

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)

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2013
Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2013 calendar year, or tax year beginning _____, **and ending** _____

B Check if applicable:
 Address change
 Name change
 Initial return
 Terminated
 Amended return
 Application pending

C Name of organization: **AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY**
 Doing Business As _____
 Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
5410 GROSVENOR LANE
 City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
BETHESDA MD 20814

D Employer identification number: **54-0683803**

E Telephone number: _____

G Gross receipts: **2,358,400**

F Name and address of principal officer:
DOUGLAS AUSTEN
5410 GROSVENOR LANE
BETHESDA MD 20814

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)

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

J Website: **WWW.FISHERIES.ORG**

K Form of organization: Corporation Trust Association Other **u**

L Year of formation: **1910** **M** State of legal domicile: **DC**

H(c) Group exemption number **u**

Part I Summary		Prior Year	Current Year
Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: SEE SCHEDULE O		
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.		
	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	34
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	33
	5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2013 (Part V, line 2a)	5	21
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	0
	7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	0
7b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	0	
Revenue	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	387,302	43,433
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	1,876,374	1,832,715
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	110,764	289,627
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	220,684	192,625
	12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	2,595,124	2,358,400
	Expenses	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	63,683
14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)			0
15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)		1,188,145	1,270,348
16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)			0
b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) u 102,650			
17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)		874,337	1,006,495
18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2,126,165	2,299,920	
19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	468,959	58,480	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	5,876,296	6,117,768
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	1,368,023	1,214,813
	22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	4,508,273	4,902,955

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: _____
DOUGLAS AUSTEN **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**
 Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name: **ALLEN P. DELEON, CPA** Preparer's signature: **ALLEN P. DELEON, CPA** Date: **11/07/14** Check if self-employed PTIN: **P00256516**

Firm's name: **DELEON & STANG, CPAS AND ADVISORS** Firm's EIN: **52-1373858**
 Firm's address: **100 LAKEFOREST BLVD STE 650**
GAITHERSBURG, MD 20877-2609 Phone no.: **301-948-9825**

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

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

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

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

SEE SCHEDULE O

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? Yes 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 \$ **531,774** including grants of\$) (Revenue \$)
PUBLICATIONS-TECHNICAL AND EDUCATIONAL JOURNALS, BOOKS, SLIDES, ETC. MADE AVAILABLE TO THE COMMUNITY.

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ **214,370** including grants of\$ **23,077**) (Revenue \$)
PROJECT MANAGEMENT - ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING SEMINARS, WORKSHOPS AND TECHNICAL MEETINGS, THAT SUPPORT THE DEVELOPMENT AND ADVANCEMENT OF ALL BRANCHES OF FISHERIES SCIENCE.

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ **103,246** including grants of\$) (Revenue \$)
FISHERIES SCIENCE-MONTHLY EDUCATIONAL MAGAZINE PROVIDED TO MEMBERS AND OTHERS.

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

(Expenses \$ **569,255** including grants of\$) (Revenue \$)

4e Total program service expenses **u 1,418,645**

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)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A	X	
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)?		X
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I		X
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II		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? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III		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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I		X
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II		X
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III		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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV		X
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII		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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII		X
d	Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX		X
e	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	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)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X		X
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII	X	
b	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional		X
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E		X
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV		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? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV		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? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV		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? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions)	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II		X
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III		X
20a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H		X
b	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

		Yes	No
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II		X
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule J	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? If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a		X
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		
c	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		
25a	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part 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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part 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? If so, complete Schedule L, Part II		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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III		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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M		X
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M		X
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I		X
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II		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? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I		X
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1		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)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2		
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2		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? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI		X
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	X	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

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

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable		
1b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable		
1c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?		
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		
2b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)	X	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
3b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O		
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)?		X
4b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: <u>u</u> See instructions for filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?		X
5b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		X
5c	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?		
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?		X
6b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
7a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?		X
7b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?		
7c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?		X
7d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year		
7e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?		X
7f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		X
7g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		
7h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?		
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.		
9a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		
9b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
10a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12		
10b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities		
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:		
11a	Gross income from members or shareholders		
11b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)		
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?		
12b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year		
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.		
13a	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.		
13b	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		
13c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand		
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?		X
14b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O		

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions. Check if Schedule O contains a response 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 34 If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain in Schedule O.		
1b	Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent 33		
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?		X
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?		X
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		X
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?		X
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?		X
7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?		X
7b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?		X
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
8a	The governing body?	X	
8b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	X	
9	Is there any officer, director, 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		X

