# 990

# **Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

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Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations) ▶ Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.

Inspection Internal Revenue Service ▶ Information about Form 990 and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990. For the 2015 calendar year, or tax year beginning 01/01 2015, and ending . 20 15 C Name of organization SQUANNACOOK GREENWAYS D Employer identification number В Check if applicable: Address change Doing business as 45-3244076 Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite E Telephone number Name change Initial return 88 South Harbor Road 978-597-5413 City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code Final return/terminated Townsend, MA, 01469 G Gross receipts \$ 18,454 Amended return Application pending F Name and address of principal officer: Steve Meehan H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? Yes 7 Fox Run, Townsend, MA 01474 **H(b)** Are all subordinates included? Yes No If "No," attach a list. (see instructions) 501(c)(3) ) ◀ (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or Tax-exempt status: Website: ▶ www.SquannacookGreenways.org **H(c)** Group exemption number ▶ Form of organization: Corporation Trust Association L Year of formation: M State of legal domicile: MA Part I 1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: Squannacook Greenways' goal is to build, maintain, and promote the Squannacook River Rail Trail (SRRT) as a source of recreation and safe non-motorized Activities & Governance (Continued on Schedule O, Statement 1) 2 Check this box ▶☐ if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets. 3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) . . . . . 10 4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) 4 10 5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2015 (Part V, line 2a) 5 0 6 6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) . . . . . . . . . 200 Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 7a 0 Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34 7b 0 **Current Year** 8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) . . . 155 17,635 Revenue 9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) 0 0 10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) . . . . 44 819 11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e) . . . 0 0 12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) 199 18,454 13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3) . . . . . 0 0 14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) . . . . 0 0 15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10) 0 0 16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) . . . . . . . 0 0 Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ b 17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e) 3,574 8,197 18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) 3,574 8,197 19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12 . . . . . -3,375 10,257 End of Year **Beginning of Current Year** 20 Total assets (Part X, line 16) 25,671 34,378 21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) . 0 0 22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20 34,378 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 Signature of officer Date Here William Rideout, Treasurer Type or print name and title Print/Type preparer's name Preparer's signature Date **Paid** Check if self-employed **Preparer** Firm's name Firm's EIN ▶ **Use Only** 

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

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	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III
1	Briefly describe the organization's mission:
	Squannacook Greenways' goal is to build, maintain, and promote the Squannacook River Rail Trail (SRRT) as a source of
	recreation and safe non-motorized transportation. The Squannacook River Rail Trail is a proposed conversion of approximately 3.
	7 miles of abandoned railroad in Townsend and Groton Massachusetts into a recreational trail based on the successful model of (Continued on Schedule O, Statement 2)
2	Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the
_	prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?
	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?
	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 \$8,197 including grants of \$17,600 ) (Revenue \$0
	On March 1, 2015, Squannacook Greenways signed the MBTA lease granting us the legal right to build the Squannacook River
	Rail Trail. With that, our non-profit became the first in Massachusetts to sign a else with the MBTA. We that legal milestone past,
	we then turned our attention to the three major task needed to build a stone dust rail trail: fundraising, permitting, and outreach to
	abutters. In 2015 we raised \$26,300 in pledges, of which we collected \$17,600 by Dec. 31st. As of Dec 31 we had also prepared a
	number of grants ready for submission. We also have made preliminary contact with the state and local officials who will be
	involved with the permitting process. Finally, we set out letters to all residential and business abutters, and made contact with a
	significant number of them. We were also required to purchase insurance to maintain the MBTA lease. Since we were the first
	non-profit to sign the MBTA, we had difficulty obtaining insurance at a reasonable price, and due to time pressure, had to accept the first bid we received for just \$7000/year. This explains our high expenses in 2015. In 2016 we went through a more systematic
	approach and have driven our insurance costs below \$1000/year.
	approach and have driven our insurance costs below \$1000/year.
4b	(Code:) (Expenses \$including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
4c	(Code: ) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )
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4d	Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.)
<b>A</b> .	(Expenses \$ 0 including grants of \$ 0) (Revenue \$ 0)
4e	Total program service expenses ► 8,197

Part	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	1	,	
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)?	2	v	
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule C, Part I</i>	3		,
4	<b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>	4		,
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	5		~
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I	6		~
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule D, Part II</i>	7		,
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If</i> "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III	8		,
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>	9		~
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V	10		,
11	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.			
а	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI	11a		,
b	Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII	11b		_
	Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII </i>	11c		,
d	Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX	11d		_
	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> .	11e		\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \
12 a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII	12a		,
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	12b		,
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule $E$	13		~
14 a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a		~
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV.</i>	14b		_
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>	15		,
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.	16		-
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i> (see instructions)	17		,
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>	18		,
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III	19		,

