

# Florida Department of Environmental Protection

# CITIZEN SUPPORT ORGANIZATION 2018 REPORT (pursuant to Florida Statute 20.058)

Citizen Support Organization (CSO) Name: Friends of Fakahatchee Inc.

Mailing Address: 137 Coastline drive Copeland FL 34139

Telephone Number: 239-695-1023 Website Address (if applicable): www.orchidswamp.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: Provide financial and volunteer support to preserve the unique ecology and cultural heritage of the Fakahatchee Strand Preserve State Park and educate the public about its importance.

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

Friends of Fakahatchee (FOF) volunteers were essential to assist Park Staff, thousands of hours were reported devoted to the following:

- In 2017 hurricane Irma (10 Sept. 2017) presented a challenge to a Park staff of five, although the State's recognized contribution in facilitating outside contractors to clear debris opened the roads and cleared out the Big Cypress Bend Boardwalk as well as repairs, it was the volunteers who tackled the areas the contractors where not hired to do, miles of hiking trails were cleared by the volunteers, including a major clean out of the East River to render it once again accessible for canoes and kayaks. With no power for weeks in the Park and in the intense heat, humidity and mosquito season September thru the rest of the year proved to be some of the most appreciated volunteer efforts in the Park.

-Ongoing maintenance and repair of the Big Cypress Bend Boardwalk, park equipment and facilities. -Environmental data collection, habitat surveys, exotic plant control and removal.

-Endless maintenance of the unpaved Janes Scenic drive, bridges, culverts, all park trails -Preparation of all trails for the February Everglades Ultra 50 mile marathon race event as well as Volunteer support on the day of the race before sunrise to late evening hours.

# Fundraising efforts and accomplishments:

-FOF educational tours program; swamp walks, tram tours, special group tours and lectures.

- -Funded the Orchid Restoration program
- -Funded the purchase of a Polaris high lifter used by volunteers and Park staff
- -Funded control burns
- -Funded all repairs for the Big Cypress Bend Boardwalk
- -Funded the Volunteer Appreciation picnic
- -Funded WIFI for the Park
- -Funded repairs and maintenance of Park equipment.
- -Funded surveillance cameras for the Park's building facilities.
- -Launched a multi-year fundraiser for a Pole Barn to shelter Park vehicles

FOF was awarded the following grants:

- -LCEC grant , \$2,500 for visitor service improvements
- -Naples Garden Club, \$13,000 for an education chickee hut at the Big Cypress Bend Boardwalk. -Collier County Tourist Development Council, \$47,620.00 for wayfinding kiosk in the Park.

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

Projected for 2018-2019-2020

- Continue commitment to raise funds to support Park staff and provide volunteer manpower for the maintenance of the Park, its facilities, equipment and vehicles in accordance with the specified needs requested by the Park manager and within the approved FOF Fiscal Year budget.

-Continue the FOF Annual Fund Appeal, seasonal interpretation programs and lectures in the community.

-Work closely with the Park manager and District in all matters related to the Big Cypress Bend Boardwalk Expansion project. Phase one and two of project is now funded and construction is anticipated to begin in 2018.

--Finalize the construction of the Education chickee hut at the Big Cypress Bend Boardwalk, funded by the Naples Garden Club grant.

- Finalize the Wayfinding project funded by the Collier Tourist Development Council.

-Pending a signed Concessionaire agreement between DEP and FOF, work closely with Park Manager, District and DEP in all matters related to the FOF'S role and responsibility as the Concessionaire in the Park.

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

# Friends of Fakahatchee, Inc.

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#### website: www.orchidswamp.org

The Board of Directors of the Friends of Fakahatchee Strand State Preserve, Inc., (the "Organization")

adopted the following Code of Ethics Policy on this \_\_\_\_\_ 12 day of a 270 han\_\_\_\_\_, 2014.

#### **ARTICLE I. Purpose**

The purpose of the Code of Ethics Policy is to protect this tax-exempt Organization's interest when it is contemplating entering into a transaction or arrangement that might benefit the private interest of an officer or director of the Organization or might result in a possible excess benefit transaction. This policy is intended to supplement, but not replace, any applicable state and federal laws governing conflict of interest applicable to non-profit and charitable organizations.

#### **ARTICLE II Definitions**

1. Interested Person. Any director, principal officer, or member of a committee with governing boarddelegated powers who has a direct or indirect financial interest, as defined below, is an interested person.