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

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

Section C. Disclosure

- 17** List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed **u MD**
- 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, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization: **u DOUGLAS AUSTEN** **5410 GROSVENOR LANE**

BETHESDA

MD 20814

301-897-8616

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

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

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

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

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

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) MICHAEL QUIST	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(2) JAMES ARMSTRONG	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(3) RANDY JACKSON	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(4) PHIL MOY	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(5) GARY WHELAN	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(6) BRAIN R. MURPHY	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(7) MIKE S. ALLEN	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(8) PAM SPONHOLTZ	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(9) CHRISTINA SWANSON	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(10) JOHN K JOHNSON	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(11) CATRIONA CLEMMESSEN-BOCKELMANN	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	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 dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(12) STEVEN J COOKE	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
(13) LONNIE GONSALVES	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
(14) LEE BENAKA	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
(15) JAMES BOWKER	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
(16) KYLE J HARTMAN	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
(17) LARRY HANSON	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
(18) DOUGLAS D NYGREN	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
(19) DAVE CLAPP	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
1b Sub-total										
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A								327,820		16,292
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								327,820		16,292

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in reportable compensation from the organization **u1**

	Yes	No
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	X	
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual	X	
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person		X

Section B. Independent Contractors

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

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation

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

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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 dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(12) JOANNA WHITTIER	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
(13) BRAIN GRAEB	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
(14) MEREDITH BARTRON	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
(15) CARL BURGER	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
(16) SCOTT BONAR	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
(17) DOUGLAS VAUGHAN	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
(18) BRAIN SMALL	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
(19) PETER H. FRICKE	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X						0	0	0
1b Sub-total							u			
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A							u			
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							u			

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

	Yes	No
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		

Section B. Independent Contractors

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

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation

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

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(12) DOUG BRADLEY	2.00									
BOARD MEMBER	0.00	X					0	0	0	
(13) DOUGLAS AUSTEN	40.00									
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	0.00			X			83,933	0	0	
(14) BILL FISHER	1.00									
PAST PRESIDENT	0.00			X			0	0	0	
(15) JOHN BOREMAN	2.00									
PRESIDENT	0.00			X			0	0	0	
(16) BOB HUGHES	2.00									
PRESIDENT-ELECT	0.00			X			0	0	0	
(17) DONNA PARRISH	2.00									
1ST VICE PRESIDENT	0.00			X			0	0	0	
(18) RONALD ESSIG	2.00									
2ND VICE PRESIDENT	0.00			X			0	0	0	
(19) GUS RASSAM	40.00									
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	0.00					X	243,887	0	16,292	
1b Sub-total						u	327,820		16,292	
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A						u				
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)						u				

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

	Yes	No
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	3	
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	4	
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	5	

Section B. Independent Contractors

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

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation

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

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

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

			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514	
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a Federated campaigns	1a					
	b Membership dues	1b					
	c Fundraising events	1c					
	d Related organizations	1d					
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e					
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	43,433				
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$						
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f	u		43,433			
Program Service Revenue	2a LIBRARY SUBSCRIPTIONS	Busn. Code	922,477	922,477			
	b MEMBERSHIP DUES		552,431	552,431			
	c SALES OF PUBLICATIONS		174,423	174,423			
	d GRANTS AND CONTRACTS		164,466	164,466			
	e ANNUAL MEETING AND TRADE		10,412	10,412			
	f All other program service revenue		8,506	8,506			
	g Total. Add lines 2a-2f	u		1,832,715			
	Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)	u	289,627			289,627
4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds		u					
5 Royalties		u	142,857			142,857	
6a Gross rents		(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
b Less: rental exps.							
c Rental inc. or (loss)							
d Net rental income or (loss)		u					
7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory		(i) Securities	(ii) Other				
b Less: cost or other basis & sales exps.							
c Gain or (loss)							
d Net gain or (loss)	u						
8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	a						
	b Less: direct expenses	b					
	c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events	u					
9a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a						
	b Less: direct expenses	b					
	c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities	u					
10a 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	u					
Miscellaneous Revenue		Busn. Code					
11a MISCELLANEOUS INCOME			49,768	49,768			
b							
c							
d All other revenue							
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d	u		49,768				
12 Total revenue. See instructions.	u		2,358,400	1,882,483	0	432,484	

