

Form **990**
 Department of the Treasury
 Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax
Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)
 Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public
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OMB No 1545-0047
2014
Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2014 calendar year, or tax year beginning 01-01-2014, and ending 12-31-2014

B Check if applicable:
 Address change
 Name change
 Initial return
 Final return/terminated
 Amended return
 Application pending

C Name of organization: NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA
 Doing business as:
 Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite: 11250 WAPLES MILL ROAD
 City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code: FAIRFAX, VA 220307400

D Employer identification number: 53-0116130
E Telephone number: (703) 267-1000
G Gross receipts \$ 370,727,140

F Name and address of principal officer: WILSON H PHILLIPS JR, 11250 WAPLES MILL RD, FAIRFAX, VA 22030

H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? Yes No
H(b) Are all subordinates included? Yes No
 If "No," attach a list (see instructions)
H(c) Group exemption number ▶

I Tax-exempt status: 501(c)(3) 501(c) (4) (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527

J Website: ▶ www.nra.org

K Form of organization: Corporation Trust Association Other ▶
L Year of formation
M State of legal domicile NY

Part I Summary

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities
 To protect and defend the US Constitution to promote public safety, law and order, and the national defense to train law enforcement agencies to train civilians in marksmanship to promote shooting sports and hunting

2 Check this box 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	76
4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	72
5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2014 (Part V, line 2a)	5	839
6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	150,000
7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	27,614,729
b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	-2,103,424

	Prior Year	Current Year
8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	96,400,372	103,475,481
9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	183,474,187	141,451,858
10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	3,664,363	4,828,120
11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	64,429,867	60,735,818
12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	347,968,789	310,491,277
13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	84,033	94,459
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)	55,999,119	56,577,057
16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	7,222,981	6,879,238
b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 34,887,862		
17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)	227,244,224	282,061,231
18 Total expenses Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	290,550,357	345,611,985
19 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12	57,418,432	-35,120,708

	Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	229,468,040	207,610,450
21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	154,559,962	165,010,726
22 Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	74,908,078	42,599,724

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: _____ Date: 2015-09-18
 WILSON H PHILLIPS JR TREASURER AND CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFIC
 Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name JAMES P SWEENEY	Preparer's signature JAMES P SWEENEY	Date 2015-09-18	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
Firm's name ▶ MCGLADREY LLP			Firm's EIN ▶	
Firm's address ▶ 1861 INTERNATIONAL DR STE 400 MCLEAN, VA 22102			Phone no (703) 336-6400	

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

To protect and defend the US Constitution to promote public safety, law and order, and the national defense to train law enforcement agencies to train civilians in marksmanship to promote shooting sports and hunting

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 \$ 54,497,007 including grants of \$ 94,459) (Revenue \$ 27,240,783)

The National Rifle Association is the worlds leader in firearms education, safety, and marksmanship training Early in the organizations history, the NRA turned its interest to promoting the shooting sports, especially among our nations youth It is those fundamental ideas of education and training that sustain NRA General Operations programs offered to the public today NRA training courses develop safe and responsible shooters through a network of certified instructors, training more people annually than any other organization The NRA also engages gun owners in programs that promote all aspects of the outdoor lifestyle including hunting programs, shooting range programs, womens programs, youth programs, competitive shooting programs, law enforcement training programs, gunsmithing programs, training and opportunities to shoot, hunt, and enjoy the outdoor traditions Please visit Programs NRA org to learn more

4b (Code) (Expenses \$ 47,081,434 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

NRA-ILA legislative program services The NRA Institute for Legislative Action is a division within the NRA as identified in NRA Bylaws Article X As the foremost protector and defender of the US Constitution, the National Rifle Association advocates against efforts to erode the Second Amendment, fights for initiatives aimed at reducing violent crime, and promotes hunters rights and conservation efforts nationwide NRA legislative action involves firearms rights, regulations and laws, range protection, international gun control threats, workers protection, self defense, free speech rights, and a host of related matters Please visit NRAILA org for the latest research and updates, and engage with the ILA through social media channels

4c (Code) (Expenses \$ 39,467,120 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 28,338,506)

NRA membership communications include real time, daily, weekly, and monthly news updates and trenchant insights through an award winning array of digital and hardcopy materials and the most authoritative coverage from recognized leaders and subject matter experts NRA media vehicles serve to educate, inform, and reinforce the NRAs primary exempt purposes and objectives The NRA publishes three NRA Official Journals for NRA members, American Rifleman, American Hunter, and Americas 1st Freedom, and the NRA also publishes NRA Family Insights, Shooting Sports USA, and Shooting Illustrated The NRA produces specialty digital channels targeted to specific populations including NRA Womens Network and Life of Duty, now part of NRA News For access to the NRAs voice and continually updated presence such as the NRA Official Journals, please visit NRApublications org and NRAnews com, and renew or upgrade your NRA membership through NRA org






4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)
(Expenses \$ 133,435,510 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 128,905,985)

4e Total program service expenses 274,481,071

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

		Yes	No
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i>		No
2	Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> (see instructions)? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>		
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i>		No
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>		No
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21 for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>		No
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
b	Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII</i>		No
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i>		No
d	Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i>		No
e	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
f	Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
b	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		No
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		No
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>		No
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i>		No
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i> (see instructions) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		No
20a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		No
b	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		
20b			

