

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

2011

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

A For the 2011 calendar year, or tax year beginning, 2011, **and ending**

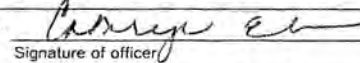
B Check if applicable:	C	D Employer Identification Number	
<input type="checkbox"/> Address change	The Ceres Community Project P.O. Box 1562 Sebastopol, CA 95472	26-2250997	
<input type="checkbox"/> Name change		E Telephone number	
<input type="checkbox"/> Initial return			
<input type="checkbox"/> Terminated			
<input type="checkbox"/> Amended return			
<input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	F Name and address of principal officer:	G Gross receipts \$ 1,224,231.	
	Same As C Above	H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		H(b) Are all affiliates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
		If 'No,' attach a list. (see instructions)	
I Tax-exempt status	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) () (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527	H(c) Group exemption number ▶	
J Website: ▶	www.ceresproject.org		
K Form of organization:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶	L Year of Formation: 2008	M State of legal domicile: CA

Part I Summary

	1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <u>To restore organic whole food as a foundation of health by providing those facing life-threatening illnesses with nourishing meals, giving teens experiences of growing and preparing healthy food, and educating community about the connection between food, healing and wellness.</u>	
Activities & Governance	2	Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.	
	3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a).....	3 7
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b).....	4 7
	5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2011 (Part V, line 2a).....	5 11
	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary).....	6 700
	7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12.....	7a 0.
	7b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34.....	7b 0.
Revenue	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h).....	333,151. 1,142,303.
	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g).....	44,937. 81,928.
	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d).....	
	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e).....	
	12	Total revenue — add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12).....	378,088. 1,224,231.
	Expenses	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3).....
14		Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4).....	
15		Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10).....	167,389. 255,326.
16a		Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e).....	
b		Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 84,461.	
17		Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e).....	166,222. 263,129.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	18	Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25).....	333,611. 518,455.
	19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12.....	44,477. 705,776.
	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16).....	150,970. 994,225.
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26).....	13,516. 141,135.
	22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20.....	137,454. 853,090.

Part II Signature Block

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

Sign Here	 Signature of officer	5/3/12 Date	
	Carolyn E. Couch Executive Director Type or print name and title.		

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
	Carolyn A. Mayes	Carolyn A. Mayes	5/12/2012		P00068278
	Firm's name ▶	Carolyn A. Mayes, CPA			Firm's EIN ▶
	Firm's address ▶	465 Stony Point Road, #237 Santa Rosa, CA 95401			Phone no. (707) 573-8892

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

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III [X]

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

See Schedule O

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?

[] Yes [X] No

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

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services?

[] Yes [X] No

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

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code:) (Expenses \$ 217,950. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 4,445.)

Meal Program - In 2011 we delivered 28,550 meals to 233 client families throughout Sonoma County and 1,135 meals to 17 clients in Marin County struggling with life-threatening illnesses. Meals were prepared and delivered via approximately 240 adult volunteers, as well as our teen leadership program in which 188 teens in Sonoma and Marin Counties donated 7,170 hours of service and received 7,170 hours of education in growing and preparing healthy food.

In 2011 we also helped start up two additional projects based on the Ceres model - The Village Food Project in Bay Village, Ohio, and Pathways Cooks in Summit, New Jersey. In addition, our volunteer teachers helped pilot a Nutrition Education Program at our local community clinic provider.

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ 146,782. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 20,560.)

Educational Outreach - In 2011 we offered several educational programs. We had 160 attendees at our Healing Foods Lecture Series which presents topics such as Herbal Adaptogens for Health and Healing, the Ecology of Cancer, and Cooking with Sea Vegetables. We graduated 42 clients from our Healing Foods Cooking Course, and we had 20 participants in our Garden as Medicine program. Our Community Cooking Classes provide hands-on experience with sprouting, fermenting, broth making and healthy, sugar-free desserts.

We held a day-long Cancer Journey conference in which approximately 100 people attended.

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ 8,020. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 27,488.)

During 2011 we sold approximately 1,300 copies of our cookbook, "Nourishing Connections - The Healing Power of Food & Community." The cookbook supports our work by educating people about the healing power of locally grown organic whole foods and how to prepare them.

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

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

4e Total program service expenses 372,752.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule A</i>	X	
2 Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> (see instructions)?	X	
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part I</i>		X
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part II</i>		X
5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part I</i>		X
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas or historic structures? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part II</i>		X
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part III</i>		X
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21; serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>		X
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part V</i>		X
11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is 'Yes', then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VI</i>	X	
b Did the organization report an amount for investments — other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VII</i>		X
c Did the organization report an amount for investments — program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i>		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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part IX</i>		X
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part X</i>	X	
f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part X</i>		X
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII</i>		X
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If 'Yes,' and if the organization answered 'No' to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional</i>		X
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule E</i>		X
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</i>		X
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>		X
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i>		X
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions)</i>		X
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part II</i>		X
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		X
20 a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule H</i>		X
b If 'Yes' to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

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

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Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part V

		Yes	No
1 a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable		
1 b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable		
1 c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	X	
2 a	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		
2 b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file. (see instructions)	X	
3 a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
3 b	If 'Yes' has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If 'No,' provide an explanation in Schedule O		
4 a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?		X
4 b	If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country: See instructions for filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		
5 a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?		X
5 b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		X
5 c	If 'Yes,' to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?		
6 a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?		X
6 b	If 'Yes,' did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
7 a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	X	
7 b	If 'Yes,' did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	X	
7 c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?		X
7 d	If 'Yes,' indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year		
7 e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?		X
7 f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		X
7 g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		
7 h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?		
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.		
9 a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		
9 b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
10 a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12.		
10 b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities		
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:		
11 a	Gross income from members or shareholders		
11 b	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?		
12 b	If 'Yes,' enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year		
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.		
13 a	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.		
13 b	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans		
13 c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand		
14 a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?		X
14 b	If 'Yes,' has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If 'No,' provide an explanation in Schedule O		