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 governments and organizations in the U.S. See Part IV, line 21				
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U.S. See Part IV, line 22	23,077	23,077		
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U.S. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	83,933	57,978	19,162	6,793
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	243,888	168,469	55,679	19,740
7 Other salaries and wages	689,005	475,941	157,298	55,766
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)				
9 Other employee benefits	251,441	173,687	57,403	20,351
10 Payroll taxes	2,081		2,081	
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal	948		948	
c Accounting	31,990		31,990	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 7				
f Investment management fees				
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.)	345,579	209,732	135,847	
12 Advertising and promotion	6,479	6,153	326	
13 Office expenses	130,881	100,153	30,728	
14 Information technology	11,453		11,453	
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy				
17 Travel	48,639	12,131	36,508	
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	27,712	19,783	7,929	
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	24,044		24,044	
23 Insurance	11,296		11,296	
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 SCHOLARSHIPS	75,310	75,310		
b UTILITIES	61,227		61,227	
c BANK CHARGES	51,507	7,342	44,165	
d REBATE	51,236	51,236		
e All other expenses	128,194	37,653	90,541	
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	2,299,920	1,418,645	778,625	102,650
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

Part X Balance Sheet

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

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest bearing	1,192,206	1	1,077,632
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	100,000	2	
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4 Accounts receivable, net	87,105	4	48,830
	5 Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use	419,975	8	480,592
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	22,766	9	20,741
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a 1,778,441		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	10b 1,264,013	10c	514,428
	11 Investments—publicly traded securities	3,493,258	11	3,925,084
	12 Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13 Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14 Intangible assets		14	
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	43,762	15	50,461
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	5,876,296	16	6,117,768	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	290,964	17	363,403
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue	362,773	19	279,981
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22 Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24	
	25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D	714,286	25	571,429
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	1,368,023	26	1,214,813
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.			
	27 Unrestricted net assets	2,802,016	27	3,202,269
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets	1,706,257	28	1,700,686
	29 Permanently restricted net assets		29	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.			
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
33 Total net assets or fund balances	4,508,273	33	4,902,955	
34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	5,876,296	34	6,117,768	

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

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

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	2,358,400
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	2,299,920
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	58,480
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	4,508,273
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	336,202
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	
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	4,902,955

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

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

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

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

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.
u Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.
u 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

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY

Employer identification number

54-0683803

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

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

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

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		
 - (ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above?
 - (iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?
- h 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 or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col. (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col. (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col. (i) organized in the U.S.?		(vii) Amount of monetary support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
(A)									
(B)									
(C)									
(D)									
(E)									
Total									

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2013

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) u	(a) 2009	(b) 2010	(c) 2011	(d) 2012	(e) 2013	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
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						
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.						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) u	(a) 2009	(b) 2010	(c) 2011	(d) 2012	(e) 2013	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
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 IV.)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here <input type="checkbox"/>						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2013 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	%
15 Public support percentage from 2012 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	%
16a 33 1/3% support test—2013. 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 <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 33 1/3% support test—2012. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2013. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2012. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions <input type="checkbox"/>		

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

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

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) u	(a) 2009	(b) 2010	(c) 2011	(d) 2012	(e) 2013	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	938,042	413,109	181,428	87,775	43,433	1,663,787
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	1,634,207	2,224,055	1,829,346	1,954,201	1,882,483	9,524,292
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	2,572,249	2,637,164	2,010,774	2,041,976	1,925,916	11,188,079
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.)						11,188,079

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) u	(a) 2009	(b) 2010	(c) 2011	(d) 2012	(e) 2013	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6	2,572,249	2,637,164	2,010,774	2,041,976	1,925,916	11,188,079
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	462,117	64,708	505,414	110,764	432,484	1,575,487
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b	462,117	64,708	505,414	110,764	432,484	1,575,487
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)	3,034,366	2,701,872	2,516,188	2,152,740	2,358,400	12,763,566
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 <input type="checkbox"/>						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2013 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	87.66 %
16 Public support percentage from 2012 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	90.61 %

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2013 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	12 %
18 Investment income percentage from 2012 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	9 %

19a 33 1/3% support tests—2013. 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—2012. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

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

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

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

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

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AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY

54-0683803

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include: 1 Total number at end of year, 2 Aggregate contributions to (during year), 3 Aggregate 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" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include: 1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply), 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. (2a Total number of conservation easements, 2b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements, 2c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a), 2d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register), 3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year u, 4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located u, 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, and enforcing conservation easements during the year u, 7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year u \$, 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" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include: 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. 1b 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) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 u \$, (ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X u \$, 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 Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 u \$, b Assets included in Form 990, Part X u \$

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

- 3** Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):
- a** Public exhibition
 - b** Scholarly research
 - c** Preservation for future generations
 - d** Loan or exchange programs
 - e** Other
- 4** Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.
- 5** During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? Yes No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.

