. See **section 509(a)(3)**. Check the box in lines 11a through 11d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e, 11f, and 11g.
 - 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 1–9 above (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document?		(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
			Yes	No		
(A)						
(B)						
(C)						
(D)						
(E)						
Total						

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

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) u	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) 2015	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) u	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) 2015	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						

12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) 12

13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here**

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2015 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) 14 %

15 Public support percentage from 2014 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 15 %

16a 33 1/3% support test—2015. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 33 1/3% support test—2014. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2015. 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—2014. 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 meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions

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

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II.
If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) u	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) 2015	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	1,174,587	304,424	1,461,612	330,561	520,908	3,792,092
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	29,653	34,169	33,525	40,187	37,979	175,513
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5	1,204,240	338,593	1,495,137	370,748	558,887	3,967,605
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						3,967,605

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) u	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) 2015	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6	1,204,240	338,593	1,495,137	370,748	558,887	3,967,605
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	1,369	79	225	237	227	2,137
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b	1,369	79	225	237	227	2,137
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)	1,205,609	338,672	1,495,362	370,985	559,114	3,969,742

14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here**

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2015 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	99.95 %
16 Public support percentage from 2014 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	99.87 %

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2015 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2014 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	%

19a 33 1/3% support tests—2015. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 33 1/3% support tests—2014. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

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

Part IV Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box in line 11 on Part I. If you checked 11a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked 11b of Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 11c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked 11d of Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

		Yes	No
1	Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? 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 (b) and (c) 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 11a or 11b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) 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 (b) and (c) 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 (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 or 990-EZ).		
8	Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).		
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 in 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 in 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 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.)		

Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)

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

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

		Yes	No
1	Did the 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.		
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

		Yes	No
1	Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? 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?		
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).		
3	By reason of the relationship described in (2), 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

- 1** Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (**see instructions**):
- 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** The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in **Part VI** how you supported a government entity (see instructions).

2 Activities Test. **Answer (a) and (b) 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.		
b	Did the activities described in (a) 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 (a) and (b) 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? 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.		

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. See instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Net short-term capital gain	1	
2	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2	
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3	
4	Add lines 1 through 3	4	
5	Depreciation and depletion	5	
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6	
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7	
8	Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6 and 7 from line 4)	8	
Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):		
a	Average monthly value of securities	1a	
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b	
c	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d	
e	Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (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 1-1/2% 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 .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	<input type="checkbox"/> Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally-integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).		

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

Section D - Distributions		Current Year		
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes			
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity			
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations			
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets			
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)			
6	Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions.			
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.			
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in Part VI). See instructions.			
9	Distributable amount for 2015 from Section C, line 6			
10	Line 8 amount divided by Line 9 amount			
Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)		(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2015	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2015
1	Distributable amount for 2015 from Section C, line 6			
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2015 (reasonable cause required-see instructions)			
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015:			
a				
b				
c				
d	From 2013			
e	From 2014			
f	Total of lines 3a through e			
g	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h	Applied to 2015 distributable amount			
i	Carryover from 2010 not applied (see instructions)			
j	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
4	Distributions for 2015 from Section D, line 7: \$			
a	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b	Applied to 2015 distributable amount			
c	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2015, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2 (if amount greater than zero, see instructions).			
6	Remaining underdistributions for 2015. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1 (if amount greater than zero, see instructions).			
7	Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8	Breakdown of line 7:			
a				
b				
c	Excess from 2013			
d	Excess from 2014			
e	Excess from 2015			

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

u 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. u Attach to Form 990.

u Information about Schedule D (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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

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

Table with 3 columns: Question, (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include total number at end of year, aggregate values, and yes/no questions about donor advisement.

Part II Conservation Easements.

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

Table with 3 columns: Question, (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include purpose of easements, number of easements, and monitoring details.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

Table with 3 columns: Question, (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include reporting requirements for art and historical treasures.

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

3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):

- a** Public exhibition
- b** Scholarly research
- c** Preservation for future generations
- d** Loan or exchange programs
- e** Other

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.

5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? Yes No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.

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

1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? Yes No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table:

- c** Beginning balance
- d** Additions during the year
- e** Distributions during the year
- f** Ending balance

	Amount
1c	
1d	
1e	
1f	

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability? Yes No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided on Part XIII

Part V Endowment Funds.

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

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

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:

- a** Board designated or quasi-endowment **u**
 - b** Permanent endowment **u**
 - c** Temporarily restricted endowment **u**
- The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.