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VI

Section A. Governing Body and Management

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

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

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

Section C. Disclosure

- 17** List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed CA
- 18** Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.
 Own website Another's website Upon request
- 19** Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year. *See Schedule O*
- 20** State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization:
 Cathryn Couch 7351 Bodega Avenue Sebastopol CA 95472 (707) 829-5833

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VII

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

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

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

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

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (describe hours for related organizations in Schedule O)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) Cathryn Couch Executive Dir.	55	X		X			48,333.	0.	0.	
(2) Joe Marshall Board Treasurer	4	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
(3) Padi Selwyn Board Member	2	X					0.	0.	0.	
(4) Deborah Vogan Board Secretary	4	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
(5) Sharon Keating Board President	4	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
(6) Kristee Rosendahl Board Member	2	X					0.	0.	0.	
(7) Jasmine Elliott Teen Member	3	X					0.	0.	0.	
(8) _____										
(9) _____										
(10) _____										
(11) _____										
(12) _____										
(13) _____										
(14) _____										

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (describe hours for related organizations in Sch O)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)					(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee			
(15) -----									
(16) -----									
(17) -----									
(18) -----									
(19) -----									
(20) -----									
(21) -----									
(22) -----									
(23) -----									
(24) -----									
(25) -----									
1 b Sub-total						48,333.	0.	0.	
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A						0.	0.	0.	
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)						48,333.	0.	0.	
2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization ▶ 0									

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

Section B. Independent Contractors

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

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in compensation from the organization ▶ 0		

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

		(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
CONTRIBUTIONS, GIFTS, GRANTS AND OTHER SIMILAR AMOUNTS	1 a Federated campaigns	1 a				
	b Membership dues	1 b				
	c Fundraising events	1 c				
	d Related organizations	1 d				
	e Government grants (contributions)	1 e				
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1 f 1,142,303.				
	g Noncash contributions included in lns 1a-1f: \$	310,193.				
h Total. Add lines 1a-1f.		1,142,303.				
PROGRAM SERVICE REVENUE	Business Code					
	2 a Cookbook Sales		27,488.	27,488.		
	b Special Events-Outreach		27,334.	27,334.		
	c Food Sales		14,013.	14,013.		
	d Catering and Meal Service		6,270.	6,270.		
	e Classes/Educ. Outreach		2,680.	2,680.		
	f All other program service revenue		4,143.	4,143.		
g Total. Add lines 2a-2f.		81,928.				
OTHER REVENUE	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest and other similar amounts)					
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds					
	5 Royalties					
	6 a Gross rents	(i) Real				
		(ii) Personal				
		b Less: rental expenses				
		c Rental income or (loss)				
	d Net rental income or (loss)					
	7 a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities				
		(ii) Other				
		b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses				
		c Gain or (loss)				
	d Net gain or (loss)					
	8 a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	a				
		b Less: direct expenses	b			
c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events						
9 a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a					
	b Less: direct expenses	b				
	c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities					
10 a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a					
	b Less: cost of goods sold	b				
	c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory					
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code				
11 a _____						
b _____						
c _____						
d All other revenue						
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d.						
12 Total revenue. See instructions.		1,224,231.	81,928.	0.	0.	

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) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part IX

<i>Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.</i>	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States. See Part IV, line 21.				
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States. See Part IV, line 22.				
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the United States. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16.				
4 Benefits paid to or for members.				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees.	48,333.	19,333.	9,667.	19,333.
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B).	0.	0.	0.	0.
7 Other salaries and wages.	185,017.	133,889.	20,623.	30,505.
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions).				
9 Other employee benefits.				
10 Payroll taxes.	21,976.	14,411.	2,882.	4,683.
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management.				
b Legal.				
c Accounting.	1,550.		1,550.	
d Lobbying.				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17.				
f Investment management fees.				
g Other.	26,545.	25,340.	1,205.	
12 Advertising and promotion.	35,957.	13,588.	522.	21,847.
13 Office expenses.				
14 Information technology.				
15 Royalties.				
16 Occupancy.	19,048.	16,748.	2,300.	
17 Travel.				
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials.				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings.				
20 Interest.				
21 Payments to affiliates.				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization.	4,611.	2,062.	2,232.	317.
23 Insurance.	7,554.		7,554.	
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a <u>Food and Containers</u>	82,006.	81,786.		220.
b <u>Special Events</u>	30,677.	30,677.		
c <u>Supplies</u>	20,013.	11,386.	6,386.	2,241.
d <u>Cost of Exempt Sales</u>	11,868.	11,868.		
e All other expenses.	23,300.	11,664.	6,321.	5,315.
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e.	518,455.	372,752.	61,242.	84,461.
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720).				

Part X Balance Sheet

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year		
ASSETS	1	Cash — non-interest-bearing	146,309.	1	250,070.	
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		2		
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		3		
	4	Accounts receivable, net	621.	4	2,729.	
	5	Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5		
	6	Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions)		6		
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7		
	8	Inventories for sale or use		8	9,294.	
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		9		
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a	736,635.		
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation	10b	4,611.	10c	732,024.
	11	Investments — publicly traded securities		11		
	12	Investments — other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12		
	13	Investments — program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13		
	14	Intangible assets		14		
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	4,040.	15	108.	
16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	150,970.	16	994,225.		
LIABILITIES	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	2,937.	17	40,579.	
	18	Grants payable	9,860.	18		
	19	Deferred revenue		19		
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20		
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21		
	22	Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		22		
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23		
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties	294.	24	100,260.	
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D	425.	25	296.	
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	13,516.	26	141,135.	
NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29 and lines 33 and 34.					
	27	Unrestricted net assets	96,859.	27	810,854.	
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets		28	42,236.	
	29	Permanently restricted net assets	40,595.	29		
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.					
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30		
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31		
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32		
	33	Total net assets or fund balances.	137,454.	33	853,090.	
34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances.	150,970.	34	994,225.		

