### Form **990-EZ**

# Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No. 1545-0047

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

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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A F	or the 2024 calendar year	c, or tax year beginning January 01, 2024, and ending December 31, 2	2024			
В	Check if applicable:	C Name of organization	DE	D Employer identification number		
	Address change	BUFFALO FOUNDATION	77	-0668356		
	Name change	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/su	<sub>uite</sub> ET	elephone number		
$\overline{\Box}$	Initial return	PO BOX 27405,		02) 370-1228		
$\Box$	Final return/terminated					
П	Amended return	City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code	F	Group Exemption Number		
П	Application pending	TEMPE, AZ 85285-7405				
_				<b>A</b>		
	Accounting Method: 🗹 Ca			✓ if the organization is not  d to attach Schedule B		
I W	ebsite www.onceabuf:	falo.org	(Form 9			
JT	ax-exempt status (chec	sk only one) - 🗸 501(c)(3) 📗 501(c) ( ) 📗 4947(a)(1) or 📗 527				
KF	Form of organization: 🗹 C	orporation Trust Association Other ———				
		ine 9 to determine gross receipts. If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total a	ssets			
(		0,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ		\$ 106,959		
Pa	1 ( )	ises, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (see the instruc		r Part I)		
	I a	ganization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this				
		, grants, and similar amounts received	1	8,430		
		venue including government fees and contracts	2			
		and assessments	. 3			
	4 Investment income		. 4	4,098		
	1	sale of assets other than inventory 5a				
		basis and sales expenses				
		sale of assets other than inventory (subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c			
	6 Gaming and fundra					
e		gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than				
Revenue	<b>b</b> Gross income from	fundraising events (not including \$ 0 of contributions				
æ	1	ents reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the				
	1	income and contributions exceeds \$15,000) 6b 94,4				
	_	ses from gaming and fundraising events 6c 56,7  from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract	/63	07.440		
	<b>~</b> ~ \	s) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines ba and bb and subtract	. 6d	37,668		
	7a Gross sales of inve	ntory, less returns and allowances 7a				
		s sold				
	c Gross profit or (loss	s) from sales of inventory (subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7с			
	8 Other revenue (des	cribe in Schedule O)	8			
		d lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8	. 9	50,196		
	10 Grants and similar	amounts paid (list in Schedule O)	10	49,611		
	11 Benefits paid to or	for members	11			
	12 Salaries, other com	pensation, and employee benefits	12			
Ses	13 Professional fees a	nd other payments to independent contractors	13			
Expenses	14 Occupancy, rent, u	tilities, and maintenance	14			
ш́	15 Printing, publication	ns, postage, and shipping	15	1,357		
	16 Other expenses (de	escribe in Schedule O)	16	2,421		
	17 Total expenses. A	dd lines 10 through 16	. 17	53,389		
	18 Excess or (deficit) f	or the year (subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	33,369		
ets		balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with er	nd-			
Net Assets	of-year figure repor	ted on prior year's return)	13	2.07.00		
Net		et assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	20			
	21 INEL ASSELS OF JUNG	balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	21	272,515		

