

EXTENDED TO NOVEMBER 15, 2016

Form **990**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

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

▶ Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.

▶ Information about Form 990 and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

OMB No. 1545-0047

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

B Check if applicable: ☐ Address change ☐ Name change ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return/terminated ☐ Amended return ☐ Application pending	C Name of organization COAST GUARD FOUNDATION, INC.		D Employer identification number 04-2899862
	Doing business as		E Telephone number (860) 535-0786
	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address)	Room/suite	
	394 TAUGWONK ROAD		G Gross receipts \$ 10,939,573.
	City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code STONINGTON, CT 06378-1807		
F Name and address of principal officer: ANNE B BRENGLE SAME AS C ABOVE			H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? ☐ Yes ☒ No H(b) Are all subordinates included? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "No," attach a list. (see instructions) H(c) Group exemption number ▶
I Tax-exempt status: ☒ 501(c)(3) ☐ 501(c) () (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527 J Website: ▶ WWW.COASTGUARDFOUNDATION.ORG K Form of organization: ☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other ▶ L Year of formation: 1986 M State of legal domicile: MA			

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: THE COAST GUARD FOUNDATION STRIVES TO HELP COAST GUARD MEN AND WOMEN STRENGTHEN OUR NATION BY		
	2 Check this box ☐ if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.		
	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	26
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	25
	5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2015 (Part V, line 2a)	5	14
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	150
	7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	0.
b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	0.	
Revenue	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year 6,122,693.	Current Year 6,614,475.
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	0.	0.
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	728,573.	533,246.
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	-31,064.	-25,945.
	12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	6,820,202.	7,121,776.
Expenses	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	2,784,807.	2,508,343.
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0.	0.
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	1,339,493.	1,480,310.
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	194,000.	245,500.
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 1,321,389.		
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)	2,167,201.	1,731,555.
	18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	6,485,501.	5,965,708.
19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	334,701.	1,156,068.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Current Year 9,697,814.	End of Year 9,841,684.
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	605,596.	377,524.
	22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	9,092,218.	9,464,160.

Part II Signature Block

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

Sign Here	Signature of officer		Date		
	PRESIDENT				
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check ☐ if self-employed	PTIN
	JOANNE M. CLARK, CPA	JOANNE M. CLARK, CPA	10/04/16		P01235011
	Firm's name ▶ SANSIVERI, KIMBALL & CO., LLP	Firm's EIN ▶ 05-0255779			
	Firm's address ▶ 55 DORRANCE STREET PROVIDENCE, RI 02903-2220		Phone no. 401-331-0500		

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

Part III Statement of Program Service AccomplishmentsCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III ☒ **X****1** Briefly describe the organization's mission:

THE COAST GUARD FOUNDATION'S MISSION IS TO SUPPORT PROJECTS AND PROGRAMS THAT ENHANCE THE LIVES OF ALL COAST GUARD MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILIES. THE COAST GUARD FOUNDATION SERVES AS A GOODWILL AMBASSADOR FOR THE US COAST GUARD BY PROMOTING ITS RICH HERITAGE OF SERVICE TO

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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

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

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

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.**4a** (Code:) (Expenses \$ 1,765,651. including grants of \$ 1,489,615.) (Revenue \$)

SUPPORT TO COAST GUARD MEMBERS OF UNITED STATES COAST GUARD:
THE COAST GUARD FOUNDATION CONTRIBUTES TO THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD BY PROMOTING THE GENERAL WELFARE OF THOSE IN THE SERVICE. THE FOUNDATION SUPPORTS EDUCATION, DEVELOPS LEADERSHIP POTENTIAL AND PROVIDES MORALE SUPPORT TO THOSE WHO SERVE. THE COAST GUARD FOUNDATION WORKS HAND IN HAND WITH THE COAST GUARD'S EDUCATION GRANT PROGRAM TO SUPPLEMENT THE TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM SO ENLISTED PERSONNEL HAVE ACCESS TO FUNDS FOR BOOKS, FEES AND SUPPLIES THAT MIGHT OTHERWISE BE OUT OF REACH. COAST GUARD FOUNDATION FUNDS PROVIDE SUPPORT FOR PROGRAMS INITIATED ON THE UNIT LEVEL THAT ARE INTENDED TO IMPROVE MORALE AND HONOR AND VALUE THE COAST GUARD MEMBERS' SERVICE TO THE COUNTRY. THE COAST GUARD FOUNDATION ALSO PROVIDES FUNDS FOR SPECIAL

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ 521,109. including grants of \$ 370,419.) (Revenue \$)

SUPPORT TO CORPS OF CADETS OF COAST GUARD ACADEMY:
THE COAST GUARD FOUNDATION PROVIDES MARGIN OF EXCELLENCE FUNDING THAT PROMOTES ATHLETICS, SAILING, ACADEMICS AND ACTIVITIES AT THE US COAST GUARD ACADEMY TO ENSURE A QUALITY EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE FOR ITS CADETS. INITIATIVES INCLUDE ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS THAT BRING WELL-KNOWN FIGURES TO THE ACADEMY TO INTERACT WITH CADETS ON AN INDIVIDUAL CLASS-LEVEL AND THE CADET CORPS AS A WHOLE. ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE ACADEMIC DISCIPLINES PUT THE ACADEMY PROGRAMS ON A PAR WITH OTHER PRESTIGIOUS COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES AND SERVICE ACADEMIES. THE COAST GUARD FOUNDATION HAS COLLABORATED WITH THE ACADEMY TO DEVELOP LEADERSHIP SKILLS THROUGH A QUALITY WATERFRONT PROGRAM; BY PROVIDING SAIL TRAINING VESSELS AND COACHING STAFF FOR

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ 756,860. including grants of \$ 648,309.) (Revenue \$)

