



Florida Department of Environmental Protection

**CITIZEN SUPPORT ORGANIZATION  
2014 REPORT**

**IMPLEMENTATION OF COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 1194**

Citizen Support Organization (CSO) Name: The Barnacle Society, Inc.

Mailing Address: 3485 Main Highway, Coconut Grove, Florida 33133

Telephone Number: 305-442-6866 Website Address (if applicable): www.TheBarnacle.org

**Statutory Authority:**

**Section 20.2551, F.S., Citizen support organizations; use of property; audit; public records; partnerships.** In summary, the statute specifies the organizational requirements, operational parameters, duties of a CSO to support the Department of Environmental Protection (Department), or individual units of the Department, use of Department property, audit requirements, public records requirements, and authorizes public-private partnerships to enhance lands managed by the Department.

**Section 258.015, F.S., Citizen support organizations; use of property; audit.** In summary, the statute defines a CSO, requires authorization by the Division of Recreation and Parks, and specifies the use of property. This statute authorizes the Partnerships in Parks (PIP) program for state parks, the program's operational parameters, CSO's operational parameters, and donor recognition.

**Brief Description of the CSO's Mission:**

The Barnacle Society, Inc. is a volunteer nonprofit, citizen-support organization created to generate public awareness, education, and financial support for the preservation and maintenance of The Barnacle Historic State Park. Its members are local citizens dedicated to the preservation of The Barnacle.

**Brief Description of the CSO's Results Obtained:**

- Host a wide variety of fundraising and educational events and programs at The Barnacle:
  - Moonlight Concert Series from September through May
  - Children's Concerts
  - Old Time Dance Series year-round
  - Starlight Classic Movie Series twice a year
  - Hitchcock Film Festival
  - Up Past Bedtime Kids' Movie Series two to three times per year
  - Art Festivals
  - Twice-weekly Yoga by the Sea
  - Annual Lawn Parties:
    - Commodore's Birthday Party
    - Fall Fundraiser
  - Annual Celebrations in the Park:
    - Washington's Birthday Regatta
    - Hot Chili, Cool Cars
    - Earth Day
    - Dog Days
    - Cars & Cigars Father's Day
    - Old-Fashioned July 4 Picnic
    - Chanukah at The Barnacle
    - Christmas
- Maintain involvement with local community through partnerships with :
  - Grove Merchants
  - Coconut Grove Business Improvement District
  - Coconut Grove Chamber of Commerce
  - Coconut Grove Village Council
  - and other civic organizations
    - Dade Heritage

- Rotary
  - The Villagers
  - King Mango
  - CG Bed Race
  - Shakespeare Miami
- Created Strategic Plan with long-range goals (in revision process currently).
- Augment park budget as needed.
- With Grants awarded to The Barnacle Society, funded:
  - Boathouse Foundation Restoration
  - Boathouse Hurricane Repairs
  - ADA Walkway by The Barnacle
  - Main Source of Funding for Carriage House Re-Roofing Project
- Funded:
  - Restroom ADA Renovations
  - Construction of Climate-Controlled Collections Storage
  - Restoration of Marine Railway
  - Construction of Boatyard Skiff
  - Reprinting of The Commodore's Story by Ralph Munroe and Vincent Gilpin
  - Reprinting of *The Forgotten Frontier: Florida through the Lens of Ralph Middleton Munroe*, a collection of photographs taken by Commodore Munroe
  - Re-roofing of *Micco* Pavilion after Hurricanes Katrina and Wilma
  - Re-decking of Barnacle Porch after 2005 Hurricane Season
  - A portion of the brickwork replacement at Park entrance
  - Projects for National Public Lands Day 2013
  - Projects for Make A Difference Day 2013
- Continual funding of:
  - Park's electronic entrance gate repair and upkeep.
  - Upkeep of four wooden sailboats, including The Barnacle's *Egret*.
- Created extensive Gift Shop as a fundraising mechanism for the benefit of The Barnacle.
- Developed website and social media outreach program.