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Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	1,224,231.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	518,455.
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	705,776.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	137,454.
5	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O) ... See Schedule O	5	9,860.
6	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3, 4, and 5 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	6	853,090.

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII

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

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SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support
Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization The Ceres Community Project	Employer identification number 26-2250997
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Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

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

- 1 A church, convention of churches or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
- 2 A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E.)
- 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**
- 4 A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).** Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: _____
- 5 An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II.)
- 6 A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**
- 7 An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
- 8 A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
- 9 An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33-1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions – subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33-1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III.)
- 10 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4).**
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2). See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h.
 - a Type I
 - b Type II
 - c Type III – Functionally integrated
 - d Type III – Other
- e By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2).
- f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that is a Type I, Type II or Type III supporting organization, check this box
- g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?

	Yes	No
(i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?		
(ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above?		
(iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?		

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in column (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in column (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in column (i) organized in the U.S.?		(vii) Amount of support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
(A)									
(B)									
(C)									
(D)									
(E)									
Total									

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

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

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any 'unusual grants'.)		83,556.	164,335.	333,151.	829,709.	1,410,751.
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf.						0.
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge.						0.
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3.	0.	83,556.	164,335.	333,151.	829,709.	1,410,751.
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f).						0.
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.						1,410,751.

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4.	0.	83,556.	164,335.	333,151.	829,709.	1,410,751.
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources.			1.			1.
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on.						0.
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						0.
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10.						1,410,752.
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (see instructions)					12	137,105.
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2011 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	%
15 Public support percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	%
16a 33-1/3% support test – 2011. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and the line 14 is 33-1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 33-1/3% support test – 2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33-1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test – 2011. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the 'facts-and-circumstances' test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the 'facts-and-circumstances' test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test – 2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the 'facts-and-circumstances' test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the 'facts-and-circumstances' test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		

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

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

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal yr beginning in) ▶	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions and membership fees received. (Do not include any 'unusual grants'.)						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose.						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513.						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf.						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge.						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5.						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons.						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year.						
c Add lines 7a and 7b.						
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal yr beginning in) ▶	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6.						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources.						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975.						
c Add lines 10a and 10b.						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on.						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support. (Add lns 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						

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

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2011 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 15.	16	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2011 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)).	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 17.	18	%

19a 33-1/3% support tests – 2011. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33-1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33-1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization.

b 33-1/3% support tests – 2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33-1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33-1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization.

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

Schedule B
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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

▶ Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF

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Name of the organization

The Ceres Community Project

Employer identification number

26-2250997

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

Section:

501(c)(3) (enter number) organization

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

Note. Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

General Rule

For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. (Complete Parts I and II.)

Special Rules

For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33-1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc, purposes, but these contributions did not total to more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc, purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc, contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year ▶ \$ _____

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

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Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2011)

Name of organization

The Ceres Community Project

Employer identification number

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Part I Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) Number	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	Lamb & Barnosky, LLP 534 Broadhollow Rd, #210 Melville, NY 11747-9034	\$ 20,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
2	City of Sebastopol P.O. Box 1776 Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 45,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
3	Gregory Young 7200 Trenton-Healsburg Rd Forestville, CA 95436	\$ 25,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
4	Kate Schaffner 5471 Braehurst Lane Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 225,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
5	Marin Community Foundation 5 Hamilton Landing Novato, CA 94949	\$ 35,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
6	Ren Nelson 6000 Burnside Rd Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 50,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

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Part I Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) Number	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7	Alpha Epsilon of Omega Nu 1534 Grenache Way Santa Rosa, CA 95403	\$ 6,400.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
8	Anonymous	\$ 10,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
9	Anthem Blue Cross P.O. Box 68086 Cincinatti, OH 45026	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
10	Brickyard Berridge Fund 200 Frank H Ogawa Plaza Oakland, CA 94612	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
11	Clif Bar Family Foundation 1451 66th St Emeryville, CA 94608-1004	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
12	Franklin and Jean Schaffner Foundat 5959 Topanga Canyon Blvd Woodland Hills, CA 91367	\$ 12,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

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(a) Number	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
13	Freestone Fermentation Festival 11141 Cherry Ridge Rd Sebastopol, CA 95472-9647	\$ 6,300.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
14	Gravenstein Lions Club P.O. Box 572 Sebastopol, CA 95473	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
15	Joanne & Terry Dale 12117 Fiori Ln Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
16	Lynn & Anisya Fritz 3651 Frei Road Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 10,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
17	Medtronic Foundation 710 Medtronic Parkway Minneapolis, MN 55432	\$ 15,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
18	Morning Glory Family Foundation P.O. Box 40520 San Francisco, CA 94140	\$ 10,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

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(a) Number	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
19	Nan Fuchs 8800 Green Valley Road, #49 Sebastopol, CA 95473	\$ 10,100.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
20	Redwood Hill Farm & Creamery, Inc. 2064 Hwy 116 North, Bldg 1 Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 5,075.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
21	RiskPress 825 Gravenstein Hwy N, Ste 12 Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
22	Semilla Fund of Community Found. 250 D Street, Ste 205 Santa Rosa, CA 95404	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
23	Tara & Wolfe Rudman 1300 Furlong Rd Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 5,160.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
24	Terry D Musgrave 399 Troon Ct Holland, MI 49423-8830	\$ 10,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

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(a) Number	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
25	The Lloyd Symington Foundation 33 Knoll Road San Anselmo, CA 94950	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
26	To Celebrate Life Breast Cancer Fou P.O. Box 367 Kentfield, CA 94914	\$ 10,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
27	Whole Foods Market Sebastopol 6910 McKinley Street Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 6,194.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
28	Oliver Markets 215 Classic Court Rohnert Park, CA 94928	\$ 8,745.	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
---	----- ----- -----	\$ -----	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
---	----- ----- -----	\$ -----	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

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Part II **Noncash Property** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
28	Food and Grocery Produce	\$ 8,745.	Various
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
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_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
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_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____

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Part III Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., individual contributions to section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organizations that total more than \$1,000 for the year. Complete cols (a) through (e) and the following line entry.