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules *(continued)*

21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i> . . . 	21	Yes	
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i> . . . 	22	Yes	
23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i> . . . 	23	Yes	
24a Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i> . . .	24a		No
b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception? . . .	24b		
c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds? . . .	24c		
d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year? . . .	24d		
25a Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> . . .	25a		No
b Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> . . .	25b		No
26 Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i> . . .	26		No
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i> . . .	27		No
28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)			
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> . . .	28a		No
b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> . . .	28b		No
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> . . .	28c		No
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> . . .	29		No
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> . . .	30		No
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i> . . .	31		No
32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i> . . .	32		No
33 Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i> . . .	33		No
34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i> . . . 	34	Yes	
35a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a	Yes	
b If 'Yes' to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> . . . 	35b	Yes	
36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> . . .	36		
37 Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>	37		No
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O . . .	38	Yes	

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 7

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096 Enter -0- if not applicable 1a 1,070		
1b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a Enter -0- if not applicable 1b 0		
1c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners? 1c Yes	Yes	
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return 2a 839		
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) 2b Yes	Yes	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? 3a Yes	Yes	
3b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? <i>If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O</i> 3b Yes	Yes	
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? 4a		No
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country <input type="text"/> See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR)		
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year? 5a		No
5b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? 5b		No
5c	If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T? 5c		
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions? 6a Yes	Yes	
6b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible? 6b Yes	Yes	
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor? 7a		
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided? 7b		
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282? 7c		
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year 7d		
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? 7e		
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? 7f		
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required? 7g		
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C? 7h		
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year? 8		
9a	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966? 9a		
9b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person? 9b		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12 10a		
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities 10b		
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter		
a	Gross income from members or shareholders 11a		
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them) 11b		
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041? 12a		
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 12b		
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.		
a	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 13a		
b	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans 13b		
c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand 13c		
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year? 14a		No
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? <i>If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O</i> 14b		

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

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

Section A. Governing Body and Management

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year		
	If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain in Schedule O		
1b	Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent		
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?		No
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?		No
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		No
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?		No
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	Yes	
7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?	Yes	
7b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?	Yes	
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following		
8a	The governing body?	Yes	
8b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	Yes	
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O		No


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

		Yes	No
10a	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?		No
10b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?		
11a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	Yes	
12a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	Yes	
12b	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	Yes	
12c	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done	Yes	
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	Yes	
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	Yes	
15a	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
15b	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	Yes	
15c	Other officers or key employees of the organization	Yes	
16a	If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions)		
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?		No
16b	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?		

Section C. Disclosure

- 17** List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed **AK, AL, AR, AZ, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, IL, KS, KY, LA, MA, MD, ME, MN, MO, MS, NC, ND, NH, NJ, NM, NY, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, WI, WV**
- 18** Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
 Own website Another's website Upon request Other (explain in Schedule O)
- 19** Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year
- 20** State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records
 Wilson H Phillips Jr Treasurer Natl
 11250 Waples Mill Road
 Fairfax, VA 220307400 (703) 267-1000

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, or highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

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			

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

(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			

1b Sub-Total			
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A			
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)		5,975,873	515,349

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization **93**

	Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any former officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>		No
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	Yes	
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>		No

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
InfoCision 325 Springside Dr Akron, OH 44333	Membership processing and solicitations	20,933,845
Ackerman McQueen 1601 NW Expressway Oklahoma City, OK 73118	Public relations and advertising	16,861,780
Postmaster 1735 N Lynn St Arlington, VA 22209	Postage shipping	10,041,663
Palm Coast Data 11 Commerce Blvd Palm Coast, FL 32164	Membership processing	8,974,456
Communications Corp of America 13195 Freedom Way Boston, VA 22713	Fundraising printing and mailing	8,267,233

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization **88**

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						
	c Fundraising events 1c						
	d Related organizations 1d	17,768,268					
	e Government grants (contributions) 1e						
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above 1f	85,707,213					
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$						
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f			103,475,481			
Program Service Revenue	2a PROGRAM FEES	Business Code	13,129,803	13,129,803			
	b MEMBER DUES		128,322,055	128,322,055			
	c						
	d						
	e						
	f All other program service revenue						
	g Total. Add lines 2a-2f			141,451,858			
	Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		1,946,082			1,946,082
4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds							
5 Royalties			17,926,376			17,926,376	
6a Gross rents		(i) Real	1,210,038				
		b Less rental expenses	1,786,797				
		c Rental income or (loss)	-576,759				
		d Net rental income or (loss)		-576,759			-576,759
7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory		(i) Securities	53,759,934				
		b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	50,877,896				
		c Gain or (loss)	2,882,038				
		d Net gain or (loss)		2,882,038			2,882,038
8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18		a	634,728				
		b Less direct expenses b	281,943				
		c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events		352,785			352,785
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					
10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances		a	21,390,207				
	b Less cost of goods sold b	7,289,227					
	c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory		14,100,980	12,708,813	1,392,167		
Miscellaneous Revenue	Business Code						
11a ADVERTISING		541800	24,764,840		24,764,840		
	b SUBSCRIPTIONS	541800	2,115,944	2,115,944			
	c OTHER EXPLOITED EXEMPT ACTIVITY	541800	1,457,722		1,457,722		
	d All other revenue		593,930			593,930	
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d			28,932,436				
12 Total revenue. See Instructions			310,491,277	156,276,615	27,614,729	23,124,452	