## **Brief Description of the CSO's Plans for Next Three Fiscal Years:**

### Financial Support

- Continue to host a wide variety of fundraising and educational events and programs at The Barnacle:
  - Moonlight Concert Series from September through May
  - Children's Concerts
  - Old Time Dance Series year-round
  - Starlight Classic Movie Series twice a year
  - Hitchcock Film Festival
  - Up Past Bedtime Kids' Movie Series two to three times per year
  - Art Festivals
  - Twice-weekly Yoga by the Sea
  - Annual Lawn Parties:
    - Commodore's Birthday Party
    - Fall Fundraiser
- Continue to augment park budget as needed.
- Seek grant funding and major contributions for Park Projects as needed.
- Continue funding of:
  - Park's electronic entrance gate repair and upkeep.
  - Upkeep of four wooden sailboats, including The Barnacle's *Egret*.
  - Complete restoration of *Wyannie Malone*.
- Continue using Gift Shop as a fundraising mechanism for the benefit of The Barnacle.
- Create on-line Museum Shop.
- Explore initiating major capital fund-raising program.
- Develop corporate membership/sponsorship outreach program.
- Reinstate Annual Giving Campaign.

### Public Awareness

- Annual Celebrations in the Park:
  - Washington's Birthday Regatta
  - Hot Chili, Cool Cars
  - Earth Day
  - Dog Days
  - Cars & Cigars Father's Day
  - Old-Fashioned July 4 Picnic
  - Chanukah at The Barnacle
  - Christmas
- Continue involvement with local community through partnerships with:
  - Grove Merchants
  - Coconut Grove Business Improvement District
  - Coconut Grove Chamber of Commerce
  - Coconut Grove Village Council
  - and other civic organizations
    - Dade Heritage
    - Rotary
    - The Villagers
    - King Mang
    - CG Bed Race
    - Shakespeare Miami
- Update and improve website and social media outreach program as needed.
- Continually review outreach activities to develop new ways to Promote The Barnacle and TBS Membership.

### Educational Activities

- Explore educational endeavors regarding Munroe and his yachts.
- Assist in expanding park's interpretive and outreach programming.
- Develop Boat-building Educational Program.
- Host Upper Level Membership Lecture Event.
- Develop additional programs and events (in partnership with other organizations as opportunities arise).
- Explore partnerships with the local Biscayne Bay Sailing Community.
- Explore reprinting *Season of Innocence*, reminiscences of Patty Munroe (the Commodore's daughter)

### Administrative Activities

- Complete revision of TBS's Strategic Plan with long-range goals.
- Complete an annual internal "CSO Assessment" to ensure best administrative practices are maintained

- ☒ **Copy of the CSO's Code of Ethics attached** (*Model provided; see CSO 2014 instructions*)
- ☒ **Certify the CSO has completed and provided to the Department the organization's most recent Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-N/Annual Financial Statement**

# **The Barnacle Society, Inc.**

## **Code of Ethics**

Approved and Recommended by The Barnacle Society's Executive Committee

Awaiting Full Board Adoption

### **PREAMBLE**

- (1) It is essential to the proper conduct and operation of The Barnacle Society, Inc. (herein TBS) that its board members, officers, and employees be independent and impartial and that their position not be used for private gain. Therefore, the Florida Legislature in Section 112.3251, Florida Statute (F.S.), requires that the law protect against any conflict of interest and establish standards for the conduct of TBS board members, officers, and employees in situations where conflicts may exist.
- (2) It is hereby declared to be the policy of the state that no TBS board member, officer, or employee shall have any interest, financial or otherwise, direct or indirect, or incur any obligation of any nature which is in substantial conflict with the proper discharge of his or her duties for TBS. To implement this policy and strengthen the faith and confidence of the people in Citizen Support Organizations, there is enacted a code of ethics setting forth standards of conduct required of The Barnacle Society, Inc. board members, officers, and employees in the performance of their official duties.