For organizations completing Part III, enter total of *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions of **\$1,000 or less** for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions.) ▶ \$ _____ N/A
Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
	N/A		

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

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

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

Table with 3 columns: Question, (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include total number at end of year, aggregate contributions, aggregate grants, aggregate value, and two questions about donor advisement.

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

Form for Part II Conservation Easements. Includes checkboxes for purposes of easements, a table for 'Held at the End of the Tax Year' with rows 2a-2d, and several numbered questions about monitoring and reporting.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

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

b If 'Yes,' explain the arrangement in Part XIV and complete the following table:

	Amount
c Beginning balance	1 c
d Additions during the year	1 d
e Distributions during the year	1 e
f Ending balance	1 f

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21? Yes No

b If 'Yes,' explain the arrangement in Part XIV.

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

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

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

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

The percentages in lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.

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

	Yes	No
(i) unrelated organizations	3a(i)	
(ii) related organizations	3a(ii)	
b If 'Yes' to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?	3b	

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

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings		674,231.	2,110.	672,121.
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		62,404.	2,501.	59,903.
e Other				
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				732,024.

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Part VII Investments – Other Securities. See Form 990, Part X, line 12. N/A

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

Part VIII Investments – Program Related. See Form 990, Part X, line 13. N/A

(a) Description of investment type	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
(10)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B) line 13.) . . . ▶		

Part IX Other Assets. See Form 990, Part X, line 15. N/A

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
(10)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 15.) ▶	

Part X Other Liabilities. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

(a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2) Sales Taxes Payable	296.
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
(10)	
(11)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B) line 25.) ▶	296.

2 FIN 48 (ASC 740) Footnote. In Part XIV, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740).

Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Audited Financial Statements		N/A
1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 2 from line 1	
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	
5	Donated services and use of facilities	
6	Investment expenses	
7	Prior period adjustments	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	
9	Total adjustments (net). Add lines 4 through 8	
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per audited financial statements. Combine lines 3 and 9	

Part XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return		N/A
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 on investments	2a
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	2d
e	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 :	
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	4b
c	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 XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return		N/A
1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:	
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a
b	Prior year adjustments	2b
c	Other losses	2c
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	2d
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1 :	
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	4b
c	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 XIV Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI, line 8; Part XII, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

**SCHEDULE M
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
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Noncash Contributions

▶ **Complete if the organizations answered 'Yes'**
on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.
▶ **Attach to Form 990.**

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Part I 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	(d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts
1 Art – Works of art				
2 Art – Historical treasures				
3 Art – Fractional interests				
4 Books and publications				
5 Clothing and household goods				
6 Cars and other vehicles				
7 Boats and planes				
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				
18 Collectibles				
19 Food inventory	X	67	8,745.	Selling Price
20 Drugs and medical supplies				
21 Taxidermy				
22 Historical artifacts				
23 Scientific specimens				
24 Archeological artifacts				
25 Other ▶ (_____)				
26 Other ▶ (_____)				
27 Other ▶ (_____)				
28 Other ▶ (_____)				

29 Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee Acknowledgement

29

30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1-28 that it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which is not required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period?

	Yes	No
30a		X
31		X
32a		X
33		

b If 'Yes,' describe the arrangement in Part II.

31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any non-standard contributions?

32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash contributions?

b If 'Yes,' describe in Part II.

33 If the organization did not report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II.

BAA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.

Schedule M (Form 990) 2011

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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Form 990, Part III, Line 1 - Organization Mission

Our mission is three-fold: (1) to provide those facing cancer and other life-threatening illnesses with nourishing whole foods meals that can support their healing, (2) to teach teens how to cook and eat for health and to develop them as future leaders committed to making a difference in their communities, and (3) to educate the general public about the vital link between what we eat and our health.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 4 - Significant Changes to Organizational Documents

The bylaws were amended so that the Executive Director is a non-voting member of the governing board. In addition, all board member terms are for two years of service and can be renewed up to three times.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 11b - Form 990 Review Process

The Form 990 is reviewed and approved by the board prior to filing.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 12c - Explanation of Monitoring and Enforcement of Conflicts

The organization reviews all compensation of officers and employees annually and requests disclosure of any possible conflict of interest of board members, officers and employees in order to enforce compicance with this policy.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 15a - Compensation Review & Approval Process for CEO, Exec. Dir., or Top Mgmtment

The compensation of the Executive Director was compared to a study of non profit salaries for similar sized organizations in the San Francisco Bay Area.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 15b - Compensation Review & Approval Process for Officers & Key Employees

The compensation of other employees were compared to a study of non profit salaries for similar sized organizations in the San Francisco Bay Area.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 19 - Other Organization Documents Publicly Available

The organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy and financial statements available to the public upon request in writing or in person.

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Form 990, Part XII, Line 2 - Change of Oversight or Selection Process

The finance committee selected an independent accountant and approved the reviewed financial statements and tax returns prior to release.