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

- (i)** unrelated organizations
- (ii)** related organizations

b If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?

	Yes	No
3a(i)		
3a(ii)		
3b		

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

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

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

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings				
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		22,242	21,459	783
e Other				

Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.) **u** **783**

Part VII Investments—Other Securities.

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

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

Part VIII Investments—Program Related.

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

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

Part IX Other Assets.

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

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

Part X Other Liabilities.

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

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value	
(1) Federal income taxes		
(2) Visa-Baker Boyer Bank	519	
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) u	519	

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 FIN 48 (ASC 740). Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

Table with 5 main rows and sub-rows (a-e) for adjustments. Columns include description, sub-row labels (2a-2d, 4a-4b), and final totals (1, 2e, 3, 4c, 5).

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

Table with 5 main rows and sub-rows (a-e) for adjustments. Columns include description, sub-row labels (2a-2d, 4a-4b), and final totals (1, 2e, 3, 4c, 5).

Part XIII Supplemental Information.

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.

Series of horizontal dotted lines for providing supplemental information.

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

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

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Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

⚡ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

⚡ Information about Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Part I Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 17. Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

1 Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.

- a** Mail solicitations
- b** Internet and email solicitations
- c** Phone solicitations
- d** In-person solicitations
- e** Solicitation of non-government grants
- f** Solicitation of government grants
- g** Special fundraising events

2a Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services? Yes No

b If "Yes," list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization.

	(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(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			
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							
6							
7							
8							
9							
10							
Total							

3 List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit contributions or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing.

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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
		<u>Crab Feed</u>		<u>None</u>	(add col. (a) through col. (c))
		(event type)	(event type)	(total number)	(col. (c))
Revenue	1	Gross receipts	39,529		39,529
	2	Less: Contributions	1,550		1,550
	3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	37,979		37,979
Direct Expenses	4	Cash prizes			
	5	Noncash prizes			
	6	Rent/facility costs	1,015		1,015
	7	Food and beverages	13,656		13,656
	8	Entertainment			
	9	Other direct expenses	1,671		1,671
	10	Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)			
11	Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d)				21,637

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.

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

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization conducts gaming activities: _____
 a Is the organization licensed to conduct gaming activities in each of these states? Yes No
 b If "No," explain: _____

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year? Yes No
 b If "Yes," explain: _____

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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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.

u Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

u Information about Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Form 990 - Organization's Mission

Tri State Steelheaders is an educational organization working with children of all ages, and a broad cross section of environmental organizations to protect and enhance salmonid habitat. The organization is actively working with landowners, conservation groups, private businesses, Native American tribes, school districts and government agencies. The organization supervises many adult and student volunteers who are engaged in habitat restoration work.

Form 990, Part I, Line 6

Volunteers for restoration projects to enhance water quality and riparian habitat on Walla Walla's urban streams: volunteers remove sod, invasive species and assist with planting native trees, shrubs, forbs, and grasses.

Volunteers for stream monitoring: volunteers provide assistance with stream flow monitoring in the Walla Walla watershed for the Washington State Department of Ecology during stream discharge measurements.

Volunteers to evaluate watershed health: teacher/student teams from eight regional public and private schools monitored over twenty riparian restoration sites measuring water temperature, stream flow, dissolved oxygen, pH level, macro invertebrate presence, stream bank profiles and canopy coverage.

Volunteers for Kids Fishing Days: volunteers provide hot dogs and soda for kids, teach young fishermen how to cast, bait hooks and other elements of fishing.

Volunteers for Crab Feed: volunteers ask community businesses for donated

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items to be raffled off or auctioned at the Crab Feed, sell dinner tickets, assist in serving meals to over 400 people and setup and cleanup the rented facility after the event.

Form 990, Part III, Line 4a - First Accomplishment

RESTORATION

RESTORATION PLANTINGS

Three projects that were constructed in 2013 and 2014 had final plantings completed in early 2015. At Ireland Gulch in Columbia County, two barrier culverts were removed. Disturbed areas were seeded with a native grass mix provided by the US Forest Service, and trees were planted to provide future shade. At Yellowhawk Creek in Walla Walla, two rock weirs were constructed to eliminate the barrier posed by a small irrigation dam. Trees and shrubs planted here will shade the stream and provide bank stability. At George Creek in Asotin County, large wood structures were installed on a 0.7 mile reach to improve instream and floodplain habitats. Trees planted here will help to jump-start the natural recovery of riparian buffers. In total, over 5,100 plants were installed at these three sites.

