# Form **990**

**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax** 

2018

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Department of the Treasury

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

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Inspection Internal Revenue Service 20 A For the 2018 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2018, and ending D Employer identification number C Name of organization B Check if applicable 52-0636210 AIRCRAFT OWNERS & PILOTS ASSOCIATION Address Doing business as Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite E Telephone number Name change (301) 695-2000 421 AVIATION WAY Initial return City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code 81,684,917. Amended return FREDERICK, MD 21701 G Gross receipts \$ H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? Application F Name and address of principal officer MARK BAKER, CEO/PRESIDENT Yes X 421 AVIATION WAY, FREDERICK, MD 21701 If "No." attach a list, (see instructions) Tax-exempt status 501(c)(3) X | 501(c) ( 4 ) ◀ (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or Website | WWW.AOPA.ORG H(c) Group exemption number L Year of formation 1939 M State of legal domicile NJ Form of organization X Corporation Part I Summary Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities PROTECT YOUR FREEDOM TO FLY BY: ADVOCATING, EDUCATING, SUPPORTING ACTIVITIES THAT ENSURE GA FLIGHT AND Governance SECURING SUFFICIENT RESOURCES TO ENSURE OUR SUCCESS. If the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets 3 12 3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) . . 10. 4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) 229. 5 5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2018 (Part V, line 2a) . . . 1,425. 6 6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) . . . . . 6,614,938. 7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 7a b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 38 Prior Year **Current Year** 5,353,811. 6,208,824. 8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) . . . . 20,488,033. 21,799,034. 9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) . . . . 10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, 7d) NOV 1.2 2019 3,424,081. 2,921,231. 17,913,717. 14,651,810. 11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e). Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, setum (A 47,179,642. 45,580,899. 386,000. 186,300. Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A) 0. 0. Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) . . . . . . 23,570,165. 24,856,444. 15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10). 16 a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) . . . . . . 17. b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 25,484,929 25,653,129. 17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e) . . . . . . 49,441,094. 50,695,873. Total expenses Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) -2,261,452. -5,114,974. Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12 . . . . . End of Year Beginning of Current Year 105,733,150. 109,207,621. 20 Total assets (Part X, line 16) 25,116,121. 21,851,004. Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) . . . 21 80,617,029. 87,356,617. Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20 Signature Block Part II 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. 10/29/2019 Sign Signature of officer Date Here SVP - FINANCE ERICA SACCOIA Type or print name and title Print/Type preparer's name Date Check Paid self-employed 10/28/2019 MARY TORRETTA P00847851

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May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)

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Preparer

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X Yes

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Pa	art III	Statement of Program S			s Part III	х
1	-	describe the organization's CHEDULE O.				
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2	prior Fo	organization undertake ar orm 990 or 990-EZ? describe these new servic		m services during th	ne year which were not listed on	the Yes X No
3	Did the services	organization cease con	ducting, or make s		in how it conducts, any prog	
4	Describ- expense	describe these changes or e the organization's prog es Section 501(c)(3) and I expenses, and revenue, if	ram service accomp 501(c)(4) organizati	ions are required to	of its three largest program so report the amount of grants a	ervices, as measured by nd allocations to others,
4a	(Code ATTA	) (Expenses \$]	44,360,747 Inclu	uding grants of \$	186,300 ) (Revenue \$	21,799,034 )
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	Other pr	rogram services (Describe	in Schedule O)	) (Re)	venue \$ )	
	<u> </u>	ogram service expenses	44,360,7		/	
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. Par	Checklist of Required Schedules			
			Yes	No
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes,"			١
	complete Schedule A	1	37	Х
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)?	_2	Х	
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to			v
	candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I	3	<b> </b>	X
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h)	١.		
_	election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	4		
5	Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues,	_	х	
_	assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III.	5		
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors			
	have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If	_		х
_	"Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I	6		
7	the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II	7		Х
	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes,"	<del>- '-</del>		
8	complete Schedule D, Part III	8		х
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a	۰		
3	custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or			
	debt negotiation services? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV	9		Х
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted			
	endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V	10		Х
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			
а	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes,"			
	complete Schedule D, Part VI	11a	Х	
b	Did the organization report an amount for investments-other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more			
	of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII	11b	X	
С	Did the organization report an amount for investments-program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more			
	of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII	11c		X
d	Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets			
	reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX	11d		X
е	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	11e	Х	
f	Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses			
	the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part $X$	11f	Х	
12 a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete			.,
	Schedule D, Parts XI and XII	12a		X
b	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If		, v	
	"Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional.		Х	Х
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	13		X
	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a		Λ.
р	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking,			
	fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV	14b	X	
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or	140		
15	for any foreign organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV	15		Х
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other			
10	assistance to or for foreign individuals? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV	16		Х
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on			
••	Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions)	17	х	
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on			·
. •	Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II	18		Х
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a?			
- •	If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III	19		Х
20 a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20a		Х
	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	20b		
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 12 If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	21		X

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Part	Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)			
			Yes	No
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on			-
	Part IX, column (A), line 2? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	22	Х	
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the			
	organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated			
	employees? If "Yes," complete Schedule J	23	Х	
24 a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than			
	\$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? If "Yes," answer lines 24b			1
	through 24d and complete Schedule K If "No," go to line 25a	24a		Х
h	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		
	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year			
٠	to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c		
4	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		
	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit			
25 a	transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a		Х
	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior	234		
D	year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ?			
		25b	Ī	Х
••	If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	230		<del></del>
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	2.		Х
	disqualified persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II	26		
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			Х
	entity or family member of any of these persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III	27		
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)		-	X
	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28a		
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete			Х
	Schedule L, Part IV	28b		
С	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof)		x	
	was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28c	X	
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	29		
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified			v
	conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	30		$\frac{x}{x}$
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I	31	-	
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes,"			v
	complete Schedule N, Part II	32		X
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations			v
	sections 301 7701-2 and 301 7701-3? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I	33		<u>X</u>
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III,		v.	
	or IV, and Part V, line 1	34	X	
	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a	^	
b	If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a	ا	, l	
	controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	35b	X	
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable			
	related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36		
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization			v
	and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI	37		X
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and		x	
_	19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38	Λ	
Part				
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V	• • •		. X
			Yes	No
	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096 Enter -0- if not applicable			
	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a Enter -0- if not applicable			,
С	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and	ا - ٍ -	- <u>-</u> X	
	reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c		(2012)
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<b>Par</b>	Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued)			
			Yes	No
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax			,
	Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return 2a 229	l	l	
h	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns?	2b	Х	
	Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to <i>e-file</i> (see instructions)			
2.	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a	X	
	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O	3b	Х	
	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over,			
4 a		4a	Х	ĺ
	a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?			7.
D	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country  ATTACHMENT 2			
_	See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR)	5a		X
	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5b		X
	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?			<del></del>
	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	<u>5c</u>	<del> </del>	
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization		x	
	solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?	6a		_
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or		x	
	gifts were not tax deductible?	6b	^	<del>                                     </del>
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).			
а	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods		<del></del>	اــــا
	and services provided to the payor?	7a		
	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b		
С	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was			
	required to file Form 8282?	7c	ļ	ļ.,
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year			
е	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e		ļ
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f		<u> </u>
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g	ļ	ļ
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h		ļ.,
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the			
	sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.			
а	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a		
	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter			
а	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12			
	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities			
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations Enter			
а	Gross income from members or shareholders			l i
	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources			
	against amounts due or received from them )			
12 a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a		
	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 12b	,		1
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.			!
	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state?	13a		
u	Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O		-	
h	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which			
b	the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans			
	Enter the amount of reserves on hand			1
140	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a		Х
	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	14b		
	Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or			
15	excess parachute payment(s) during the year?	15	х	
	If "Yes," see instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N	- <b>`</b>	<u> </u>	
40		16		Х
16	is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income?	- <b>`</b>	<del>                                     </del>	
	If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O	Form	990	(2018

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Par		, and	for a	"No"
	response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O			
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI	• • •	<u></u>	X
<u>Sect</u>	on A. Governing Body and Management			<del></del>
	1. 1	л—	Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year 1a 1	4	•	,
	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	' '	7¶	. 1
	committee, explain in Schedule O	i, - ا	'	
b	Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent	1, , ,		
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with	2	X	
_	any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?			
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct	3		Х
	supervision of officers, directors, or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?	4		Х
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?  Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?	5		Х
5 6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	6	Х	
6 7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint			
/ a	one or more members of the governing body?	7a	Х	
h	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members,			
~	stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?	7b		X
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during		',	,
	the year by the following		.,,	
а	The governing body?	8a	Х	<u> </u>
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b	Х	
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	9		X
Secti	on B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue	Code	Yes	No
		10a		X
	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	IVa		
b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters,	10b		
44.	affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?  Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?.	11a	Х	
11a b	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990			
12a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	12a	$\overline{x}$	
b	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give			
-	rise to conflicts?	12b	Х	
С	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes,"			
	describe in Schedule O how this was done	12c	X	
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13	X	
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	Х	
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by	.3.		, 4
	independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		<del></del>	
а	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	15a	X	
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization	15b	Х	
	If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions)			1
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement	16a	X	
	with a taxable entity during the year?	104	-:-	
b	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?	16b	X	
Secti	on C. Disclosure	1 3 3 3 3		
17	List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ▶_ATTACHMENT 3			
18	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A if applicable), 990, and 990-	(Sec	tion 5	01(c)
_	(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply			. ,
	X Own website Another's website X 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 inf	erest	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 record saccola, SVP-FINANCE 421 AVIATION WAY FREDERICK, MD 21701 301-695-2000	ls ▶		

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

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

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

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

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	box, office or dir	unles	Pos heck ss pe	erson	e than contrast Highest compensated contrast employee	an	(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
						řed	<u> </u>			
(1)WILLIAM C. TRIMBLE III	1.00									
CHAIRMAN	0.	Х		х				0.	0.	0.
(2)LUKE R. WIPPLER	1.00				-		<u> </u>			
TRUSTEE	0.	Х						0.	0.	0.
(3)HERMAN NEEL HIPP, JR.	1.00									
TRUSTEE	0.	Х						0.	0.	0.
(4)MATTHEW J. DESCH	1.00									
TRUSTEE	0.	Х						0.	0.	0.
(5)BURGESS H. HAMLET III	1.00									
TRUSTEE	0.	Х						0.	0.	0.
(6) DARRELL W. CRATE	1.00									
VICE CHAIRMAN	0.	Х		Х				0.	0.	0.
(7)LAWRENCE D. BUHL III	1.00									<del></del>
TRUSTEE	0.	Х						0.	0.	0.
(8) JAMES G. TUTHILL, JR.	1.00									
TRUSTEE	0.	Х						0.	0.	0.
(9)MARK R. BAKER	40.00									
PRESIDENT/CEO	10.00	Х		Х				1,378,005.	0.	34,270.
(10)AMANDA C. FARNSWORTH	1.00									
TRUSTEE	0.	X						0.	0.	0.
(11) JAMES N. HAUSLEIN	1.00									
TREASURER	0.	Х		Х	l			0.	0.	0.
(12)WILLIAM S. AYER	1.00									
TRUSTEE	0.	Х						0.	0.	
(13)KENNETH M. MEAD	40.00									
EVP/GENERAL COUNSEL	10.00			Х				598,076.	0.	24,646.
(14)ERICA J. SACCOIA	40.00									
SVP-FINANCE	10.00			Х				287,474.	0.	20,549.

Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Tre	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	box,	unles er and	Pos heck ss pe	rson Irect	than o	an ee)	(D) Reportable compensation from the	(E) Reportable compensation related organization	from	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation
	related organizations below dotted line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(W-2/1099-MI	SC)	from the organization and related organizations
15) TIMOTHY J. FORTUNE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER	40.00 10.00			Х				427,616.		0.	438,427.
16) THOMAS B. HAINES SVP - MEDIA & OUTREACH	40.00					X		358,529.		0.	32,626.
17) KATIE A.M. PRIBYL SVP-AVIATION STRATEGY/PROGRAMS	40.00					Х		326,190.		0.	25,039.
18) JAMES W. COON SVP-GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS	40.00					Х		501,073.		0.	23,295.
19) JOHN D. HAMILTON VP-INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	40.00					Х		243,819.		0.	18,263.
20) RICHARD G. MCSPADDEN  EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR-ASI	40.00					х		245,529.		0.	19,053.
										+	
1b Sub-total	ection A .	 	· · ·	· ·		 		2,263,555. 2,102,756. 4,366,311.		0.	79,465. 556,703. 636,168.
Total number of individuals (including but not reportable compensation from the organization)		hose I 58		d al	bove	e) who	re	ceived more than	\$100,000 of		···
3 Did the organization list any former offic employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedi											Yes No
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sorganization and related organizations greated individual.	eater than	\$15	0,00	003	lf	"Yes	," (	complete Schedu	sation from th	e h	4 X
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or for services rendered to the organization? If "Ye	accrue cor	mpen	satio	on f	rom	any	uni	related organization			5 X
Section B. Independent Contractors								- 44			
Complete this table for your five highest com- compensation from the organization. Report of year.	pensated in ompensation	ndepe on for	nde the	nt o	cont	racto ar ye	rs ti ar e	hat received more ending with or with	than \$100,00	)0 oʻ :atior	f 's tax
(A) Name and business add	ress							(B) Description of se	rvices	С	(C) ompensation
ATTACHMENT 4	ATTACHMENT 4										
2 Total number of independent contractors (in more than \$100,000 in compensation from the				itec	<b>to</b> 2		e li	sted above) who	received		

		Check if Schedule O co	ntains a respoi	nse or note to an	y line in this Part VI	II		
					(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 b c d e	Federated campaigns	1b	5,700,000 19,000 489,824				
Cont	9	Noncash contributions included in		106,599	6,208,824			
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f	· · · · · · · · · · · ·	Business Code	6,208,824			
Revenue	2a	MEMBERSHIP DUES		900099	19,720,439	19,720,439		
8	b	AIRPORT DIRECTORY & DATA		900099	349,987	349,987		
VICE	C	AOPA FLY-INS		900099	509,088	509,088		
Ser	d	EDUCATIONAL COURSES		900099	1,219,520	1,219,520		
шe	е							
Program Service	f	All other program service reve						
	g	Total Add lines 2a-2f		1	21,799,034		<del></del>	
	3	· ·	luding divider		581,474		57,946	523,528
		and other similar amounts) Income from investment of t			0		37,540	323,320
	4 5	Royalties			2,593,741			2,593,741
			(ı) Real	(II) Personal				,
	6a	Gross rents	217,585					
	b	Less rental expenses	814,276					
	c	Rental income or (loss)	-596,691			-	~~	
	d	Net rental income or (loss)			-596,691			-596,691
	7a	Gross amount from sales of	(i) Securities	(II) Other				•
		assets other than inventory	33,963,499	3,666,000				
	b	Less cost or other basis						
		and sales expenses	31,685,268	3,604,474				
	c	Gain or (loss) L	2,278,231	61,526	2 220 757			2 220 757
	d	Net gain or (loss)		·····	2,339,757			2,339,757
ıne	8a	Gross income from fundral						
ver		events (not including \$						
8		of contributions reported on I See Part IV, line 18		0				
Other Reve	b	Less direct expenses		1 ^ 1				
0	c	Net income or (loss) from fur			0			
	9a		activities	0				
	b	Less direct expenses						
	C	Net income or (loss) from ga			0			
	10a	Gross sales of invento	ory, less					
		returns and allowances		0				
	b	Less cost of goods sold			0			
	С	Net income or (loss) from sale Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code	- 0			·
	44 -	COST SHARING		900099	6,096,510			6,096,510
	11a b	ADVERTISING INCOME		511190	6,556,992		6,556,992	<u> </u>
	C	OTHER	· ·	900099	1,258		· <del></del>	1,258
	d	All other revenue						
	e	Total Add lines 11a-11d			12,654,760			
	12	Total revenue. See instruction			45,580,899	21,799,034	6,614,938	10,958,103

# 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 respi				
Do	not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b,	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
	9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	Total expenses	Program service expenses	Management and general expenses	Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations				
	and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	0.			
2	Grants and other assistance to domestic				
	individuals See Part IV, line 22	186,300.	186,300.		
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,	2 000 112	2 650 001	140 211	
	trustees, and key employees	2,800,112.	2,659,801.	140,311.	· ·
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified				
	persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and	0.			
7	persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	17,286,215.	15,465,344.	1,820,871.	<del></del>
			207.1007.0111	2/020/0/21	· · · · <u>_</u>
ŏ	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	1,622,379.	1,622,379.	Ì	
9	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	729,866.	694,017.	35,849.	***************************************
10	Payroll taxes	2,417,872.	1,940,418.	477,454.	<del></del>
	Fees for services (non-employees)				. n <u> </u>
	Management	0.			
	Legal	145,444.	131,838.	13,606.	
	: Accounting	277,239.	255,006.	22,233.	
	Lobbying	30,000.	30,000.		
e	Professional fundraising services See Part IV, line 17.	0.			
1	f Investment management fees	312,730.		312,730.	
8	Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column				
	(A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O)	5,178,674.	5,053,404.	44,270.	81,000.
12	Advertising and promotion	966,707.	966,557.	150.	
13	Office expenses	962,974.	728,365.	234,609.	
14	Information technology	1,976,248.	745,271.	1,230,977.	_ <del>_</del>
15	Royalties	506,638.	1,577.	505,061.	
16	Occupancy	1,467,323.	1,457,147.	10,176.	
17 18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses	1,101,020.	1/13//11/	10/1/01	——————————————————————————————————————
10	for any federal, state, or local public officials	0.			
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	2,494,534.	2,460,149.	34,385.	<del></del>
	Interest	239,441.		239,441.	
	Payments to affiliates	0.			
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	2,257,646.	1,766,273.	491,373.	
23	Insurance	347,747.	317,345.	30,402.	
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)				
•	PRINT/MAIL/POSTAGE/PREMIUM	3,794,335.	3,581,168.	81,538.	131,629.
~	MAGAZINE PRODUCTION	1,594,483.	1,594,483.	107 401	
-	RENTALS	1,164,331.	1,026,900.	137,431.	
_	DUES LICENSES & SUBSCRIPTION	452,502. 1,484,133.	445,581.	6,921. 252,709.	<del></del> .
	All other expenses	50,695,873.	44,360,747.	6,122,497.	212,629.
25	Joint costs. Complete this line only if the	30,033,013.	44,300,747.	0,122,43/.	212,029.
	organization reported in column (B) joint costs				
	from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here				
	following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)	0.	1		
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Pa	rt X	Balance Sheet				
		Check if Schedule O contains a response of	r note to any line in this	T	<del></del>	
				(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing		2,101,310.	1	671,439.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		2	0.	
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	0.	3	0.	
	4	Accounts receivable, net		4	711,460.	
	5	Loans and other receivables from current and f	former officers, directors,			
		trustees, key employees, and highest co	mpensated employees			
		Complete Part II of Schedule L		0.	5	0.
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persident 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluorganizations (see instructions) Complete Part II of Sche		<del></del>	0.	
its	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7	0.	
Assets	8	Inventories for sale or use			-8	0.
٧	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		1 1 504 016	9	1,928,957.
	_	Land, buildings, and equipment cost or				
	10 a		10a 30,274,625.			
	h	Less accumulated depreciation			10c	9,963,447.
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities		27,103,455.	11	41,754,045.
	12	Investments - other securities See Part IV, line 11			12	50,329,208.
	13	Investments - program-related See Part IV, line 11		13	0.	
	14	Intangible assets		000000	14	0.
	15	Other assets See Part IV, line 11			15	3,849,065.
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal			16	109,207,621.
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses		4 057 015	17	5,319,526.
	18	Grants payable	0.	18	0.	
	19	Deferred revenue	12,023,224.	19	12,002,788.	
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	0.	
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Pa			21	0.
s	22	Loans and other payables to current and for				-
Liabilities		trustees, key employees, highest compens				
夏		disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule			22	0.
ڐ	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelate			23	2,554,048.
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated t			24	0.
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax,				
		parties, and other liabilities not included on lines				
		of Schedule D		1,933,038.	25	1,974,642.
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25		25,116,121.	26	21,851,004.
es		Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and	check here ▶ X and			
auc	27	Unrestricted net assets	<i>.</i>	80,617,029.	27	87,356,617.
Balances	28	Temporarily restricted net assets		0.	28	0.
þ	29	Permanently restricted net assets	<u></u>	0.	29	0.
or Fund		Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958) complete lines 30 through 34.				
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds			30	
Assets	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equ	pment fund		31	
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated inco			32	
Net	33	Total net assets or fund balances		33	87,356,617.	
_		Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances		105,733,150.	34	109,207,621.