SUPPORT TO COAST GUARD FAMILIES:
THE COAST GUARD FOUNDATION SUPPORTS FAMILIES OF COAST GUARD MEMBERS IN A VARIETY OF WAYS. CHILDREN AND SPOUSES OF ENLISTED PERSONNEL RECEIVE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION TO MAKE HIGHER EDUCATION MORE AFFORDABLE AND ATTAINABLE. THROUGH THE FALLEN HEROES FUND FAMILIES ARE SUPPORTED DURING THOSE DIFFICULT TIMES WHEN THEIR COAST GUARD MEMBER SUFFERS A CRITICAL INJURY OR LOSS OF LIFE IN OPERATIONAL INCIDENTS. WE ARE ALSO COMMITTED TO MAKING SURE THE CHILDREN OF THESE FALLEN HEROES ARE PROVIDED A FREE UNDERGRADUATE COLLEGE EXPERIENCE. IN ADDITION, THE FOUNDATION WORKS WITH THE COAST GUARD TO PROVIDE UPGRADES TO FAMILY HOUSING SUCH AS SAFE PLAYGROUNDS AND RECREATION FACILITIES, WHERE FEW QUALITY OF LIFE AMENITIES ARE READILY AVAILABLE.

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

(Expenses \$ 830,000. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e Total program service expenses **3,873,620.**

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>	1 X	
2 Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> ?	2 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>	3	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>	4	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>	5	X
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i>	6	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>	7	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>	8	X
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>	9	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>	10 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>	11a 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>	11b	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>	11c	X
d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i>	11d	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>	11e	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>	11f X	
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i>	12a 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 and XII is optional</i>	12b	X
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>	13	X
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a	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>	14b	X
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>	15	X
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i>	16	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</i>	17 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>	18 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>	19	X

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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

	Yes	No
20a 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?		
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>	X	
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <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, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i>		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), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		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 Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>		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, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i>		X
35a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		X
b If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		
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 11b and 19?	X	

Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule OForm **990** (2015)

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax ComplianceCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V ☐

		Yes	No
1a Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable	1a 17		
b Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	1b 0		
c Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	X	
2a Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return	2a 14		
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)	2b	X	
3a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O	3b		
4a At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	4a		X
b If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).			
5a Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a		X
b Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b		X
c If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5c		
6a Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?	6a		X
b If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6b		
7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).			
a Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7a	X	
b If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b	X	
c Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7c		X
d If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	7d		
e Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e		X
f Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f		X
g If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g		
h If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h	X	
8 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8		
9 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.			
a Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a		
b Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b		
10 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:			
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	10a		
b Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	10b		
11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:			
a Gross income from members or shareholders	11a		
b Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)	11b		
12a Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a		
b If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	12b		
13 Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.			
a Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.	13a		
b Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans	13b		
c Enter the amount of reserves on hand	13c		
14a Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	14b		

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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 or note to any line in this Part VI

☒**Section A. Governing Body and Management**

	Yes	No
1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year 1a 26 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.		
b Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent 1b 25		
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? 2		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? 3		X
4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed? 4		X
5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets? 5		X
6 Did the organization have members or stockholders? 6		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? 7a		X
b Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body? 7b		X
8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
a The governing body? 8a	X	
b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body? 8b	X	
9 Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O 9		X

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? 10a		X
b 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? 10b		
11a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? 11a	X	
b Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.		
12a Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13 12a	X	
b Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? 12b	X	
c Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done 12c	X	
13 Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy? 13	X	
14 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? 14	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?		
a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official 15a	X	
b Other officers or key employees of the organization 15b	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? 16a		X
b If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements? 16b		

Section C. Disclosure

17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ► MA, NY, MD, FL, CA, RI, AL, WA, AZ, AK, MI, NJ

18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
☒ Own website ☒ Another's website ☒ Upon request ☐ Other (explain in Schedule O)

19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.

20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records: ►
ANNE BRENGLE - (860) 535-0786
394 TAUGWONK ROAD, STONINGTON, CT 06378

Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent ContractorsCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII ☐**Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees****1a** Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

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

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

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

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) AL A GONSOU LIN TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(2) ANGUS R COOPER II TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(3) ANNE B BRENGLE PRESIDENT	40.00	X		X				201,545.	0.	21,347.
(4) BLAINE E COLLINS TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(5) BRIAN B MCALLISTER TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(6) BROSIUS D'ARCY TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(7) CARLEEN LYDEN-KLUSS TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(8) CARY K SWASAND TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(9) CHERYL D FELDER TREASURER	15.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(10) CLAY MAITLAND DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(11) CORRINE X KOSAR DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(12) D. BRIAN PETERMAN TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(13) DAN SCHULTZ TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(14) DAVID F DYER TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(15) DUNCAN C SMITH, III DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(16) F DAVID HOFFMAN TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(17) FREDERICK F. PERRY TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(18) GARY JOBSON TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(19) GEORGE KAMPSTRA TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(20) H MERRITT LANE III TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(21) HOWARD SLOTNICK TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(22) JAMES A O'HARE DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(23) JAMES C OLSON TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(24) JAMES C VAN SICE VICE CHAIR (EFF. 3/6/15)	10.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(25) JAMES H. WOODWARD JR. TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(26) JAMES J COLEMAN JR DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
1b Sub-total								201,545.	0.	21,347.
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A								503,375.	0.	50,627.
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								704,920.	0.	71,974.