BRIDGE TO BRIDGE FINAL RESTORATION DESIGN

Following the Bridge to Bridge Levee Removal construction phase, final designs were initiated for the 1.5 miles of the Walla Walla river downstream of the completed phase. The intended benefits of the project are improved instream habitat, improved riparian habitat, and improved

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floodplain function. The final design and plans are scheduled to be completed in July 2016. The project was funded by Washington's Salmon Recovery Funding Board.

MILL CREEK FISH PASSAGE - 9TH AVE EXTENSION

Pre-fabrication of project materials continued in 2015 for this fish passage project in the Mill Creek flood control channel. With final plans ready, this project is designed to improve passage for summer steelhead, spring chinook, and bull trout. This will be the fourth of several passage projects in Mill Creek, and is scheduled for 2016 construction.

STREAM MONITORING

Local support was provided for the Washington State Department of Ecology's stream flow monitoring in the Walla Walla watershed. From January through June, our staff visited five stations every other week to collect data, take measurements, and provide maintenance. Assistance was provided to Ecology staff during stream discharge measurements. Stream monitoring provides important data that are used for watershed planning and fisheries management.

Form 990, Part III, Line 4b - Second Accomplishment

Each year the students dedicate approximately 1,000 hours towards data collection.

SALMON IN THE CLASSROOM

Tri-State Steelheaders continues to offer the Salmon in the Classroom

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program to allow students the experience of rearing and releasing salmon. This year, the program grew to six tanks in area classrooms. Spring chinook eggs arrived in October. Students watched them hatch into the alevin stage and then absorb their yolk sacs to become fry. In April and May, students released the fry into Mill Creek. Fish eggs and food were provided by the Umatilla Fish Hatchery.

Form 990, Part III, Line 4c - Third Accomplishment

Umatilla National Forest Service to hold a Kids Fishing Day at Jubilee Lake in July. In all, 80 kids registered for the events. Equipped with tackle, bait, rods and reels, young anglers had great success at both events. Rods and reels were available to loan to kids who did not have gear of their own. Four lucky raffle winners went home with new fishing poles. Participants tested their skills at the casting contest and also enjoyed hot dogs and soda. The events were made possible by many local volunteers and businesses as well as state and federal agencies.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 11b - Organization's Process to Review Form 990

For the Form 990 a copy of the tax return was provided to the board members.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 12c - Enforcement of Conflicts Policy

Annually the board members review and sign the organization's conflict of interest policy statement. The board reviews each situation and takes appropriate action.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 15a - Compensation Process for Top Official

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The board reviewed comparable salaries by other similar organizations in the State of Washington. The board approves the salary and other compensation that is offered to its Executive Director.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 19 - Governing Documents Disclosure Explanation
Form 1023, Forms 990 and other governing documents are currently available on the organizations's website and by request.

Form 990, Part XI, Line 9 - Other Changes in Net Assets Explanation

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include 'Temporarily Restricted Funds' (\$ 10,757) and 'Total' (\$ 10,757).

Form **4562**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service (99)

Depreciation and Amortization
(Including Information on Listed Property)

u Attach to your tax return.

u Information about Form 4562 and its separate instructions is at www.irs.gov/form4562.

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Attachment
Sequence No. **179**

Name(s) shown on return

Tri State Steelheaders

Identifying number

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Business or activity to which this form relates

Indirect Depreciation

Part I Election To Expense Certain Property Under Section 179

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

1	Maximum amount (see instructions)	1	500,000
2	Total cost of section 179 property placed in service (see instructions)	2	
3	Threshold cost of section 179 property before reduction in limitation (see instructions)	3	2,000,000
4	Reduction in limitation. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-	4	
5	Dollar limitation for tax year. Subtract line 4 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0-. If married filing separately, see instructions	5	
6	(a) Description of property	(b) Cost (business use only)	(c) Elected cost
7	Listed property. Enter the amount from line 29	7	
8	Total elected cost of section 179 property. Add amounts in column (c), lines 6 and 7	8	
9	Tentative deduction. Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8	9	
10	Carryover of disallowed deduction from line 13 of your 2014 Form 4562	10	
11	Business income limitation. Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5 (see instructions)	11	
12	Section 179 expense deduction. Add lines 9 and 10, but do not enter more than line 11	12	
13	Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2016. Add lines 9 and 10, less line 12	13	

Note: Do not use Part II or Part III below for listed property. Instead, use Part V.