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	15,888	15,888		
2	Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22	78,571	78,571		
3	Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	0			
4	Benefits paid to or for members	0			
5	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	3,196,824	1,621,121	1,406,700	169,003
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	0			
7	Other salaries and wages	39,805,930	29,154,755	8,900,953	1,750,222
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	5,010,145	3,349,040	1,433,287	227,818
9	Other employee benefits	5,401,416	3,812,587	1,343,219	245,610
10	Payroll taxes	3,162,742	2,232,419	786,509	143,814
11	Fees for services (non-employees)				
a	Management	0			
b	Legal	7,260,556	6,984,885	275,671	
c	Accounting	126,117		126,117	
d	Lobbying	1,123,100	1,123,100		
e	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17	6,879,238			6,879,238
f	Investment management fees	309,762		309,762	
g	Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O)	3,907,526	3,907,526		
12	Advertising and promotion	56,665,238	48,980,618		7,684,620
13	Office expenses	7,157,769	4,611,293	2,546,476	
14	Information technology	8,603,967	4,839,035	3,764,932	
15	Royalties	0			
16	Occupancy	2,370,165	995,278	1,374,887	
17	Travel	7,025,697	5,340,040	1,685,657	
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials	0			
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	7,873,135	6,385,328	1,487,807	
20	Interest	1,269,336	803,802	465,534	
21	Payments to affiliates	0			
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	3,108,787	2,347,955	760,832	
23	Insurance	1,227,440	1,227,440		
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	MEMBER COMMUNICATIONS	61,397,184	47,263,001		14,134,183
b	SAFETY AND TRAINING PROGRAMS	27,574,750	27,574,750		
c	PRINTING AND PUBLICATIONS	26,642,237	26,642,237		
d	LEGISLATIVE PROGRAMS	23,159,363	23,159,363		
e	All other expenses	35,259,102	22,031,039	9,574,709	3,653,354
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	345,611,985	274,481,071	36,243,052	34,887,862
26	Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

Part X Balance Sheet

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

		(A)		(B)
		Beginning of year		End of year
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing		1	
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	18,589,464	2	16,369,381
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net	4,754,673	3	2,160,545
	4 Accounts receivable, net	53,885,272	4	57,547,065
	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	3,042,736	7	3,018,999
	8 Inventories for sale or use	18,784,686	8	15,786,159
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	4,223,274	9	4,251,978
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a 72,700,325		
	b Less accumulated depreciation	10b 34,157,606	35,869,048	10c 38,542,719
	11 Investments—publicly traded securities	77,381,866	11	59,225,582
	12 Investments—other securities See Part IV, line 11	6,627,475	12	3,984,651
	13 Investments—program-related See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14 Intangible assets		14	
	15 Other assets See Part IV, line 11	6,309,546	15	6,723,371
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	229,468,040	16	207,610,450	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	67,471,453	17	78,771,321
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue	47,701,178	19	44,691,740
	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	33,478,339	23	36,392,583
	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	5,908,992	25	5,155,082
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	154,559,962	26	165,010,726
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	34,813,419	27	-1,013,786
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets	8,903,939	28	7,998,213
	29 Permanently restricted net assets	31,190,720	29	35,615,297
	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	74,908,078	33	42,599,724	
34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	229,468,040	34	207,610,450	

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	310,491,277
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	345,611,985
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-35,120,708
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	74,908,078
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	-1,737,097
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	4,549,451
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	42,599,724

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		No
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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis	Yes	
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	Yes	
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?		No
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		

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		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) JAMES W PORTER II PRESIDENT	20 00 2 00	X		X				0	0	0
(1) ALLAN D CORS 1ST VICE PRESIDENT	10 00 2 00	X		X				0	0	0
(2) PETE BROWNELL 2ND VICE PRESIDENT	10 00	X		X				0	0	0
(3) JOE M ALLBAUGH DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(4) WILLIAM H ALLEN DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(5) THOMAS P ARVAS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(6) SCOTT L BACH DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(7) WILLIAM A BACHENBERG DIRECTOR	1 00 1 00	X						0	0	0
(8) F E BACHHUBER JR DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(9) M CAROL BAMBERY DIRECTOR	1 00 2 00	X						0	0	0
(10) BOB BARR DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(11) RONNIE G BARRETT DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(12) CLEL BAUDLER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(13) DAVID E BENNETT DIRECTOR	1 00 1 00	X						0	0	0
(14) J KENNETH BLACKWELL DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(15) MATT BLUNT DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(16) DAN BOREN DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(17) ROBERT K BROWN DIRECTOR	1 00 1 00	X						0	0	0
(18) DAVID BUTZ DIRECTOR	5 00	X						150,000	0	0
(19) J WILLIAM CARTER DIRECTOR	1 00 1 00	X						0	0	0
(20) TED W CARTER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(21) RICHARD CHILDRESS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(22) PATRICIA A CLARK DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(23) CHARLES L COTTON DIRECTOR	1 00 1 00	X						0	0	0
(24) DAVID G COY DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0

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(26) LARRY E CRAIG DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(1) JOHN L CUSHMAN DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(2) WILLIAM H DAILEY DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(3) JOSEPH P DEBERGALIS JR DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(4) R LEE ERMEY DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(5) EDIE P FLEEMAN DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(6) JOEL FRIEDMAN DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(7) SANDRA S FROMAN DIRECTOR	5 00 1 00	X						45,180	0	0
(8) TOM GAINES THROUGH 04282014 DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(9) JAMES S GILMORE III DIRECTOR	5 00	X						0	0	0
(10) MARION P HAMMER DIRECTOR	5 00	X						147,000	0	0
(11) MARIA HEIL DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(12) GRAHAM HILL DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(13) STEVE HORNADY DIRECTOR	1 00 1 00	X						0	0	0
(14) SUSAN HOWARD DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(15) ROY INNIS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(16) H JOAQUIN JACKSON DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(17) CURTIS S JENKINS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(18) DAVID A KEENE DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(19) TOM KING DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(20) HERBERT A LANFORD JR DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(21) KARL A MALONE DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(22) CAROLYN D MEADOWS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(23) JOHN F MILIUS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(24) BILL MILLER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0