2. Financial Interest. A person has a financial interest if the person has, directly or indirectly, through business, investment, family, and/or domestic partner

- a. An ownership or investment interest in any entity with which the Organization has a transaction or arrangement.
- b. A compensation arrangement with the Organization or with any entity or individual with which the Organization has a transaction or arrangement.
- c. A potential ownership or investment interest in, or compensation arrangement with any entity or individual with which the Organization is negotiating a transaction or arrangement.

**3.** Compensation includes direct and indirect remuneration, reimbursement for expenses, as well as gifts or favors valued in excess of \$25.

#### **ARTICLE III.** Procedures

**1. Duty to Disclose** In connection with any actual or possible conflict of interest, an interested person must disclose the existence of the financial interest and be given the opportunity to disclose all material facts to the directors and members of committees with governing board-delegated powers considering the proposed transaction or arrangement.

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**2. Determining Whether a Conflict of Interest Exists** After disclosure of the financial interest and all material facts, and after any discussion with the interested person, he/she shall leave the governing board or committee meeting while the determination of a conflict of interest is discussed and voted upon. The remaining board or committee members shall decide if a conflict of interest exists.

# 3. Procedures for Addressing the Conflict of Interest.

- a. An interested person may make a presentation at the board or committee meeting, but after the presentation the person shall leave the meeting during the discussion of, and the vote on, the transaction or arrangement involving the possible conflict of interest.
- b. The chairperson of the board shall, if appropriate, appoint a disinterested person or committee to investigate alternatives to the proposed transaction or arrangement.
- c. After exercising due diligence, the board shall determine whether the Organization can obtain with reasonable efforts, a more advantageous transaction or arrangement from a person or entity that would not give rise to a conflict of interest.
- d. If a more advantageous transaction or arrangement is not reasonably possible under circumstances not producing a conflict of interest, the board shall determine, by a majority vote of the disinterested directors whether the transaction or arrangement is in the Organization's best interest, for its own benefit, and whether it is fair and reasonable. In conformity with the above determination it shall make its decision as to whether to enter into the transaction or arrangement.

### 4. Violations of the Code of Ethics Policy.

- a.. If the board has reasonable cause to believe a member has failed to disclose actual or possible conflicts of interest, it shall inform the member of the basis for such belief and afford the member an opportunity to explain the alleged failure to disclose.
- b. If, after hearing the member's response and after further investigation as warranted by the circumstances, the board determines the member has failed to disclose an actual or possible conflict of interest, it shall take appropriate action.

# **ARTICLE IV. Records of Proceedings**

### 1. Minutes. The minutes of the board shall contain:

- a. The names of the persons who disclosed or otherwise were found to have a financial interest in connection with an actual or possible conflict of interest, the nature of the financial interest, any action taken to determine whether a conflict of interest was present, and the board's decision as to whether a conflict of interest in fact existed.
- b. The names of the persons who were present for discussions and votes relating to the transaction or arrangement and a record of any votes taken in connection with the proceedings.

# **ARTICLE V. Compensation**

**1.** A voting member of the board who receives compensation or reimbursement for expenses, directly or indirectly, from the Organization for services is precluded from voting on matters pertaining to that member's compensation.

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2. A voting member of any committee whose jurisdiction includes compensation matters and who receives compensation or reimbursement for expenses, directly or indirectly, from the Organization for services is precluded from voting on matters pertaining to that member's compensation.

3. No voting member of the board or any committee whose jurisdiction includes compensation matters and who receives compensation or reimbursement for expenses, directly or indirectly, from the Organization, either individually or collectively, is prohibited from providing information to any committee regarding compensation.

#### **ARTICLE VI. Annual Statements.**

**1.** Each director, principal officer and member of a committee with governing board-delegated powers shall annually sign a statement which affirms such person:

a. Has received a copy of the Code of Ethics Policy.

b. Has read and understands the Policy.

c. Has agreed to comply with the Policy, and

d. Understands the Organization is charitable and in order to maintain its federal tax exemption it must engage primarily in activities which accomplish one or more of its tax-exempt purposes.

### **ARTICLE VII.** Use of Outside Experts.

In administering the above Code of Ethics Policy, the Organization may, but need not, use outside advisors. If outside experts are used, their use shall not relieve the board of its responsibility for ensuring that periodic reviews are conducted.