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

- 1a** Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? Yes No
- b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table:
- | | 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? Yes No
- b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII Yes No

Part V Endowment Funds.

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

- | | (a) Current year | (b) Prior year | (c) Two years back | (d) Three years back | (e) Four years back |
|---|------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 1a Beginning of year balance | | | | 114,456 | 69,549 |
| b Contributions | | | | | 44,907 |
| c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses | | | | | |
| d Grants or scholarships | | | | | |
| e Other expenditures for facilities and programs | | | | | |
| f Administrative expenses | | | | | |
| g End of year balance | | | | 114,456 | 114,456 |
- 2** Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:
- a** Board designated or quasi-endowment **u**
 - b** Permanent endowment **u**
 - c** Temporarily restricted endowment **u**
- The percentages in lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.
- 3a** Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:
- | | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----------|
| (i) unrelated organizations | | X |
| (ii) related organizations | | X |
- b** If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? Yes No
- 4** Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

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

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings		808,561	311,432	497,129
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		969,880	952,581	17,299
e Other				
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).) u				514,428

Part VII Investments—Other Securities.

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

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

Part VIII Investments—Program Related.

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

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

Part IX Other Assets.

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

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

Part X Other Liabilities.

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

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value	
(1) Federal income taxes		
(2) PUBLICATION RIGHTS ROYALTY	571,429	
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) u	571,429	

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

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

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

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

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U Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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

Name of the organization

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Employer identification number

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Part I

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

1 Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.

- a Mail solicitations
- b Internet and email solicitations
- c Phone solicitations
- d In-person solicitations
- e Solicitation of non-government grants
- f Solicitation of government grants
- g Special fundraising events

2a Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services? Yes No

b If "Yes," list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization.

	(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col. (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
			Yes	No			
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							
6							
7							
8							
9							
10							
Total							

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.

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

		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events	
		(event type)	(event type)	(total number)	(add col. (a) through col. (c))	
Revenue	1	Gross receipts				
	2	Less: Contributions				
	3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)				
Direct Expenses	4	Cash prizes				
	5	Noncash prizes				
	6	Rent/facility costs				
	7	Food and beverages				
	8	Entertainment				
	9	Other direct expenses				
	10	Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)				▶
	11	Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d)				▶

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

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

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities:
 a Is the organization licensed to operate 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:

**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" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.
u Attach to Form 990.

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

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

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
(1)								
(2)								
(3)								
(4)								
(5)								
(6)								
(7)								
(8)								
(9)								

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

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Schedule I (Form 990) (2013)

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

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
1 SCHOLARSHIPS & GRANTS		23,077			
2					
3					
4					
5					
6					
7					

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 - PROCEDURES FOR MONITORING THE USE OF GRANT FUNDS

GRANTS MADE ACCORDING TO GRADE POINT AVERAGE AND OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

REVIEWED BY COMMITTEES.

**SCHEDULE J
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Compensation Information

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

u Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 23.
u Attach to Form 990. u See separate instructions.

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

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Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

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

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

b If any of the boxes 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 uses to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.

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

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

- a** Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?
- b** Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?
- c** Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?
- If "Yes" to any of lines 4a–c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.

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

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

- a** The organization?
- b** Any related organization?
- If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.

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

- a** The organization?
- b** Any related organization?
- If "Yes" to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.

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

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

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

	Yes	No
1a		
1b		
2		
3		
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) 2013

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

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

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

(A) Name and Title	(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported as deferred in prior Form 990
	(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
GUS RASSAM	(i) 243,887	(ii) 0	(iii) 0	16,292	0	260,179	0
1 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	(ii) 0	(ii) 0	(iii) 0	0	0	0	0
2	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				
3	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				
4	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				
5	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				
6	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				
7	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				
8	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				
9	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				
10	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				
11	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				
12	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				
13	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				
14	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				
15	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				
16	(i)	(ii)	(iii)				

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.