Part l	V Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)			
			Yes	No
20 a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>	20a		~
b	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return? .	20b		
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or			
	domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	21		~
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on			
	Part IX, column (A), line 2? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	22		~
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the			-
23	organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated			
	employees? If "Yes," complete Schedule J	-		~
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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	24a		•
	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		
С	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year			
	to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c		
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		
25a	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit			
	transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a		~
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	25b		~
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 "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II	26		~
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee,			
21	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	27		~
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L,			-
20	Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):			
•	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28a		~
	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete	20a		
b	Schedule L. Part IV	28b		,
_	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof)	200		
С	was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	00-		.,
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29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	29		~
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule M</i>			
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31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N,	١		
00	Part I	31		~
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes,"			
00	complete Schedule N, Part II	32		~
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	33		~
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III,			
	or IV, and Part V, line 1	34		~
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a		~
b	If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a			
	controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	35b		
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable			
	related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36		~
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization			
	and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule R,			
	Part VI	37		~
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and			
	19? <b>Note.</b> All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O.	30	<b>'</b>	l

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	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			
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable			
С	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?			
20	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax	1c	~	
<b>2a</b>				
L	Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return  2a 0			
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? . <b>Note.</b> If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to <i>e-file</i> (see instructions)	2b		
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a		~
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O	3b		
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority	30		
тu	over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial			
	account)?	4a		1
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶			
	See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts			
	(FBAR).			
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a		~
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b		~
С	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5с		
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the			
	organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?	6a		~
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or			
_	gifts were not tax deductible?	6b		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).			
а	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?	7-		
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7a 7b		
C	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was	75		
Ŭ	required to file Form 8282?	7c		
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year			
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e		
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? .	7f		
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g		
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h		
8	<b>Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.</b> Did a donor advised fund maintained by the			
	sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.			
а	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a		
b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:			
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12			
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities . [10b]			
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:			
a h	Gross income from members or shareholders			
b	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?	12a		
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year   12b	. zu		

Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.

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. Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which 

14a Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year? . . . .

**b** If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O

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Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a

response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions. Section A. Governing Body and Management Nο 1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year . . . 10 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. Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent . 1b 10 2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with 2 ~ 3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person? 3 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed? 4 4 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets? . 5 5 6 6 Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint 7a Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, 7b Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following: 8a ~ 8b Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O. . . . . . . 9 Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.) Nο **10a** Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates? 10a If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes? 10b 11a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? 11a b Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990. **12a** Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? *If "No," go to line 13* 12a Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? ~ 12b Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," 12c 13 13 14 14 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? 15 Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision? The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official . . . . . . / 15a 15b If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions). 16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement 16a ~ b If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the Section C. Disclosure List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ▶ 17 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) 18 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) Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and 19 financial statements available to the public during the tax year. 20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records: William Rideout, (978)597-5413

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# 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 organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee. (C) Position (A) (B) (D) (E) (F) (do not check more than one Estimated Name and Title Average Reportable Reportable box, unless person is both an hours per compensation compensation from amount of officer and a director/trustee) veek (list any from related other Individual employee Institutional Highest organizations compensation hours for the organization related (W-2/1099-MISC) from the employee organizations (W-2/1099-MISC) organization compensated below dotted and related line) organizations trustee Peter Carson **Director** 0 0 0 0 Mark Cram 10 **Director** 0 0 0 Don Klein 5 v **Director** 0 0 0 0 5 Raynold Jackson **Director** 0 ~ 0 0 0 **Bruce Easom** 5 **Director** 0 0 0 0 Cedwyn Morgan 5 Director 0 0 0 0 Steve Meehan 10 **President** 0 0 0 0 Peter Cunningham 5 Vice-president 0 0 0 0 Joan Wotkowicz 10 Clerk 0 0 0 0 William Rideout 15 0 0 0 **Treasurer** 0