Francine Stevens, President

John Kaiser, Secretary

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# PRACTICES IN ESTABLISHING COMPENSATION FOR OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES AND CONTRACTORS.

The Board of Directors of the Friends of Fakahatchee Strand State Preserve, Inc., resolved on

this 12 oct. day of Oct. 2014, that

a. The individuals who approve compensation arrangements will follow a Code of Ethics Policy.

b. The Board will approve compensation arrangements in advance of paying compensation.

c. The Board will document in writing the date and terms of approved compensation arrangements.

d. The Board will record in writing the decision made by each individual who decided or voted on compensation arrangements.

e. The Board will approve compensation arrangements based on information about compensation paid by similarly situated taxable or tax-exempt organizations for similar services, current compensation surveys compiled by independent firms, or actual written offers from similarly situated organizations.

f. The Board will record in writing both the information on which it has relied to base its decision and its source.

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Pa	rt II Balance Sheets (see the instructions for	or Part II)				_
	Check if the organization used Schedule	O to respond to ar	y question in this F	Part II	<u></u>	<u></u>
				A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
22	Cash, savings, and investments		· · · · ·	382,514		402,761
23	Land and buildings				23	
24	Other assets (describe in Schedule O)		· · · · ·  _	17,464		37,716
25	Total assets		· · · · ·  -	399,978	26	440,477
26	Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O)			0 399,978		<u>0</u> 440,477
27 Dar	t III Statement of Program Service Accomp	lishments (see th	e instructions for P			440,477
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pers	ons benefited, and other relevant information for each	ch program title.				
28	See Schedule O					
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	Total program service expenses (add lines 28a t	hrough 31a) .		🕨	32	56,007
Pa	t IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key	Employees (list eacl	n one even if not comp	ensated—see the i		
	Check if the organization used Schedule	O to respond to a	y question in this I (c) Reportable	Part IV	<u>.</u>	<u> </u>
		(b) Average hours per week	compensation	contributions to employ		
	(a) Name and title	devoted to position	(Forms W-2/1099-MISC) (if not paid, enter -0-)	benefit plans, and deferred compensatio		other compensation
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Sco	t Geltemeyer- Treasurer					
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Ken	Shapiro- Secretary4					
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Chri	s Gair-Director	12				
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Нои	ard Lubel-Director4					

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	instructions for Part V.) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in th	is Par	-	
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	33	Yes	No
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)			V
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)?	34 35a		✓ ✓
b c	If "Yes" to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O 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	35b 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	36		
37a	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions  37a			
b 38a	Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year? . 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?	37b 38a	6.00	✓ ✓
b 39	If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved 38b Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:			V
a b 40a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9       39a         Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities       39b         Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under:       section 4911 ▶         0       ; section 4912 ▶       0       ; section 4955 ▶			
b	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) 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	40b		
С	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958	TOD		-
d	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line			
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	40e		1
41	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed  None	· · · ·		
42a	The organization's books are in care of Francine Stevens	239-69	5-1023	
b	Located at  27423 Pelican Ridge Circle Bonita Springs FI ZIP + 4 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)?	341 42b	35 Yes	No
	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).			
С	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside the United States?	42c		1
43	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041—Check here		. •	
44a	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44a	Yes	No
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	44b		·
c d	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year? If "Yes" to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	44c 44d		V
45a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	440 45a		1
b	Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of			¥
	Form 990-EZ (see instructions)	45b		1

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						Yes	No
46	Did the organization engage, directly or ir	directly, in political c	ampaign activities on	behalf of or in opposit	tion		
	to candidates for public office? If "Yes," of		, Part I.	<u></u>	• 46		1
Part	All section 501(c)(3) organization 50 and 51.	s must answer que					es
	Check if the organization used Scl	hedule O to respond	t to any question in t	nis Part VI	· · · ·		
	man and the second s		anation EQ1(b) alactic	n in offect during the	tax [	Yes	No
47	Did the organization engage in lobbying year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Par			· · · · · · ·	47		1
48	Is the organization a school as described in					<u> </u>	$\overline{\mathbf{V}}$
49a	Did the organization make any transfers t	o an exempt non-cha	aritable related organiz	ation?	. 49a		$\checkmark$
b	If "Yes" was the related organization a se	ection 527 organizatio	on?		. 49b		
50	Complete this table for the organization's	five highest compen	sated employees (oth	er than officers, direct	ors, truste:	es, ar	nd ke
	employees) who each received more than	1 \$100,000 of compe	nsation from the organ		ne, enter "N	lone.'	
	(a) Name and title of each employee	(b) Average	(c) Reportable	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee	(e) Estimate	ed amo	unt of
	(a) Name and the of each employee	hours per week devoted to position	compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC)	benefit plans, and deferred compensation	1 1 1 1	npensa	ition
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d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000 . . . ►

Did the organization complete Schedule A? Note: All section 501(c)(3) organizations must attach a 52 completed Schedule A <u>. . . . . . . . . . . .</u> . .