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(51) OWEN BUZ MILLS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(1) GROVER G NORQUIST DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(2) OLIVER L NORTH DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(3) ROBERT NOSLER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(4) JOHNNY NUGENT DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(5) TED NUGENT DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(6) LANCE OLSON DIRECTOR	5 00	X						90,000	0	0
(7) TIMOTHY W PAWOL DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(8) JOSH POWELL DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(9) PETER J PRINTZ DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(10) TODD J RATHNER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(11) WAYNE ANTHONY ROSS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(12) CARL T ROWAN JR DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(13) DON SABA DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(14) ROBERT E SANDERS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(15) WILLIAM H SATTERFIELD DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(16) RONALD L SCHMEITS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(17) STEVEN C SCHREINER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(18) TOM SELLECK DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(19) JOHN C SIGLER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(20) LEROY SISCO DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(21) DWIGHT D VAN HORN DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(22) LINDA L WALKER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(23) HOWARD J WALTER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(24) J D WILLIAMS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0

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(76) ROBERT J WOS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(1) DONALD E YOUNG DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(2) WAYNE LAPIERRE CEO AND EXECUTIVE VP	60 00 2 00			X				927,863	0	58,022
(3) WILSON H PHILLIPS JR TREASURER	50 00 5 00			X				564,783	0	40,970
(4) CHRIS W COX EXEC DIR, ILA	58 00 1 00			X				784,515	0	106,487
(5) EDWARD J LAND JR SECRETARY	40 00			X				422,830	0	53,219
(6) ROBERT K WEAVER EXEC DIR, GENERAL OPS	50 00			X				549,409	0	62,510
(7) MICHAEL MARCELLIN MANAGING DIRECTOR	40 00					X		536,748	0	50,808
(8) TYLER SCHROPP EXEC DIR, ADVANCEMENT	52 00 5 00					X		533,321	0	59,274
(9) DOUGLAS HAMLIN EXEC DIR, PUBLICATIONS	50 00					X		460,066	0	49,201
(10) DAVID LEHMAN DEPUTY EXEC DIR, ILA	50 00 1 00					X		414,542	0	22,493
(11) JAMES BAKER DIRECTOR, ILA FEDERAL	50 00					X		349,616	0	12,365

SCHEDULE C (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

OMB No 1545-0047

2014

Open to Public Inspection

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

Complete if the organization is described below. Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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

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

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

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

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

If the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, Line 5 (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions) or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 35c (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions), then

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

Table with 2 columns: Name of the organization (NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA) and Employer identification number (53-0116130)

Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.

- 1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV
2 Political expenditures \$ 5,790,817
3 Volunteer hours 56,680

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

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

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

- 1 Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities \$ 13,342,588
2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities \$
3 Total exempt function expenditures Add lines 1 and 2 Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b \$ 13,342,588
4 Did the filing organization file Form 1120-POL for this year? Yes No
5 Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which the filing organization made payments

Table with 5 columns: (a) Name, (b) Address, (c) EIN, (d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds, (e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization

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

- A** Check if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV each affiliated group member's name, address, EIN, expenses, and share of excess lobbying expenditures)
- B** Check if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)	(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals												
1a Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)														
b Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)														
c Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)														
d Other exempt purpose expenditures														
e Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)														
f Lobbying nontaxable amount Enter the amount from the following table in both columns														
<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 35%;">If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:</th> <th style="width: 65%;">The lobbying nontaxable amount is:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Not over \$500,000</td> <td>20% of the amount on line 1e</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000</td> <td>\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000</td> <td>\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$1,000,000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:	Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e	Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000	Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000	Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000	Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000		
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Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e													
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000													
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000													
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000													
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000													
g Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)														
h Subtract line 1g from line 1a If zero or less, enter -0-														
i Subtract line 1f from line 1c If zero or less, enter -0-														
j If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No												

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

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period					
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) Total
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount					
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					
c Total lobbying expenditures					
d Grassroots nontaxable amount					
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

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

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

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

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

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

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

Part IV Supplemental Information

Provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1, Part I-B, line 4, Part I-C, line 5, Part II-A (affiliated group list), Part II-A, lines 1 and 2 (see instructions), and Part II-B, line 1. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
I-A 1	The NRA engaged in activities in support of its mission, which includes protecting and defending the Constitution of the United States, especially with reference to the inalienable right of the individual American citizen guaranteed by such Constitution to acquire, possess, collect, exhibit, transport, carry, transfer ownership of, and enjoy the right to use arms, in order that the people may always be in a position to exercise their legitimate individual rights of self-preservation and defense of family, person, and property. In pursuit of the goals of the association, the NRA spent a small percentage of funds directly and indirectly on political activities, which were not the primary activities of the organization. The NRA is organized primarily to promote social welfare and engages in political activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office as allowed by law.
I-C 4	Informational note The amount of tax paid with 2014 Form 1120-POL was 1,662,307. The amount of tax paid with 2012 Form 1120-POL was 613,671. No amounts were required to be paid for 2011 and 2013.
I-C 5	Informational note NRA Political Victory Fund, an independent political action committee PAC of the NRA, directly received contributions during the year in the amount of 11,307,881. All contributions to the PAC were directly received from contributors. The NRA did not take possession of the contributions, nor did it or was it required to deliver or transfer those funds to the PAC.