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

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- 3** Did the organization list any **former** officer, director, or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual
- 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? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual
- 5** Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person

	Yes	No
3		X
4	X	
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
ROBBINS KIRSTEN DIRECT 201 SUMMER STREET, HOLLISTON, MA 01746	MAIL SOLICITATIONS	114,000.
2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization		1

SEE PART VII, SECTION A CONTINUATION SHEETS

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(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			
(27) JAMES M MATHIEU TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(28) JAMES P MULDOON DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(29) JAMES S ANDRASICK TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(30) JEFFREY M. PLATT TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(31) JOHN F STATTS TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(32) JONATHAN BALIFF TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(33) JOSEPH B. PHAIR TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(34) JOSEPH H. PYNE TRUSTEE EMERITUS	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(35) JUDITH A ROOS DIRECTOR	15.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(36) KEVIN J MCSWEENEY DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(37) LAWRENCE P. COTTER TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(38) LEO PAUL KOULOS DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(39) LINDA M. COOKE TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(40) LISA KAZOR CHRISTOVICH TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(41) LORETTA RIETSEMA DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(42) MARGARET C. WINTERS TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(43) MARK K KNOY TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(44) MARK KNUDSEN TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(45) MICHAEL L CARTHEW DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(46) NICKI M. CANDIES DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
Total to Part VII, Section A, line 1c										

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(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			
(47) PATRICK STADT TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(48) PAUL RODEN TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(49) PHILIP J. SHAPIRO TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(50) R CHRISTIAN JOHNSEN SECRETARY	10.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(51) RICHARD J GRAHN TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(52) ROSS E ROEDER DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(53) ROY VANDER PUTTEN DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(54) SALLY BRICE-O'HARA DIRECTOR	15.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(55) SIDNEY C MIZELL TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(56) STEIN KRUSE DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(57) STEPHEN E. MUECKE TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(58) STEVEN T SCALZO DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(59) TARA M. SWEENEY TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(60) THAD W ALLEN TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(61) THOMAS A ALLEGRETTI TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(62) THOMAS K RICHEY TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(63) THOMAS WETHERALD TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(64) VERNA KAYE GIBSON DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(65) VINCENT W PATTON TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(66) WALTER J HICKEL JR DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
Total to Part VII, Section A, line 1c										

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(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			
(67) WILLIAM A BISSE III TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(68) WILLIAM ANONSEN TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(69) WILLIAM D SULLIVAN TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(70) WILLIAM H COLLIER JR DIRECTOR	5.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(71) WILLIAM JENKINS CHAIRMAN (2/20/15 - 12/31/15)	20.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(72) WILLIAM SHEFFIELD TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(73) RUTH ANDERSON COGGESHALL TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(74) JEFFREY G. FREEMAN TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(75) DAVID W. GRZEBINSKI TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(76) WILLIAM LIGHTNER TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(77) THOMAS NILES TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(78) P.B. SHAH TRUSTEE	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(79) ROBERT J. FLYNN CHAIRMAN (THRU 2/20/15)	20.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(80) BRAD SISLEY CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER	45.00			X				151,769.	0.	7,391.
(81) SUSAN LUDWIG REGIONAL DIR. OF PHILANTHR	45.00			X				129,017.	0.	17,906.
(82) SUZAN SPRINGER CFO	45.00			X				110,870.	0.	11,364.
(83) BRIAN OVERCAST REGIONAL DIR. OF PHILANTHR	45.00					X		111,719.	0.	13,966.
Total to Part VII, Section A, line 1c								503,375.		50,627.

Part VIII Statement of RevenueCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII ☐

				(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512 - 514
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1 a Federated campaigns	1a	42,963.				
	b Membership dues	1b					
	c Fundraising events	1c	2,618,807.				
	d Related organizations	1d					
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e					
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	3,952,705.				
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$		119,611.				
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f						
Program Service Revenue	2 a			Business Code			
	b						
	c						
	d						
	e						
	f All other program service revenue						
	g Total. Add lines 2a-2f						
	Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)			360,691.		
4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds							
5 Royalties							
6 a Gross rents		(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
b Less: rental expenses		100,436.	0.				
c Rental income or (loss)		100,436.					
d Net rental income or (loss)			100,436.				
7 a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory		(i) Securities	(ii) Other				
b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses		3,282,568.	4,750.				
c Gain or (loss)		3,114,532.	231.				
d Net gain or (loss)		168,036.	4,519.				
8 a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 2,618,807. of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18		a	536,900.				
b Less: direct expenses		b	703,034.				
c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events			-166,134.				
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 TRUSTEE DUES			900099	36,500.	36,500.		
b SALE OF PROMOTIONAL ITEMS			453220	3,240.	3,240.		
c MISCELLANEOUS INCOME			900099	13.	13.		
d All other revenue							
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d				39,753.			
12 Total revenue. See instructions.				7,121,776.	39,753.	0.	467,548.

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

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

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

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	1,903,518.	1,903,518.		
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22	604,825.	604,825.		
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	548,483.	241,686.	207,259.	99,538.
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	720,894.	208,596.	177,939.	334,359.
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	26,333.	7,572.	5,545.	13,216.
9 Other employee benefits	93,470.	28,612.	12,440.	52,418.
10 Payroll taxes	91,130.	31,897.	25,515.	33,718.
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal	4,475.		4,475.	
c Accounting	35,725.		35,725.	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17	245,500.			245,500.
f Investment management fees	38,254.		38,254.	
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Sch. O.)	204,694.	78,226.	42,595.	83,873.
12 Advertising and promotion	58,612.	49,404.		9,208.
13 Office expenses	67,395.	5,532.	26,888.	34,975.
14 Information technology	12,286.	3,896.	4,689.	3,701.
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	112,584.	73,477.	15,251.	23,856.
17 Travel	129,189.	52,237.	33,678.	43,274.
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	67,819.	20,452.	47,367.	
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	57,337.	28,090.	10,504.	18,743.
23 Insurance				
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 EVENT PRODUCTION FEES	377,458.	377,458.		
b DIRECT MAIL SOLICITATIO	333,787.	55,275.	27,222.	251,290.
c ALL OTHER EXPENSES	97,201.	82,832.	9,346.	5,023.
d MISCELLANEOUS	77,857.	20,035.	46,007.	11,815.
e All other expenses	56,882.			56,882.
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	5,965,708.	3,873,620.	770,699.	1,321,389.
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 ☒ if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)	349,530.	55,275.	0.	294,255.