Form 990, Part XI, Line 5
Other Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances

Reclass Marin Project to Temporarily Restricted.....	\$	9,860.
Total	\$	<u>9,860.</u>

Balance Sheet
Accounts payable and accrued expenses

Payroll Tax Liabilities.....	\$	2,937.
Total	\$	<u>2,937.</u>

Balance Sheet
Accounts payable and accrued expenses

Accounts Payable.....	\$	25,297.
Accrued PTO.....		10,305.
Payroll Tax Liabilities.....		4,977.
Total	\$	<u>40,579.</u>

California Exempt Organization Annual Information Return

Calendar Year 2011 or fiscal year beginning month _____ day _____ year _____, and ending month _____ day _____ year _____

Corporation/Organization Name: **THE CERES COMMUNITY PROJECT** California corporation number: **3092424**

Address (suite, room, or PMB no.): **P.O. BOX 1562** FEIN: **26-2250997**

City: **SEBASTOPOL, CA 95472** State: _____ ZIP Code: _____

A First Return: Yes No

B Amended Return: Yes No

C IRC Section 4947(a)(1) trust: Yes No

D Final Return: Yes No

Dissolved Surrendered (Withdrawn)

Merged/Reorganized Enter date: _____

E Check accounting method:
 1 Cash 2 Accrual 3 Other

F Federal return filed?
 1 990T 2 990 (PF) 3 Sch H (990)

G Is this a group filing for the subordinates/affiliates? Yes No
 If 'Yes,' attach a roster. See instructions

H Is this organization in a group exemption? Yes No
 If 'Yes,' What's the parent's name? _____

I Did the organization have any changes in its activities, governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws that have not been reported to the Franchise Tax Board? Yes No
 If 'Yes,' explain, and attach copies of revised documents.

J If exempt under R&TC Section 23701d, has the organization during the year: (1) participated in any political campaign, or (2) attempted to influence legislation or any ballot measure, or (3) made an election under R&TC Section 23704.5 (relating to lobbying by public charities)? Yes No
 If 'Yes,' complete and attach form FTB 3509.

K Is the organization exempt under R&TC Section 23701g? Yes No
 If 'Yes,' enter gross receipts from nonmember sources: \$ _____

L If organization is exempt under R&TC Section 23701d and is exclusively religious, educational, or charitable, and is supported primarily (50% or more) by public contributions, check box. No filing fee is required.

M Is the organization a Limited Liability Company? Yes No

N Did the organization file Form 100 or Form 109 to report taxable income? Yes No

O Is the organization under audit by the IRS or has the IRS audited in a prior year? Yes No

Part I Complete Part I unless not required to file this form. See General Instructions B and C.

Receipts and Revenues	1	Gross sales or receipts from other sources. From Side 2, Part II, line 8	1	81,928.
	2	Gross dues and assessments from members and affiliates	2	
	3	Gross contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received SEE SCH...B	3	1,142,303.
	4	Total gross receipts for filing requirement test. Add line 1 through line 3. This line must be completed. If the result is less than \$25,000, see General Instruction B.	4	1,224,231.
	5	Cost of goods sold	5	
	6	Cost or other basis, and sales expenses of assets sold	6	
	7	Total costs. Add line 5 and line 6	7	
	8	Total gross income. Subtract line 7 from line 4	8	1,224,231.
Expenses	9	Total expenses and disbursements. From Side 2, Part II, line 18	9	518,455.
	10	Excess of receipts over expenses and disbursements. Subtract line 9 from line 8	10	705,776.
Filing Fee	11	Filing fee \$10 or \$25. See General Instruction F	11	10.
	12	Total payments	12	
	13	Penalties and Interest. See General Instruction J	13	
	14	Use tax. See General Instruction K	14	
	15	Balance due. Add line 11, line 13, and line 14. Then subtract line 12 from the result.	15	10.

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.

Signature of officer: *Carolyn A. Mayes* Title: *Executive Dir* Date: *5/3/12* Telephone: *707 829 5833*

Paid Preparer's Use Only Preparer's signature: *Carolyn A. Mayes* Date: *5/2/2012* Check if self-employed: Telephone: *P00068278*

Firm's name (or yours, if self-employed) and address: *CAROLYN A. MAYES, CPA*
465 STONY POINT ROAD, #237
SANTA ROSA, CA 95401
 Telephone: *(707) 573-8892*

May the FTB discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions. Yes No

Part II Organizations with gross receipts of more than \$25,000 and private foundations regardless of amount of gross receipts – complete Part II or furnish substitute information. See Specific Line Instructions.

Receipts from Other Sources	1 Gross sales or receipts from all business activities. See instructions	●	1	
	2 Interest	●	2	
	3 Dividends	●	3	
	4 Gross rents	●	4	
	5 Gross royalties	●	5	
	6 Gross amount received from sale of assets (See instructions)	●	6	
	7 Other income. Attach schedule	●	7	81,928.
	8 Total gross sales or receipts from other sources. Add line 1 through line 7. Enter here and on Side 1, Part I, line 1		8	81,928.
9 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts paid. Attach schedule	●	9		
10 Disbursements to or for members	●	10		
11 Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees. Attach schedule	●	11	48,333.	
12 Other salaries and wages	●	12	185,017.	
13 Interest	●	13		
14 Taxes	●	14	21,976.	
15 Rents	●	15	19,048.	
16 Depreciation and depletion (See instructions)	●	16	4,611.	
17 Other Expenses and Disbursements. Attach schedule	●	17	239,470.	
18 Total expenses and disbursements. Add line 9 through line 17. Enter here and on Side 1, Part I, line 9		18	518,455.	

Schedule L Balance Sheets		Beginning of taxable year		End of taxable year	
		(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
Assets					
1	Cash		146,309.	●	250,070.
2	Net accounts receivable		621.	●	2,729.
3	Net notes receivable			●	
4	Inventories			●	9,294.
5	Federal and state government obligations			●	
6	Investments in other bonds			●	
7	Investments in stock			●	
8	Mortgage loans			●	
9	Other investments Attach schedule			●	
10a	Depreciable assets			736,635.	
b	Less accumulated depreciation			4,611.	732,024.
11	Land			●	
12	Other assets. Attach schedule		4,040.	●	108.
13	Total assets		150,970.		994,225.
Liabilities and net worth					
14	Accounts payable		2,937.	●	40,579.
15	Contributions, gifts, or grants payable		9,860.	●	
16	Bonds and notes payable		294.	●	100,260.
17	Mortgages payable			●	
18	Other liabilities. Attach schedule		425.		296.
19	Capital stock or principle fund		137,454.	●	853,090.
20	Paid-in or capital surplus. Attach reconciliation			●	
21	Retained earnings or income fund			●	
22	Total liabilities and net worth		150,970.		994,225.

