

EXTENDED TO JULY 15, 2019

Form 990-T

Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return (and proxy tax under section 6033(e))

OMB No 1545-0687

2017

For calendar year 2017 or other tax year beginning SEP 1, 2017, and ending AUG 31, 2018

Go to www.irs.gov/Form990T for instructions and the latest information.

Do not enter SSN numbers on this form as it may be made public if your organization is a 501(c)(3).

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Open to Public Inspection for 501(c)(3) Organizations Only

Part I: Name of organization (MAKE-A-WISH FOUNDATION OF AMERICA), Employer identification number (86-0481941), Address (1702 E HIGHLAND AVE., NO. 400, PHOENIX, AZ 85016), City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (PHOENIX, AZ 85016).

Part II: F Group exemption number (77,553,013), G Check organization type (501(c) corporation).

H Describe the organization's primary unrelated business activity. UNRELATED DEBT-FINANCED INCOME

I During the tax year, was the corporation a subsidiary in an affiliated group or a parent-subsidiary controlled group? Yes No

J The books are in care of MAUREN MUSSELMAN Telephone number 602-385-6906

Table with 4 columns: (A) Income, (B) Expenses, (C) Net. Rows include Gross receipts or sales, Cost of goods sold, Gross profit, Capital gain net income, Net gain (loss), Income (loss) from partnerships and S corporations, Rent income, Unrelated debt-financed income, Interest, annuities, royalties, and rents from controlled organizations, Investment income, Exploited exempt activity income, Advertising income, Other income, Total.

Part II Deductions Not Taken Elsewhere (See instructions for limitations on deductions.) (Except for contributions, deductions must be directly connected with the unrelated business income.)

Table with 4 columns: (A) Income, (B) Expenses, (C) Net. Rows include Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees, Salaries and wages, Repairs and maintenance, Bad debts, Interest, Taxes and licenses, Charitable contributions, Depreciation, Less depreciation claimed on Schedule A and elsewhere on return, Depletion, Contributions to deferred compensation plans, Employee benefit programs, Excess exempt expenses, Excess readership costs, Other deductions, Total deductions, Unrelated business taxable income before net operating loss deduction, Net operating loss deduction, Unrelated business taxable income before specific deduction, Specific deduction, Unrelated business taxable income.

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Part III Tax Computation			
35	Organizations Taxable as Corporations. See instructions for tax computation. Controlled group members (sections 1561 and 1563) check here <input type="checkbox"/> See instructions and: a Enter your share of the \$50,000, \$25,000, and \$9,925,000 taxable income brackets (in that order): (1) \$ _____ (2) \$ _____ (3) \$ _____ b Enter organization's share of: (1) Additional 5% tax (not more than \$11,750) \$ _____ (2) Additional 3% tax (not more than \$100,000) \$ _____ c Income tax on the amount on line 34 ▶	35c	0.
36	Trusts Taxable at Trust Rates. See instructions for tax computation. Income tax on the amount on line 34 from: <input type="checkbox"/> Tax rate schedule or <input type="checkbox"/> Schedule D (Form 1041) ▶	36	
37	Proxy tax. See instructions ▶	37	
38	Alternative minimum tax	38	
39	Tax on Non-Compliant Facility Income. See instructions	39	
40	Total. Add lines 37, 38 and 39 to line 35c or 36, whichever applies	40	0.

Part IV Tax and Payments			
41a	Foreign tax credit (corporations attach Form 1118; trusts attach Form 1116)		
41b	Other credits (see instructions)		
41c	General business credit. Attach Form 3800		
41d	Credit for prior year minimum tax (attach Form 8801 or 8827)		
41e	Total credits. Add lines 41a through 41d		
42	Subtract line 41e from line 40	42	0.
43	Other taxes. Check if from: <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4255 <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8611 <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8697 <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8866 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (attach schedule)	43	
44	Total tax. Add lines 42 and 43	44	0.
45a	Payments: A 2016 overpayment credited to 2017	45a	
45b	2017 estimated tax payments	45b	
45c	Tax deposited with Form 8868	45c	
45d	Foreign organizations: Tax paid or withheld at source (see instructions)	45d	
45e	Backup withholding (see instructions)	45e	
45f	Credit for small employer health insurance premiums (Attach Form 8941)	45f	
45g	Other credits and payments: <input type="checkbox"/> Form 2439 <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4136 <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ Total ▶	45g	
46	Total payments. Add lines 45a through 45g	46	
47	Estimated tax penalty (see instructions). Check if Form 2220 is attached <input type="checkbox"/>	47	
48	Tax due. If line 46 is less than the total of lines 44 and 47, enter amount owed ▶	48	0.
49	Overpayment. If line 46 is larger than the total of lines 44 and 47, enter amount overpaid ▶	49	0.
50	Enter the amount of line 49 you want: Credited to 2018 estimated tax <input type="checkbox"/> Refunded <input type="checkbox"/>	50	