### **STANDARDS**

The following standards of conduct are enumerated in Chapter 112, F.S., and are required by Section 112.3251, F.S., to be observed by TBS board members, officers, and employees.

#### **1. Prohibition of Solicitation or Acceptance of Gifts**

No TBS board member, officer, or employee shall solicit or accept anything of value to the recipient, including a gift, loan, reward, promise of future employment, favor, or service, based upon any understanding that the vote, official action, or judgment of TBS board member, officer, or employee would be influenced thereby.

#### **2. Prohibition of Accepting Compensation Given to Influence a Vote**

No TBS board member, officer, or employee shall accept any compensation, payment, or thing of value when she/he knows, or, with reasonable care, should know that it was given to influence a vote or other action in which TBS board member, officer, or employee was expected to participate in his or her official capacity.

#### **3. Salary and Expenses**

No TBS board member or officer shall be prohibited from voting on a matter affecting his or her salary, expenses, or other compensation as a board member or officer of TBS, as provided by law.

**4. Prohibition of Misuse of Position**

A board member, officer, or employee of TBS shall not corruptly use or attempt to use one's official position or any property or resource which may be within one's trust, or perform official duties, to secure a special privilege, benefit, or exemption.

**5. Prohibition of Misuse of Privileged Information**

No TBS board member, officer, or employee shall disclose or use information not available to members of the general public and gained by reason of one's official position for one's own personal gain or benefit or for the personal gain or benefit of any other person or business entity.

**6. Post-Office/Employment Restrictions**

A person who has been elected to TBS board or office or is employed by TBS may not personally represent another person or entity for compensation before the governing body of TBS of which he/she was a board member, officer, or employee for a period of two years after he/she vacates that office or employment position.

**7. Prohibition of Employees Holding Office**

No person may be, at one time, both an employee and board member of TBS at the same time.

**8. Requirements to Abstain From Voting**

A board member or officer of TBS shall not vote in official capacity upon any measure which would affect his/her special private gain or loss, or which he/she knows would affect the special gain or any principal by whom the board member or officer is retained. When abstaining, the board member or officer of TBS, prior to the vote being taken, shall make every reasonable effort to disclose the nature of his/her interest as a public record in a memorandum filed with the person responsible for recording the minutes of the meeting, who shall incorporate the memorandum in the minutes. If it is not possible for the board member or officer of TBS to file a memorandum before the vote, the memorandum must be filed with the person responsible for recording the minutes of the meeting no later than 15 days after the vote.

**9. Failure to Observe TBS Code of Ethics**

Failure of a board member, officer, or employee of TBS to observe the Code of Ethics may result in the removal of that person from their position. Further, failure of TBS to observe the Code of Ethics may result in the Florida Department of Environmental Protection terminating its Agreement with TBS.

Form **990-EZ**

# Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

OMB No. 1545-1150

**2013**Open to Public  
InspectionDepartment of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Do not enter Social Security numbers on this form as it may be made public.

Information about Form 990-EZ and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).**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**THE BARNACLE SOCIETY, INC.**

Number and street (or P.O. box, if mail is not delivered to street address)

**3485 MAIN HIGHWAY**

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code

**COCONUT GROVE****FL 33133-5915****D** Employer identification number**59-2662462****E** Telephone number**305-442-6866****F** Group Exemption

Number ▶

**G** Accounting Method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual Other (specify) ▶**I** Website: ▶ **THEBARNACLE.ORG****H** Check ☒ if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).**J** Tax-exempt status (check only one) — ☒ 501(c)(3) ☐ 501(c) ( ) (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527**K** Form of organization: ☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other**L** Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts. If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets

(Part II, column (B) below) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ

▶ \$ **75,665****Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances** (see the instructions for Part I)Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I ☒