Part IV Supplemental Information (*continued*)

Return Reference	Explanation

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Supplemental Financial Statements

OMB No 1545-0047

2014

Open to Public Inspection

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

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

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA

Employer identification number

53-0116130

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include total number at end of year, aggregate value of contributions, grants, and end of year, and questions about donor informed consent.

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

Form for Part II Conservation Easements including checkboxes for preservation purposes, a table for held at the end of the year (2a-2d), and various questions about monitoring and reporting.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

Form for Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets including questions about reporting and amounts for revenue and assets.

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" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

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

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

Table with 2 columns: Description (1c-1f) and Amount

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 in Part XIII

Part V Endowment Funds. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

Table with 6 columns: (a) Current year, (b) Prior year, (c) Two years back, (d) Three years back, (e) Four years back. Rows include 1a-1g.

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

- a Board designated or quasi-endowment, b Permanent endowment 100.000%, c Temporarily restricted endowment

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

Table with 2 columns: Yes, No. Rows for 3a(i) unrelated organizations, 3a(ii) related organizations

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

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' to Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Table with 5 columns: (a) Cost or other basis (investment), (b) Cost or other basis (other), (c) Accumulated depreciation, (d) Book value. Rows include 1a-1e and Total.

Part VII Investments—Other Securities. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to 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) Financial derivatives and other financial products		
(B) Closely-held equity interests		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12)		

Part VIII Investments—Program Related. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to 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
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13)		

Part IX Other Assets. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15

(a) Description	(b) Book value
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 15.)	

Part X Other Liabilities. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1 (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
Federal income taxes	
Federal income taxes	
DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENT MARKET VALUATION	3,730,110
OTHER MISCELLANEOUS LIABILITIES	861,252
ACCRUED SALES AND USE TAXES	563,720
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25)	5,155,082

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' to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	322,301,084
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a	-1,737,097
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	4,549,451
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	2,812,354
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	319,488,730
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b	-8,997,453
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	-8,997,453
5	Total revenue Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	5	310,491,277

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	354,609,438
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Other losses	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	9,076,024
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	9,076,024
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	345,533,414
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1 :		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b	78,571
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	78,571
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	5	345,611,985

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

Return Reference	Explanation
III 4	The NRA Museums promote gun collecting and preservation of history through the heritage of firearms The NRA Museums include the National Firearms Museum in Fairfax, Virginia the Frank Brownell Museum of the Southwest in Raton, New Mexico and the NRA National Sporting Arms Museum at Bass Pro Shops in Springfield, Missouri To make the NRA Museums the finest possible resources for the public, the NRA and its affiliated charities rely on generous supporters to build the exhibition and research collections through contributions of historically significant firearms As individuals grow older and make plans for their loved ones and special treasures, all firearms owners must eventually answer the question, What will happen to my guns when I am gone For many NRA members and supporters, the answer is the NRA Please visit NRAmuseums org for exciting current information on the museum galleries, and please visit NRAGive com to consider your legacy of supporting the liberties that built this country
V 4	NRA endowment funds benefit NRA Institute for Legislative Action, national shooting championships, marksmanship, and law enforcement
X 1	This response explains the derivative financial instrument disclosed as a liability Interest rate swaps are entered into to manage interest rate risks associated with the NRAs borrowing, and interest rate swaps are accounted for in accordance with FASB ASC 815 The NRAs interest rate swap is recorded in the balance sheet at fair value with fair value changes recorded as unrealized gain on derivative instrument
X 2	This response provides the text of the footnote to the organizations financial statements in accordance with FASB ASC 740 Management evaluated the NRAs tax positions and concluded that the NRA had taken no uncertain tax positions that require adjustment to the financial statements to comply with the provisions of this guidance Generally, the NRA is no longer subject to income tax examinations by the U S federal, state or local tax authorities for years before 2011, which is the standard statute of limitations look-back period
XI 2d	Includes agency transaction and unrealized gain on derivative instrument
XI 4b	Includes cost of goods sold, rental expense, accounting procedure valuation adjustment to pension plan, interest on endowment grants
XII 2d	Includes cost of goods sold, rental expense, accounting procedure valuation adjustment to pension plan

Part XIII Supplemental Information (continued)

Return Reference	Explanation
XII 4b	Includes interest on endowment grants

**SCHEDULE F
(Form 990)**

Statement of Activities Outside the United States

OMB No 1545-0047

2014

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Inspection**

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990,
Part IV, line 14b, 15, or 16.
▶ Attach to Form 990.**

▶ **Information about Schedule F (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA

Employer identification number
53-0116130

Part I General Information on Activities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 14b.

1 For grantmakers. Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of its grants and other assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? **Yes** **No**

2 For grantmakers. Describe in Part V the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of its grants and other assistance outside the United States.