Part	VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trus	tees, Key E	mplo	yees	s, ar	nd F	lighe	st C	ompensated E	mployees (	continue	ed)		
(A) Name and title		(B) Average hours per	Average box, unless person is officer and a director					n an	(D)  Reportable compensation	(E)  Reportable compensation fror				
		week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	related organizatic (W-2/1099-N		compo froi orgar and	tner ensatio m the nizatior related nization	1
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2	Total number of individuals (including bu reportable compensation from the organ			nose	list	ed	above	e) w	nho received m	ore than \$1	00,000	of		
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3	Did the organization list any <b>former</b> of employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete</i>											3		1
4	For any individual listed on line 1a, is the organization and related organizations													
	individual											4		~
5	Did any person listed on line 1a receive of for services rendered to the organization											5		~
Section	on B. Independent Contractors											3		
1	Complete this table for your five highest compensation from the organization. Repear.													ax
	(A) Name and business add	dress							(B) Description of s	ervices	(	(C) Compens	ation	
None														
	Total number of independent contractor	ors (includir	na bi	ıt n	ot I	limit	ed to	   th	nose listed abo	ove) who				
_	received more than \$100,000 of compens	•	_						0					

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# Part VIII Statement of Revenue

		Check if Schedule O	contains	a res	ponse 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
ts	1a	Federated campaigns	·	1a	0				
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	b	Membership dues .		1b	0				
Y, G	С	Fundraising events .		1c	35				
ar /	d	Related organizations		1d	0				
s, G mië	е	Government grants (con		1e	0				
ion	f	All other contributions, gi			-				
but the		and similar amounts not inc	luded above	1f	17,600				
걸	g	Noncash contributions includ	led in lines 1a	-1f: \$	0				
a Co	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1	f		•	17,635			
ne					Business Code				
ven	2a								
æ	b								
<u>i</u>	С								
Ser	d								
E	е								
Program Service Revenue	f	All other program serv	vice revenu	ıe.					
<u>Ā</u>	g	Total. Add lines 2a-2				0			
	3	Investment income	. •						
		and other similar amo	-		<b>⊢</b>	819	819	0	0
	4	Income from investment		•	· · · · · ·	0	0	0	0
	5	Royalties				0	0	0	0
			(i) Real		(ii) Personal				
	6a	Gross rents		0					
	b	Less: rental expenses		0					
	C	Rental income or (loss)  Net rental income or (	(1000)	0		0	0	0	0
	d 7a	Gross amount from sales of	(i) Securit	ies	(ii) Other	0	0	0	0
	74	assets other than inventory	(,) 0000	0					
	b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses .		0	0				
	С	Gain or (loss)		0	0				
	d	Net gain or (loss) .			▶	0	0	0	0
Other Revenue		Gross income from fuevents (not including \$_of contributions reported See Part IV, line 18 . Less: direct expenses	ed on line 1	· a					
0		Net income or (loss) fi				0		0	0
		Gross income from gasee Part IV, line 19	ıming activi	ties.		- U		0	U
	b	Less: direct expenses							
		Net income or (loss) fi			vities ▶	0	0	0	0
	10a	Gross sales of in returns and allowance			0				
	b	Less: cost of goods s	old	. b	0				
	С	Net income or (loss) for		of inve		0	0	0	0
		Miscellaneous R	evenue		Business Code				
	11a								
	b								
	С								
	d	All other revenue .							
	е	Total. Add lines 11a-			-	0			
	12	Total revenue. See in	<u>nstructio</u> ns		🕨	18,454	819	0	0

# Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must com-

Sectio	n 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must con	·			
	Check if Schedule O contains a respon				
	t include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, , and 10b of Part VIII.	<b>(A)</b> Total expenses	<b>(B)</b> Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	<b>(D)</b> Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	0	0		
2	Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22	0	0		
3	Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	0	0		
4 5	Benefits paid to or for members Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	0	0	0	0
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	0	0	0	0
7 8	Other salaries and wages	0	0	0	0
9 10	Other employee benefits	0 0	0 0	0	0
11 a	Fees for services (non-employees):  Management	0	0	0	0
b c d	Legal	0 0	0 0	0	0 0
e f	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17 Investment management fees	0 171	171	0	0
g 12	Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.)	0 374	0 374	0	0
13 14	Office expenses	281	281	0	0
15 16	Royalties	0	0	0	0
17 18	Travel	0	0	0	0
19 20	Conferences, conventions, and meetings . Interest	0	0	0	0
21 22 23	Payments to affiliates	0 0 7,272	0 0 7,272	0	0
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.)	1,212	1,212		
a b c	MBTA 99 year lease	99	99	0	0
d e 25	All other expenses	8,197	8,197	0	0
26	Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here    if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)	2,22	2,000	Š	