Revenue	1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	<b>21,526</b>
	2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
	3	Membership dues and assessments	3	
	4	Investment income	4	<b>67</b>
	5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
	b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
	c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	
	6	Gaming and fundraising events		
	a	Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000)	6a	
	b	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions from fundraising events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the sum of such gross income and contributions exceeds \$15,000)	6b	<b>47,066</b>
c	Less: direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events	6c	<b>27,738</b>	
d	Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c)	6d	<b>19,328</b>	
7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	<b>7,006</b>	
b	Less: cost of goods sold	7b	<b>8,431</b>	
c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	<b>-1,425</b>	
8	Other revenue (describe in Schedule O)	8		
9	<b>Total revenue.</b> Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8	9	<b>39,496</b>	
Expenses	10	Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O)	10	
	11	Benefits paid to or for members	11	
	12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	
	13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	<b>625</b>
	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	
	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	
	16	Other expenses (describe in Schedule O)	16	<b>25,126</b>
17	<b>Total expenses.</b> Add lines 10 through 16	17	<b>25,751</b>	
Net Assets	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	<b>13,745</b>
	19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	<b>105,184</b>
	20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	20	
	21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	21	<b>118,929</b>

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

Form **990-EZ** (2013)

**Part II Balance Sheets** (see the instructions for Part II)Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part II ☐

	(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments	105,184	22	118,929
23 Land and buildings	0	23	
24 Other assets (describe in Schedule O)	0	24	
25 Total assets	105,184	25	118,929
26 Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O)	0	26	0
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	105,184	27	118,929

**Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments** (see the instructions for Part III)Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part III ☒

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose?

SEE SCHEDULE O

Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title.

**Expenses**

(Required for section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts; optional for others.)

28 SEE SCHEDULE O		
(Grants \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	28a	10,294
29		
(Grants \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	29a	
30		
(Grants \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	30a	
31 Other program services (describe in Schedule O)		
(Grants \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	31a	
32 Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a)	32	10,294

**Part IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees** (list each one even if not compensated — see the instructions for Part IV)Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part IV ☐

(a) Name and title	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC) (if not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
C. ALYN PRUETT PRESIDENT	6.00	0	0	0
SWEET PEA ELLMAN 1ST VICE PRESIDENT	4.00	0	0	0
DEBRA WELLINS 2ND VICE PRESIDENT	4.00	0	0	0
JOHN W. POWERS TREASURER	8.00	0	0	0
LILIAN A. WALBY CORRESPONDING SEC	4.00	0	0	0
PAMELA J. SHLACHTMAN RECORDING SEC	4.00	0	0	0
ROBERT D. BRENNAN DIRECTOR	2.00	0	0	0
LOLLY ANDERSON DIRECTOR	2.00	0	0	0
PRISCILLA GREENFIELD DIRECTOR	2.00	0	0	0
VICKY KATZ DIRECTOR	2.00	0	0	0
LOUIS MICHAEL DEL BORRELLO DIRECTOR	2.00	0	0	0
MARY SCOTT RUSSELL DIRECTOR	2.00	0	0	0







**Part V Other Information** (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirements in the instructions for Part V) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part V ☐

	Yes	No
33 Did the organization engage in any significant activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O		X
34 Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name. Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O (see instructions)		X
35a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year from business activities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)?		X
b If "Yes," to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O		
35b		
c Was the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III		X
35c		
36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N		X
36		
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions		
37a		
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
37b		
38a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return?		X
38a		
b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved		
38b		
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9		
39a		
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities		
39b		
40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 <input type="checkbox"/> ; section 4912 <input type="checkbox"/> ; section 4955 <input type="checkbox"/>		
b Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year, or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I		X
40b		
c Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958		
d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization		
e All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T		X
40e		
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed <b>FL</b>		
42a The organization's books are in care of <b>JOHN W. POWERS</b> Telephone no. <b>305-444-4286</b>		
<b>3803 LITTLE AVENUE</b>		
Located at <b>COCONUT GROVE</b> <b>FL</b> ZIP + 4 <b>33133-6412</b>		
b 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)?	Yes	No
42b		X
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: <input type="checkbox"/>		
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside the U.S.?		X
42c		
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: <input type="checkbox"/>		
43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 — Check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year <b>43</b>		
44a Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		X
44a		
b Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		X
44b		
c Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?		X
44c		
d If "Yes" to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O		
44d		
45a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		X
45a		
45b 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," Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of Form 990-EZ (see instructions)		X
45b		

- 46 Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I.