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Ра	rt II Balance Sheets (see the ins Check if the organization use			stion in this Part	II		
			· , , ,	(A) Beginning of			(B) End of year
22	Cash, savings, and investments .				275,708	22	272,515
23	Land and buildings				0	23	0
24	Other assets (describe in Schedule O	)			0	24	0
25	Total assets			:	275,708	25	272,515
26	Total liabilities (describe in Schedule	O)			0	26	0
27	Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of	f column (B) <b>mu</b>	st agree with line 21)	:	275,708	27	272,515
Pa	rt III Statement of Program Servi Check if the organization us	-	•	,	:     🔲		Expenses
Wh	at is the organization's primary exempt purp	oose? See Sch	edule 0				uired for section
Des	scribe the organization's program service measured by expenses. In a clear and	accomplishme	nts for each of its three large			orga	c)(3) and 501(c)(4) nizations; optional for
	sons benefited, and other relevant infe		·	noviaca, trio riarri	001 01	othe	15.)
28	See Schedule O					I	
00	(Grants \$ ) If this	amount inclu	des foreign grants, check h	nere	28a		49,611
29	(Grants \$ ) If this	amount inclu	des foreign grants, check h	nere	29a		
30							
			des foreign grants, check h	nere	30a		
31	Other program services (describe in	Schedule O)					
	(Grants \$ ) If this	amount inclu	des foreign grants, check h	nere	31a		
32	Total program service expenses (a				32		49,611
	rt IV List of Officers, Directors, Tru			wen if not company		the i	
	Check if the organization used	-	· · · · · ·	•	aleu-see	i i i i e i i	
	(a) Name and title	(b) Average hours per week	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC/	(d) Health ben contributions to e benefit plans,	mployee		(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
	_	devoted to position	1099-NEC) (if not paid, enter -0-)	deferred compe			other compensation
Tor	n Gustafson	_					
Pre	esident	2	0		0	ı	0
Tra	avis Lindberg	-					
Sec	cretary	2	0		0	ı	0
Ray	y Murdock						
Tre	easurer	2	0		0	ı	0
Dar	n Trujillo						
Wel	omaster	2	0		0	ı	0
Lu/	Ann Kenner						
Dii	rector	1	0		0	ı	0
Tir	n McBurney						
Dii	rector	1	0		0	ı	0
Sue	e Enright	-					
	rector	1	0		0		0
Dot	ng Royse	-					
Di	rector	1	0		0	1	0
Hai	rry Mitchell	-					
Dii	rector	1	0		0	1	0
Tor	n Ohmart	1					
Dii	rector	2	0		0		0
Gu	illermo Luevano						
Dii	rector	2	0		0		0

Par	t V	Other Information (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract states		quirements in the inst	tructions	s for Pa	ırt V.)	
		Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this F	Part V				Yes	No
33	Did	the organization engage in any significant activity not previously reported to	the IR	S? If "Yes." provide	а		103	140
	det	ailed description of each activity in Schedule O				33		<b>/</b>
34		re any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? by of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's n						
		inge on Schedule O. See instructions				34		<b>/</b>
35a		the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more divities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)?	-	ne year from busine		35a		<b>✓</b>
b	lf "\	es" to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provi	de an e	xplanation in Schedu	le O	35b		
С		s the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization sub- orting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If "Yes," complete Scheo				35c		
36		the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significaring the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N $\dots$	nt dispo	sition of net assets	Ē	36		<b>✓</b>
37a		er amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the ructions	37a	0				
b	Did	the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?				37b		<b>/</b>
38a		the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, tru such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax ye	,	, , , ,		38a		<b>/</b>
b	If "\	Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II, and enter the total amount involved .	38b					
39		ction 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:						
а	Initi	ation fees and capital contributions included on line 9	39a					
b	Gro	ess receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities	39b					
40a		ction 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization tion 4911: 0 section 4912: 0 sect	n durin	• •				
b	exc	ction 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization eless benefit transaction during the year, or did it engage in an excess benefit thas not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," or	transa	ction in a prior year		40b	П	<b>/</b>
С	Sec on	organization 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax in organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under section 5, and 4958	nposed					
d	Sec	ction 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax or reimbursed by the organization		0				
е	All	organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a party to a saction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T	o a prol	nibited tax shelter		40e		<b>/</b>
41		the states with which a copy of this return is filed:						
42a	The	e organization's books are in care of: Ray Murdock	Telep	hone no (602)	370-1	228		
	Loc	ated at: 129 W Desert Ct ,GILBERT ,AZ			35233			
							Yes	No
b	ove	any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or or a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities count)?				42b		<b>✓</b>
		Yes," enter the name of the foreign country:						
	Fin	Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: See the instructions for exception CEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).			for			
С		any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office out Yes," enter the name of the foreign country:	side the	e United States?		42c		<b>✓</b>
43	Sec	tion 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Forn	า 1041 -	-Check here				
	and	enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax	year .	43			Yes	No
44a		the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes, npleted instead of Form 990-EZ				44a		<b>✓</b>
b	Did	the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "\npleted instead of Form 990-EZ	res," Fo	orm 990 must be		44b		<b>✓</b>
С	Did	the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during th				44c		<b>✓</b>
d		res" to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payme						
AE-		planation in Schedule O				44d		<u> </u>
	Did	the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(I the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction wit aning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 and Schedule R may need to	h a con	trolled entity within		45a		
	For	m 990-EZ. See instructions				45b		<b>~</b>