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Name of the organization

AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY

Employer identification number

54-0683803**FORM 990 - ORGANIZATION'S MISSION**

TO PROMOTE THE CONSERVATION, DEVELOPMENT AND THE WISE USE OF FISHERIES. TO
PROMOTE AND EVALUATE THE DEVELOPMENT AND ADVANCEMENT OF FISHERIES SCIENCE
AND PRACTICES IN COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES AND TO CONTINUE THE PROFESSIONAL
DEVELOPMENT OF INDUSTRY WORKERS.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4D - ALL OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENT**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT****ANNUAL MEETING****MEMBERSHIP****FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 11B - ORGANIZATION'S PROCESS TO REVIEW FORM 990**

FORM 990 IS REVIEWED IN BY THE AFS ACCOUNTANTS, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR,
OFFICERS AND BOARD. ANY ISSUES DISCOVERED DURING THIS PROCESS ARE RESOLVED
AND THE FORM IS AMENDED ACCORDINGLY BEFORE SUBMITTING TO THE IRS.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 12C - ENFORCEMENT OF CONFLICTS POLICY

THE FORMS ARE SIGNED BY ALL GOVERNING BOARD MEMBERS AND STAFF EACH YEAR.
THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND ELECTED OFFICERS FOLLOW UP ON ANY INFORMATION
THAT INDICATES ANY CONFLICT OF INTEREST BY INVESTIGATING SUCH AN OCCURENCE
AND PROVIDING THAT INFORMATION TO LEGAL COUNSEL AND GOVERNING BODIES FOR
FURTHER ACTION. NO SUCH INFORMATION WAS RECEIVED OR PERCEIVED DURING 2010.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 15A - COMPENSATION PROCESS FOR TOP OFFICIAL

THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S COMPENSATION IS DETERMINED BY THE GOVERNING BOARD

Name of the organization

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THROUGH DELIBERATIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE ELECTED OFFICERS. THE CURRENT COMPENSATION LEVEL IS WITHIN A 4 YEAR CONTRACT THAT WAS DETERMINED THROUGH COMPARABILITY DATA. IT WAS REVIEWED BY INDEPENDENT LEGAL AUTHORITY AND SIGNED. THE ANNUAL COMPENSATION REVIEW IS MADE BY THE ELECTED OFFICERS AND THEN BY THE GOVERNING BOARD EACH YEAR THROUGH A PROCESS OF 360-DEGREE EVALUATION (STAFF-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR-ELECTED OFFICERS.)THESE PROCESSES AND THEIR OUTCOMES ARE DOCUMENTED IN THE BOARD MINUTES.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 15B - COMPENSATION PROCESS FOR OFFICERS
 COMPENSATION LEVELS OF OTHER STAFF ARE SET BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR BASED ON PERFORMANCE REVIEW AND COMPARABILITY DATA.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 19 - GOVERNING DOCUMENTS DISCLOSURE EXPLANATION
 THE ORGANIZATIONS GOVERNING DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY AND FINANCIAL RECORDS AVAILABLE ON THE WEB AND AT THE SOCIETY'S BUSINESS MEETINGS.

FORM 990, PART IX, LINE 11G - OTHER FEES FOR SERVICES

DESCRIPTION

	PROGRAM SERVICE	MGT & GENERAL	FUNDRAISING
PROFESSIONAL FEES			
	\$ 300	\$ 78,111	\$ 0
PROFESSIONAL FEES			
	\$ 82,855	\$ 5,581	\$ 0
PROFESSIONAL FEES			
	\$ 126,577	\$ 52,155	\$ 0

Form 990	Two Year Comparison Report	2012 & 2013
For calendar year 2013, or tax year beginning _____, ending _____		

Name **AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY** Taxpayer Identification Number **54-0683803**