Part X Balance SheetCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X ☐

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing	189,066.	1	236,326.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	333,667.	2	234,087.
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net	821,335.	3	1,121,844.
	4 Accounts receivable, net	3,367.	4	323.
	5 Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instr). Complete Part II of Sch L		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use	45,807.	8	42,744.
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	144,220.	9	147,281.
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a 1,675,529.		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	10b 742,133.		
	11 Investments - publicly traded securities	965,804.	10c	933,396.
	12 Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11	7,194,548.	11	7,125,683.
	13 Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	14 Intangible assets		13	
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		14	
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	9,697,814.	15		
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	9,697,814.	16	9,841,684.
	18 Grants payable	277,549.	17	168,776.
	19 Deferred revenue		18	
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities	63,800.	19	22,500.
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		20	
	22 Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		21	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		22	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties	264,247.	23	186,248.
	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		24	
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25		25	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ☒ and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.	605,596.	26	377,524.
	27 Unrestricted net assets			
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets	2,738,324.	27	2,941,573.
	29 Permanently restricted net assets	3,337,347.	28	3,382,933.
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ☐ and complete lines 30 through 34.	3,016,547.	29	3,139,654.
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds			
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		30	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		31	
	33 Total net assets or fund balances		32	
	34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	9,092,218.	33	9,464,160.
	9,697,814.	34	9,841,684.	

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Part XI Reconciliation of Net AssetsCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI ☐

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	7,121,776.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	5,965,708.
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	1,156,068.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	9,092,218.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	-784,126.
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	0.
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	9,464,160.

Part XII Financial Statements and ReportingCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII ☐

	Yes	No
1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: ☐ Cash ☒ Accrual ☐ Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.		
2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? _____ If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: ☐ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis		X
b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? _____ If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: ☒ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis	X	
c 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.	X	
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
b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits _____		

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SCHEDULE 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.

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

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**Open to Public
Inspection**

Name of the organization

COAST GUARD FOUNDATION, INC.

Employer identification number

04-2899862

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

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

- 1 ☐ A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)**.
- 2 ☐ A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)**. (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ).)
- 3 ☐ A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**.
- 4 ☐ A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: _____
- 5 ☐ An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 6 ☐ A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)**.
- 7 ☒ An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 8 ☐ A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 9 ☐ An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions - subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2)**. (Complete Part III.)
- 10 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4)**.
- 11 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2)**. See **section 509(a)(3)**. Check the box in lines 11a through 11d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e, 11f, and 11g.
- a ☐ **Type I.** A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.**
- b ☐ **Type II.** A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.**
- c ☐ **Type III functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.**
- d ☐ **Type III non-functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.**
- e ☐ Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.

f Enter the number of supported organizations

g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document?		(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
			Yes	No		
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) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) 2015	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	4419012.	4799938.	6187142.	6122693.	6614475.	28143260.
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3	4419012.	4799938.	6187142.	6122693.	6614475.	28143260.
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.						28143260.

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) 2015	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4	4419012.	4799938.	6187142.	6122693.	6614475.	28143260.
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	158,932.	181,449.	235,109.	407,209.	461,127.	1443826.
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)	41,717.	40,138.	38,264.	39,766.	36,513.	196,398.
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						29783484.
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	5,510.
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here						☐

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2015 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	94.49 %
15 Public support percentage from 2014 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	94.90 %
16a 33 1/3% support test - 2015. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	☒	
b 33 1/3% support test - 2014. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	☐	
17a 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2015. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	☐	
b 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2014. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	☐	
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions	☐	

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2015

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

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

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) 2015	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 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 year beginning in) ►	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) 2015	(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 VI.)						
13 Total support. (Add lines 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 2015 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2014 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

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

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

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

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

Part IV Supporting Organizations

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

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If "No" describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.		
2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).		
3a Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.		
b Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.		
c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.		
4a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes," and if you checked 11a or 11b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.		
b Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.		
c Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.		
5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI , including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).		
b Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?		
c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?		
6 Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .		
7 Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).		
8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).		
9a Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .		
b Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .		
c Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .		
10a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? If "Yes," answer 10b below.		
b Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)		

Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)

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

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the tax year? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.		
1		
2 Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.		
2		

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).		
1		

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?		
1		
2 Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).		
2		
3 By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.		
3		

Section E. Type III Functionally-Integrated Supporting Organizations

1 Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions):		
a ☐	The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.	
b ☐	The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.	
c ☐	The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see instructions).	
2 Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.		
a	Yes	No
Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.		
2a		
b	Yes	No
Did the activities described in (a) constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.		
2b		
3 Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer (a) and (b) below.		
a	Yes	No
Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? Provide details in Part VI .		
3a		
b	Yes	No
Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.		
3b		

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

- 1 ☐ Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970. **See instructions.** All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Net short-term capital gain	1	
2	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2	
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3	
4	Add lines 1 through 3	4	
5	Depreciation and depletion	5	
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6	
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7	
8	Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6 and 7 from line 4)	8	

Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):		
a	Average monthly value of securities	1a	
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b	
c	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d	
e	Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI):		
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5	
6	Multiply line 5 by .035	6	
7	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7	
8	Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8	

Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	1	
2	Enter 85% of line 1	2	
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	3	
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3	4	
5	Income tax imposed in prior year	5	
6	Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions)	6	
7	☐ Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally-integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).		