. . . 🕨 🗹 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.

Sign Here	Signature of officer Scott Geltemeyer, Treasurer Type or print name and title	1 ellen	E	S/1/18		
Paid	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check if PTIN self-employed		
Preparer	Firm's name	F	Firm's EIN ►			
Use Only	Firm's address	F	Phone no.			
May the IRS	discuss this return with the prep	parer shown above? See instructi	ions	🕨 🗌 Yes 🗌 No		

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# 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. Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organi

m	ation.	Inspection				
	Employer identificati	on number				

OMB No. 1545-0047

**Open to Public** 

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Table of the organization	Employer identification nun
FRIENDS OF FAKAHATCHEE INC	59-35113
Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this p	art.) See instructions.
The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 12, sheely ask ask	

ne organization is not a private found	ation because it is: (For lines	1 through 12,	check only one box.)
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- 1 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).) 2
- A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). 3
- A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). Enter the 4 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 5 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). 6
- An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public 7 described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.)
- A community trust described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.) 8
- An agricultural research organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ix) operated in conjunction with a land-grant college 9 or university or a non-land-grant college of agriculture (see instructions). Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university:
- 10 An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 331/2% 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.)
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See section 509(a)(4).
- 12 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 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g.
  - Type I. A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving а 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 b 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, С its supported organization(s) (see instructions). You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.
  - d **Type III non-functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.
  - Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III е functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.

f Enter the number of supported organization	ons							
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g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