		2012	2013	Differences
Revenue	1. Contributions, gifts, grants	87,775	43,433	-44,342
	2. Membership dues and assessments			
	3. Government contributions and grants	299,527		-299,527
	4. Program service revenue	1,876,374	1,832,715	-43,659
	5. Investment income	110,764	289,627	178,863
	6. Proceeds from tax exempt bonds			
	7. Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory			
	8. Net income or (loss) from fundraising events			
	9. Net income or (loss) from gaming			
	10. Net gain or (loss) on sales of inventory			
	11. Other revenue	220,684	192,625	-28,059
	12. Total revenue. Add lines 1 through 11	2,595,124	2,358,400	-236,724
Expenses	13. Grants and similar amounts paid	63,683	23,077	-40,606
	14. Benefits paid to or for members			
	15. Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.		83,933	83,933
	16. Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	1,188,145	1,186,415	-1,730
	17. Professional fundraising fees			
	18. Other professional fees	211,416	378,517	167,101
	19. Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	56,044		-56,044
	20. Depreciation and Depletion	23,958	24,044	86
	21. Other expenses	582,919	603,934	21,015
	22. Total expenses. Add lines 13 through 21	2,126,165	2,299,920	173,755
	23. Excess or (Deficit). Subtract line 22 from line 12	468,959	58,480	-410,479
Other Information	24. Total exempt revenue	2,595,124	2,358,400	-236,724
	25. Total unrelated revenue			
	26. Total excludable revenue	2,595,124	2,358,400	-236,724
	27. Total assets	5,876,296	6,117,768	241,472
	28. Total liabilities	1,368,021	1,214,813	-153,208
	29. Retained earnings	4,508,275	4,902,955	394,680
	30. Number of voting members of governing body	33	34	
	31. Number of independent voting members of governing body	33	33	
	32. Number of employees	21	21	
	33. Number of volunteers			

Form 990T	Two Year Comparison Report	2012 & 2013
For calendar year 2013, or tax year beginning _____, ending _____		

Name **AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY** Taxpayer Identification Number **54-0683803**

		2012	2013	Differences	
Revenue	1. Gross profit/loss on business activities	1.			
	2. Capital gains/losses	2.			
	3. Income/loss from partnerships and S corporations	3.			
	4. Rental income (net of expense)	4.			
	5. Unrelated debt-financed income (net of expense)	5.			
	6. Interest, and other income from controlled organizations (net of expense)	6.			
	7. Investment income of specific organizations (net of expense)	7.			
	8. Exploited exempt activity income (net of expense)	8.			
	9. Advertising income (net of expense)	9.			
	10. Other income	10.			
	11. Total trade or business income. Combine lines 1 through 10	11.			
Expenses	12. Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees	12.			
	13. Other salaries and wages	13.			
	14. Repairs and maintenance	14.			
	15. Bad debts	15.			
	16. Interest	16.			
	17. Taxes and licenses	17.			
	18. Charitable contributions	18.			
	19. Depreciation and Depletion	19.			
	20. Contributions to deferred compensation plans	20.			
	21. Employee benefit programs	21.			
	22. Other deductions	22.			
	23. Total deductions. Add lines 12 through 22	23.			
	24. Taxable income before NOL. Subtract line 23 from 11	24.			
	25. Net operating loss deduction	25.			
	26. Specific deduction	26.	1,000	1,000	
	27. Unrelated business taxable income.	27.	-1,000	-1,000	
	Tax & Credits	28. Income tax (corporate or trust)	28.		
29. Proxy tax		29.			
30. Alternative minimum tax		30.			
31. Total taxes		31.			
32. Other credits		32.			
33. General business credit		33.			
34. Credit for prior year minimum tax		34.			
35. Total credits		35.			
36. Net tax after credits		36.			
37. Recapture taxes		37.			
38. Total Taxes	38.				
Due/Refund	39. Prior year overpayment and estimated tax payments	39.			
	40. Payment made with extension	40.			
	41. Backup withholding and foreign withholding	41.			
	42. Other payments	42.			
	43. Total payments	43.			
	44. Balance due/(Overpayment)	44.			
	45. Overpayment applied to next year	45.			
	46. Penalties	46.			
	47. Total due/(Refund)	47.			

Form 990	Tax Return History	2013
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Name AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY	Employer Identification Number 54-0683803
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	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Contributions, gifts, grants				387,302	43,433	
Membership dues						
Program service revenue				1,876,374	1,832,715	
Capital gain or loss						
Investment income				110,764	289,627	
Fundraising revenue (income/loss)						
Gaming revenue (income/loss)						
Other revenue				220,684	192,625	
Total revenue				2,595,124	2,358,400	
Grants and similar amounts paid				63,683	23,077	
Benefits paid to or for members						
Compensation of officers, etc.					83,933	
Other compensation				1,188,145	1,186,415	
Professional fees					378,517	
Occupancy costs				56,044		
Depreciation and depletion				23,958	24,044	
Other expenses				794,335	603,934	
Total expenses				2,126,165	2,299,920	
Excess or (Deficit)				468,959	58,480	
Total exempt revenue				2,595,124	2,358,400	
Total unrelated revenue						
Total excludable revenue				2,595,124	2,358,400	
Total Assets				5,876,296	6,117,768	
Total Liabilities				1,368,021	1,214,813	
Net Fund Balances				4,508,275	4,902,955	