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

Section D - Distributions			Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes		
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity		
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations		
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets		
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)		
6	Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions.		
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.		
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in Part VI). See instructions.		
9	Distributable amount for 2015 from Section C, line 6		
10	Line 8 amount divided by Line 9 amount		

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2015	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2015
1 Distributable amount for 2015 from Section C, line 6			
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2015 (reasonable cause required-see instructions)			
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015:			
a			
b			
c			
d From 2013			
e From 2014			
f Total of lines 3a through e			
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h Applied to 2015 distributable amount			
i Carryover from 2010 not applied (see instructions)			
j Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
4 Distributions for 2015 from Section D, line 7: \$			
a Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b Applied to 2015 distributable amount			
c Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2015, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2 (if amount greater than zero, see instructions).			
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2015. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1 (if amount greater than zero, see instructions).			
7 Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8 Breakdown of line 7:			
a			
b			
c Excess from 2013			
d Excess from 2014			
e Excess from 2015			

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Part VI **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; Part III, line 12; Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a and 3b; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V, Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information.
(See instructions.)

SCHEDULE A, PART II, LINE 10, EXPLANATION FOR OTHER INCOME:**TRUSTEE DUES**

2011 AMOUNT: \$ 41,000.

2012 AMOUNT: \$ 39,500.

2013 AMOUNT: \$ 38,000.

2014 AMOUNT: \$ 38,500.

2015 AMOUNT: \$ 36,500.

MISCELLANEOUS

2011 AMOUNT: \$ 717.

2012 AMOUNT: \$ 638.

2013 AMOUNT: \$ 264.

2014 AMOUNT: \$ 1,266.

2015 AMOUNT: \$ 13.

SCHEDULE D
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

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

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

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Name of the organization

COAST GUARD FOUNDATION, INC.

Employer identification number

04-2899862

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

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year		
2 Aggregate value of contributions to (during year)		
3 Aggregate value of grants from (during year)		
4 Aggregate value at end of year		
5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?	☐ Yes	☐ No
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?	☐ Yes	☐ No

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

1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply).
☐ Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or education) ☐ Preservation of a historically important land area
☐ Protection of natural habitat ☐ Preservation of a certified historic structure
☐ Preservation of open space

2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year.

	Held at the End of the Tax Year
a Total number of conservation easements	2a
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	2b
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)	2c
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register	2d

3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶

4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶

5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?

☐ Yes ☐ No

6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \$

8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements.

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

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

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items.

b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items:

(i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X

2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items:

a Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

b Assets included in Form 990, Part X

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	6,690,952.	5,905,806.	4,985,696.	4,280,324.	4,157,343.
b Contributions	925,668.	460,000.	385,315.	444,145.	279,559.
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses	-299,797.	325,146.	768,610.	440,369.	8,044.
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs	572,359.		233,815.	179,145.	164,622.
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance	6,744,464.	6,690,952.	5,905,806.	4,985,696.	4,280,324.

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

- a Board designated or quasi-endowment ☒ 18.86 %
 b Permanent endowment ☒ 46.21 %
 c Temporarily restricted endowment ☒ 34.93 %

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

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

- (i) unrelated organizations
 (ii) related organizations

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

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

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

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

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

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		381,374.		381,374.
b Buildings		885,135.	464,379.	420,756.
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		302,843.	226,860.	75,983.
e Other		106,177.	50,894.	55,283.
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.)				933,396.

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Part VII Investments - Other Securities.

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

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

Part VIII Investments - Program Related.

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

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

Part IX Other Assets.

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

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

Part X Other Liabilities.

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

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

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740). Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII ☒

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

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

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	23,650,980.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:		
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a	-784,126.
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	17,185,450.
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	16,401,324.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	7,249,656.
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	38,254.
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b	-166,134.
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	-127,880.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)	5	7,121,776.

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

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

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	23,279,038.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	17,185,450.
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Other losses	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	166,134.
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	17,351,584.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	5,927,454.
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	38,254.
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	38,254.
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	5	5,965,708.

Part XIII Supplemental Information.

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

PART V, LINE 4:

ENDOWMENT FUNDS WERE CREATED TO SUPPORT THE COAST GUARD ACADEMY AND THE VARIOUS COAST GUARD DISTRICTS. SUCH SUPPORT COMES IN MANY FORMS INCLUDING PROJECTS TO BENEFIT DISTRICT MORALE, ACADEMIC AND ATHLETIC PROGRAMS AT THE ACADEMY, AS WELL AS PROGRAMS TO SUPPORT COAST GUARD FAMILIES, INCLUDING SCHOLARSHIPS. DURING 2015 WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MA ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE, SEVERAL SMALL AND OLDER ENDOWMENTS WERE MERGED TO PROVIDE A LARGER AMOUNT OF USABLE FUNDS FOR THE BENEFICIARIES.

PART X, LINE 2:

MANAGEMENT DOES NOT BELIEVE THERE ARE ANY MATERIAL UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS REQUIRING DISCLOSURE OR RECOGNITION. FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,

Part XIII Supplemental Information (continued)

2015, THERE WERE NO INTEREST OR TAX PENALTIES RECORDED OR INCLUDED IN THE
ACCOMPANYING FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

PART XI, LINE 4B - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

DIRECT EXPENSES OTHER THAN FUNDRAISING - SPECIAL EVENTS	-703,034.
DIRECT BENEFIT TO DONORS - SPECIAL EVENTS	536,900.
TOTAL TO SCHEDULE D, PART XI, LINE 4B	-166,134.

PART XII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

DIRECT EXPENSES OTHER THAN FUNDRAISING - SPECIAL EVENTS	703,034.
DIRECT BENEFIT TO DONORS - SPECIAL EVENTS	-536,900.
TOTAL TO SCHEDULE D, PART XII, LINE 2D	166,134.