3 Activities per Region (The following Part I, line 3 table can be duplicated if additional space is needed)

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (e g , fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for and investments in region
(1) Central America and the Caribbean			INVESTMENT ACCOUNT		4,560,000
(2) Europe			PROGRAM SERVICES	LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING	7,000
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
3a Sub-total					4,567,000
b Total from continuation sheets to Part I					
c Totals (add lines 3a and 3b)					4,567,000

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

1	(a) Name of organization	(b) IRS code section and EIN (if applicable)	(c) Region	(d) Purpose of grant	(e) Amount of cash grant	(f) Manner of cash disbursement	(g) Amount of non-cash assistance	(h) Description of non-cash assistance	(i) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
(1)									
(2)									
(3)									
(4)									

- 2** Enter total number of recipient organizations listed above that are recognized as charities by the foreign country, recognized as tax-exempt by the IRS, or for which the grantee or counsel has provided a section 501(c)(3) equivalency letter ▶ _____
- 3** Enter total number of other organizations or entities ▶ _____

Part III **Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals Outside the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 16.
Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Region	(c) Number of recipients	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Manner of cash disbursement	(f) Amount of non-cash assistance	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
(1)							
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(18)							

Part IV Foreign Forms

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

Part V Supplemental Information

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

990 Schedule F, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Part I Line 31d	This disclosure of investment account held in the Central American or Caribbean region reflects industry standard best practices in risk management for nonprofit organizations. Alternative investments reduce overall portfolio risk by reducing volatility and improving diversification.

990 Schedule F, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Part I Line 31f	100 of the amount is the book value of investments

990 Schedule F, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Part I Line 32d	This disclosure of program services provided in the European region refers to NRA Law Enforcement Division training school provided to a branch of the United States Armed Forces at a foreign military base

990 Schedule F, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Part I Line 32f	100 of the amount is the cash value of expenditures made

SCHEDULE G (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

OMB No 1545-0047

2014

Open to Public Inspection

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to 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.

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA

Employer identification number

53-0116130

Part I Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to 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... 2b If "Yes," list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements...

Table with 6 columns: (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. Includes rows for ALLEGIANCE and INFOCISION.

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

AK, AL, AR, AZ, CA, CO, CT, FL, GA, HI, KS, KY, LA, MA, MD, ME, MI, MN, MO, MS, NC, ND, NH, NJ, NM, NY, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, WI, WV

Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to 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
		NRA-ILA EVENT (event type)	(event type)	(total number)	(add col (a) through col (c))
Revenue	1 Gross receipts	634,728			634,728
	2 Less Contributions				
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	634,728			634,728
Direct Expenses	4 Cash prizes				
	5 Noncash prizes				
	6 Rent/facility costs				
	7 Food and beverages				
	8 Entertainment				
	9 Other direct expenses	281,943			281,943
	10 Direct expense summary Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) ▶				(281,943)
11 Net income summary Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d) ▶				352,785	

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

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/Instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col (a) through col (c))
		1 Gross revenue			
Direct Expenses	2 Cash prizes				
	3 Non-cash 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 _____

.....

.....

11 Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers? Yes No

12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? Yes No

13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activities conducted in

a The organization's facility	13a	%
b An outside facility	13b	%

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

Name ▶

Address ▶

15a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue? Yes No

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

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

Name ▶

Address ▶

16 Gaming manager information

Name ▶

Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$

Description of services provided ▶

Director/officer Employee Independent contractor

17 Mandatory distributions

a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license? Yes No

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

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

Return Reference	Explanation
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**Schedule I
(Form 990)**

OMB No 1545-0047

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

2014

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

▶ Attach to Form 990.

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Name of the organization
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Employer identification number
53-0116130

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

- 1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? Yes No
- 2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
(1) NATIONAL FNDN FOR WOMEN LEG 910 16TH ST NW WASHINGTON, DC 20006	52-1480785	501C3	15,888				SCHOLARSHIPS

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table 1

3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table 1

Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22.

Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
(1) NRA JEANNE E BRAY MEMORIAL UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS	24	78,571			

Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the information required in Part I, line 2, Part III, column (b), and any other additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
Part I Line 2	The NRA actively assists National Foundation of Women Legislators in the selection and administration of NFWL scholarships
Part III Line 1	This response explains the NRA Jeanne E Bray Memorial Scholarship awards program. Named for the late Columbus, Ohio police officer Jeanne E Bray, a shooting champion and NRA Director, this NRA program offers college scholarships of up to 2,500 per semester, up to 5,000 per year for a maximum of four years, to dependent children of any public law enforcement officer killed in the line of duty who was an NRA member at the time of death, and to dependent children of any current or retired law enforcement officers who are living and have current NRA membership.

Schedule J
(Form 990)

Compensation Information

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

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

▶ **Attach to Form 990.**

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Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

- 1a** Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.
- | | |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions | <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tax idemnification and gross-up payments | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef) |

b If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain

2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?

3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee |

4 During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a with respect to the filing organization or a related organization

a Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?

b Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?

c Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?

If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III

Only 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.

5 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of

a The organization?

b Any related organization?

If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III

6 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of

a The organization?

b Any related organization?

If "Yes," to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III

7 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III

8 Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III

9 If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?

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

Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported in Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii) Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII

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

(A) Name and Title	(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column(B) reported as deferred in prior Form 990
	(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
See Additional Data Table							

Part III Supplemental Information

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II

Also complete this part for any additional information

Return Reference	Explanation
Part I Line 1a	Charter travel was used on occasions when travel logistics precluded other available options. Certain compensation elements were grossed up. All tax gross ups were properly included in taxable compensation. Clubs are used only for business purposes and are properly excluded from taxable compensation.
Part I Line 4b	The 457f service cost included in deferred compensation for Chris W Cox was 30,568, as actuarially calculated under FASB ASC 715. The NRA decides the benefit amount and timeframe for vesting of each participant. The 457f plan is also designed to supplement the current defined benefit pension plan where current benefit law causes low replacement ratios for some participants.
Part I	Column Biii Other reportable compensation in taxable wages includes 457b, fringe auto, and group life insurance benefits. Column C includes the employer paid portions of the NRA defined benefit pension plan, 401k plan, and 457f plan. The NRA takes a full transparency posture for executive compensation.