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	AIRCRAFT OWNERS & PILOTS ASSOCIATION	JZ	003023	. 0	
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Part	XI Reconciliation of Net Assets				
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI	. <u></u>			X
1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	45	,580,	
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2_		,695,	
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-5	,114,	974.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	80	,617,	029.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	-8	,059,	067.
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6			0.
7	Investment expenses	7_			0.
8	Prior period adjustments	8			0.
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	19	,913,	629.
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line				
	33, column (B))	10	87	,356,	617.
Part					
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII		<u></u>		
	<u> </u>			Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 Cash X Accrual Other		"		1
	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," e	xplair			1
	Schedule O				الناذ
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?.		2	a	X
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were con	npiled	lor   , ,	المنه ا	1 . 1
	reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both			- +	1 1
	Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis			_ -	_
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?		2	b X	<b>_</b>
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audit	ted o	na  ,	, ,	
	separate basis, consolidated basis, or both		1	;	
	Separate basis X Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis			—  <i>-</i>	الــــاـ
С	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for	overs		,,	
	of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent according	counta	ant? 2	c X	1
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, e	xplaıı	n in 📙		'
	Schedule O				- I
3 a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as se				,,
	the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		3	a	X

b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits

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#### SCHEDULE C (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

# **Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities**

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

OMB No 1545-0047

**Open to Public** 

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

► Complete if the organization is described below ► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ ▶ Go to www.irs gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information

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

		that have filed Form 5768 (election un			
•	Section 501(c)(3) organizations	that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election	ion under section 501(h	)) Complete Part II-B Do no	ot complete Part II-A
Tax)	(see separate instructions), the		Tax) (see separate ii	nstructions) or Form 990-	EZ, Part V, line 35c (Proxy
	Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) org	anizations Complete Part III		·	
	e of organization			, ,	ntification number
AIR	CRAFT OWNERS & PILO			52-063	
Pai		organization is exempt under			
1	Provide a description of the	organization's direct and indirect j	political campaign a	ctivities in Part IV (see ii	nstructions for
	definition of "political campa	aign activities")			
2	Political campaign activity e	expenditures (see instructions)		▶ \$	
3		campaign activities (see instructio			
Par		organization is exempt under		· <del></del>	·
1	Enter the amount of any exc	cise tax incurred by the organization	n under section 495	5 ▶ \$	
2	Enter the amount of any exc	cise tax incurred by organization m	anagers under secti	on 4955 ▶ \$	
3	If the organization incurred	a section 4955 tax, did it file Form	4720 for this year?	. <b></b> .	. Yes No
4a	Was a correction made?	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	<i>.</i>		Yes No
b	If "Yes," describe in Part IV				
Par	t I-C Complete if the c	organization is exempt under	section 501(c), ex	ccept section 501(c)(3	<u>3).</u>
1	Enter the amount directly e	expended by the filing organization	n for section 527 e	xempt function	
2	Enter the amount of the filir	ng organization's funds contributed	to other organizat	ons for section	
	527 exempt function activiti	es		▶\$	
3		enditures Add lines 1 and 2 En			,
4	Did the filing organization fil	e Form 1120-POL for this year?			Yes No
5	Enter the names, addresses	and employer identification numb	er (EIN) of all section	on 527 political organiz	ations to which the filing
		ts. For each organization listed, er			
		tributions received that were prom			
	as a separate segregated fur	nd or a political action committee (		T	1
	(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from	(e) Amount of political
				filing organization's funds If none, enter -0-	contributions received and promptly and directly
				Tanas in none, enter o	delivered to a separate
				İ	political organization If
					none, enter -0-
(1)			_		
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(2)					
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(4)	-				
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Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2018

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Pa	Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and section 501(h)).	l filed Form 5768 (ele	ction unde	r
A	Check ▶ if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV e address, EIN, expenses, and share of excess lobbying expenditures)	ach affiliated group men	iber's name,	
В	Check ▶ if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions ap	ply		
	Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred)	(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affilia group to	
1a	Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)			
t	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)			
c	: Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)			
c	Other exempt purpose expenditures			
е	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)			
f	Lobbying nontaxable amount Enter the amount from the following table in both			

columns If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is The lobbying nontaxable amount is 20% of the amount on line 1e Not over \$500,000 \$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000 Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000 \$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000 Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000 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- . . . . . . .
- j If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720

	 ı
Yes	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 Exper	ditures During 4-Ye	ar Averaging Period		
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2015	<b>(b)</b> 2016	(c) 2017	(d) 2018	(e) Total
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount					
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column (e))	-	•	7		
c Total lobbying expenditures				_	
d Grassroots nontaxable amount					
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))				-	
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

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(election under section 501(h)).	1 (	a)		(b)	
For each "Yes," response on lines 1a through 1i below, provide in Part IV a detailed description of the lobbying activity	Yes	Ť		ount	
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	5 A	. 1		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	. ,
<ul> <li>a Volunteers?</li> <li>b Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?</li> <li>c Media advertisements?</li> </ul>	1			<u> </u>	. •'
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?					_
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?					
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?  Other activities?					_
j Total Add lines 1c through 1i		ئـــَـا	3	1	 
b If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912		, <sup>2</sup> ]			_
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 501 501(c)(6).		, or s	section		
Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?  Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?  Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political campaign activity expenditures from the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501 (c)(6) and if either (a) BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2, are answered "No,"	m the	prior	year? 3	X	X X
answered "Yes."			1		
<ul> <li>Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members</li></ul>	unts	of	1		
a Current year			2a 2b 2c		
Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) du  If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion	n of tl	ne	3		
excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible I and political expenditure next year?			<u>4</u> 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 (affiliate 2 (see instructions), and Part II-B, line 1 Also, complete this part for any additional information			t), Part II-A,	lines 1 ar	nd

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Part IV Supplemental Information (continued)

#### SCHÈDULE D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury

Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

# Supplemental Financial Statements

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

Attach to Form 990

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

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52-0636210 AIRCRAFT OWNERS & PILOTS ASSOCIATION Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6 (a) Donor advised funds (b) Funds and other accounts 1 Total number at end of year . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 Aggregate value of contributions to (during year) 3 Aggregate value of grants from (during year) . . Aggregate value at end of year. . . . . . . . . Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? . . . . . . . . . Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose Conservation Easements. Part II Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply) Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or education) Preservation of a historically important land area Preservation of a certified historic structure Protection of natural habitat Preservation of open space Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation 2 Held at the End of the Tax Year easement on the last day of the tax year 2a 2b b Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a) . . . . . 2c c Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 7/25/06, and not on a 2d historic structure listed in the National Register.............. Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ \_ Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8 If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items 

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	rt   Organizations Maintain											
3	Using the organization's acquisition		ssion, and	otner reco	ras, cnec	k any o	ir the	tollow	ang that a	ire a sigi	nificant us	e or its
	collection items (check all that app	ily)		. г	٦.							
а	Public exhibition			d  _	_	or excha	-	-				
b	Scholarly research			e	_ Other							
С	Preservation for future gene											
4	Provide a description of the orga	nızatıon's	collection	s and expl	ain how	they fur	ther	the or	ganızatıon'	s exemp	t purpose	ın Part
	XIII											
5	During the year, did the organization										_ ,	
	assets to be sold to raise funds rati	her than t	to be maint	tained as pa	art of the	organiza	ation	's collec	ction?		Yes	No
	rt IV Escrow and Custodial A Complete if the organiza 990, Part X, line 21	ation ans	swered "Y								nt on Forr	n
1a	Is the organization an agent, truste											
	included on Form 990, Part X?									L	Yes	No
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement i	n Part XI	II and com	plete the fo	llowing tal	ble						
										Amount		
С	Beginning balance						1c					
d	Additions during the year					i	1d					
е	Distributions during the year						1e					
f	Ending balance						1f					
	Did the organization include an am										Yes	No
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement i	n Part XI	II Check h	ere if the e	xplanation	has be	en pr	ovided	on Part XIII			
Pa	rt V Endowment Funds.											
	Complete if the organiza	ation ans	wered "Y	es" on For	m 990, F	Part IV,	line	10				
	<u> </u>	(a) Cu	rrent year	(b) Prio	г уеаг	(c) Two	o year	s back	(d) Three y	ears back	(e) Four ye	ars back
1a	Beginning of year balance											
b	Contributions											
c	Net investment earnings, gains,											
•	and losses											
d	Grants or scholarships											
	Other expenditures for facilities					Ì						
C	and programs					l						
	Administrative expenses											
	End of year balance											
g 2	Provide the estimated percentage		irrent vear	end halanc	e (line 1a	column	(2))	hold as				
а	Board designated or quasi-endown	nent ▶_	year	_%	e (iiiie 19,	Column	(a))	neia as				
	Permanent endowment		0/									
С	Temporarily restricted endowment			4000/								
	The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, a											
3 a	Are there endowment funds not in	the poss	ession of t	ne organiza	ition that	are nei	and	a admir	isterea for	tne	Ye	s No
	organization by											S NO
	(i) unrelated organizations										3a(i)	+
	(ii) related organizations										3a(ıi)	
b	If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the relate	_		•			?				3b	
4	Describe in Part XIII the intended i			tion's endo	wment fui	nds						
Pa	rt VI Land, Buildings, and Equ Complete if the organize	ation and	swered "Y	es" on Fo	m 990	Part IV	line	11a S	See Form	990 Pa	nt X line	10
	Description of property	allorr arm	(a) Cost o	r other basis stment)	(b) Cost			(c) Acc	umulated eciation		l) Book value	
1a	Land				1,2	225,48	0.					,480.
b	Buildings			-	11,6	90,80	7.	8,4	53,463.		3,237	,344.
C	Leasehold improvements											
d	Equipment				2,9	24,87	2.	1,9	95,213.		929	,659.
e	Other			• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	14,4	133,46	6.	9,8	62,502.		4,570	,964.
_	I. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column		t equal Fori	m 990, Part	X, columi	n (B), lin	e 10				9,963	,447.
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(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
		Out of the of year market take
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely-held equity interests		
(A) ALTERNATIVE INVESTMENTS	50,329,208.	FMV
(B)		
(C)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
Total (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12) ▶	50,329,208.	
Part VIII Investments - Program Related. Complete if the organization answered	l "Yes" on Form 990, Part	t IV, line 11c See Form 990, Part X, line 13
(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13) Part IX Other Assets.		
		t IV, line 11d See Form 990, Part X, line 15
	scription	(b) Book value
(1)	-	
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(3)		·-
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7) (8)		
(9)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) li	ne 15 )	
Part X Other Liabilities.	<u>,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,</u>	
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Complete if the organization answered line 25	l "Yes" on Form 990, Parl	tiv, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X,
Complete if the organization answered line 25	(b) Book value	tiv, line 11e or 11f See Form 990, Part X,
Complete if the organization answered line 25		tiv, line the or the See Form 990, Part X,
Complete if the organization answered line 25  (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value 82,856.	tiv, line 11e or 11f See Form 990, Part X,
Complete if the organization answered line 25  (a) Description of liability  (1) Federal income taxes  (2) AIRCRAFT RESERVES  (3) DEFERRED RENT LIABILITY	(b) Book value 82,856. 126,563.	tiv, line 11e or 11f See Form 990, Part X,
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Part	Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Retur Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a	n.
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12	
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	
b	Donated services and use of facilities	1
	Dollated Services and use of facilities	1
C .	Recoveries of prior year grants	<del> </del> ,
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII )	<del> </del>
е	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1	
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b 4a	]
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII )	J
С	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c
5	Total revenue Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	5
Part		
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a	······································
1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1 1
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25	
а	Donated services and use of facilities	J I
b	Prior year adjustments	
c	Other losses	]
	Other (Describe in Part XIII )	1
ď	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2e
е	Add lines 2a through 2d	<del>  </del>
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1	•
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b 4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII )	<u> </u>
С	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	5
Part .	XIII Supplemental Information.	
	e the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Pa	
2, Part	XI, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional inform	nation
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#### Part XIII Supplemental Information (continued)

FIN 48 FOOTNOTE - SCHEDULE D, PART X, LINE 2

THE ASSOCIATION FOLLOWS GUIDANCE THAT CLARIFIES THE ACCOUNTING FOR UNCERTAINTY IN TAX POSITIONS TAKEN OR EXPECTED TO BE TAKEN IN A TAX RETURN, INCLUDING ISSUES RELATING TO FINANCIAL STATEMENT RECOGNITION AND MEASUREMENT. THIS GUIDANCE PROVIDES THAT THE TAX EFFECTS FROM AN UNCERTAIN TAX POSITION CAN ONLY BE RECOGNIZED IN THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS IF THE POSITION IS "MORE-LIKELY-THAN-NOT" TO BE SUSTAINED IF THE POSITION WERE TO BE CHALLENGED BY A TAXING AUTHORITY. THE ASSESSMENT OF THE TAX POSITION IS BASED SOLELY ON THE TECHNICAL MERITS OF THE POSITION, WITHOUT REGARD TO THE LIKELIHOOD THAT THE TAX POSITION MAY BE CHALLENGED.