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

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

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

- d ☒ In-person solicitations

- ☐
- No

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

AL	AK	AZ	AR	CA	CO	CT	DE	FL	GA	HI	ID	IL	IN	IA	KS	KY	LA	ME	MD	MA	MI	MN	MS	MO
MT	NE	NV	NH	NJ	NM	NY	NC	ND	OH	OK	OR	PA	RI	SC	SD	TN	TX	UT	VT	VA	WA	WV	WI	WY

Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2015

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Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		(a) Event #1 NEW YORK DINNER	(b) Event #2 DC DINNER	(c) Other events 7	(d) Total events (add col. (a) through col. (c))
		(event type)	(event type)	(total number)	
Revenue	1 Gross receipts	786,900.	688,115.	1,680,692.	3,155,707.
	2 Less: Contributions	695,400.	552,815.	1,370,592.	2,618,807.
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	91,500.	135,300.	310,100.	536,900.
Direct Expenses	4 Cash prizes				
	5 Noncash prizes				
	6 Rent/facility costs	40,128.	129,729.	38,625.	208,482.
	7 Food and beverages	107,472.	49,560.	114,047.	271,079.
	8 Entertainment	2,660.	1,743.	5,400.	9,803.
	9 Other direct expenses	27,764.	37,712.	148,194.	213,670.
	10 Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)				703,034.
	11 Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d)				-166,134.

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

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

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization conducts gaming activities: _____

a Is the organization licensed to conduct gaming activities in each of these states? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "No," explain: _____

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," explain: _____

- 11** Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 12** Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 13** Indicate the percentage of gaming activity conducted in:
- | | | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|---|
| a The organization's facility | 13a | % |
| b An outside facility | 13b | % |
- 14** Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:

Name ► _____

Address ► _____

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

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

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

Name ► _____

Address ► _____

- 16** Gaming manager information:

Name ► _____

Gaming manager compensation ► \$ _____

Description of services provided ► _____

☐ Director/officer☐ Employee☐ Independent contractor

- 17** Mandatory distributions:

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

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

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

SCHEDULE G, PART I, LINE 2B, LIST OF TEN HIGHEST PAID FUNDRAISERS:

(I) NAME OF FUNDRAISER: ROBBINS KIRSTEN DIRECT

(I) ADDRESS OF FUNDRAISER: 201 SUMMER STREET, HOLLISTON, MA 01746

(I) NAME OF FUNDRAISER: EVENT ASSOCIATES, INC.

(I) ADDRESS OF FUNDRAISER: 162 WEST 56TH STREET, NEW YORK, NY 10019

(I) NAME OF FUNDRAISER: SUSAN O'NEIL & ASSOCIATES

Part IV Supplemental Information (continued)

(I) ADDRESS OF FUNDRAISER: 5910 GLOSTER RD, BETHESDA, MD 20816

PART I, LINE 2B, COLUMN (V):

THE CONTRACT WITH ROBBINS KIRSTEN DIRECT IS FOR CONSULTING WORK RELATED TO DIRECT MAIL SOLICITATIONS. IN ADDITION, THE COMPANY PROVIDES MAILING SERVICES UNDER A SEPARATE AGREEMENT FOR WHICH THE FOUNDATION IS BILLED SEPARATELY FOLLOWING EACH MAILING. TOTAL FEES PAID TO ROBBINS KIRSTEN DIRECT, INC FOR ADDITIONAL SERVICES PROVIDED IN 2015 WERE \$539,626.

SCHEDULE I
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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

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

▶ **Attach to Form 990.**

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

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COAST GUARD FOUNDATION, INC.

Employer identification number

04-2899862

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance?

☒ **Yes** ☐ **No**

2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States.

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

1 (a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD 2703 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR AVE SE WASHINGTON, DC 20593-7000	54-6010204	UNITED STATES COAST	384,000.	0.			TO PROVIDE EDUCATIONAL GRANTS TO ENLISTED PERSONNEL.
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD 2703 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR AVE SE WASHINGTON, DC 20593-7000	54-6010204	UNITED STATES COAST	151,414.	0.			TO ENHANCE EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES AT THE COAST GUARD ACADEMY
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD 2703 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR AVE SE WASHINGTON, DC 20593-7000	54-6010204	UNITED STATES COAST	68,200.	0.			TO SUPPORT THE WATERFRONT PROGRAM AT THE COAST GUARD ACADEMY
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD 2703 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR AVE SE WASHINGTON, DC 20593-7000	54-6010204	UNITED STATES COAST	470,055.	0.			TO IMPROVE MORALE AND WELFARE OF COAST GUARDSMEN
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD 2703 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR AVE SE WASHINGTON, DC 20593-7000	54-6010204	UNITED STATES COAST	65,000.	0.			TO ENHANCE THE ATHLETIC PROGRAMS AT THE COAST GUARD ACADEMY
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD 2703 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR AVE SE WASHINGTON, DC 20593-7000	54-6010204	UNITED STATES COAST	50,000.	0.			TO SUPPORT PUBLIC OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES AT THE COAST GUARD ACADEMY AND DISTRICTS

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

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

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

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS TO CHILDREN OF ENLISTED PERSONNEL	112	435,313.	0.		
FALLEN HEROES	25	101,512.	0.		
COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS TO RESERVISTS AND THEIR DEPENDENTS	8	8,000.	0.		
EDUCATION GRANTS TO SPOUSES OF COAST GUARD ENLISTED PERSONNEL	120	60,000.	0.		

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

PART I, LINE 2:

CHILDREN OF ACTIVE DUTY, RETIRED, AND DECEASED ENLISTED PERSONNEL CAN APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS AND A POINT SYSTEM IS USED TO RANK THE APPLICANTS BASED ON ACADEMIC PROMISE, LEADERSHIP POTENTIAL, AND CHARACTER. IN ADDITION, AN INDEPENDENT BOARD CONSISTING OF COAST GUARD PERSONNEL REVIEW THE APPLICATIONS AND PROVIDE A RANKING OF THE APPLICANTS. THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE REVIEWS THE TWO LISTS AND HAS FINAL APPROVAL ON AWARDS. STUDENTS MUST PROVIDE VERIFICATION OF FULL TIME ENROLLMENT, TRANSCRIPTS, AND STUDENT BILLS. PAYMENTS ARE MADE DIRECTLY TO THE ACADEMIC INSTITUTION WITH THE

Part IV Supplemental Information

REQUIREMENT THAT ANY OVERAGES WILL BE REFUNDED TO THE COAST GUARD FOUNDATION AND NOT PAID OUT TO THE STUDENT.