Part V Statements Regarding Certain Activities and Other Information (see instructions)		
51 At any time during the 2017 calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account (bank, securities, or other) in a foreign country? If YES, the organization may have to file FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts. If YES, enter the name of the foreign country here ▶ _____	Yes	No
52 During the tax year, did the organization receive a distribution from, or was it the grantor of, or transferor to, a foreign trust? If YES, see instructions for other forms the organization may have to file.		X
53 Enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶ \$ _____		

Sign Here	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 taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.			
	<i>M. Musselma</i> Signature of officer	7/15/19 Date	VP & CFO Title	May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instructions)? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed PTIN
	CHRISTINE KAWECKI	<i>Christine Kaweck</i>	7/12/19	P00743140
	Firm's name ▶ DELOITTE TAX LLP	Firm's EIN ▶ 86-1065772		
	Firm's address ▶ TWO JERICHO PLAZA JERICHO, NY 11753		Phone no. 516-918-7000	

Schedule A - Cost of Goods Sold. Enter method of inventory valuation ▶ N/A				
1 Inventory at beginning of year	1		6 Inventory at end of year	6
2 Purchases	2		7 Cost of goods sold. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and in Part I, line 2	7
3 Cost of labor	3			
4a Additional section 263A costs (attach schedule)	4a		8 Do the rules of section 263A (with respect to property produced or acquired for resale) apply to the organization?	Yes No
b Other costs (attach schedule)	4b			
5 Total. Add lines 1 through 4b	5			

Schedule C - Rent Income (From Real Property and Personal Property Leased With Real Property)
(see instructions)

1. Description of property			
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
2. Rent received or accrued		3(a) Deductions directly connected with the income in columns 2(a) and 2(b) (attach schedule)	
(a) From personal property (if the percentage of rent for personal property is more than 10% but not more than 50%)	(b) From real and personal property (if the percentage of rent for personal property exceeds 50% or if the rent is based on profit or income)		
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
Total	0.	Total	0.
(c) Total income. Add totals of columns 2(a) and 2(b). Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (A)			(b) Total deductions. Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (B)
0.			0.

Schedule E - Unrelated Debt-Financed Income (see instructions)

1. Description of debt-financed property	2. Gross income from or allocable to debt-financed property	3. Deductions directly connected with or allocable to debt-financed property		7. Gross income reportable (column 2 x column 6)	8. Allocable deductions (column 6 x total of columns 3(a) and 3(b))
		(a) Straight line depreciation (attach schedule)	(b) Other deductions (attach schedule)		
(1) PURCHASE OF UNRELATED DEBT-FINANCED BUILDING	895,710.		SEE STATEMENT 3		1,274,151.
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
4. Amount of average acquisition debt on or allocable to debt-financed property (attach schedule)	5. Average adjusted basis of or allocable to debt-financed property (attach schedule)	6. Column 4 divided by column 5			
(1) 15,687,500.	17,419,323.	90.06%	806,676.		1,147,500.
(2)		%			
(3)		%			
(4)		%			
Totals			Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 7, column (A)	806,676.	Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 7, column (B)
Total dividends-received deductions included in column 8					1,147,500.
					0.

Schedule F - Interest, Annuities, Royalties, and Rents From Controlled Organizations (see instructions)

1. Name of controlled organization	2. Employer identification number	Exempt Controlled Organizations			
		3. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	4. Total of specified payments made	5. Part of column 4 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	6. Deductions directly connected with income in column 5
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					

Nonexempt Controlled Organizations				
7. Taxable income	8. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	9. Total of specified payments made	10. Part of column 9 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	11. Deductions directly connected with income in column 10
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
Totals			Add columns 5 and 10 Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 8, column (A)	Add columns 6 and 11 Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 8, column (B)
			0.	0.