	(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN			organization ur governing ment?		(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
				Yes	No		
(A)							
(B)				-			
(C)							
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Part IISupport 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<br/>Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section	on A. Public Support						
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2013	<b>(b)</b> 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	<b>(e)</b> 2017	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4	Total. Add lines 1 through 3						
5	The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6	Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						
	on B. Total Support	<u> </u>	·	1			
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2013	<b>(b)</b> 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(f) Total
7	Amounts from line 4		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				<u> </u>
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	Total support. Add lines 7 through 10	NIE BER			And I have a set of		
12	Gross receipts from related activities, etc	. (see instructi	ons)			12	
13	First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization, check this box and stop here on C. Computation of Public Support	ere	. <u></u> .	nd, third, fourt	h, or fifth tax y	ear as a sect	► □
-	Public support percentage for 2017 (line	6 column (f) d	livided by line	11 column (f)		14	%
14 15	Public support percentage for 2017 (inc Public support percentage from 2016 Sc					15	%
16a	33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> % support test-2017. If the organ	ization did no	t check the bo	x on line 13, a	Ind line 14 is 3		, check this
104	box and stop here. The organization qua	alifies as a pub	licly supported	d organization			🕨 🗋
b	<b>331</b> /3% support test—2016. If the organ this box and stop here. The organization	ization did not qualifies as a	check a box	on line 13 or 1 orted organiza	6a, and line 15 tion	is 33 <sup>1</sup> /3% or	more, check · · · ▶ 🗍
17a	<b>10%-facts-and-circumstances test</b> — <b>2</b> 10% or more, and if the organization m Part VI how the organization meets the organization	eets the "facts "facts-and-cire 	s-and-circums cumstances" t	tances" test, c est. The orgar	heck this box hization qualifie	and <b>stop her</b> is as a public	e. Explain in y supported ► □
b	<b>10%-facts-and-circumstances test</b> -2 15 is 10% or more, and if the organiz Explain in Part VI how the organization supported organization	ation meets t meets the "fac 	he "facts-and- cts-and-circum	circumstances nstances" test	s" test, check The organizat	this box and ion qualifies a	stop here. as a publicly ► □
18	Private foundation. If the organization d	lid not check a	t box on line 13	3, 16a, 16b, 17	'a, or 17b, cheo		
	instructions						
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Par	t III Support Schedule for Organiza	ations Descri	bed in Section	on 509(a)(2)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	L	
	(Complete only if you checked the lf the organization fails to qualify	under the too	to of Part I d	or if the organ	ization failed	to quality un	der Part II.
Sec	tion A. Public Support		sis listed beit	w, please co	mplete Part I	1.)	
	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2013	<b>(b)</b> 2014	(=) 2015	(4) 0010	(-) 0017	(0 T · · ·
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees	(a) 2013	( <b>b)</b> 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(f) Total
·	received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	122.050	404.740	440 540			
2	Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise	133,058	124,742	116,548	62,402	86894	52364
	sold or services performed, or facilities	1					
	furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose	21.040		00.011			
3	Gross receipts from activities that are not an	<u>2</u> 1,949	1,139	29,911	10,408	27756	9116;
	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	155,007	125,881	146,459	72,810	111050	
7a	Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3	133,007	125,001	140,459	/2,010	114650	<u>614</u> 807
	received from disqualified persons				1		
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						
С	Add lines 7a and 7b						
8	Public support. (Subtract line 7c from	and the second second	6 a				
	line 6.)		1.00			والعيورية أرزران	614807
Sect	ion B. Total Support						014001
Cale	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(f) Total
9	Amounts from line 6	115,007	125,881	1 <b>46</b> ,459	72,810	114650	614807
10a	arradited,						
	payments received on securities loans, rents,						
	royalties, and income from similar sources .	2,335	2,164	2,081	1,493	2124	10197
b	Unrelated business taxable income (less						
	section 511 taxes) from businesses						
	acquired after June 30, 1975						
С	Add lines 10a and 10b	2,335	2,164	2,081	1,493		10197
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						
40	(Explain in Part VI.)				-2,861		-2861
13	Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11,						
	and 12.)	157,342	128,045	148,540	71,442	116774	622143
14	First five years. If the Form 990 is for the						
Co off	organization, check this box and stop here		· · · · ·	<u> </u>		<u></u>	· · 🕨 🗖
	on C. Computation of Public Support						
15	Public support percentage for 2017 (line 8,	column (f) divi	ded by line 13	, column (f))		15	98.82 %
16 Sooti	Public support percentage from 2016 Sche	edule A, Part III	, line 15	· · · ·		16	98.78 %
17	on D. Computation of Investment Inc					·	
	Investment income percentage for 2017 (lin	ne 10c, column	(f) divided by	line 13, colum	n (f))	17	1.64 %
18 19a	Investment income percentage from 2016	ocnequie A, Pa	art III, line 17.		 1 Co. 4 E 1	18	<u>1.67 %</u>
13d	<b>33</b> <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> % <b>support tests</b> - <b>2017.</b> If the organiz 17 is not more than 33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> %, check this box as	adore ulu not c	he organization	on line 14, and	ine 15 is mo	re than 331/3%	
h.	331/2% cunnert tests 2016 If the same	tion did ant ch	ne organization	quannes as a	publicly suppor	ted organizatio	n . 🕨 🗹
b	33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> % support tests – 2016. If the organiza line 18 is not more than 33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> %, check this be	uon ala not che	CK a DOX ON III	ne 14 or line 19	a, and line 16 i	s more than 33	
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20	Private foundation. If the organization did	not check a bo	ox on line 14, 1	19a, or 19b, ch	eck this box a	nd see instruct	ions 🕨 🗋

Part IV

#### Supporting Organizations (Complete only if you checked a box in line 12 on Part I. If you checked 12a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked 12b of Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 12c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked 12d of Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

#### Section A. All Supporting Organizations

- 1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If "No," describe in **Part VI** how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.
- 2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in **Part VI** how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).
- **3a** Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.
- **b** Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If "Yes," describe in **Part VI** when and how the organization made the determination.
- c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in **Part VI** what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.
- 4a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes," and if you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.
- **b** Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in **Part VI** how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.
- c Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in **Part VI** what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.
- 5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in **Part VI**, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).
- **b** Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?
- c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?
- 6 Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? *If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.*
- 7 Did the organization provide a grant, Ioan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).
- 8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).
- **9a** Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? If "Yes," provide detail in **Part VI**.
- b Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in **Part VI**.
- c Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in **Part VI.**
- 10a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? If "Yes," answer 10b below.
  - **b** Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)

Yes No 1 2 3a 3b 3c 4a 4b 4c 5a 5b 5c 6 7 8 9a 9b 9c 10a 10b

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#### Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)

- Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?
   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?
  - b A family member of a person described in (a) above?

c A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI.

#### Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

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

#### Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

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).

#### Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

- 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?
- 2 Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in **Part VI** how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).
- 3 By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in **Part VI** the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.

#### Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations

- 1 Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions).
- a The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.
- **b** The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.
- c . The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see instructions).

#### 2 Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.

- a Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.
- **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 **Part VI** the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.
- 3 Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer (a) and (b) below.
- a Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? *Provide details in Part VI.*
- b Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in **Part VI** the role played by the organization in this regard.

Yes

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Yes	No

Yes	No

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Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Or	gani	zations	lain in Dart VIV See
1 Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifyin instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting orga	g trus nizati	st on Nov. 20, 1970 (expl ons must complete Sect	tions A through E.
Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Net short-term capital gain	1		
2 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2		
3 Other gross income (see instructions)	3		
4 Add lines 1 through 3.	4		
5 Depreciation and depletion	5		
6 Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6		
7 Other expenses (see instructions)	7		
8 Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4).	8		
Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Yea (optional)
1 Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see			
instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):			
a Average monthly value of securities	1a		
b Average monthly cash balances	1b		
c Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c	<u> </u>	
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		US
<b>2</b> Enter 85% of line 1.	2	2.291-0.83, 3.5, 9.64	
3 Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	3		
4 Enter greater of line 2 or line 3.	4	State of the second second	60
5 Income tax imposed in prior year	5	N SSL BS STATIST	2
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-function	ally in	tegrated Type III suppor	ting organization (se

instructions).

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2017

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2017 Page 7 Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations (continued) Part V Section D - Distributions **Current Year** 1 Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes 2 Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity 3 Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations 4 Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required) 5 6 Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions. 7 Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6. 8 Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in Part VI). See instructions. 9 Distributable amount for 2017 from Section C, line 6 10 Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount (ii) (iii) (i) Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions) Underdistributions **Distributable Excess Distributions** Pre-2017 Amount for 2017 1 Distributable amount for 2017 from Section C, line 6 2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2017 (reasonable cause required - explain in Part VI). See instructions. 3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2017 а b From 2013 С From 2014 d From 2015 . . . e From 2016 . . . . f Total of lines 3a through e g Applied to underdistributions of prior years h Applied to 2017 distributable amount i. Carryover from 2012 not applied (see instructions) Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f. i. 4 Distributions for 2017 from Section D, line 7: \$ Applied to underdistributions of prior years а Applied to 2017 distributable amount b С Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4. 5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2017, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions. Remaining underdistributions for 2017. Subtract lines 3h 6 and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions. Excess distributions carryover to 2018. Add lines 3j 7 and 4c. Breakdown of line 7: 8 a Excess from 2013 . b Excess from 2014 . Excess from 2015 С Excess from 2016 d Excess from 2017 . e

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2017

Part VI	Supplemental Inform III, line 12; Part IV, Sec B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV 3a, and 3b; Part V, line lines 2, 5, and 6. Also c	tion A, lines 1, 2 /, Section C, lin 1: Part V, Sect	2, 3b, 3c, 4b, e 1; Part IV, 3 ion B. line 1e	4c, 5a, Section : Part V	6, 9a, 9b D, lines 2 . Section	o, 9c, 11a, 11 2 and 3; Parl D, lines 5, 6	Ib, and 11c; F IV, Section E , and 8; and I	art IV, Secti , lines 1c, 2a	on a, 2b,
PART III, LII	NE 12 OTHER INCOME								
NATURE S	OURCE	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013			
	ON SALE OF ASSET	0	-2,861.00	0	0	0			
<b></b>									

Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	Schedule of Contributors <ul> <li>Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.</li> <li>Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.</li> </ul>	OMB No. 1545-0047
Name of the organization	n	Employer identification number
FRIENDS OF FAKAHAT	CHEE INC	59-351152
Organization type (ch	leck one):	
Filers of:	Section:	
Form 990 or 990-EZ	✓ 501(c)( 3 ) (enter number) organization	

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

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

Check if your organization is covered by the General Rule or a Special Rule. Note: Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

#### **General Rule**

Form 990-PF

For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

#### **Special Rules**

- □ For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33<sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub>% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000; or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.
- For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.
- □ For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions exclusively for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an exclusively religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the General Rule applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year

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

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the instructions for Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF. Cat. No. 30613X Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2017)