EDUCATION GRANTS FOR SPOUSES ARE AWARDED BASED ON A GRANT APPLICATION AND ARE PAID DIRECTLY TO THE RECIPIENT.

EDUCATION GRANTS ARE ADMINISTERED BY THE COAST GUARD INSTITUTE WHO ANNOUNCES THE FUNDS AVAILABILITY, CHECKS FOR ELIGIBILITY, AND DISBURSES TO THE INDIVIDUALS SELECTED. THE INSTITUTE REPORTS TO THE FOUNDATION WITH PAYEE, CHECK NUMBER AND AMOUNT. RECIPIENTS ALSO HAVE THE ABILITY TO SEND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT EMAILS.

GRANTS TO THE COAST GUARD ARE DETERMINED BASED ON A NEEDS LIST PRESENTED TO THE GRANTS COMMITTEE WHICH INCLUDES A DESCRIPTION OF HOW THE SUPPORT BENEFITS COAST GUARD PERSONNEL AND HOW MANY ARE BENEFITED. IN ADDITION, AVAILABLE FUNDING BY PROGRAM IS CONSIDERED IN GRANTING REQUESTS. GRANTS ARE DISBURSED TO THE COAST GUARD GIFT FUND AND THE COAST GUARD REPORTS BACK WITH DOCUMENTATION OF EXPENDITURE.

**SCHEDULE J
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Compensation Information

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

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

▶ Attach to Form 990.

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

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Employer identification number

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Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.

- | | |
|--|--|
| ☐ First-class or charter travel | ☐ Housing allowance or residence for personal use |
| ☐ Travel for companions | ☐ Payments for business use of personal residence |
| ☐ Tax indemnification and gross-up payments | ☐ Health or social club dues or initiation fees |
| ☐ Discretionary spending account | ☐ Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef) |

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

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

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

- | | |
|---|---|
| ☒ Compensation committee | ☒ Written employment contract |
| ☒ Independent compensation consultant | ☒ Compensation survey or study |
| ☒ Form 990 of other organizations | ☒ Approval by the board or compensation committee |

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

a The organization?

b Any related organization?

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

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

a The organization?

b Any related organization?

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

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

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

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

Yes No

1b		
2		
4a		X
4b		X
4c		X
5a		X
5b		X
6a		X
6b		X
7		X
8		X
9		

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Schedule J (Form 990) 2015

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

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

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

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
(1) ANNE B BRENGLE PRESIDENT	(i)	201,545.	0.	0.	7,967.	13,380.	222,892.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(2) BRAD SISLEY CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER	(i)	151,769.	0.	0.	5,991.	1,400.	159,160.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
	(i)							
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Part III	Supplemental Information
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Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

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**SCHEDULE M
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Noncash Contributions

OMB No. 1545-0047

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- ▶ **Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990.**
▶ **Information about Schedule M (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.**

Name of the organization

COAST GUARD FOUNDATION, INC.

Employer identification number

04-2899862

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	X	5	8,200.	RETAIL VALUE
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				
20 Drugs and medical supplies				
21 Taxidermy				
22 Historical artifacts				
23 Scientific specimens				
24 Archeological artifacts				
25 Other ▶ (CONSUMER GOOD)	X	73	66,784.	RETAIL VALUE
26 Other ▶ (OTHER)	X	22	42,597.	RETAIL VALUE
27 Other ▶ (PROPERTY & EQ)	X	2	2,030.	RETAIL VALUE
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 through 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?

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.

	Yes	No
30a		X
31	X	
32a		X
33		

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

Schedule M (Form 990) (2015)

Part II

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

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

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

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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

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Employer identification number
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FORM 990, PART I, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION:

ENCOURAGING THEM TO EXCEL, ON DUTY AND OFF. THE FOUNDATION SUPPORTS
ACADEMIC, ATHLETIC, AND LEADERSHIP EXCELLENCE FOR CADETS AT THE
ACADEMY; SUPPORTS FAMILIES AND THE COAST GUARD COMMUNITY WHEN THERE IS
OPERATIONAL INCIDENTS; PROVIDES COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS TO DEPENDENTS OF
ENLISTED PERSONNEL; FUNDS RECREATIONAL AND FAMILY-ORIENTED FACILITIES;
SUPPORTS EDUCATIONAL AND MORALE PROGRAMS AT BASES, AND ON CUTTERS
AROUND THE NATION AND OVERSEAS; AND BRINGS AWARENESS TO THE PUBLIC OF
THE IMPORTANCE OF THE COAST GUARD MISSION AND RECOGNIZES THE COAST
GUARD'S ACHIEVEMENTS.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION:

OUR COUNTRY AND HIGHLIGHTING ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE COAST GUARD BOTH
WITHIN ITS MEMBERSHIP BY HONORING ITS HEROES, AND AS AN ORGANIZATION
THAT WORKS TIRELESSLY TO PROTECT AND DEFEND OUR COUNTRY'S MARITIME
INTERESTS.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4A, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

CAPITAL PROJECTS IDENTIFIED BY COAST GUARD HEADQUARTERS THAT PROVIDE
SUPPORT TO LARGER COAST GUARD COMMUNITIES.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4B, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

CADETS TO DEVELOP SEAMANSHIP SKILLS THAT ARE SECOND TO NONE.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4D, OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES:

PUBLIC AWARENESS:

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Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) (2015)

Name of the organization

COAST GUARD FOUNDATION, INC.