	Yes	No
46		X

**Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations only**

All section 501(c)(3) organizations must answer questions 47-49b and 52, and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part VI ☐

- 47 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

	Yes	No
47		X

- 48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E

48		X
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- 49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?

49a		X
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- b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?

49b		
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- 50 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and title of each employee	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
NONE				

- f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 ▶

- 51 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and business address of each independent contractor	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

- d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000 ▶

- 52 Did the organization complete Schedule A? **Note.** All section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A ▶

☒ Yes ☐ No

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.

<b>Sign Here</b>	Signature of officer <b>JOHN W. POWERS</b>	Date <b>TREASURER</b>
	Type or print name and title	

<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name <b>RUSSELL C. FERGUSON</b>	Preparer's signature	Date <b>05/28/14</b>	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN <b>P00853912</b>
	Firm's name ▶ <b>RUSSELL C. FERGUSON, P.A.</b>	Firm's EIN ▶ <b>20-8071325</b>			
	Firm's address ▶ <b>7600 RED ROAD, SUITE 206 MIAMI, FL 33143-5408</b>	Phone no. <b>305-665-4926</b>			

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions ▶

☒ Yes ☐ No

**SCHEDULE A**  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

**Public Charity Status and Public Support**

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2013**Open to Public  
Inspection

Employer identification number

59-2662462

**THE BARNACLE SOCIETY, INC.****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? \_\_\_\_\_
- (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).

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

(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)									
<b>Total</b>									

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

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

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 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 <b>Total.</b> 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 <b>Public support.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4.						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(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 <b>Total support.</b> Add lines 7 through 10						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	
13 <b>First five years.</b> 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 <b>stop here</b> ► <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 <b>33 1/3% support test—2013.</b> If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► <input type="checkbox"/>		
b <b>33 1/3% support test—2012.</b> 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 <b>stop here.</b> The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► <input type="checkbox"/>		
17a <b>10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2013.</b> 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 <b>stop here.</b> 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 <b>10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2012.</b> 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 <b>stop here.</b> 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 <b>Private foundation.</b> 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) ►	(a) 2009	(b) 2010	(c) 2011	(d) 2012	(e) 2013	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	14,011	21,876	34,261	24,627	21,526	116,301
<b>2</b> 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						
<b>3</b> Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513	20,386	52,314	47,405	40,369	54,072	214,546
<b>4</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
<b>5</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge	40,675	75,854	101,047	90,320	85,703	393,599
<b>6 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5	75,072	150,044	182,713	155,316	161,301	724,446
<b>7a</b> Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
<b>b</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						
<b>c</b> Add lines 7a and 7b						
<b>8 Public support.</b> (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						724,446

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2009	(b) 2010	(c) 2011	(d) 2012	(e) 2013	(f) Total
<b>9</b> Amounts from line 6	75,072	150,044	182,713	155,316	161,301	724,446
<b>10a</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	1,096	934	221	201	67	2,519
<b>b</b> Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
<b>c</b> Add lines 10a and 10b	1,096	934	221	201	67	2,519
<b>11</b> Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
<b>12</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
<b>13 Total support.</b> (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)	76,168	150,978	182,934	155,517	161,368	726,965

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

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

<b>15</b> Public support percentage for 2013 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	<b>15</b>	99.65 %
<b>16</b> Public support percentage from 2012 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	<b>16</b>	99.28 %