THE ASSOCIATION HAS PROCESSES PRESENTLY IN PLACE TO ENSURE THE MAINTENANCE OF ITS TAX-EXEMPT STATUS; TO IDENTIFY AND REPORT UNRELATED INCOME; TO DETERMINE ITS FILING AND TAX OBLIGATIONS IN JURISDICTIONS FOR WHICH IT HAS NEXUS; AND TO IDENTIFY AND EVALUATE OTHER MATTERS THAT MAY BE CONSIDERED TAX POSITIONS. THE TAX YEARS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2018, 2017, 2016 AND 2015 ARE STILL OPEN TO AUDIT FOR BOTH FEDERAL AND STATE PURPOSES. THE ASSOCIATION HAS DETERMINED THAT THERE ARE NO MATERIAL UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS THAT REQUIRE RECOGNITION OR DISCLOSURE IN THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

### SCHEDULE F (Form 990)

## **Statement of Activities Outside the United States**

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

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

OMB No 1545-0047 Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization

AIRCRAFT OWNERS & PILOTS ASSOCIATION

Employer identification number

52-0636210 General Information on Activities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on

	Form 990, Part IV, line 14	b				
1	For grantmakers. Does the organssistance, the grantees' eligibility grants or assistance?	ty for the grant	ts or assistance	e, and the selection criteri	a used to award the	Yes No
2	For grantmakers. Describe in outside the United States	Part V the org	anization's pro	ocedures for monitoring t	the use of its grants and	d other assistance
3	Activities per Region (The follow	ving Part I, line	3 table can be	e duplicated if additional sp	ace is needed )	
	(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in the region	(d) Activities conducted in the region (by type) (such as, fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in the region	(f) Total expenditures for and investments in the region
_(1)	CENTRAL AMERICA/CARIBBEAN	0	0	INVESTMENTS		26,564,470
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3 a	Subtotal					26,564,470
b	Total from continuation				, o	
c	sheets to Part I				, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	26,564,470

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Part II

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Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States. Complete If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990,

1 (a) Name of cestion and Eaction and Ello organization (f. granization (f. gr	(b) IRS code section and EIN	(c) Region (d) Purpose of cash grant (e) Amount of grant grant cash grant none	(d) Purpose of grant	(e) Amount of cash grant	(1) Manner of	ount of	(h) Description of noncash	(i) Method of
	(if applicable)				disbursement		assistance	(book, FMV, ippraisal, other)
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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

Enter total number of other organizations or entities.....

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Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 16

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(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Region	(c) Number of recipients	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Manner of cash disbursement	(f) Amount of noncash assistance	(g) Description of noncash assistance	(h) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
(1)			i				
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∘Part	IV Foreign Forms			
1	Was the organization a U.S. transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? If "Yes, the organization may be required to file Form 926, Return by a U.S. Transferor of Property to a Foreign Corporation (see Instructions for Form 926)		Yes	□ No
2	Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to separately file Form 3520, Annual Return To Report Transactions With Foreign Trusts and Receipt of Certain Foreign Gifts, and/or Form 3520-A, Annual Information Return of Foreign Trust With a U.S. Owner (see Instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A, don't file with Form 990)	·	Yes	X 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	X 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 US Persons With Respect to Certain Foreign Partnerships (see Instructions for Form 8865)		Yes	X No
6	Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? In "Yes," the organization may be required to separately file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see Instructions for Form 5713, don't file with Form 990)	_	Yes	X No

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# 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)

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

#### Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

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

OMB No 1545-0047

Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ Department of the Treasury ► Go to www irs gov/Form990 for Instructions and the latest instructions Inspection Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization Employer identification number 52-0636210 AIRCRAFT OWNERS & PILOTS ASSOCIATION Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 17 Part I Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply e X Solicitation of non-government grants Mail solicitations а Х Solicitation of government grants b Internet and email solicitations f Special fundraising events Phone solicitations c Х d In-person solicitations 2a Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees, X Yes or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services? b If "Yes," list the 10 highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization (v) Amount paid to (III) Did fundraiser have (vi) Amount paid to (i) Name and address of individual (IV) Gross receipts (or retained by) (li) Activity custody or control of (or retained by) fundraiser listed in or entity (fundraiser) from activity contributions? organization col (I) Yes No MEMBERSHIP MKTG PARTNERS ADVISOR Х 81,000 3 9 10 81,000 Total 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 AL, AK, AR, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, HI, IL, KS, KY, ME, MD, MA, MN, MS, MO, NH, NJ, NY, NC, ND, OH, OK, PA, RI, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, WV, WI,

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Pa	Fundraising Events. Complet more than \$15,000 of fundra	e if the organization hising event contribut	answered "Yes" on I Ions and gross Incom	Form 990, Part IV, ne on Form 990-EZ,	line 18, or reported lines 1 and 6b List
	events with gross receipts gre		- -		
		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events (add col (a) through
a)		(event type)	(event type)	(total number)	col (c))
Revenue	1 Gross receipts				
ά	2 Less Contributions				
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)				
	4 Cash prizes				<del>-</del>
	5 Noncash prizes			<u> </u>	
enses	6 Rent/facility costs				-
Oirect Expenses	7 Food and beverages	i i			
Dire	8 Entertainment	1			- <del></del>
	9 Other direct expenses				
	10 Direct expense summary Add line				
Pa	11 Net income summary Subtract lineart III Gaming. Complete if the organization				reported more than
=	\$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line	e 6a		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Revenue		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col (a) through col (c))
Re	1 Gross revenue				
ses	2 Cash prizes				
Expenses	3 Noncash prizes				
Direct	4 Rent/facility costs				
_	5 Other direct expenses		1 1		
	6 Volunteer labor	Yes % No	Yes% No	Yes% No	
	7 Direct expense summary Add line	es 2 through 5 in colui	mn (d)		
	8 Net gaming income summary Sul	btract line 7 from line	1, column (d)	<b>&gt;</b>	
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9 a b		duct gaming activities	in each of these state	es <sup>?</sup>	. Yes No
10 a	Is the organization licensed to cond If "No," explain  Were any of the organization's gaming	licenses revoked, susp	oended, or terminated di	uring the tax year?	Yes No
a t	Is the organization licensed to cond If "No," explain  Were any of the organization's gaming	duct gaming activities	oended, or terminated di	uring the tax year?	

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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 activity conducted in	
а		%
	•	
	An outside facility	
14	Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records	
	records	
	Name ►	
	Address ►	
15 a	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 ▶ \$	
С	If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party	
	Name ►	
	Address ►	
16	Gaming manager information	
	Name ►	
	Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$	
	Description of services provided ▶	
	Director/officer Employee Independent contractor	
47	Mandalam dalah tara	
17	Mandatory distributions	
а	Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to	
L	retain the state gaming license?	YesNo
b	Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations	
Part	or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$  IV Supplemental Information. Provide the explanation required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (iiii)	w and
Part	Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also provide any additional inform	
	(see instructions)	13001
PART	T I, LINE 2(B)(1) MEMBERSHIP MARKETING PARTNERS	
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1125	50 WAPLES MILL ROAD, SUITE 310	
FAIR	RFAX, VA 22030	
MEME	BERSHIP MARKETING PARTNERS WAS NOT A FUNDRAISER FOR AOPA. MEMBERSHIP	
MZDT	KETING PARTNERS WAS HIRED TO PROVIDE CONSULTING ADVICE PERTAINING TO	
TIARE		990 or 990 E7) 2018

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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 activity conducted in
	The organization's facility
a	
b	
14	Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and
	records
	Name ▶
	Address ▶
15 a	Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming
	revenue?
b	and the second s
-	amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ► \$
С	If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party
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	Name ▶
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	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
a	retain the state gaming license?
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a	Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations
ο.	or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year > \$
Par	Supplemental Information. Provide the explanation 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)
AOP.	A MEMBERSHIP NOTICES.
MEM	BERSHIP MARKETING PARTNERS WAS PAID A TOTAL OF \$158,950 DURING THE
YEA	R FOR VARIOUS SERVICES. SERVICES FOR OUR MEMBERSHIP MARKETING TOTALED
\$77	,950 AND ADVISOR SERVICES FOR OUR FUNDRAISING TOTALED \$81,000.
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SCHEDULE (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service AIRCRAFT OWNERS & PILOTS ASSOCIATION

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

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

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► Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information. Name of the organization

8 N X Yes 1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? . . . . . . Part | General Information on Grants and Assistance

Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on 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 Part II

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1 (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 noncash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
(1)							
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(12)							
2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and governme	government	organizations lis	nt organizations listed in the line 1 table	le		<b>▲</b> :: :: ::	
3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the		1 table			ıne 1 table	<b>.</b>	

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Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22 Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed. Part III

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	(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 FLIGHT	FLIGHT TRAINING SCHOLARSHIPS	38	186,300				
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Part IV	Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the information required in Part I, line 2, Part III, column (b), and any other additional information	information re	quired in Part I,	line 2, Part III, c	olumn (b), and any o	ther additional	

PART I, LINE 2

GRANTS AND OTHER ASSISTANCE TO DOMESTIC INDIVIDUALS:

FLIGHT TRAINING SCHOLARSHIPS: THE SCHOLARSHIP RULES REQUIRE THE

RECIPIENT(S) TO BE:

(A)U.S. CITIZEN OR U.S. PERMANENT RESIDENT.