Schedule G - Investment Income of a Section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) Organization (see instructions)

1. Description of income	2. Amount of income	3. Deductions directly connected (attach schedule)	4. Set-asides (attach schedule)	5. Total deductions and set-asides (col 3 plus col 4)
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
Totals		Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 9, column (A)		Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 9, column (B)
		0.		0.

Schedule I - Exploited Exempt Activity Income, Other Than Advertising Income (see instructions)

1. Description of exploited activity	2. Gross unrelated business income from trade or business	3. Expenses directly connected with production of unrelated business income	4. Net income (loss) from unrelated trade or business (column 2 minus column 3) If a gain, compute cols 5 through 7	5. Gross income from activity that is not unrelated business income	6. Expenses attributable to column 5	7. Excess exempt expenses (column 6 minus column 5, but not more than column 4)
(1)						
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
Totals	Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 10, col (A)	Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 10, col (B)				Enter here and on page 1, Part II, line 26
	0.	0.				0.

Schedule J - Advertising Income (see instructions)

Part I Income From Periodicals Reported on a Consolidated Basis

1. Name of periodical	2. Gross advertising income	3. Direct advertising costs	4. Advertising gain or (loss) (col 2 minus col 3) If a gain, compute cols 5 through 7	5. Circulation income	6. Readership costs	7. Excess readership costs (column 6 minus column 5, but not more than column 4)
(1)						
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
Totals (carry to Part II, line (5))	0.	0.				0.

Part II **Income From Periodicals Reported on a Separate Basis** (For each periodical listed in Part II, fill in columns 2 through 7 on a line-by-line basis)

1. Name of periodical	2. Gross advertising income	3. Direct advertising costs	4. Advertising gain or (loss) (col 2 minus col 3) if a gain, compute cols 5 through 7	5. Circulation income	6. Readership costs	7. Excess readership costs (column 6 minus column 5, but not more than column 4)
(1)						
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
Totals from Part I	0.	0.				0.
Totals, Part II (lines 1-5)	0.	0.				0.

Schedule K - Compensation of Officers, Directors, and Trustees (see instructions)

1. Name	2. Title	3. Percent of time devoted to business	4. Compensation attributable to unrelated business
(1)		%	
(2)		%	
(3)		%	
(4)		%	
Total. Enter here and on page 1, Part II, line 14			0.

FORM 990-T . OTHER INCOME STATEMENT 1

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
QUALIFIED TRANSPORTATION FRINGE BENEFITS	104,369.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-T, PAGE 1, LINE 12	104,369.

FORM 990-T NET OPERATING LOSS DEDUCTION STATEMENT 2

TAX YEAR	LOSS SUSTAINED	LOSS PREVIOUSLY APPLIED	LOSS REMAINING	AVAILABLE THIS YEAR
08/31/17	306,323.	0.	306,323.	306,323.
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FORM 990-T SCHEDULE E - OTHER DEDUCTIONS STATEMENT 3

DESCRIPTION	ACTIVITY NUMBER	AMOUNT	TOTAL
DEPRECIATION		642,273.	
INSURANCE		10,443.	
OFFICE EXPENSES		427.	
PROFESSIONAL FEES		448.	
RENT AND UTILITIES		398,296.	
INTEREST		222,264.	
- SUBTOTAL -	1		1,274,151.
TOTAL OF FORM 990-T, SCHEDULE E, COLUMN 3(B)			1,274,151.

Section 1.263(a)-3(n) Capitalization Election

Make-A-Wish Foundation of America hereby elects on behalf of itself to capitalize repair and maintenance costs under Treas. Reg. § 1.263(a)-3(n). The costs were incurred during the taxable year in the electing taxpayer's trade or business and the electing taxpayer treats such costs as capital expenditures on its books and records.

Section 1.263(a)-1(f) De Minimis Safe Harbor Election

Make-A-Wish Foundation of America on behalf of itself is making the de minimis safe harbor election under Treas. Reg. § 1.263(a)-1(f) for all eligible amounts paid or incurred during the taxable year.