Part II Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation (Do not include listed property.) (See instructions.)

14	Special depreciation allowance for qualified property (other than listed property) placed in service during the tax year (see instructions)	14	87
15	Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election	15	
16	Other depreciation (including ACRS)	16	270

Part III MACRS Depreciation (Do not include listed property.) (See instructions.)

Section A

17	MACRS deductions for assets placed in service in tax years beginning before 2015	17	93
18	If you are electing to group any assets placed in service during the tax year into one or more general asset accounts, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> u		

Section B—Assets Placed in Service During 2015 Tax Year Using the General Depreciation System

(a) Classification of property	(b) Month and year placed in service	(c) Basis for depreciation (business/investment use only—see instructions)	(d) Recovery period	(e) Convention	(f) Method	(g) Depreciation deduction
19a 3-year property		87	3.0	HY	200DB	29
b 5-year property						
c 7-year property						
d 10-year property						
e 15-year property						
f 20-year property						
g 25-year property			25 yrs.		S/L	
h Residential rental property			27.5 yrs.	MM	S/L	
i Nonresidential real property			27.5 yrs.	MM	S/L	
			39 yrs.	MM	S/L	

Section C—Assets Placed in Service During 2015 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System

20a Class life					S/L	
b 12-year			12 yrs.		S/L	
c 40-year			40 yrs.	MM	S/L	

Part IV Summary (See instructions.)

21	Listed property. Enter amount from line 28	21	
22	Total. Add amounts from line 12, lines 14 through 17, lines 19 and 20 in column (g), and line 21. Enter here and on the appropriate lines of your return. Partnerships and S corporations—see instructions	22	479
23	For assets shown above and placed in service during the current year, enter the portion of the basis attributable to section 263A costs	23	

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see separate instructions.

Form **4562** (2015)

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There are no amounts for Page 2

Federal Asset Report

Form 990, Page 1

Asset	Description	Date In Service	Cost	Bus %	Sec 179	Bonus	Basis for Depr	Per Conv	Meth	Prior	Current
3-year GDS Property:											
13	Office chairs	1/05/15	174			X	87	3	HY 200DB	0	116
			<u>174</u>				<u>87</u>			<u>0</u>	<u>116</u>
Prior MACRS:											
1	Computer	12/20/00	1,683				1,683	5	MQ S/L	1,683	0
2	Monitoring Equipment	2/22/01	10,585				10,585	7	HY S/L	10,585	0
3	Equipment	5/28/02	734				734	7	HY S/L	734	0
4	Equipment	5/28/02	1,102				1,102	7	HY S/L	1,102	0
5	Computer	12/03/02	1,473				1,473	5	HY S/L	1,473	0
6	Computer	3/15/06	999				999	5	HY S/L	999	0
7	Computer	7/15/07	1,426				1,426	5	HY S/L	1,426	0
8	Printer	2/28/08	381				381	5	HY S/L	381	0
9	Dell Laptop	2/28/08	810				810	5	HY S/L	810	0
10	Lateral Files	2/19/11	652				652	7	HY S/L	326	93
			<u>19,845</u>				<u>19,845</u>			<u>19,519</u>	<u>93</u>
Other Depreciation:											
11	Dell Laptop	9/21/10	1,822				1,822	7	MO 150DB	1,215	221
12	Toshiba	3/01/11	400				400	7	MO 150DB	246	49
	Total Other Depreciation		<u>2,222</u>				<u>2,222</u>			<u>1,461</u>	<u>270</u>
	Total ACRS and Other Depreciation		<u>2,222</u>				<u>2,222</u>			<u>1,461</u>	<u>270</u>
	Grand Totals		22,241				22,154			20,980	479
	Less: Dispositions and Transfers		0				0			0	0
	Less: Start-up/Org Expense		0				0			0	0
	Net Grand Totals		<u>22,241</u>				<u>22,154</u>			<u>20,980</u>	<u>479</u>