(B) AT LEAST 15 YEARS OF AGE ON OR BEFORE THE APPLICATION CLOSE DATE.

(C) HAVE HAD AN AOPA WEB ACCOUNT AT THE TIME OF APPLICATION.

(D)NOT HAVE COMPLETED THE FAA PRACTICAL TEST/CHECKRIDE AT THE TIME OF

APPLICATION

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Part III

Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals. Complete If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22. Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

	ance								
	(f) Description of non-cash assistance								other additional
	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)								column (b), and any
	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance								line 2, Part III, c
	(c) Amount of cash grant								quired in Part I,
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		1	2	က	4	5	9	7	Part IV

NOT USED FOR THAT PURPOSE TO BE RETURNED TO AOPA.

### **SCHEDULE J** (Form 990)

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

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23 ► Attach to Form 990

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AIRCRAFT OWNERS & PILOTS ASSOCIATION

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ган	Questions Regarding Compensation			
			Yes	No
1a	Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form			
	990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items			
	X First-class or charter travel Housing allowance or residence for personal use			
	X Travel for companions Payments for business use of personal residence			]
	Tax indemnification and gross-up payments Health or social club dues or initiation fees			ļ
	Discretionary spending account  Personal services (such as maid, chauffeur, chef)			
h	If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment	ľ		
D	or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to			
	explain	1b	Х	
2	Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all	L		
	directors, trustees, and officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked on line			
	1a <sup>2</sup>	2	Х	
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			
	Compensation committee X Written employment contract			
	Independent compensation consultant			- [
	X Form 990 of other organizations X Approval by the board or compensation committee			ľ
4	During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing			
	organization or a related organization			
а	Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?	4a		X
b	Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?	4b		<u> </u>
С	Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?	4c		X
	If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III			
	Only section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.			
5	For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any			1
	compensation contingent on the revenues of			
а	The organization?	5a		X
b	Any related organization?	5b		X
	If "Yes" on line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III		-	
6	For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any			
	compensation contingent on the net earnings of			
а	The organization?	6a		X
b	Any related organization?	6b		X
	If "Yes" on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III			1
7	For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any nonfixed			
	payments not described on lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III	7	Х	
8	Were any amounts reported on 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			
	ın Part III	8	Х	
9	If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in			
	Regulations section 53 4958-6(c)?	9	Х	

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

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

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

individual

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		(в) вгеакдомп о	(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation	C compensation	(C) Retirement and	(D) Nontaxable	(E) Total of columns	(F) Compensation
(A) Name and Title		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation	other deferred compensation	benefits	(B)(ı)-(D)	in column (B) reported as deferred on pnor Form 990
AD	Ξ	417,619.	165,820.	14,637.	20,763.	3,883.	622,722.	
TEVP/GENERAL COUNSEL	Ξ	0.	0	0.			İ	
SACCOIA	Ξ	224,077.	60,679.	2,718.	18,673.	1,876.	308,023.	
2SVP-FINANCE	Ξ	0.	0.	0.				
	Ξ	302,844.	118,932.	5,840.	20,763.	8,715.	457,094.	;
3CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER	Ξ	0	0.	0.	408,949.		408,949.	
S	Ξ	792,308	.989,08	10,535.	20,725.	11,901.	391,155.	
SVP - MEDIA & OUTREACH	Ξ	0	0	0				
AKER	Ξ	893,749.	437,500.	46,756.	20,763.	13,507.	1,412,275.	
5 PRESIDENT/CEO	Ξ	0	0.	0.				
	[()	246,614.	78,406.	1,170.	19,585.	5,454.	351,229.	
SVP-AVIATION STRATEGY/PROGRAMS	Ξ	0	0.	0				
	(i)	363,846.	107,682.	29,545.	20,763.	2,532.	524,368.	
7SVP-GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS	Ξ	0	0.	0				
	Ξ	204,308.	36,859.	2,652.	16,531.	1,732.	262,082.	
8 VP-INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	(ii)	0	0.	0.				
ADDEN	(ı)	204,445.	37,244.	3,840.	16,618.	2,435.	264,582.	
9 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR-ASI	(II)	.0	0.	0.				
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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 Supplemental Information Part III

PART I, LINE 1A

CERTAIN DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS RECEIVED FIRST CLASS AIR'TRAVEL AND TRAVEL FOR COMPANIONS. IT IS THE ORGANIZATION'S POLICY TO TREAT THE ABOVE ITEMS AS TAXABLE COMPENSATION AND REPORT THE APPLICABLE AMOUNTS TO THE IRS ON FORM W-2 OR FORM 1099-MISC. FOR THE APPLICABLE TAX YEAR.

PART I, LINE

PRIMARILY UPON EXPERIENCE AND PERFORMANCE. THE ORGANIZATION HAS ADOPTED A EMPLOYEES OF THE ORGANIZATION ARE ESTABLISHED BASED ON COMPETITIVE MARKET POSITIONS OF SIMILAR SCOPE OF RESPONSIBILITY. ALL POSITIONS ARE EVALUATED AS COMPARED TO COMPENSATION PAID BY SIMILARLY SITUATED ORGANIZATIONS FOR SURVEYS PROVIDE GUIDANCE FOR ESTABLISHING REASONABLE COMPENSATION RATES INCREASES BASED ON AN INDIVIDUAL'S PERFORMANCE AGAINST PRE-ESTABLISHED COMPENSATION EXPERTS ENGAGED BY THE ORGANIZATION. THESE INDEPENDENT THE COMPENSATION LEVELS AND SALARY RANGES FOR OFFICERS AND CERTAIN DATA OBTAINED THROUGH PERIODIC SALARY SURVEYS PERFORMED BY OUTSIDE "PAY FOR PERFORMANCE" PHILOSOPHY ALLOWING MANAGERS TO AWARD MERIT AND PLACED IN THE APPROPRIATE GRADES/SALARY RANGES. AN INDIVIDUAL EMPLOYEE'S SALARY, WITHIN THEIR ASSIGNED RANGE, VARIES DEPENDING

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## Part | | 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.

GOALS. THE ORGANIZATION'S ANNUAL MERIT INCREASE BUDGET IS APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES BASED ON MARKET SURVEYS. OFFICERS AND CERTAIN EMPLOYEES

ALSO PARTICIPATE IN THE ORGANIZATION'S INCENTIVE PAY PROGRAM.

PART I, LINE

TARGET INCENTIVE AMOUNTS, AS A PERCENTAGE OF BASE SALARY, ARE ESTABLISHED BASED ON THE PARTICIPANT'S POSITION. THE ACTUAL BONUS PAID IS PROPOSED BY THE EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT TEAM AND THE PRESIDENT BASED ON THEIR ASSESSMENT OF THE PARTICIPANT'S INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE AND THAT OF THE ORGANIZATION PARTICIPATE IN THE DELIBERATION OF THEIR COMPENSATION ARRANGEMENT. THE COMMITTEE REVIEW AND MAKE A FINAL DETERMINATION AS TO THE ACTUAL BONUS AGAINST PRE-ESTABLISHED GOALS. THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND COMPENSATION MAINTAINED IN CONTEMPORANEOUS DOCUMENTATION WITH OUR HUMAN RESOURCES DELIBERATIONS AND DECISIONS OF THESE COMPENSATION ARRANGEMENTS ARE AMOUNT PAID TO PARTICIPANTS. NONE OF THE PERSONS MENTIONED ABOVE DEPARTMENT

PART I, LINE 8

IS PAID PURSUANT TO A BOARD APPROVED EMPLOYMENT THE PRESIDENT/CEO Schedule J (Form 990) 2018

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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.

CONTRACT THAT WAS BASED ON COMPETITIVE MARKET DATA FROM OUTSIDE

COMPENSATION EXPERTS.

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### SCHEDULE L

### **Transactions With Interested Persons**

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

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Name of the organization					Employer	identıf	ication	numbe	r	
AIRCRAFT OWNERS & PILOTS	S ASSOCIATION				52-	0636	210			
Part I Excess Benefit Transa Complete if the organiz	ctions (section 50° zation answered "Y	1(c)(3), sect es" on Forn	tion 501(c)(4), and n 990, Part IV, line	501(c)(29) orga 25a or 25b, or F	nızatıons orm 990-	only) EZ, P	art V,	line 4	0b	
4	(b) Relation	onship between	disqualified person and	(2) [		-f t			(d)	) Correcto
1 (a) Name of disqualified person		organiz	zation	(6) [	escription	or trans			Ye	es No
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(6) 2 Enter the amount of tax incu										
under section 4958 3 Enter the amount of tax, if an	y, on line 2, above,	, reimbursed						)	· <u>-</u>	
Part II Loans to and/or From Complete if the organization reported a	ation answered "Y	es" on Form		line 38a or Form	990, Part	: IV, lır	ne 26,	or if tl	he	
	ationship ganization loan	(d) Loan to or from the organization?	(e) Original principal amount	(f) Balance due	(g) In (	default?	by bo	proved pard or nittee?	(ı) W agreer	
		To From			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
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Part III Grants or Assistance E Complete if the organiz	Benefiting Interest	ed Persons.				•	1			
(a) Name of interested person (b) Rel	lationship between intererson and the organization	ested (c) Amou		(d) Type of assistance	e	(e)	Purpo	se of as	sistance	3
(1)										

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Part IV Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons.

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(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of transaction	(d) Description of transaction	organi	anng of zation's nues?
				Yes	No
(1) MARK BAKER (BAKER PLANES LLC)	PRESIDENT/AIRCRAFT RENTAL	177,268	AIRCRAFT RENTAL		х
(2) JAMES HAUSLEIN (RAYS LEASING, LLC)	TREASURER	3,650,000	AIRCRAFT PURCHASE		х
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PART IV - EMPLOYEE OWNED AIRCRAFT

**Supplemental Information** 

WHEN APPROPRIATE, AOPA UTILIZES EMPLOYEE-OWNED AIRCRAFT FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES. REIMBURSEMENT FOR FUEL & OPERATING COSTS ARE BASED ON INDUSTRY DETERMINED RATES DEPENDENT ON TYPE OF AIRCRAFT. THESE TYPES OF ARRANGEMENTS ARE DOCUMENTED ON CONTRACTS AND HELP MINIMIZE THE ON-GOING COSTS OF MAINTAINING AN ORGANIZATION OWNED FLEET.

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

### SCHEDULE M (Form 990)

### **Noncash Contributions**

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

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► Attach to Form 990.