Schedule	в	(Form	990,	990-EZ,	or	990-PF)	(2017)
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Name of organization FRIENDS OF FAKAHATCHEE INC Employer identification number

59-3511352

Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed. Part I (d) (c) (a) (b) Type of contribution Name, address, and ZIP + 4 **Total contributions** No.  $\checkmark$ Person Naples Garden Club -----Payroll  $\square$ Noncash 13,000.00 \$ 4820 Bay Shore drive (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) Naples Fl 34112 (d) (c) (b) (a) Total contributions Type of contribution Name, address, and ZIP + 4 No. Person Payroll Noncash \$ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) (d) (c) (b) (a) **Total contributions** Type of contribution Name, address, and ZIP + 4 No. Person \_\_\_\_\_ Payroll Noncash \$ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) (d) (C) (b) (a) **Total contributions** Type of contribution Name, address, and ZIP + 4 No. Person Payroll Noncash \$ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) (d) (c) (b) (a) Name, address, and ZIP + 4 **Total contributions** Type of contribution No. Person -----Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) (d) (c) (a) (b) **Total contributions** Type of contribution Name, address, and ZIP + 4 No. Person ------Payroll Noncash \$ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2017)

#### Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2017)

Name of organization

Page **3** Employer identification number

	Noncash Property (see instructions). Use duplicate co	<u> </u>	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
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		  \$	

Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2017)

	Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2017)		Page 4 Employer identification number				
Name of or	ganization						
Part III	(10) that total more than \$1,000 for the following line entry. For organizat	tions completing Part III, be year. (Enter this inform	ganizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or contributor. Complete columns (a) through (e) and enter the total of <i>exclusively</i> religious, charitable, etc., nation once. See instructions.) ► \$				
(a) No.							
from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gif	ift (d) Description of how gift is held				
	Transferee's name, address, a	(e) Transfer of	Relationship of transferor to transferee				
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Part I							
	(e) Transfer of gift Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4 Relationship of transferor to transferee						
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of git	ift (d) Description of how gift is held				
-	(e) Transfer of gift						
-	Transferee's name, address, a	nd ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee				
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-		(e) Transfer of	ıf gift				
-	Transferee's name, address, a	nd ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee				

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Schedule B	(Form 99	Э0, 990-EZ,	or 990-PF)	(2017)

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SCHEDULE O (Form 990 or 990-EZ)	Supplemental Information to Form 9 Complete to provide information for responses to s Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any addition		
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest		Open to Publi Inspection
Name of the organization		E	Employer identification number
FRIENDS OF FAKAHATCHEE	EINC.		59-3511352
PART 1 LINE 16	OTHER EXPENSES		
Advertising/promotion	\$ 1,682		
Grant Exp's	9,242		
Bank Charge	938		
Repairs	4,640		
Education			
Vehicle Exp's	16,245		
Dues	225		
Office Exp's	2,869		
Events	4,515		
Insurance	1,346		
Consulting/Engineering	7,189		
Tours	2,956		
Park Supplies	1,854		
Merchandise	409		
TOTAL	\$ 54,421		
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Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-E2	Z) (2017)		Page 2
Name of the organization			Employer identification number
FORM 990-EZ, PART II, LIN	<u>IE 24</u>		
OTHER ASSETS			
	BEGINNING	ENDING	
	17,464.00	37,716	
TOTAL	17,464.00	37,716	
FORM 990-EZ, PART III- OI	RGANIZATION'S PRIMAR	Y EXEMPT PURPOSE	
The Friends of Fakahatch	ee Inc provide financial a	nd volunteer support to preserve the unique ecology	and cultural heritage of the
Fakahatchee Strand Prese	rve State Park and to edu	icate the public about its importance.	
FORM 990-EZ, PART III, LI	NE 28- Statement of Prog	ram Service Accomplishments	
The Friends of Fakahatche	e Inc , a 501 ( c ) 3 Not- fr	or- profit corporation, is the Citizen Support Organizat	ion (CSO) of the Fakahatchee Strand
Preserve State Park the la	rgest cypress strand swa	mp in the world and the deepest slough in the greater	Everglades. Its 80,00 acres are
bordered by HI-75 , US 41,	SR 29, Fakahatchee Bay	and Picayune State Forest. The Friends of Fakahatch	ee exit to raise funds to support
the continued preservation	n of the Fakahatchee Stra	and Preserve by educating the public about its import	ant place in the Everglades
ecosystem.			