AMT Asset Report

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3-year GDS Property:											
13	Office chairs	1/05/15	174			X	87	3	HY 200DB	0	116
			<u>174</u>				<u>87</u>			<u>0</u>	<u>116</u>
Prior MACRS:											
1	Computer	12/20/00	1,683				1,683	5	MQ 150DB	1,683	0
2	Monitoring Equipment	2/22/01	10,585				10,585	7	HY S/L	10,585	0
3	Equipment	5/28/02	734				734	7	HY S/L	734	0
4	Equipment	5/28/02	1,102				1,102	7	HY S/L	1,102	0
5	Computer	12/03/02	1,473				1,473	5	HY S/L	1,473	0
6	Computer	3/15/06	999				999	5	HY 150DB	999	0
7	Computer	7/15/07	1,426				1,426	5	HY 150DB	1,426	0
8	Printer	2/28/08	381				381	5	HY S/L	381	0
9	Dell Laptop	2/28/08	810				810	5	HY S/L	810	0
10	Lateral Files	2/19/11	652				652	7	HY S/L	326	93
			<u>19,845</u>				<u>19,845</u>			<u>19,519</u>	<u>93</u>
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	Total Other Depreciation		<u>2,222</u>				<u>2,222</u>			<u>1,461</u>	<u>270</u>
	Total ACRS and Other Depreciation		<u>2,222</u>				<u>2,222</u>			<u>1,461</u>	<u>270</u>
	Grand Totals		22,241				22,154			20,980	479
	Less: Dispositions and Transfers		0				0			0	0
	Net Grand Totals		<u>22,241</u>				<u>22,154</u>			<u>20,980</u>	<u>479</u>

Bonus Depreciation Report

Asset	Property Description	Date In Service	Tax Cost	Bus Pct	Tax Sec 179 Exp	Current Bonus	Prior Bonus	Tax - Basis for Depr
Activity: Form 990, Page 1								
13	Office chairs	1/05/15	174		0	87	0	87
		Form 990, Page 1	174		0	87	0	87
		Grand Total	174		0	87	0	87

Depreciation Adjustment Report

All Business Activities

<u>Form</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Asset</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Tax</u>	<u>AMT</u>	<u>AMT Adjustments/ Preferences</u>
<u>MACRS Adjustments:</u>						
Page 1	1	1	Computer	0	0	0
Page 1	1	2	Monitoring Equipment	0	0	0
Page 1	1	3	Equipment	0	0	0
Page 1	1	4	Equipment	0	0	0
Page 1	1	5	Computer	0	0	0
Page 1	1	6	Computer	0	0	0
Page 1	1	7	Computer	0	0	0
Page 1	1	8	Printer	0	0	0
Page 1	1	9	Dell Laptop	0	0	0
Page 1	1	10	Lateral Files	93	93	0
Page 1	1	13	Office chairs	116	116	0
				209	209	0
				209	209	0

For calendar year 2015, or tax year beginning

, ending

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Taxpayer Identification Number

Tri State Steelheaders**91-1244161**

		2014	2015	Differences
Revenue	1. Contributions, gifts, grants	1. 2,237	4,344	2,107
	2. Membership dues and assessments	2. 1,836	1,740	-96
	3. Government contributions and grants	3. 326,488	514,824	188,336
	4. Program service revenue	4.		
	5. Investment income	5. 237	227	-10
	6. Proceeds from tax exempt bonds	6.		
	7. Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory	7.		
	8. Net income or (loss) from fundraising events	8. 22,491	21,637	-854
	9. Net income or (loss) from gaming	9.		
	10. Net gain or (loss) on sales of inventory	10.		
	11. Other revenue	11.		
	12. Total revenue. Add lines 1 through 11	12. 353,289	542,772	189,483
Expenses	13. Grants and similar amounts paid	13.		
	14. Benefits paid to or for members	14.		
	15. Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.	15. 91,746	62,896	-28,850
	16. Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	16. 20,309	25,779	5,470
	17. Professional fundraising fees	17.		
	18. Other professional fees	18. 18,591	11,271	-7,320
	19. Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	19. 8,025	9,900	1,875
	20. Depreciation and Depletion	20. 363	479	116
	21. Other expenses	21. 233,343	392,776	159,433
	22. Total expenses. Add lines 13 through 21	22. 372,377	503,101	130,724
	23. Excess or (Deficit). Subtract line 22 from line 12	23. -19,088	39,671	58,759
Other Information	24. Total exempt revenue	24. 353,289	542,772	189,483
	25. Total unrelated revenue	25.		
	26. Total excludable revenue	26. 22,728	21,864	-864
	27. Total assets	27. 329,210	378,098	48,888
	28. Total liabilities	28. 19,901	18,361	-1,540
	29. Retained earnings	29. 309,309	359,737	50,428
	30. Number of voting members of governing body	30. 12	10	
	31. Number of independent voting members of governing body	31. 12	10	
	32. Number of employees	32. 9	5	
33. Number of volunteers	33. 1500	1500		