Employer identification number

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Par	Types of Property							
		(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	Method of noncash cont			
1	Art - Works of art							
2	Art - Historical treasures							
3	Art - Fractional interests							
4	Books and publications	1	•					
5	Clothing and household		,					
	goods							
6	Cars and other vehicles							
7	Boats and planes	1	1.	104,940.	FMV			
8	Intellectual property							
9	Securities - Publicly traded							
10	Securities - Closely held stock							
11	Securities - Partnership, LLC,							
	or trust interests							
12	Securities - Miscellaneous							
13	Qualified conservation							
	contribution - Historic							
	structures							
14	Qualified conservation							
	contribution - Other							
15	Real estate - Residential							
16	Real estate - Commercial							
17	Real estate - Other				L			
18	Collectibles							
19	Food inventory		-					
20	Drugs and medical supplies							
21	Taxidermy							
22	Historical artifacts							
23	Scientific specimens							
24	Archeological artifacts							
25	Other ►( SIMULATOR )	X	1.	1,659.	FMV			
26	Other ►()							
27	Other ►()				Ĺ			
28	Other ►()							
29	Number of Forms 8283 received	by the orga	anization during the tax ye	ear for contributions for				
	which the organization completed F	orm 8283,	Part IV, Donee Acknowledg	ement	29			
	-						Yes	No
30a	During the year, did the organizat	ion receive	by contribution any propei	rty reported in Part I, line	s 1 through			1
	28, that it must hold for at least the							<b></b>
	to be used for exempt purposes for	the entire hi	olding period?			30a		Х
b	If "Yes," describe the arrangement i	n Part II					-	1
31	Does the organization have a		ance policy that require	s the review of any	nonstandard			
	contributions?					31	Х	l
32a	Does the organization hire or use							
	contributions?	•	<del>-</del>	•		32a		Х
b	If "Yes," describe in Part II				ſ			
33	If the organization didn't report an	amount in c	olumn (c) for a type of pro	perty for which column (a)	ıs checked,			
	describe in Part II		,, ,, ,					

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

### **SCHEDULE O** (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

### 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

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

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### AMENDED RETURN

THE RETURN WAS AMENDED TO ADJUST A SOFTWARE ERROR WHICH CAUSED AN INDIVIDUAL'S COMPENSATION TO DISPLAY INCORRECTLY ON SCHEDULE J, PART II, COLUMNS C AND D. THE ERROR HAS BEEN CORRECTED AND ALL COMPENSATION IS CORRECTLY REPORTED.

### PART III, LINE 1

AIRCRAFT OWNERS & PILOTS ASSOCIATION (AOPA), A NOT-FOR-PROFIT INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATION, EFFECTIVELY SERVES THE INTERESTS AND NEEDS OF ITS MEMBERS AND ESTABLISHES, MAINTAINS, AND ARTICULATES POSITION OF LEADERSHIP TO PROMOTE THE ECONOMY, SAFETY, UTILITY AND POPULARITY OF FLIGHT IN GENERAL AVIATION AIRCRAFT. AOPA PRESERVES THE FREEDOM TO FLY BY ADVOCATING ON BEHALF OF OUR MEMBERS; EDUCATING PILOTS, NONPILOTS, AND POLICY MAKERS ALIKE; SUPPORTING ACTIVITIES THAT ENSURE THE LONG-TERM HEALTH OF GENERAL AVIATION; FIGHTING TO KEEP GENERAL AVIATION ACCESSIBLE TO ALL; AND SECURING SUFFICIENT RESOURCES TO ENSURE OUR SUCCESS.

### PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 2

THERE ARE TWO TRUSTEES (MR. TRIMBLE AND MR. CRATE) WHO HAVE A BUSINESS RELATIONSHIP OUTSIDE OF AOPA. THESE TWO TRUSTEES ARE PARTNERS IN THE SAME COMPANY. ANOTHER TRUSTEE, MR. HAUSLEIN, SERVED ON A BOARD WITH MR. CRATE UNTIL JUNE 2018.

PART VI, SECTION A, LINES 6 AND 7A

AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF MEMBERS, AOPA MEMBERS IN GOOD STANDING ARE

ENTITLED TO VOTE FOR THE AOPA BOARD OF TRUSTEES. AOPA MEMBERS ARE ENTITLED TO ONE VOTE. EACH MEMBER ENTITLED TO VOTE MAY DO SO EITHER IN PERSON OR BY PROXY.

PART VI, SECTION B, LINES 11A AND 11B IN CONJUNCTION WITH GRANT THORNTON LLP TAX SPECIALISTS, AOPA MANAGEMENT REVIEWS THE FORM 990 WITH THE AUDIT COMMITTEE PRIOR TO PRESENTING THE RETURN TO OUR BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR REVIEW.

PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C THE AIRCRAFT OWNERS & PILOTS ASSOCIATION'S BOARD IS PROVIDED A WRITTEN "CODE OF ETHICS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE AND DISCLOSURE FORM" ("FORM"). THE FORM REQUIRES PERSONS COVERED (OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES AND KEY EMPLOYEES) TO ANNUALLY DISCLOSE AND UPDATE THE FORM AND PROVIDE TO LEGAL COUNSEL INTERESTS THAT COULD GIVE RISE TO CONFLICT(S). LEGAL COUNSEL REVIEWS THE ANNUAL DISCLOSURES BY ALL COVERED PERSONS. DISCLOSURES ARE REGULARY MONITORED BY COUNSEL, ANY POTENTIALLY CONFLICTING OR OTHERWISE QUESTIONABLE RESPONSES ARE FLAGGED AND THE ETHICS POLICY IS ENFORCED.

PART VI, SECTION B, LINES 15A AND 15B THE COMPENSATION FOR THE PRESIDENT IS SET BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND COMPENSATION COMMITTEE AND CONTRACTUALLY CONFIRMED THROUGH AN EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE BOARD AND THE INCUMBENT., THE BASE SALARY FOR THIS POSITION MAY BE ADJUSTED BY THE BOARD FROM TIME TO TIME AT ITS SOLE DISCRETION. THE PRESIDENT IS ALSO CONSIDERED ANNUALLY BY THE BOARD FOR AN

INCENTIVE BONUS WHICH IS A PERCENT OF BASE SALARY. THE ACTUAL BONUS PAID IS DETERMINED BY THE BOARD BASED ON ITS ASSESSMENT OF THE PRESIDENT'S PERFORMANCE AND THAT OF THE ORGANIZATION AGAINST APPROPRIATE GOALS SET BY THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE AND THE PRESIDENT. PERIODIC INDEPENDENT REVIEWS OF THE PRESIDENT'S COMPENSATION ARE CONDUCTED BY OUTSIDE COMPENSATION EXPERTS TO ENSURE THAT THE COMPENSATION PAID IS REASONABLE BASED ON APPROPRIATE DATA AS TO COMPARABILITY OF COMPENSATION PAID BY SIMILAR ORGANIZATIONS FOR POSITIONS OF SIMILAR SCOPE OF RESPONSIBILITY. THE COMPENSATION LEVELS AND SALARY RANGES FOR OFFICERS AND CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF THE ORGANIZATION ARE ESTABLISHED BASED ON COMPETITIVE MARKET DATA OBTAINED THROUGH PERIODIC SALARY SURVEYS PERFORMED BY OUTSIDE COMPENSATION EXPERTS ENGAGED BY THE ORGANIZATION. THESE SURVEYS PROVIDE GUIDANCE FOR ESTABLISHING REASONABLE COMPENSATION RATES AS COMPARED TO COMPENSATION PAID BY SIMILARLY SITUATED ORGANIZATIONS FOR POSITIONS OF SIMILAR SCOPE OF RESPONSIBILITY. ALL POSITIONS ARE EVALUATED AND PLACED IN THE APPROPRIATE GRADES/SALARY RANGES. AN INDIVIDUAL EMPLOYEE'S SALARY, WITHIN THEIR ASSIGNED RANGE, VARIES DEPENDING PRIMARILY UPON EXPERIENCE AND PERFORMANCE. THE ORGANIZATION HAS ADOPTED A "PAY FOR PERFORMANCE" PHILOSOPHY ALLOWING MANAGERS TO AWARD MERIT INCREASES BASED ON AN INDIVIDUAL'S PERFORMANCE AGAINST PRE-ESTABLISHED GOALS. THE ORGANIZATION'S ANNUAL MERIT INCREASE BUDGET IS APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES BASED ON MARKET SURVEYS. OFFICERS AND CERTAIN EMPLOYEES ALSO PARTICIPATE IN THE ORGANIZATION'S INCENTIVE PAY PROGRAM. TARGET INCENTIVE AMOUNTS, AS A PERCENTAGE OF BASE SALARY, ARE ESTABLISHED BASED ON THE PARTICIPANT'S POSITION. THE ACTUAL BONUS PAID IS PROPOSED BY THE

EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT TEAM AND THE PRESIDENT BASED ON THEIR ASSESSMENT OF THE PARTICIPANT'S INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE AND THAT OF THE ORGANIZATION AGAINST PRE-ESTABLISHED GOALS. THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND COMPENSATION COMMITTEE REVIEW AND MAKE A FINAL DETERMINATION AS TO THE ACTUAL BONUS AMOUNT PAID TO PARTICIPANTS. NONE OF THE PERSONS MENTIONED ABOVE PARTICIPATE IN THE DELIBERATION OF THEIR COMPENSATION ARRANGEMENT. THE DELIBERATIONS AND DECISIONS OF THESE COMPENSATION ARRANGEMENTS ARE MAINTAINED IN CONTEMPORANEOUS DOCUMENTATION WITH OUR HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT.

PART VI, SECTION B, LINES 16A AND 16B THE ORGANIZATION DOES HAVE A WRITTEN MANAGEMENT POLICY TO EVALUATE ALL CONTRACTS AND AGREEMENTS TO ENSURE THAT ALL CONTRACT AND JOINT VENTURE ARRANGEMENTS ARE IN ACCORDANCE WITH FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL LAWS AND RELATED REGULATIONS. IN ADDITION, ALL JOINT VENTURE AGREEMENTS ARE REQUIRED TO BE REVIEWED BY THE ORGANIZATION'S GENERAL COUNSEL. WERE NO JOINT VENTURE AGREEMENTS DURING THE YEAR.

PART VI, SECTION C, LINES 18 AND 19 THE ORGANIZATION DOES MAKE AVAILABLE ITS CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY, FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, FORM 990 RETURNS, AND FORM 1024 TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC. THE ORGANIZATION MAKES AVAILABLE ITS GOVERNING DOCUMENTS TO THE EXTENT REQUIRED BY LAW. THE PUBLIC CAN RECEIVE COPIES BY CONTACTING THE ORGANIZATION'S HEADQUARTERS. COPIES OF THE RETURNS CAN BE OBTAINED AT WWW.AOPA.ORG/ABOUT-AOPA/GOVERNANCE AND WWW.GUIDESTAR.ORG.

PART VII, HOURS WORKED FOR THE AOPA FOUNDATION, INC. MARK BAKER, KENNETH MEAD, ERICA SACCOIA, AND TIMOTHY FORTUNE ARE FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES OF AIRCRAFT OWNERS & PILOTS ASSOCIATION (AOPA), ALTHOUGH THEY DEVOTE APPROXIMATELY TEN HOURS PER WEEK TO THE RELATED 501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHARITY ORGANIZATION: THE AOPA FOUNDATION, INC.