Employer identification number

04-2899862

THE COAST GUARD FOUNDATION SERVES AS A GOODWILL AMBASSADOR FOR THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD BY MAKING THE PUBLIC AWARE OF HOW THEY ARE BENEFITED BY A STRONG COAST GUARD. THROUGH A PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT CAMPAIGN ONLINE AND ON TELEVISION, THE COAST GUARD FOUNDATION RAISED AWARENESS FOR THE DEDICATION AND BRAVERY OF THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD MEMBERS SERVING OUR COUNTRY. RECEPTIONS HELD ON BOARD THE COAST GUARD BARQUE EAGLE ALLOWED THE FOUNDATION TO PROMOTE THE RICH HERITAGE OF THE HISTORIC SHIP AND THE COAST GUARD'S ROLE IN TRAINING COAST GUARD CADETS AND OFFICER CANDIDATES IN SAILING AND SEAMANSHIP. IN HONORING COAST GUARD MEMBERS AT EVENTS AROUND THE COUNTRY, THE FOUNDATION SHOWCASED THE EVERYDAY HEROICS OF THESE DEVOTED MEMBERS OF THE SERVICE. COMMUNICATION, IN THE FORM OF NEWSLETTERS, EMAIL MESSAGES AND THE WEB, INFORM COAST GUARD FOUNDATION SUPPORTERS OF THE FOUNDATION'S PROGRAMS AND THE ROLE OF THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD IN OUR NATIONAL STORY.

EXPENSES \$ 830,000. INCLUDING GRANTS OF \$ 0. REVENUE \$ 0.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11:

PRIOR TO FILING, A COPY OF THE 990 IS SENT TO THE AUDIT COMMITTEE FOR REVIEW. AFTER AUDIT COMMITTEE APPROVAL, AND PRIOR TO FILING, A COPY OF THE 990 IS DISTRIBUTED TO THE GOVERNING BOARD.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C:

TRUSTEE CONFLICT OF INTEREST IS COVERED IN OUR BY-LAWS BOTH UNDER RELATED AND NON-RELATED TRUSTEES AND CONFLICT OF INTEREST. EACH YEAR TWO FORMS ARE SENT TO THE TRUSTEES ASKING THEM TO INDICATE WHETHER THEY ARE RELATED OR NON-RELATED PARTIES AND IF SO TO DISCLOSE THE RELATIONSHIP. THEY MUST ALSO DISCLOSE ANY CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. THE FORMS ARE THEN SIGNED AND FILED AT

Name of the organization

COAST GUARD FOUNDATION, INC.

Employer identification number

04-2899862

THE OFFICE.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15:

THE COMPENSATION OF THE FOUNDATION'S PRESIDENT IS REVIEWED BY THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD. THE COMPENSATION IS ESTABLISHED BY THE CHAIRMAN AFTER A REVIEW OF INDEPENDENT COMPENSATION STUDIES, UPON RECOMMENDATION (OR CONSULTATION) OF THE HR COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, AND DATA FROM OTHER SIMILAR ORGANIZATIONS TO ENSURE THAT EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION IS WITHIN THE RANGE OF THAT PAID TO COMPARABLE EXECUTIVES FOR COMPARABLE SERVICES, AND THEREFORE REASONABLE. OTHER OFFICERS AND KEY EMPLOYEES ARE REVIEWED BY THE PRESIDENT USING THE SAME METHODOLOGY.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 17, LIST OF STATES RECEIVING COPY OF FORM 990:

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

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19:

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE INCLUDED IN THE ANNUAL REPORT. AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND TAX RETURNS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE WEBSITE. GOVERNING DOCUMENTS AND CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY ARE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.

- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** and check this box ☒ **X**

Note. Only complete Part II if you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** (on page 1).

Part II Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time. Only file the original (no copies needed).

Enter filer's identifying number, see instructions	
Type or print Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions. COAST GUARD FOUNDATION, INC.	Employer identification number (EIN) or 04-2899862
Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 394 TAUGWONK ROAD	Social security number (SSN)
City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. STONINGTON, CT 06378-1807	

Enter the Return code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return) **01**

Application Is For	Return Code	Application Is For	Return Code
Form 990 or Form 990-EZ	01		
Form 990-BL	02	Form 1041-A	08
Form 4720 (individual)	03	Form 4720 (other than individual)	09
Form 990-PF	04	Form 5227	10
Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	05	Form 6069	11
Form 990-T (trust other than above)	06	Form 8870	12

STOP! Do not complete Part II if you were not already granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

ANNE BRENGLE

- The books are in the care of **394 TAUGWONK ROAD - STONINGTON, CT 06378**
 Telephone No. **(860) 535-0786** Fax No. **(860) 535-0944**
- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box ☐
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) ☐. If this is for the whole group, check this box ☐. If it is for part of the group, check this box ☐ and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for.

- 4** I request an additional 3-month extension of time until **NOVEMBER 15, 2016**.
- 5** For calendar year **2015**, or other tax year beginning _____, and ending _____.
- 6** If the tax year entered in line 5 is for less than 12 months, check reason: ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return
☐ Change in accounting period
- 7** State in detail why you need the extension
ADDITIONAL TIME IS NEEDED TO GATHER THE INFORMATION NECESSARY TO PREPARE A COMPLETE AND ACCURATE RETURN.

8a If this application is for Forms 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	8a	\$	0.
b If this application is for Forms 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit and any amount paid previously with Form 8868.	8b	\$	0.
c Balance due. Subtract line 8b from line 8a. Include your payment with this form, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	8c	\$	0.

Signature and Verification must be completed for Part II only.

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form.

Signature Title **PRESIDENT** Date

Form **8868** (Rev. 1-2014)