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Form 990, Schedule J, Part II - Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred in prior Form 990
		(i) Base Compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
1 WAYNE LAPIERRE, CEO AND EXECUTIVE VP	(i) (ii)	736,039	150,000	41,824	19,240	38,782	985,885	
1 WILSON H PHILLIPS JR, TREASURER	(i) (ii)	439,730	94,265	30,788	19,240	21,730	605,753	
2 CHRIS W COX, EXEC DIR, ILA	(i) (ii)	679,112	85,000	20,403	49,808	56,679	891,002	30,568
3 EDWARD J LAND JR, SECRETARY	(i) (ii)	370,923	43,690	8,217	19,240	33,979	476,049	
4 ROBERT K WEAVER, EXEC DIR, GENERAL OPS	(i) (ii)	455,564	90,000	3,845	19,240	43,270	611,919	
5 MICHAEL MARCELLIN, MANAGING DIRECTOR	(i) (ii)	156,822	360,050	19,876	19,232	31,576	587,556	
6 TYLER SCHROPP, EXEC DIR, ADVANCEMENT	(i) (ii)	404,583	125,000	3,738	15,600	43,674	592,595	
7 DOUGLAS HAMLIN, EXEC DIR, PUBLICATIONS	(i) (ii)	386,976	50,000	23,090	12,874	36,327	509,267	
8 DAVID LEHMAN, DEPUTY EXEC DIR, ILA	(i) (ii)	358,077	50,000	6,465	19,240	3,253	437,035	
9 JAMES BAKER, DIRECTOR, ILA FEDERAL	(i) (ii)	336,090	8,853	4,673		12,365	361,981	

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

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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.**

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part III, Line 4d	Program Service Expenses 133,435,510, Grants and allocations 0, Revenue 128,905,985 NRA program services are in the key areas of NRA General Operations programs, legislative programs, and membership communications As part of these central focus areas and in addition to the specifically identified programs, other vital NRA programs include executive and special projects All 990 readers are encouraged to explore NRA org, NRAILA org, NRAnews com, and NRAGive com for appealing and inspirational opportunities to continue to engage with the NRA NRA members and other law ful gun ow ners proudly preserve the Second Amendment as Americas first freedom

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part I, Line 1	<p>The NRA is a 501c4 membership association with four 501c3 public charities NRA Civil Rights Defense Fund, NRA Foundation Inc, NRA Freedom Action Foundation, and NRA Special Contribution Fund DBA NRA Whittington Center and a 527 political action committee, which is a separate segregated fund Please contact the NRA Office of Advancement through NRAgive.com if you would like to discuss your philanthropic planning To guarantee the preservation of the NRAs mission for future generations, the NRA relies on long term, relationship based fundraising in addition to more traditional direct mail techniques The NRA Office of Advancement is tasked with current fundraising as well as longer horizon legacy gift fundraising through estates, trusts, and documented expectancies that will be realized in future years NRA Office of Advancement initiatives include NRA Golden Ring of Freedom, NRA Ring of Freedom Heritage Society, NRA Womens Leadership Forum, NRA Hunters Leadership Forum, and other exclusive donor recognition and stewardship</p>

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part I, Line 7	Informational note regarding National Rifle Association unrelated business income Form 990 page 1 shows gross unrelated business revenue on line 7a and net unrelated business revenue on line 7b The NRA did not owe unrelated business income tax for the year 2014 because directly connected deductions were greater than the associated income in 2014 The main sources of NRA unrelated business income are certain merchandise sales from the e-commerce platforms and advertising, including advertising and other exploited exempt activity within the NRA Official Journals, NRA digital online channels, and NRA television programs

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section A, Line 6	The National Rifle Association is a membership association that represents individual citizens. Refer to NRA Bylaws for membership eligibility.

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section A, Line 7a	NRA members elect all 76 members of the NRA Board of Directors 75 directors are elected for staggered three year terms, and the 76th director is elected for a one year term on the occasion of each NRA Annual Meeting of Members

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section A, Line 7b	Certain Board of Directors decisions are subject to membership approval per NRA Bylaws and New York not for profit corporate law

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 11b	Form 990 is reviewed by the external auditing firm, presented to the NRA Board Audit Committee, and made available to the full NRA Board of Directors, before it is filed with the IRS

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section C, Line 19	NRA Bylaws, audited consolidated financial statements of the NRA and affiliates, and annual reports are available upon request for the same period of disclosure as set forth in Section 6104d. The NRA does not make internal operating policies available to the general public.

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 12c	The organization takes conflicts of interest very seriously and utilizes a statement of corporate ethics. To monitor and enforce corporate policies, annual filings must be provided to the NRA Office of the Secretary and reviewed regularly and consistently.

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 15	NRA processes to establish compensation of top management officials utilize a compensation committee, independent compensation consultants, compensation surveys and studies, comparability data, and ultimate approval by the Board of Directors or compensation committee All decisions are properly documented

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part IX, Line 11	Informational note Line 11 reflects certain fees for professional services paid to non-employees and does not include costs for services handled by employees. Refer to form instructions which specify fees for services paid to non-employees.