Schedule M-1 Reconciliation of income per books with income per return			
Do not complete this schedule if the amount on Schedule L, line 13, column (d), is less than \$25,000			
1	Net income per books	●	705,776.
2	Federal income tax	●	
3	Excess of capital losses over capital gains	●	
4	Income not recorded on books this year. Attach schedule	●	
5	Expenses recorded on books this year not deducted in this return. Attach schedule	●	
6	Total. Add line 1 through line 5		705,776.
7	Income recorded on books this year not included in this return. Attach schedule	●	
8	Deductions in this return not charged against book income this year. Attach schedule	●	
9	Total. Add line 7 and line 8		
10	Net income per return. Subtract line 9 from line 6		705,776.

Schedule B
(Form 990, 990-EZ,
or 990-PF)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

California Copy
Schedule of Contributors

▶ **Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF**

OMB No. 1545-0047

2011

Name of the organization The Ceres Community Project	Employer identification number 26-2250997
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Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

Section:

- 501(c)(3) (enter number) organization
- 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation
- 527 political organization

Form 990-PF

- 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation
- 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation
- 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

Note. Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

General Rule

For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. (Complete Parts I and II.)

Special Rules

For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33-1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc, purposes, but these contributions did not total to more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc, purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc, contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year ▶ \$ _____

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

BAA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990, 990EZ, or 990-PF.

Schedule **B** (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2011)

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Part I Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) Number	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	Lamb & Barnosky, LLP 534 Broadhollow Rd, #210 Melville, NY 11747-9034	\$ 20,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
2	City of Sebastopol P.O. Box 1776 Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 45,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
3	Gregory Young 7200 Trenton-Healsburg Rd Forestville, CA 95436	\$ 25,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
4	Kate Schaffner 5471 Braehurst Lane Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 225,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
5	Marin Community Foundation 5 Hamilton Landing Novato, CA 94949	\$ 35,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
6	Ren Nelson 6000 Burnside Rd Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 50,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

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(a) Number	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7	Alpha Epsilon of Omega Nu 1534 Grenache Way Santa Rosa, CA 95403	\$ 6,400.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
8	Anonymous	\$ 10,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
9	Anthem Blue Cross P.O. Box 68086 Cincinatti, OH 45026	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
10	Brickyard Berridge Fund 200 Frank H Ogawa Plaza Oakland, CA 94612	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
11	Clif Bar Family Foundation 1451 66th St Emeryville, CA 94608-1004	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
12	Franklin and Jean Schaffner Foundat 5959 Topanga Canyon Blvd Woodland Hills, CA 91367	\$ 12,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

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Part I Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) Number	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
13	Freestone Fermentation Festival 11141 Cherry Ridge Rd Sebastopol, CA 95472-9647	\$ 6,300.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
14	Gravenstein Lions Club P.O. Box 572 Sebastopol, CA 95473	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
15	Joanne & Terry Dale 12117 Fiori Ln Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
16	Lynn & Anisya Fritz 3651 Frei Road Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 10,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
17	Medtronic Foundation 710 Medtronic Parkway Minneapolis, MN 55432	\$ 15,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
18	Morning Glory Family Foundation P.O. Box 40520 San Francisco, CA 94140	\$ 10,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

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Part I Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) Number	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
19	Nan Fuchs 8800 Green Valley Road, #49 Sebastopol, CA 95473	\$ 10,100.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
20	Redwood Hill Farm & Creamery, Inc. 2064 Hwy 116 North, Bldg 1 Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 5,075.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
21	RiskPress 825 Gravenstein Hwy N, Ste 12 Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
22	Semilla Fund of Community Found. 250 D Street, Ste 205 Santa Rosa, CA 95404	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
23	Tara & Wolfe Rudman 1300 Furlong Rd Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 5,160.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
24	Terry D Musgrave 399 Troon Ct Holland, MI 49423-8830	\$ 10,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

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Part I Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) Number	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
25	The Lloyd Symington Foundation 33 Knoll Road San Anselmo, CA 94950	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
26	To Celebrate Life Breast Cancer Fou P.O. Box 367 Kentfield, CA 94914	\$ 10,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
27	Whole Foods Market Sebastopol 6910 McKinley Street Sebastopol, CA 95472	\$ 6,194.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
28	Oliver Markets 215 Classic Court Rohnert Park, CA 94928	\$ 8,745.	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
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Part II **Noncash Property** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
28	Food and Grocery Produce	\$ 8,745.	Various
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
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_____	_____	\$ _____	_____

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Part III Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., individual contributions to section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organizations that total more than \$1,000 for the year. Complete cols (a) through (e) and the following line entry.

For organizations completing Part III, enter total of *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions of **\$1,000 or less** for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions.) ▶ \$ _____ N/A
Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
	N/A		

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

2011 Corporation Depreciation and Amortization

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Attach to Form 100 or Form 100W. FORM 199

Corporation name THE CERES COMMUNITY PROJECT	California corporation number 3092424
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Part I Election to Expense Certain Property Under IRC Section 179

1 Maximum deduction under IRC Section 179 for California	1	\$25,000
2 Total cost of IRC Section 179 property placed in service	2	
3 Threshold cost of IRC Section 179 property before reduction in limitation	3	\$200,000
4 Reduction in limitation. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-	4	
5 Dollar limitation for taxable year. Subtract line 4 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0-	5	
6 (a) Description of property (b) Cost (business use only) (c) Elected cost		
7 Listed property (elected IRC Section 179 cost)	7	
8 Total elected cost of IRC Section 179 property. Add amounts in column (c), line 6 and line 7	8	
9 Tentative deduction. Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8	9	
10 Carryover of disallowed deduction from prior taxable years	10	
11 Business income limitation. Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5	11	
12 IRC Section 179 expense deduction. Add line 9 and line 10, but do not enter more than line 11	12	
13 Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2012. Add line 9 and line 10, less line 12	13	