PART XI, LINE 9

THIS INCREASE IN NET ASSETS IS THE RESULT OF A \$20,750,000 DIVIDEND RECEIVED FROM A WHOLLY-OWNED SUBSIDIARY OFFSET BY AN \$836,378 GOODWILL IMPAIRMENT AND A ROUNDING ADJUSTMENT.

ATTACHMENT 1

### FORM 990, PART III - PROGRAM SERVICE, LINE 4A

SINCE 1939, THE AIRCRAFT OWNERS AND PILOTS ASSOCIATION (AOPA) HAS WORKED TO PROTECT THE FREEDOM TO FLY FOR GENERAL AVIATION (GA) PILOTS IN THE UNITED STATES. MORE THAN 300,000 MEMBERS RELY ON AOPA, AS THE WORLD'S LARGEST AVIATION AND MEMBERSHIP ASSOCIATION, TO ADVOCATE FOR GA INTERESTS AND KEEP FLYING SAFE, FUN, AND AFFORDABLE. AOPA WORKS WITH MEMBERS OF CONGRESS AND AT ALL LEVELS OF GOVERNMENT TO ENHANCE SAFETY, PROVIDE TOOLS AND RESOURCES FOR PILOTS, AND ENSURE THEY GET THE MOST OUT OF THEIR FLYING.

BEYOND JUST THE PILOT COMMUNITY, AOPA WORKS TO EDUCATE DECISION MAKERS AND THE PUBLIC ABOUT THE BENEFITS AND VALUE OF GENERAL AVIATION FLYING. ONE OF THE ASSOCIATION'S MAIN PRIORITIES IS TO MAKE SURE GA REMAINS A VIABLE FORM OF TRANSPORTATION AND RECREATION FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS. AOPA PROVIDES ITS MEMBERS WITH AN EXTENSIVE PORTFOLIO OF BENEFITS THAT CAN BE GROUPED INTO FIVE

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AREAS: ADVOCACY, PILOT COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, EDUCATION, EVENTS, AND PRODUCTS AND SERVICES.

**ADVOCACY** 

AOPA'S ADVOCACY ARM IS DIVIDED INTO GROUPS RESPONSIBLE FOR LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, REGULATORY AFFAIRS, OPERATIONS AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, AIRPORTS, AND ADVOCACY. TOGETHER THESE GROUPS EFFECTIVELY MANAGE THE MANY ISSUES THAT AFFECT GENERAL AVIATION AND SUPPORT MEMBER INTERESTS.

IN 2018, THANKS TO AOPA'S GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS TEAM AND THEIR ONGOING WORK ON ISSUES THAT MATTER TO PILOTS, AOPA WAS NAMED A TOP ADVOCACY ORGANIZATION BY THE HILL NEWSPAPER FOR THE FIFTH YEAR IN A ROW.

AOPA'S GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS TEAM LED A COALITION TO DEFEAT THE THREAT OF AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL PRIVATIZATION, A MONUMENTAL CHALLENGE FACED BY AOPA THAT CAME TO A CLOSE THIS YEAR. WITH SUPPORT FROM MEMBERS, MORE THAN 200,000 LETTERS, EMAILS, AND PHONE CALLS WENT OUT TO CONGRESS OPPOSING H.R. 2997.

THIRD CLASS MEDICAL REFORM, KNOWN AS BASICMED, CONTINUES TO BE AN AREA OF FOCUS FOR AOPA. BASICMED BECAME THE BIGGEST ADVOCACY ACCOMPLISHMENT IN DECADES FOR AOPA AND GA PILOTS- A HUGE VICTORY

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CONSIDERING ONLY 4 PERCENT OF BILLS EVER BECOME LAW. BY THE END OF 2018, OVER 43,000 PILOTS HAD BEEN CLEARED TO FLY UNDER THE NEW MEDICAL CERTIFICATION, FAR SURPASSING EXPECTATIONS.

IN ADDITION TO AOPA'S EFFORTS ON THE FEDERAL LEVEL, THE

ASSOCIATION HAS A NETWORK OF SEVEN REGIONAL MANAGERS AND MORE THAN

1,400 AIRPORT SUPPORT NETWORK VOLUNTEERS WHO HELP KEEP AOPA

INFORMED ABOUT THE ISSUES AFFECTING GENERAL AVIATION IN THEIR

COMMUNITIES. WORKING THROUGH OUR VOLUNTEERS, REGIONAL MANAGERS,

AND HEADQUARTERS-BASED STAFF, AOPA PROMOTES, PROTECTS, AND DEFENDS

COMMUNITY AIRPORTS; ADVOCATES TO MAINTAIN SUFFICIENT STATE AND

LOCAL FUNDING FOR GA AIRPORTS AND INFRASTRUCTURE; WORKS TO PREVENT

EXCESS STATE TAXATION ON FLYING; AND PROTECTS GENERAL AVIATION

PILOTS FROM UNNECESSARY OR INAPPROPRIATE STATE AND LOCAL

REGULATION.

YOU CAN FLY

AOPA HAS DEVELOPED PROGRAMS TO SUPPORT FLYING CLUBS, ENCOURAGE
BEST PRACTICES IN FLIGHT TRAINING, GET LAPSED PILOTS BACK IN THE
AIR, BRING AOPA'S RESOURCES AND EXPERTISE TO PILOT GROUPS ACROSS
THE COUNTRY, AND INVITE HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS TO LEARN MORE ABOUT
CAREERS IN AVIATION AND AEROSPACE.

FLYING CLUBS ARE A VALUABLE PART OF THE AVIATION LANDSCAPE. AOPA'S

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FLYING CLUB NETWORK IS FREE TO JOIN AND OFFERS BENEFITS INCLUDING A PREMIUM LISTING IN THE AOPA FLYING CLUB FINDER, EXCLUSIVE INSURANCE RATES, AND ACCESS TO NETWORKING EVENTS. THE NETWORK NOW HAS MORE THAN 700 LISTED FLYING CLUBS.

AOPA'S RUSTY PILOTS PROGRAM LOWERS THE BARRIER TO RE-ENTRY AND PROVIDES LAPSED PILOTS A WAY TO RETURN TO FLYING IN A MATTER OF HOURS THROUGH A FREE SESSION OF GROUND SCHOOL THAT FULFILLS THE FAA'S FLIGHT REVIEW REQUIREMENT FOR GROUND INSTRUCTION. IN ADDITION, AN ONLINE RUSTY PILOTS COURSE WAS LAUNCHED ON SEPTEMBER 1, 2018 TO REACH MEMBERS WHERE THE IN-PERSON COURSES ARE NOT A VIABLE OPTION.

THE MISSION OF AOPA'S AVIATION HIGH SCHOOL INITIATIVE IS TO HELP BUILD AND SUSTAIN AVIATION-BASED STEM PROGRAMS IN HIGH SCHOOLS IN ORDER TO PROVIDE A QUALITY WORKFORCE TO THE AVIATION INDUSTRY. BY WORKING WITH SCHOOLS DIRECTLY, AOPA CAN EXPOSE AND ENGAGE A MORE DIVERSE GROUP OF STUDENTS IN AVIATION. MORE THAN 20 HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS WERE AWARDED FLIGHT TRAINING SCHOLARSHIPS FOR \$5,000 EACH IN JULY.

EDUCATION

EDUCATING OUR MEMBERS ABOUT THE ISSUES THAT AFFECT THEIR FLYING HAS ALWAYS BEEN AT THE CORE OF AOPA'S MISSION. TODAY, AOPA

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PRODUCES TWO MONTHLY MAGAZINES, NUMEROUS ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTERS, A WEEKLY VIDEO NEWS PROGRAM, STREAMING VIDEO, MULTIPLE WEB SITES, MEETINGS, AND EVENTS ALL WITH THE GOAL OF EDUCATING AND INFORMING OUR MEMBERS, THE LARGER AVIATION COMMUNITY, AND THE PUBLIC.

AOPA ALSO COMMUNICATES WITH AND EDUCATES ITS MEMBERS BY PROVIDING BOTH UNPARALLELED BREADTH AND DEPTH OF ONLINE RESOURCES THAT ARE CONTINUOUSLY BEING UPDATED TO IMPROVE THEIR COMPATIBILITY WITH SMART PHONES AND MOBILE DEVICES ACROSS MULTIPLE PLATFORMS. AOPA ONLINE GIVES MEMBERS ROUND-THE-CLOCK ACCESS TO NEWS, INFORMATION, FLIGHT PLANNING RESOURCES, AIRCRAFT OWNERSHIP TOOLS, AND MORE.

FOR NEWCOMERS TO FLYING, AOPA ONLINE OFFERS DETAILED INFORMATION ABOUT THE PROCESS AND REQUIREMENTS FOR LEARNING TO FLY, HELP FINDING A FLIGHT INSTRUCTOR AND AVIATION MEDICAL EXAMINER, AN IN-DEPTH GUIDE TO CHOOSING A TRAINING AIRCRAFT, AND INFORMATION ABOUT AVIATION CAREERS.

PILOTS WITH MORE EXPERIENCE MAY WANT TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF INFORMATION ABOUT EARNING ADVANCED RATINGS AND CERTIFICATES AS WELL AS TRANSITIONING TO HIGH PERFORMANCE AIRCRAFT, TURBOPROPS, AND JETS. FOR CHILDREN, AOPA ONLINE OFFERS A COLLECTION OF YOUTH EDUCATION RESOURCES THAT LINK AVIATION TO MATH, SCIENCE, PHYSICS, HISTORY, AND TECHNOLOGY. IN ADDITION TO THE ONLINE PRODUCTS, PRINTED MATERIALS ARE AVAILABLE TO TEACHERS AND PILOTS AT NO

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CHARGE.

**EVENTS** 

AOPA'S REGIONAL FLY-INS CONTINUE TO MATURE, ENGAGING NEARLY 24,000 MEMBERS AND ENTHUSIASTS THIS YEAR. IN 2018, THE OUTREACH TEAM LAUNCHED FOUR ALL-DAY INTENSIVE WORKSHOPS ON FRIDAYS BEFORE EACH FLY-IN. IN ADDITION TO OUR REGIONAL FLY-INS AOPA CONTINUES TO EXPAND ITS PRESENCE AT THE TWO MAJOR GA AIR SHOWS HELD EACH YEAR; SUN N FUN IN LAKELAND, FLORIDA AND AIRVENTURE IN OSHKOSH, WISCONSIN, AS WELL AS WOMEN IN AVIATION AND NBAA.