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part IX, Line 24e	Other expenses within line 24e of the statement of functional expenses include 19,985,079 FASB ASC 715 pension accounting, 9,461,476 fulfillment materials, 4,154,416 banking fees, 1,289,403 premiums, 480,796 compensation of former officers, and 795 consulting

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part X, Line 34	Informational note Regarding the NRAs balance sheet, deferred costs and deferred revenues related to membership acquisition and renewal are accounting entries required under Generally Accepted Accounting Principles Dues revenue is recognized over the life of the membership A portion of members dues that represents the present value of the cost of the magazine that is a benefit of membership for the given membership term is deferred and amortized over the life of the membership The portion considered a contribution is recorded as revenue when received

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part XI, Line 9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances in the reconciliation schedule include agency transactions and unrealized gain on derivative instrument

**SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)**

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

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▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990.**
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Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.

(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity

Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
						Yes	No
(1) NRA FOUNDATION INC 11250 WAPLES MILL RD FAIRFAX, VA 22030 52-1710886	CHARITABLE	DC	501c3	LINE 7	NRA	Yes	
(2) NRA SPECIAL CONTRIBUTION FUND PO BOX 700 RATON, NM 87740 23-7367534	CHARITABLE	NM	501c3	LINE 7	NRA	Yes	
(3) NRA CIVIL RIGHTS DEFENSE FUND 11250 WAPLES MILL RD FAIRFAX, VA 22030 52-1136665	CHARITABLE	NY	501c3	LINE 7	NRA	Yes	
(4) NRA FREEDOM ACTION FOUNDATION 11250 WAPLES MILL RD FAIRFAX, VA 22030 26-1277941	CHARITABLE	VA	501c3	LINE 7	NRA	Yes	
(5) NRA POLITICAL VICTORY FUND 11250 WAPLES MILL RD FAIRFAX, VA 22030 52-1083020	PAC/SSF	VA	527		NRA		No

Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income(related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512- 514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	

Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end- of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	(i) Section 512 (b)(13) controlled entity?	
								Yes	No

Part V Transactions With Related Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.

Note. Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule

1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?

- a** Receipt of **(i)** interest, **(ii)** annuities, **(iii)** royalties, or **(iv)** rent from a controlled entity
- b** Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)
- c** Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)
- d** Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)
- e** Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)

- f** Dividends from related organization(s)
- g** Sale of assets to related organization(s)
- h** Purchase of assets from related organization(s)
- i** Exchange of assets with related organization(s)
- j** Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)

- k** Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)
- l** Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)
- m** Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)
- n** Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)
- o** Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)

- p** Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses
- q** Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses

- r** Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)
- s** Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)

	Yes	No
1a	Yes	
1b		No
1c	Yes	
1d		No
1e		No
1f		No
1g		No
1h		No
1i		No
1j		No
1k		No
1l	Yes	
1m		No
1n	Yes	
1o	Yes	
1p		No
1q	Yes	
1r		No
1s		No

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds

(a) Name of related organization	(b) Transaction type (a-s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
See Additional Data Table			

Part VI Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 37.

Provide the following information for each entity taxed as a partnership through which the organization conducted more than five percent of its activities (measured by total assets or gross revenue) that was not a related organization See instructions regarding exclusion for certain investment partnerships

(a) Name, address, and EIN of entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(e) Are all partners section 501(c)(3) organizations?		(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
				Yes	No			Yes	No		Yes	No	

Part VII Supplemental Information

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions)

Return Reference	Explanation
Part II	Informational note Disclosure for clarity and transparency of the NRA complete corporate structure The NRA is a 501c4 membership association with four 501c3 public charities and a 527 political action committee PAC, which is a separate segregated fund The four charities affiliated with the NRA are NRA Civil Rights Defense Fund, NRA Foundation Inc, NRA Freedom Action Foundation, and NRA Special Contribution Fund DBA Whittington Center The PAC is the NRA Political Victory Fund NRAPVF is a separately unincorporated PAC of the NRA In the event that any funds are received by NRA and earmarked to the PAC, NRA has systems in place to ensure any such receipts are promptly and immediately deposited into the separate segregated funds account During the tax year covered by this return, the NRA did not take possession of any earmarked PAC contributions from its members all contributions to the PAC were directly received by the PAC from contributors
Part V Line 1	Informational note All grants made by NRA Foundation and NRA Civil Rights Defense Fund to the NRA are subject to stringent review processes requiring that the grants be made and used only for qualified charitable purpose programs

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Form 990, Schedule R, Part V - Transactions With Related Organizations

(a) Name of related organization	(b) Transaction type(a-s)	(c) Amount Involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
NRA FOUNDATION INC	a	180,000	CASH VALUE
NRA FOUNDATION INC	c	17,299,177	CASH VALUE
NRA FOUNDATION INC	o	4,350,804	CASH VALUE
NRA FOUNDATION INC	q	1,428,766	CASH VALUE
NRA CIVIL RIGHTS DEFENSE FUND	c	469,080	CASH VALUE
NRA CIVIL RIGHTS DEFENSE FUND	q	104,610	CASH VALUE
NRA SPECIAL CONTRIBUTION FUND	a	120,000	CASH VALUE
NRA SPECIAL CONTRIBUTION FUND	q	1,467,015	CASH VALUE