Part II Depreciation and Election of Additional First Year Expense Deduction Under R&TC Section 24356

14 (a) Description of property	(b) Date acquired	(c) Cost or other basis	(d) Depreciation allowed or allowable in earlier years	(e) Depreciation method	(f) Life or rate	(g) Depreciation for this year	(h) Additional first year depreciation
BUILDING IMPROVE	11/19/11	674,231.		S/L	40	2,110.	
KITCHEN EQUIPMEN	11/19/11	38,218.		S/L	12	397.	
KITCHEN EQUIPMEN	11/19/11	7,955.		S/L	12	83.	
COMPUTER NETWORK	11/28/11	3,306.		S/L	5	83.	
TELEPHONE EQUIPM	12/20/11	2,160.		S/L	5	54.	
15 Add the amounts in column (g) and column (h). The total of column (h) may not exceed \$2,000. See instructions for line 14, column (h)						15	4,611.

Part III Summary

16 Total: If the corporation is electing: IRC Section 179 expense, add the amount on line 12 and line 15, column (g) or Additional first year depreciation under R&TC Section 24356, add the amounts on line 15, columns (g) and (h) or Depreciation (if no election is made), enter the amount from line 15, column (g)	16	
17 Total depreciation claimed for federal purposes from federal Form 4562, line 22	17	
18 Depreciation adjustment. If line 17 is greater than line 16, enter the difference here and on Form 100 or Form 100W, Side 1, line 6. If line 17 is less than line 16, enter the difference here and on Form 100 or Form 100W, Side 1, line 12. (If California depreciation amounts are used to determine net income before state adjustments on Form 100 or Form 100W, no adjustment is necessary.)	18	

Part IV Amortization

19 (a) Description of property	(b) Date acquired	(c) Cost or other basis	(d) Amortization allowed or allowable in earlier years	(e) R&TC section (see instr)	(f) Period or percentage	(g) Amortization for this year	
20 Total. Add the amounts in column (g)						20	
21 Total amortization claimed for federal purposes from federal Form 4562, line 44						21	
22 Amortization adjustment. If line 21 is greater than line 20, enter the difference here and on Form 100 or Form 100W, Side 1, line 6. If line 21 is less than line 20, enter the difference here and on Form 100 or Form 100W, Side 1, line 12						22	

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Corporation name THE CERES COMMUNITY PROJECT	California corporation number 3092424
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1 Maximum deduction under IRC Section 179 for California	1	\$25,000
2 Total cost of IRC Section 179 property placed in service	2	
3 Threshold cost of IRC Section 179 property before reduction in limitation	3	\$200,000
4 Reduction in limitation. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-	4	
5 Dollar limitation for taxable year. Subtract line 4 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0-	5	
6 (a) Description of property (b) Cost (business use only) (c) Elected cost		
7 Listed property (elected IRC Section 179 cost)	7	
8 Total elected cost of IRC Section 179 property. Add amounts in column (c), line 6 and line 7	8	
9 Tentative deduction. Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8	9	
10 Carryover of disallowed deduction from prior taxable years	10	
11 Business income limitation. Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5	11	
12 IRC Section 179 expense deduction. Add line 9 and line 10, but do not enter more than line 11	12	
13 Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2012. Add line 9 and line 10, less line 12	13	

Part II Depreciation and Election of Additional First Year Expense Deduction Under R&TC Section 24356

14 (a) Description of property	(b) Date acquired	(c) Cost or other basis	(d) Depreciation allowed or allowable in earlier years	(e) Depreciation method	(f) Life or rate	(g) Depreciation for this year	(h) Additional first year depreciation
1QS SOFTWARE-BAS	3/01/11	10,765.		S/L	5	1,884.	
15 Add the amounts in column (g) and column (h). The total of column (h) may not exceed \$2,000. See instructions for line 14, column (h)						15	

Part III Summary

16 Total: If the corporation is electing: IRC Section 179 expense, add the amount on line 12 and line 15, column (g) or Additional first year depreciation under R&TC Section 24356, add the amounts on line 15, columns (g) and (h) or Depreciation (if no election is made), enter the amount from line 15, column (g)	16	
17 Total depreciation claimed for federal purposes from federal Form 4562, line 22	17	
18 Depreciation adjustment. If line 17 is greater than line 16, enter the difference here and on Form 100 or Form 100W, Side 1, line 6. If line 17 is less than line 16, enter the difference here and on Form 100 or Form 100W, Side 1, line 12. (If California depreciation amounts are used to determine net income before state adjustments on Form 100 or Form 100W, no adjustment is necessary.)	18	

Part IV Amortization

19 (a) Description of property	(b) Date acquired	(c) Cost or other basis	(d) Amortization allowed or allowable in earlier years	(e) R&TC section (see instr)	(f) Period or percentage	(g) Amortization for this year	
20 Total. Add the amounts in column (g)						20	
21 Total amortization claimed for federal purposes from federal Form 4562, line 44						21	
22 Amortization adjustment. If line 21 is greater than line 20, enter the difference here and on Form 100 or Form 100W, Side 1, line 6. If line 21 is less than line 20, enter the difference here and on Form 100 or Form 100W, Side 1, line 12						22	

Statement 1
Form 199, Part II, Line 7
Other Income

Program Service Revenue.....	\$ 81,928.
Total	<u>\$ 81,928.</u>

Statement 2
Form 199, Part II, Line 11
Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees and Key Employees

Current Officers:

Name and Address	Title and Average Hours Per Week Devoted	Compen- sation	Contri- bution to EBP & DC	Expense Account/ Other
Cathryn Couch	Executive Dir. 55.00	\$ 48,333.	\$ 0.	\$ 0.
,				
Joe Marshall	Board Treasurer 4.00	0.	0.	0.
,				
Padi Selwyn	Board Member 2.00	0.	0.	0.
,				
Deborah Vogan	Board Secretary 4.00	0.	0.	0.
,				
Sharon Keating	Board President 4.00	0.	0.	0.
,				
Kristee Rosendahl	Board Member 2.00	0.	0.	0.
,				
Jasmine Elliott	Teen Member 3.00	0.	0.	0.
,				
Total		<u>\$ 48,333.</u>	<u>\$ 0.</u>	<u>\$ 0.</u>

Statement 3
Form 199, Part II, Line 17
Other Expenses

Accounting Fees.....	\$ 1,550.
Advertising and Promotion.....	35,957.
Bank Processing Fees.....	5,187.
Cost of Exempt Sales.....	11,868.
Education and Travel.....	2,992.

Statement 3 (continued)
Form 199, Part II, Line 17
Other Expenses

Food and Containers.....	\$	82,006.
Insurance.....		7,554.
Other fees.....		26,545.
Other Program Expenses.....		666.
Other Supporting Expenses.....		537.
Outside Services.....		7,928.
Postage and Shipping.....		3,441.
Special Events.....		30,677.
Supplies.....		20,013.
Utilities and Telephone.....		2,549.
	Total \$	<u>239,470.</u>

Statement 4
Form 199, Schedule L, Line 12
Other Assets

Other assets.....		108.
	Total \$	<u>108.</u>

Statement 5
Form 199, Schedule L, Line 16
Bonds and Notes Payable

Total Notes and Bonds Payable	\$	<u>100,260.</u>
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Statement 6
Form 199, Schedule L, Line 18
Other Liabilities

Sales Taxes Payable.....		296.
	Total \$	<u>296.</u>

IN
MAIL TO:
 Registry of Charitable Trusts
 P.O. Box 903447
 Sacramento, CA 94203-4470
 Telephone: (916) 445-2021

WEBSITE ADDRESS:
<http://ag.ca.gov/charities/>

ANNUAL REGISTRATION RENEWAL FEE REPORT TO ATTORNEY GENERAL OF CALIFORNIA

Sections 12586 and 12587, California Government Code
 11 Cal. Code Regs. sections 301-307, 311 and 312

Failure to submit this report annually no later than four months and fifteen days after the end of the organization's accounting period may result in the loss of tax exemption and the assessment of a minimum tax of \$800, plus interest, and/or fines or filing penalties as defined in Government Code Section 12586.1. IRS extensions will be honored.



State Charity Registration Number <u>0145284</u> THE CERES COMMUNITY PROJECT <small>Name of Organization</small> <u>P.O. BOX 1562</u> <small>Address (Number and Street)</small> <u>SEBASTOPOL, CA 95472</u> <small>City or Town State ZIP Code</small>	Check if: <input type="checkbox"/> Change of address <input type="checkbox"/> Amended report Corporate or Organization No. <u>3092424</u> Federal Employer ID No. <u>26-2250997</u>
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ANNUAL REGISTRATION RENEWAL FEE SCHEDULE (11 Cal. Code Regs. sections 301-307, 311 and 312) Make Check Payable to Attorney General's Registry of Charitable Trusts

Gross Annual Revenue	Fee	Gross Annual Revenue	Fee	Gross Annual Revenue	Fee
Less than \$25,000	0	Between \$100,001 and \$250,000	\$50	Between \$1,000,001 and \$10 million	\$150
Between \$25,000 and \$100,000	\$25	Between \$250,001 and \$1 million	\$75	Between \$10,000,001 and \$50 million	\$225
				Greater than \$50 million	\$300

PART A – ACTIVITIES

For your most recent full accounting period (beginning 1/01/11 ending 12/31/11) list:
 Gross annual revenue \$ 1,224,231. Total assets \$ 994,225.

PART B – STATEMENTS REGARDING ORGANIZATION DURING THE PERIOD OF THIS REPORT

Note: If you answer 'yes' to any of the questions below, you must attach a separate sheet providing an explanation and details for each 'yes' response. Please review RRF-1 instructions for information required.

	Yes	No
1 During this reporting period, were there any contracts, loans, leases or other financial transactions between the organization and any officer, director or trustee thereof either directly or with an entity in which any such officer, director or trustee had any financial interest?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2 During this reporting period, was there any theft, embezzlement, diversion or misuse of the organization's charitable property or funds?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3 During this reporting period, did non-program expenditures exceed 50% of gross revenues?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4 During this reporting period, were any organization funds used to pay any penalty, fine or judgment? If you filed a Form 4720 with the Internal Revenue Service, attach a copy.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5 During this reporting period, were the services of a commercial fundraiser or fundraising counsel for charitable purposes used? If 'yes,' provide an attachment listing the name, address, and telephone number of the service provider.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6 During this reporting period, did the organization receive any governmental funding? If so, provide an attachment listing the name of the agency, mailing address, contact person, and telephone number.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7 During this reporting period, did the organization hold a raffle for charitable purposes? If 'yes,' provide an attachment indicating the number of raffles and the date(s) they occurred. SEE STATEMENT 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8 Does the organization conduct a vehicle donation program? If 'yes,' provide an attachment indicating whether the program is operated by the charity or whether the organization contracts with a commercial fundraiser for charitable purposes.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
9 Did our organization have prepared an audited financial statement in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles for this reporting period?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Organization's area code and telephone number 707-829-5833
 Organization's e-mail address info@ceresproject.org

I declare under penalty of perjury that I have examined this report, including accompanying documents, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct and complete.

Camryn E. Couch Camryn E. Couch Executive Director 5/3/12
Signature of authorized officer Printed Name Title Date

Statement 1
Form RRF-1, Part B, Line 7
Number and Dates of Raffles

During 2011, the organization held one raffle on October 4, 2011.