PRODUCTS AND SERVICES

AOPA MEMBERS HAVE ACCESS TO A WIDE RANGE OF PRODUCTS AND SERVICES FROM THE ASSOCIATION AND ITS PARTNERS. WITH A TEAM OF DEDICATED SERVICE SPECIALISTS, AOPA HAS THE RESOURCES TO ANSWER VIRTUALLY ANY AVIATION-RELATED QUESTION MEMBERS MAY HAVE.

WHEN A MEMBER HAS AN AVIATION-RELATED QUESTION, THEY CAN CALL THE AOPA PILOT INFORMATION CENTER TO GET FAST AND ACCURATE ANSWERS. WITH A TEAM OF FLIGHT INSTRUCTORS, AIRLINE TRANSPORT RATED PILOTS, AVIATION MECHANICS, DIGITAL PRODUCT SPECIALISTS, AVIATION MEDICAL SPECIALISTS, AND OTHER AVIATION EXPERTS ON CALL, THE PILOT INFORMATION CENTER TAKES PRIDE IN ASSISTING AOPA MEMBERS WITH ANY

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AVIATION QUERY.

AIR SAFETY INSTITUTE

THE AOPA AIR SAFETY INSTITUTE (ASI) PROMOTES SAFETY AND PILOT PROFICIENCY IN GENERAL AVIATION THROUGH QUALITY TRAINING, EDUCATION, RESEARCH AND ANALYSIS. SINCE 1950, THE GA ACCIDENT RATE HAS DECREASED BY 90 PERCENT, IN NO SMALL PART BECAUSE OF FREE SAFETY EDUCATION PROVIDED BY THE AIR SAFETY INSTITUTE. ASI CREATES AND DELIVERS A WIDE VARIETY OF ONLINE EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS -SAFETY VIDEOS, ACCIDENT CASE STUDIES, PODCASTS, LIVE SEMINARS, AND FLIGHT INSTRUCTOR REFRESHER COURSES AMONG OTHERS.

2018 WAS ANOTHER RECORD-BREAKING YEAR FOR ASI'S OUTREACH, WHICH EXCEEDED 5.7 MILLION USES OF ONLINE AND IN-PERSON SAFETY PROGRAMS-A 57 PERCENT INCREASE. FURTHERMORE, ASI'S IMPACT ON GENERAL AVIATION SAFETY IN 2018 THROUGH ITS EDUCATION, RESEARCH, AND OUTREACH CONTRIBUTED TO AN ACCIDENT RATE OF .89 PER 100,000 FLIGHT HOURS-A SLIGHT INCREASE FROM BUT BELOW THE FAA'S NOT-TO-EXCEED TARGET OF 1 ACCIDENT PER 100,000 FLIGHT HOURS.

2018 WAS ALSO HIGHLIGHTED BY THE INTRODUCTION OF ASI'S FOCUSED FLIGHT REVIEW-A NEW SCENARIO-BASED FLIGHT REVIEW CURRICULUM DEVELOPED IN COLLABORATION WITH INDUSTRY PARTNERS THAT FOCUSES ON A VARIETY OF OPERATIONAL AREAS TO IMPROVE FUNDAMENTAL

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STICK-AND-RUDDER SKILLS, DECISION MAKING, UNDERSTANDING OF AIRCRAFT OPERATING ENVELOPES, TECHNOLOGIES, AIRCRAFT PERFORMANCE CAPABILITIES, AND LOSS-OF-CONTROL AVOIDANCE.

ATTACHMENT 2

FORM 990, PART V, LINE 4B - FOREIGN COUNTRIES

CAYMAN ISLANDS

BERMUDA

ATTACHMENT 3

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 17 - STATES

AL, AR, CA, CT,

DC, FL, GA, HI, IL, KS, KY, MD, MA,

MN, MS, MO, NH, NJ, NY, NC, PA,

RI, SC, TN, UT, VA, WV, WI,

ATTACHMENT 4

990, PART VII- COMPENSATION OF THE FIVE HIGHEST PAID IND. CONTRACTORS

NAME AND ADDRESS

DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES

COMPENSATION

QUAD GRAPHICS, INC.

P.O. BOX 842858

MAGAZINE PRINTING

1,072,028.

BOSTON, MA 02284-2858

NAVISTAR DIRECT MARKETING, LLC

PRINT/MAIL SERVICES

857,267.

4612 NAVISTAR DR.

FREDERICK, MD 21703

EVENT PRODUCTION

578,114.

MACH2 MANAGEMENT INC.

160 SCHOOL STREET, SUITE 3

VICTOR, NY 14564

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NAME AND ADDRESS

DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES

COMPENSATION

VALTIM MARKETING SERVICES

FULFILLMENT

504,286.

P.O. BOX 809

FOREST, VA 24551

PRO LIST, INC.

PRINT/MAIL SERVICES

295,702.

4510 BUCKEYSTOWN PIKE, UNIT M

FREDERICK, MD 21704

ATTACHMENT 5

FORM 990, PART X - INVESTMENTS - PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES

ENDING

COST

DESCRIPTION

BOOK VALUE

OR FMV

MONEY MARKETS AND MUTUAL FUNDS

41,754,045.

FMV

TOTALS

41,754,045.

ATTACHMENT 6

FORM 990, PART X - DEFERRED REVENUE

DESCRIPTION

ENDING

BOOK VALUE

MEMBERSHIP DUES/SUBSCRIPTIONS

11,736,054.

OTHER DEFERRED REVENUE

266,734.

TOTALS

12,002,788.

### SCHEDULE R (Form 990)

Name of the organization Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

AIRCRAFT OWNERS & PILOTS ASSOCIATION

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37. Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

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Direct controlling
entity

(e) End-of-year assets (d) Total income Identification of Disregarded Entities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33 (c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country) (b) Primary activity (a)Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity Part II Part I (2) (4) 9 9  $\Xi$ (3)

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.

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Name, address, and EIN of related organization	elated organization	Primary activity	Legal domicite (state or foreign country)	Exempt Code section	Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	Direct controlling entity	Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	12(b)(13) blled y
							Yes	N <sub>o</sub>
(1) THE AOPA FOUNDATION, INC	20-8817225							
421 AVIATION WAY	FREDERICK, MD 21701	CHARITABLE	MD	501(C)(3)	7	AOPA	×	
(2) AOPA POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE	56-3014117							
421 AVIATION WAY	FREDERICK, MD 21701	PAC		527	N/A	AOPA	×	
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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

(k) Percentage ownership (J) General or managing partner? 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. Yes No Code V - UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065) (h) Dispreportemb. elboations? å Yes (g) Share of end-of-year assets (f) Share of total income (e)
Predominant
Income (related,
unrelated,
excluded from
tax under
tax under
sections 512 - 514) (d)
Direct controlling
entity (c)
Legal
domicile
(state or
foreign (b) Primary activity (a)
Name, address, and EIN of related organization Part IV Part III Ξ থ 9 9 9 3 8

interest, because it has a maje related of gamizations in cated as a corporation of these lay year.	מסוום ווכמוכם מם	משומות	יו טו יו מפר ממווו	ושל אמו פווו פו		Î		
(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile	(d) Direct controlling	(e) Type of entity	(f) Share of total	(g) Share of	(h) Percentade	(i) Section
		(state or foreign country)	entity	(C corp, S corp, or trust)		end-of-year assets ownership controlled controlled	ownership	512(b)(13) controlled entity?
								Yes No
(1) AOPA INSURANCE AGENCY 52-1813554								
421 AVIATION WAY FREDERICK, MD 21701	INSURANCE	MD	АНС	C CORP	25, 323, 701	8,210,170 100 0000	100 0000	×
(2) AOPA HOLDINGS CORPORATION 46-1036265								
421 AVIATION WAY FREDERICK, MD 21701	HOLDINGS CORP	DE	AOPA	C CORP	-893,207	3,323,263 100 0000	100 0000	×
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PartV Transactions With Related Organizations. Complete If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36	' on Form 990, Parl	t IV, line 34, 35b, or 36			
Note: Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule	4	ļ. ;		Yes No	0
	lated organizations list	ted in Parts II-IV?			-
a Receipt of (i) interest, (ii) annuities, (iii) royalties, or (iv) rent from a controlled entity.			1a	_	Ι×
b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)			1p		Ι×
c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)			10	×	l
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f Dividends from related organization(s)			11	×	
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Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s),			<i>=</i>	×	
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k Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)			¥	-	×
Performance of services or membership or fundraising sol			=	×	1
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)			-	×	1
Sharing of paid employees with related prognization(s)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		<u>.</u> :	×	1
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p Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses.			1p		×
			19	×	
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r Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)			1-	×	
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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	action threshold	S	
(a) Name of related ornanzation	(b) Transaction	(c)	(d) Mothed of deather	9	l
	type (a-s)		amount involved	olved	
(1) THE AOPA FOUNDATION, INC	၁	5,700,000.	FMV		.
(2) AOPA HOLDINGS CORPORATION	α.	5,094,214.	FMV		
(3) THE AOPA FOUNDATION, INC	L, N, O, Q	1,059,230.	FMV		
(4) AOPA INSURANCE AGENCY	O	4,486,903.	FMV		
(5) THE AOPA FOUNDATION, INC	Z.	79,229.	FMV		- 1
(6) AOPA HOLDINGS CORPORATION	N,0,0	5,721,451.	FMV		
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Note: Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II III or IV of this schedule			
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g sale of assets to related organization(s)			1 d
Exchange of assets with related organization(s)			; ; ;
k Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)			<del> </del>   <del> </del>
			=
in Sharing of lacinities, equipment, maning lists, of other assets with related organization(s)			- 6
p Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses			1p
r Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)			
1	is line, including cover	red relationships and trans	action thresholds
(a) Name of related organization	(b) Transaction type (a-s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
(1) AOPA HOLDINGS CORPORATION	Σ	1,799,407.	FMV
(2) AOPA HOLDINGS CORPORATION	Ē	20,750,000.	FMV
(3) AOPA INSURANCE AGENCY	D	91,371.	FMV
(4)			
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# Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 37 Part VI

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

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(k) Percentage ownership																								Schedule R (Form 990) 2018
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(I) General or managing partner?	Yes			1															-		-	-		dule
(1) Code V - UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	$\neg$						_						:							•				Sche
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(h) Disproportionate ellocations?	Yes	<del></del>				ļ	 				+								 					
(g) hare of I-of-year sssets																								
(f) Share of total income																								
tners n 3) ons?	2					<u> </u>				 	+					+								
(e) Are all partners section 501(c)(3) organizations?	Yes										+					+		-						
N A			-	+				-			1		+											-
(d) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under	sections 512-514																							
(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)												•												
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(b) Primary activity														:										
(d) (e) (f) (e) (f) (f) (f) (e) (f) (f) (f) (f) (f) (f) (f) (f) (f) (f		(1)	(2)	(2)	(6)	(4)	(5)	(9)	(7)	(8)		(6)	(10)		(11)		(12)	(13)	(14)		(15)		(16)	

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Part VII Supplemental Information
Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R See instructions