# Part X Balance Sheet

		Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part	X		. $\square$
			<b>(A)</b> Beginning of year		<b>(B)</b> End of year
	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing	370	1	543
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	25,301	2	4,394
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	-,	3	
	4	Accounts receivable, net		4	0
	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	0
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section			
	0	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			
S		organizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L		6	0
Assets	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7	0
ASS	8	Inventories for sale or use		8	0
•	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		9	
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or		9	0
	IVa				
				10-	
	b			10c	
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities		11	29,441
	12	Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12	0
	13	Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	0
	14	Intangible assets		14	0
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		15	0
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	25,671	16	34,378
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	0		0
	18	Grants payable	0	-	0
	19	Deferred revenue		19	
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D .		21	
es	22	Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors,			
Ħ		trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and			
Liabilities		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		25	
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	0	26	0
ces		Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ▶ ✓ and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.			
an	27	Unrestricted net assets	25,671	27	34,378
Bal	28	Temporarily restricted net assets	0	28	0
Þ	29	Permanently restricted net assets	0	29	0
Net Assets or Fund Balances		Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ▶ □ and complete lines 30 through 34.			
ts (	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
Se	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31	
As	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds .		32	
ě	33	Total net assets or fund balances	25,671	33	34,378
_	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	25,671		34,378
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Part	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		1	8,454
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2			8,197
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3		1	0,257
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4		2	5,671
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5		-	1,550
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6			0
7	Investment expenses	7			0
8	Prior period adjustments	8			0
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9			0
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line				
	33, column (B))	10		3	4,378
Part	XII Financial Statements and Reporting				_
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII			<del></del>	<u></u>
	A			Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990:  Cash Accrual Other		.		
	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," ex Schedule O.	pıaın	in		
•					
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 com reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:	Siled	Of		
	·				
<b>L</b>	Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis		. 2b		~
D	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 audit	 .d on			
	separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:	a on	a		
	Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis				
С	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for or	/ersia	ht		
C	of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent account				
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, ex				
	Schedule O.	piani			
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set	forth	in		
Ju	the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		 . 3a		V
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo	rgo th		+	<u> </u>
-	required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such a		3b		
				QQA	(0045)

Form **990** (2015)

#### **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.

OMB No. 1545-0047

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-FZ.

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

Open to Public

Inspection

Name of the organization **Employer identification number SQUANNACOOK GREENWAYS** 45-3244076 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.) A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(i). A school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ).) A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). 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: 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.) 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.) An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 331/3% 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 331/3% 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.) An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See section 509(a)(4). An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2). See section 509(a)(3). Check the box in lines 11a through 11d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e, 11f, and 11g. Type I. A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B. Type II. A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C. Type III functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E. Type III non-functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V. Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type III, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization. Enter the number of supported organizations . . Provide the following information about the supported organization(s). (i) Name of supported organization (iii) Type of organization (iv) Is the organization (v) Amount of monetary (vi) Amount of (described on lines 1-9 listed in your governing support (see other support (see above (see instructions)) instructions) instructions) Yes No (A) (B) (C) (D) (E) Total

	(Complete only if you checked th				-	•	alify under
Socti	Part III. If the organization fails to on A. Public Support	quality unde	er the tests is	stea below, p	lease comple	ete Part III.)	
	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2011	<b>(b)</b> 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	<b>(e)</b> 2015	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	(a) 2011	(0) 2012	(6) 2010	(u) 2014	(6) 2013	(i) Iotai
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.						
	on B. Total Support			T			
_	idar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	<b>(a)</b> 2011	<b>(b)</b> 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	<b>(e)</b> 2015	(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 VI.)						
11 12	<b>Total support.</b> Add lines 7 through 10 Gross receipts from related activities, etc.	(see instructi	ons)			12	
13	<b>First five years.</b> If the Form 990 is for th organization, check this box and <b>stop her</b>	e organizatioi <b>'e</b>	n's first, secon	d, third, fourth		ear as a sectio	
Secti	on C. Computation of Public Suppor						
14 15	Public support percentage for 2015 (line 6 Public support percentage from 2014 Sch					14 15	<u>%</u>
16a	33 <sup>1</sup> /3% support test—2015. If the organize box and stop here. The organization qual	ifies as a pub	licly supported	organization			. ▶ □
b	331/3% support test—2014. If the organicheck this box and stop here. The organic					15 is 33 <sup>1</sup> /3%	or more, . ▶ □
17a	10%-facts-and-circumstances test—20 10% or more, and if the organization meet Part VI how the organization meets the "factorganization".	ets the "facts-	and-circumsta	inces" test, ch	eck this box ar	nd <b>stop here.</b> I	Explain in
b	10%-facts-and-circumstances test—20 15 is 10% or more, and if the organizati Explain in Part VI how the organization me supported organization	ion meets the eets the "fact	e "facts-and-ci	ircumstances" tances" test. T	test, check th	nis box and <b>st</b>	op here.
18	<b>Private foundation.</b> If the organization did				a, or 17b, chec	k this box and	see