Form 990T	Tax Return History	2013
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Name AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY	Employer Identification Number 54-0683803
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	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Business activity profit/loss						
Capital gains/losses						
Partner and S Corp gain/loss						
Rental income*						
Debt-financed income*						
Controlled organizations income/interest*						
Investment income, specific organizations*						
Exploited exempt activity income*						
Other income						
Total trade or business income.						
Compensation of officers, ect.						
Other salaries and wages						
Repairs and maintenance						
Bad debts						
Interest						
Taxes and licenses						
Charitable contributions						
Depreciation and Depletion						
Deferred compensation plans						
Employee benefit programs						

Form 990T	Tax Return History	2013
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Name AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY	Employer Identification Number 54-0683803
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	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Other deductions						
Net operating loss deduction						
Specific deduction				1,000	1,000	
Income after expense and deductions				-1,000	-1,000	
Income tax (corporate or trust)						
Other taxes						
Total taxes						
General business credit						
Other credits						
Net tax after credits						
Estimated tax payments						
Other payments						
Balance due/Overpayment						

* Income shown net of expenses

Depreciation Adjustment Report

FYE: 12/31/2013 Mth: 12/31/2013 **All Business Activities**

<u>Form</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Asset</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Tax</u>	<u>AMT</u>	<u>AMT Adjustments/ Preferences</u>
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There are no assets that meet the criteria of this report

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Taxable Interest on Investments

<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Unrelated Business Code</u>	<u>Exclusion Code</u>	<u>Postal Code</u>	<u>Acquired after 6/30/75</u>	<u>US Obs (\$ or %)</u>
INTEREST	\$ 289,627		14			
TOTAL	\$ <u>289,627</u>					

Federal Statements

Form 990, Part IX, Line 11g - Other Fees for Service (Non-employee)

Description	Total Expenses	Program Service	Management & General	Fund Raising
PROFESSIONAL FEES	\$ 78,411	\$ 300	\$ 78,111	\$
PROFESSIONAL FEES	88,436	82,855	5,581	
PROFESSIONAL FEES	178,732	126,577	52,155	
TOTAL	\$ 345,579	\$ 209,732	\$ 135,847	\$ 0

Form 990, Part IX, Line 24e - All Other Expenses

Description	Total Expenses	Program Service	Management & General	Fund Raising
OFFSITE ORDER	\$ 34,867	\$ 34,867	\$	\$
MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	32,512		32,512	
BAD DEBT	30,899		30,899	
EDITORIAL FREELANCE	28,380	28,380		
EDITORIAL STIPEND	21,193	21,193		
COMMITTEE EXPENSE	13,835		13,835	
AWARDS	9,189	2,889	6,300	
COPYRIGHT BOOKS	6,698	6,698		
MISCELLANEOUS	4,874		4,874	
PLAQUES	2,198	2,198		
MEMBERSHIP	1,810	1,810		
CONTRIBUTIONS	1,051		1,051	
DUES & SUBSCRIPTIONS	711		711	
TRAINING WORKSHOP	359		359	
COST OF BOOKS SOLD	-60,382	-60,382		
TOTAL	\$ 128,194	\$ 37,653	\$ 90,541	\$ 0

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Schedule A, Part III, Line 1(e)

Description	Amount
CASH CONTRIBUTIONS	\$ 43,433
TOTAL	\$ 43,433

Schedule A, Part III, Line 2(e)

Description	Amount
LIBRARY SUBSCRIPTIONS	\$ 922,477
SALES OF REPRINTS	606
SALES OF PUBLICATIONS	174,423
ANNUAL MEETING AND TRADE	10,412
AFS FISH SLIDES AND VIDEOS	6,910
POSTAGE	990
GRANTS AND CONTRACTS	164,466
MEMBERSHIP DUES	552,431
MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	49,768
TOTAL	\$ 1,882,483

Schedule A, Part III, Line 10a(e)

Description	Amount
INTEREST	\$ 289,627
ROYALTY INCOME	142,857
TOTAL	\$ 432,484