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Tri State Steelheaders

Employer Identification Number

91-1244161

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Contributions, gifts, grants		301,474	1,459,477	328,725	519,168	
Membership dues		2,950	2,135	1,836	1,740	
Program service revenue						
Capital gain or loss						
Investment income		79	225	237	227	
Fundraising revenue (income/loss)		17,205	17,510	22,491	21,637	
Gaming revenue (income/loss)						
Other revenue						
Total revenue		321,708	1,479,347	353,289	542,772	
Grants and similar amounts paid						
Benefits paid to or for members						
Compensation of officers, etc.		47,945	51,538	91,746	62,896	
Other compensation		106,541	98,914	20,309	25,779	
Professional fees			7,284	18,591	11,271	
Occupancy costs		5,400	5,400	8,025	9,900	
Depreciation and depletion		832	492	363	479	
Other expenses		152,438	1,271,279	233,343	392,776	
Total expenses		313,156	1,434,907	372,377	503,101	
Excess or (Deficit)		8,552	44,440	-19,088	39,671	
Total exempt revenue		321,708	1,479,347	353,289	542,772	
Total unrelated revenue						
Total excludable revenue		321,708	17,735	22,728	21,864	
Total Assets		193,105	453,364	329,210	378,098	
Total Liabilities		15,510	124,967	19,901	18,361	
Net Fund Balances		177,595	328,397	309,309	359,737	

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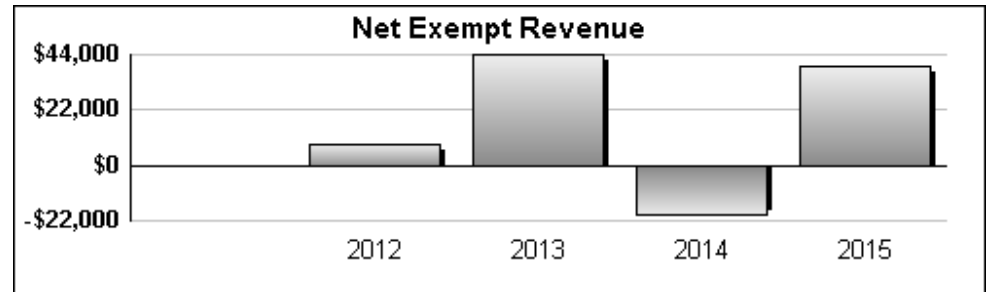
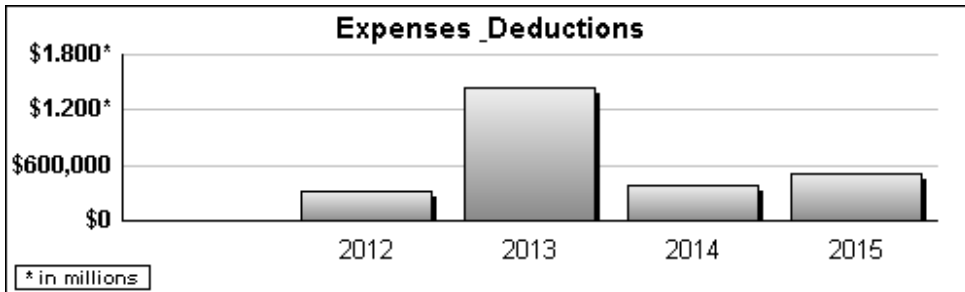
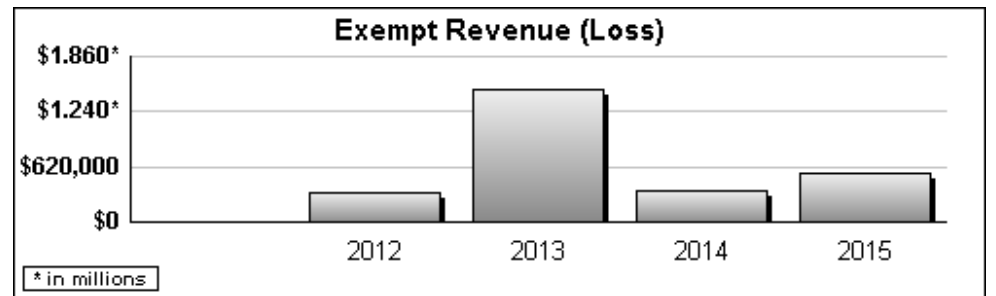
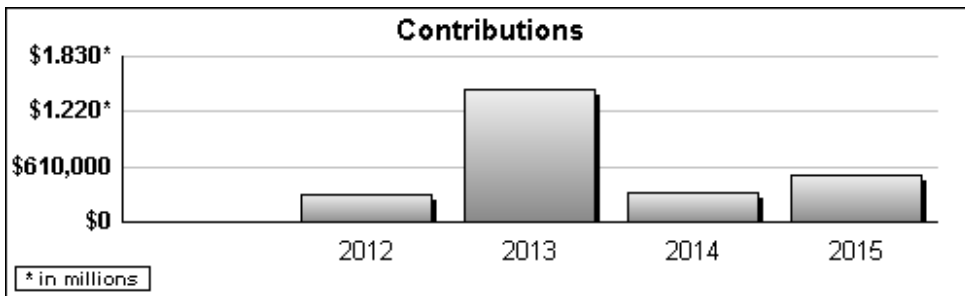
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Employer Identification Number