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

## 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.)

Secti	on A. Public Support			, , ,	1	,	
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2011	<b>(b)</b> 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) 2015	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees						
	received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	6,593	5,500	18,500	100	17,600	48,293
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		70	106	55	35	266
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	6,593	5,570	18,606	155	17,635	48,559
7a	Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3	,		,			,
	received from disqualified persons .			0			0
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			0			0
С	Add lines 7a and 7b	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	Public support. (Subtract line 7c from				-		
	line 6.)						48,559
Secti	on B. Total Support			•			,
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2011	<b>(b)</b> 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) 2015	(f) Total
9	Amounts from line 6	6,593	5,570	18,606	155	17,635	48,559
10a	Gross income from interest, dividends,						
	payments received on securities loans, rents,						
	royalties and income from similar sources .	1	14	36	44	819	914
b	Unrelated business taxable income (less						
	section 511 taxes) from businesses						
	acquired after June 30, 1975						
С	Add lines 10a and 10b	1	14	36	44	819	914
11	Net income from unrelated business						
	activities not included in line 10b, whether						
	or not the business is regularly carried on						
12	Other income. Do not include gain or						
	loss from the sale of capital assets						
	(Explain in Part VI.)						
13	Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11,						
	and 12.)	6,594	5,584	18,642	199	18,454	49,473
14	First five years. If the Form 990 is for the	•					
	organization, check this box and stop he						🕨 📙
	on C. Computation of Public Suppor					11	
15	Public support percentage for 2015 (line 8					15	98.15 %
16	Public support percentage from 2014 Sch					16	99.69 %
	on D. Computation of Investment In				(5)	47	01
17	Investment income percentage for 2015 (				. , ,	17	1.85 %
18	Investment income percentage from 2014					18	0.31 %
19a	331/3% support tests—2015. If the organ						
	17 is not more than 33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> %, check this box						
b	331/3% support tests – 2014. If the organiz						
00	line 18 is not more than 33½%, check this l	_	=				_
20	Private foundation. If the organization di	и посспеска і	oox on ine 14,	i sa, or 190, C	TIECK THS DOX	anu see mstru	ctions 🕨 📋

## Part IV Supporting Organizations

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

## **Section A. All Supporting Organizations**

,,,,	on 7 th Capporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If "No," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.	1		
2	Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).	2		
3a	Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.	3a		
b	Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> when and how the organization made the determination.	3b		
С	Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.	3c		
4a	Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes," and if you checked 11a or 11b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.	4a		
b	Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.	4b		
С	Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B)			
	purposes.	4c		
5a	Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> , including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).			
<b>L</b>		5a		
D	<b>Type I or Type II only.</b> Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?	5b		
С	Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?	5c		
6	d the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to be a supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited or one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or enefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI.</b>			
7	Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with	6		
	regard to a substantial contributor? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).	7		
8	Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).	8		
9a	Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more	0		
<b>-</b>	disqualified persons as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> .	9a		
b	Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI.</b>	9b		
С	Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI.</b>	9c		
0a	Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? If "Yes," answer 10b below.	10-		
h	Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to	10a		
~	determine whether the experiential had expect harings in the tax year: (056 our educe of 10111 4720, to	406		