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

<b>17</b> Investment income percentage for 2013 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	<b>17</b>	%
<b>18</b> Investment income percentage from 2012 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	<b>18</b>	1 %

- 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 ☐

## Part IV

**Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; and Part III, line 12. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

**SCHEDULE G**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service**Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities**

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.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

▶ Information about Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

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**THE BARNACLE SOCIETY, INC.**

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**59-2662462****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						
<b>Total</b>						

**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.



**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>COMMODORE BD</b> (event type)	(b) Event #2 <b>MOONLIGHT</b> (event type)	(c) Other events <b>NONE</b> (total number)	(d) Total events (add col. (a) through col. (c))
<b>Revenue</b>				
1 Gross receipts	13,354	12,402		25,756
2 Less: Contributions				
3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	13,354	12,402		25,756
<b>Direct Expenses</b>				
4 Cash prizes				
5 Noncash prizes				
6 Rent/facility costs				
7 Food and beverages				
8 Entertainment				
9 Other direct expenses	5,434	2,905		8,339
10 Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)				8,339
11 Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d)				17,417

**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))
<b>Revenue</b>				
1 Gross revenue				
<b>Direct Expenses</b>				
2 Cash prizes				
3 Noncash prizes				
4 Rent/facility costs				
5 Other direct expenses				
6 Volunteer labor	<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:

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11 Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers? ☐ Yes ☐ No

12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? ☐ Yes ☐ No

13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in:

a The organization's facility	13a	%
b An outside facility	13b	%

14 Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:

Name ▶

Address ▶

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

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

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

Name ▶

Address ▶

16 Gaming manager information:

Name ▶

Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$

Description of services provided ▶

☐ Director/officer ☐ Employee ☐ Independent contractor

17 Mandatory distributions:

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

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

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

**SCHEDULE O**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

**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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**THE BARNACLE SOCIETY, INC.****59-2662462****FORM 990-EZ, PART I, LINE 16 - OTHER EXPENSES****DESCRIPTION****AMOUNT****EXPENSES****NEWS PACKET** \$ 2,677**WEBALOO MONTHLY** \$ 1,469**DONATION BY TBS** \$ 400**SUPPLIES** \$ 35**BOARD MEETINGS** \$ 940**COMMITTEE MEETINGS** \$ 196**BANK FEES** \$ 10**CREDIT CARD FEES** \$ 1,766**DUES AND SUBSCRIPTIONS** \$ 900**LICENSES AND PERMITS** \$ 48**SALES TAX LESS COLLECTION** \$ 450**INSURANCE** \$ 3,658**VOLUNTEERS** \$ 322**BOAT MAINTENANCE** \$ 6,500**MOVIE** \$ 761**BOATYARD SKIFF** \$ 2,634**GIFT SHOP** \$ 415**MARINE RAILWAY** \$ 667**MISCELLANEOUS** \$ 421**MEMBERSHIPS** \$ 857**TOTAL \$ 25,126**

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## FORM 990-EZ, PART III - PRIMARY EXEMPT PURPOSE

A VOLUNTEER NONPROFIT, CITIZEN-SUPPORT ORGANIZATION CREATED TO GENERATE PUBLIC AWARENESS, EDUCATION, AND FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR THE PRESERVATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE BARNACLE HISTORIC STATE PARK.

## FORM 990-EZ, PART III, LINE 28 - FIRST ACCOMPLISHMENT

THE BARNACLE SOCIETY, INC. PROVIDED PAYMENT OF FUNDS FOR A NUMBER OF REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE BARNACLE, A FLORIDA STATE HISTORICAL PARK WHICH IS VISITED BY THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE EACH YEAR. IN 2013, THE ORGANIZATION PROVIDED FUNDS TO MAINTAIN AND IMPROVE THE SITE'S GROUNDS, BOAT, MARINE RAILWAY AND GIFT SHOP.