91-1244161

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Business activity profit/loss						
Capital gains/losses						
Partner and S Corp gain/loss						
Rental income*						
Debt-financed income*						
Controlled organizations income/interest*						
Investment income, specific organizations*						
Exploited exempt activity income*						
Other income						
Total trade or business income.						
Compensation of officers, ect.						
Other salaries and wages						
Repairs and maintenance						
Bad debts						
Interest						
Taxes and licenses						
Charitable contributions						
Depreciation and Depletion						
Deferred compensation plans						
Employee benefit programs						



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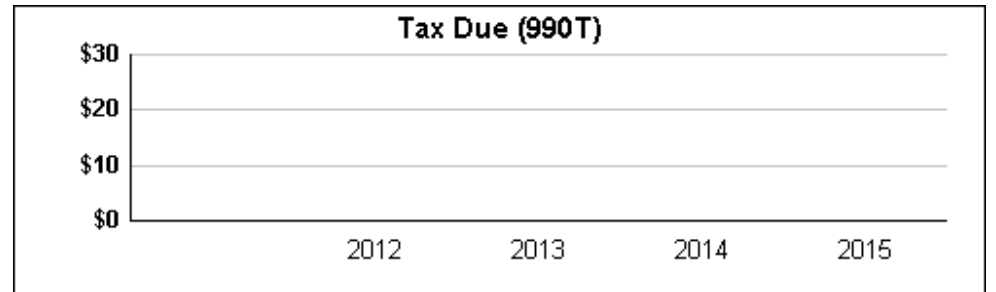
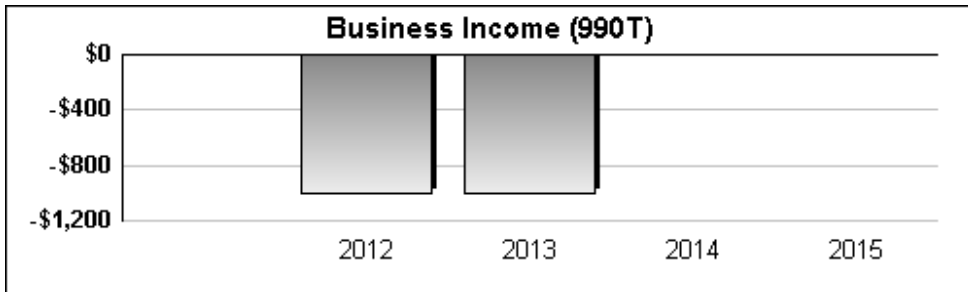
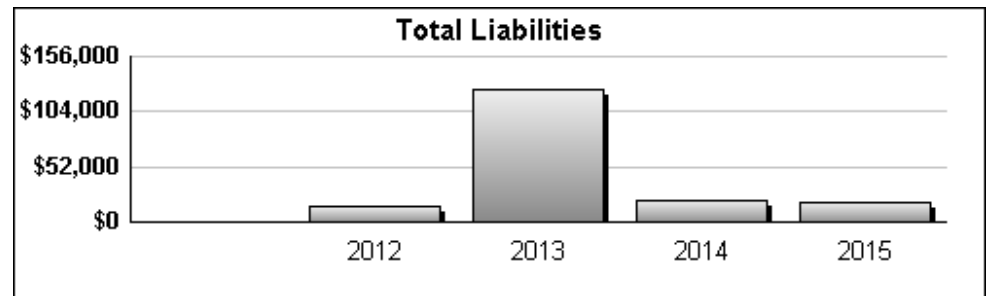
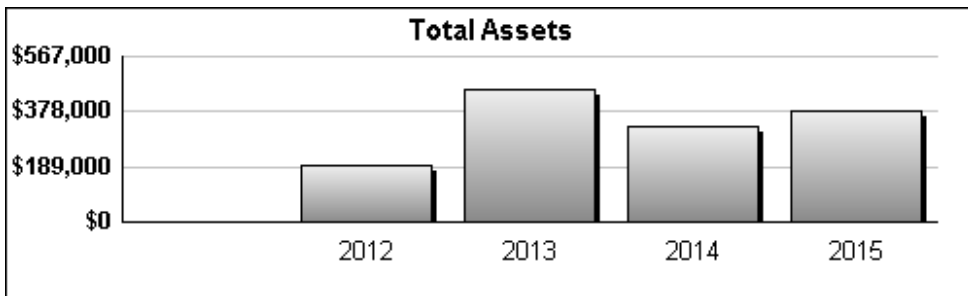
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Employer Identification Number