Part	V Supporting Organizations (continued)			
			Yes	No
11	Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?			
а	A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (b) and (c)			
	below, the governing body of a supported organization?	11a		
	A family member of a person described in (a) above?	11b		
	A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI.	11c		
Section	on B. Type I Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the			
	tax year? If "No," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or			
	controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization,			
	describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported			
	organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.	1		
2	Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported	•		
_	organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part</b>			
	<b>VI</b> how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated,			
	supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.	2		
Section	on C. Type II Supporting Organizations			
	71 11 0 0		Yes	No
1	Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors			
	or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control			
	or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed			
	the supported organization(s).	1		
Section	on D. All Type III Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the			
	organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax			
	year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?	_		
_		1		
2	Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported			
	organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in <b>Part VI</b> how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).	2		
3	By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a			
3	significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's			
	income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> the role the organization's			
	supported organizations played in this regard.	3		
Section	on E. Type III Functionally-Integrated Supporting Organizations			
1	Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see i	netru	ctions	e).
		iistiu	CHOIR	<b>3</b> ).
a	☐ The organization satisfied the Activities Test. <i>Complete line 2 below.</i> ☐ The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. <i>Complete line 3 below.</i>			
b c	The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. <i>Complete line's below.</i> The organization supported a governmental entity. <i>Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see the organization supported organization supported organization supported a government entity (see the organization supported organiz</i>	oo inc	truoti	one)
Ū	The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in rail vision you supported a government entity (s	ee iiis	ucin	Ji 13).
2	Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.		Yes	No
а	Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of			
	the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in <b>Part VI identify</b>			
	those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes,			
	how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.			
	·	2a		
b	Did the activities described in (a) constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more			
	of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these			
	activities but for the organization's involvement.	OL		
2	•	2b		
3	Parent of Supported Organizations. <i>Answer (a) and (b) below</i> .  Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or			
а	trustees of each of the supported organizations? <i>Provide details in Part VI.</i>	3a		
b	Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each	Ja		
	of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> the role played by the organization in this regard.	3b		

instructions).

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Org	gani	zations	
1 Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must co			
Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Net short-term capital gain	1		
2 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2		
3 Other gross income (see instructions)	3		
4 Add lines 1 through 3	4		
5 Depreciation and depletion	5		
6 Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6		
7 Other expenses (see instructions)	7		
8 Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6 and 7 from line 4)	8		
Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):			
a Average monthly value of securities	1a		
<b>b</b> Average monthly cash balances	1b		
c Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c		
d Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d		
e Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI):			
2 Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2		
3 Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3		
4 Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4		
5 Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5		
6 Multiply line 5 by .035	6		
7 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7		
8 Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8		
Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1 Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	1		
<b>2</b> Enter 85% of line 1	2		
3 Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	3		
<b>4</b> Enter greater of line 2 or line 3	4		
5 Income tax imposed in prior year	5		
6 Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to			
emergency temporary reduction (see instructions)	6		
7 Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functional	ly-in	tegrated Type III support	ing organization (see

Part	Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations (continued)					
Secti	on D - Distributions			Current Year		
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish	exempt purposes				
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exe	empt purposes of suppo	rted			
	organizations, in excess of income from activity					
3_	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purp	oses of supported orga	nizations			
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets					
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)					
<u>6</u>	Other distributions (describe in <b>Part VI</b> ). See instructions.					
	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.	L 46				
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to whic	n the organization is res	ponsive			
9	(provide details in <b>Part VI</b> ). See instructions.  9 Distributable amount for 2015 from Section C, line 6					
10	Line 8 amount divided by Line 9 amount					
	Elife o amount divided by Elife o amount		(ii)	(iii)		
S	ection E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	Underdistributions Pre-2015	Distributable Amount for 2015		
_1_	Distributable amount for 2015 from Section C, line 6					
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2015					
	(reasonable cause required-see instructions)					
	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015:					
a						
b						
c	From 2013					
<u>u</u>	From 2013					
f	Total of lines 3a through e					
g	Applied to underdistributions of prior years					
<del></del> _h	Applied to 2015 distributable amount					
i	Carryover from 2010 not applied (see instructions)					
j	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.					
4	Distributions for 2015 from Section					
-	D, line 7: \$					
а	Applied to underdistributions of prior years					
b	Applied to 2015 distributable amount					
С	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.					
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2015, if					
	any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2 (if amount					
	greater than zero, see instructions).					
6	Remaining underdistributions for 2015. Subtract lines 3h					
	and 4b from line 1 (if amount greater than zero, see					
	instructions).					
	<b>Excess distributions carryover to 2016</b> . Add lines 3j and 4c.					
8	Breakdown of line 7:					
a						
b						
C	Excess from 2013					
d	Excess from 2014					
е	Excess from 2015					

Part VI	III, line 12; Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a and 3b; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V, Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions.)

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**Employer identification number** Name of the organization **SQUANNACOOK GREENWAYS** 45-3244076 Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 11b - Draft form 990 sent by email to all board members for comments before it is submitted Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 12c - Discussed yearly at board meetings Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 15 - We have no paid employees and so have not yet had to use this policy. Form 990, Part VI, Section C, Line 19 - All these documents are available on our web site and by request.

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