91-1244161

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Other deductions						
Net operating loss deduction						
Specific deduction		1,000	1,000			
Income after expense and deductions		-1,000	-1,000			
Income tax (corporate or trust)						
Other taxes						
Total taxes						
General business credit						
Other credits						
Net tax after credits						
Estimated tax payments						
Other payments						
Balance due/Overpayment						

* Income shown net of expenses



Taxable Interest on Investments

<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Unrelated Business Code</u>	<u>Exclusion Code</u>	<u>Postal Code</u>	<u>Acquired after 6/30/75</u>	<u>US Obs (\$ or %)</u>
Interest Income	\$ <u>227</u>			14		
Total	\$ <u><u>227</u></u>					

Federal Statements

Form 990, Part IX, Line 11g - Other Fees for Service (Non-employee)

Description	Total Expenses	Program Service	Management & General	Fund Raising
Consultant	\$ 1,000	\$	\$ 1,000	\$
Total	\$ 1,000	\$ 0	\$ 1,000	\$ 0

Form 990, Part IX, Line 24e - All Other Expenses

Description	Total Expenses	Program Service	Management & General	Fund Raising
RFEG Dues	\$ 1,000	\$	\$ 1,000	\$
Internet	940	17	923	
Salmon in the Classroom	548	548		
Annual Meeting	352		352	
Awards	312		312	
Food	298		298	
Kid's Fishing Events	268	268		
Monitoring	214	214		
Monitoring-Education	200	200		
Subscriptions	149		149	
Merchant Service Fees	129		129	
Books & Articles	101		101	
Jubilee Lake Supplies	54	54		
Other Licenses & Fees	46	46		
Licenses & fees	40		40	
Banking Fees	30		30	
Miscellaneous	16		16	
Internet-Website Fees	15		15	
Corporation Fee	10		10	
Total	\$ 4,722	\$ 1,347	\$ 3,375	\$ 0

Federal Statements

Schedule A, Part III, Line 1(e)

Description	Amount
Members Dues-No Benefit Received	\$ 1,740
Grant Income	514,824
Donations	1,794
Funds Released from Temp Rest	1,000
Crab Feed	
Cash Contribution	1,550
Total	\$ <u>520,908</u>

Schedule A, Part III, Line 3(e)

Description	Amount
Crab Feed	\$ 37,979
Total	\$ <u>37,979</u>

Schedule A, Part III, Line 10a(e)

Description	Amount
Interest Income	\$ 227
Total	\$ <u>227</u>

Crab Feed

Other Direct Fundraising or Gaming Expenses

<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Merchant Service Fees	\$ 256
Misc Crab Feed	130
Posters	75
Tickets	165
Other Licenses & Fees	60
Total	<u>\$ 686</u>

Federal Statements**Crab Feed****Gross Receipts**

<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Beer & Wine	\$ 3,353
Crab (sold at event)	750
Live Auction	6,015
Raffle Income	4,623
Recycling	9
Rifle Raffle	595
Shotgun Raffle	1,060
Silent Auction	3,285
Ticket Sales	17,834
BBQ Raffle	455
Total	\$ <u>37,979</u>

Crab Feed**Purchases**

<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Auction Items	\$ 351
Raffle Items	634
Total	\$ <u>985</u>

Crab Feed**Sch G food and bev expense**

<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Beer & Wine (sold at event)	\$ 1,310
Catering Costs	4,414
Crab & Shrimp	7,932
Total	\$ <u>13,656</u>