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40	Did the ergeni	zation engage, direct	lv or indiro	thy in political or	ampaign activ	ition o	n bobolf of or i	n apposition		Yes	No
46 	•	for public office? If "\	•	•					46		<b>\</b>
Pai		501(c)(3) Organiz		-	47 40		50			,,	
	All secti 50 and	on 501(c)(3) organiz 51	zations mu	ist answer ques	stions 47–491	o and	52, and com	olete the tab	les for	lines	
		o. f the organization u	sed Sched	lule O to respo	nd to any qu	estior	n in this Part V	1			
										Yes	No
47	•	zation engage in lobb complete Schedule (			ction 501(h) el	ectior	n in effect durin	g the tax	47		
48	,	tion a school as desc	,		 .)(ii)? If "Yes " (	· ·			47		
	=	zation make any trans				-			49a	H	
	ŭ	f "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?							49b		
50		table for the organiza		•				rs, directors,		s, and	key
		no each received mor									
	(a) Name and title of each employee  (b) Average hours per week devoted to position  (c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC/ 1099-NEC)  (d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation		oyee (e	<b>)</b> Estimate other con							
	Total number o	of other employees pa	aid over \$1	20,000							
51	Complete this	table for the organiza	ation's five I	nighest compens			contractors wh	o each receiv	ed mor	e than	
		business address of each				) Type of service (c) com				ation	
d	Total number o	of other independent	contractors	each receiving	over \$100,000	) .	<del></del>				
52	a	zation complete Sche						a completed		Yes	☐ No
	er penalties of perj	ury, I declare that I have , and complete. Declara	examined thi	s return, including a	accompanying s	chedul	es and statement				dge and
Sig	n										
Her		Signature of officer Ray Murdock, Tr	easurer					Date 05/14/202!	5		
		Type or print name and	title								
Pai		Print/Type preparer's na	ame	Preparer's signature	e		Date	Check if		PTIN	
	parer e Only							empl	oyed		
-30	. J.n.,	Firm's name						Firm's EIN			
		Firm's address		00.1				Phone no		7.7	
May	tne IHS discuss th	is return with the prepar	er shown abo	ve? See instruction	ns					Yes	∐ No

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## Schedule A (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

### Public Charity Status and Public Support

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-PF.

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Name of the organization
BUFFALO FOUNDATION

Employer identification number 77-0668356

Part	Reason for Public Cl	narity Status	. (All organizations must	complete t	his part.)	See instructions	
The c	rganization is not a private	foundation be	cause it is: (For lines 1 thro	ough 12, ch	eck only	one box.)	
1	A church, convention	of churches, c	or association of churches	described i	n <b>section</b>	170(b)(1)(A)(i).	
2	A school described in	section 170(k	<b>)(1)(A)(ii)</b> . (Attach Schedul	e E (Form 9	990).)		
3	A hospital or a cooper	ative hospital	service organization descr	ribed in <b>sec</b>	tion 170(	b)(1)(A)(iii).	
4	A medical research or hospital's name, city,	-	erated in conjunction with	a hospital c	lescribed	in section 170(b)(1)(/	A)(iii). Enter the
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 loc	al governmen	t or governmental unit des	cribed in <b>s</b> e	ection 17	0(b)(1)(A)(v).	
7		-	es a substantial part of its I <b>)(A)(vi)</b> . (Complete Part II.)		m a gove	ernmental unit or fron	n the general
8	A community trust de	scribed in <b>sec</b>	tion 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Com	plete Part II	.)		
9	or university or a non-	land-grant col	described in section 170(b)( lege of agriculture (see ins	structions).	Enter the	name, city, and state	of the college or
10	An organization that normally receives (1) more than 331/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions, subject to certain exceptions; and (2) no more than 331/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See section 509(a)(2). (Complete Part III.)						
11	An organization organ	ized and oper	ated exclusively to test for	public safe	ety. See <b>s</b> e	ection 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 <b>section 509(a)(1)</b> or <b>section 509(a)(2)</b> . See <b>section 509(a)(3)</b> . Check the box on lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g.						
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b	control or manager	ment of the su	n supervised or controlled pporting organization vestoust complete Part IV, Section 19	ed in the sa	me perso		
С	Type III functional	y integrated.	A supporting organization (see instructions). <b>You m</b>	operated ir	connect		
d	Type III non-functi organization(s) that	onally integra	ted. A supporting organization	ation operatiization gen	ted in con erally mus	nnection with its supp st satisfy a distribution	oorted on requirement and
е			e instructions). <b>You must c</b> n received a written determ	-		•	
Ŭ		•	non-functionally integrate				po II, 19po III
f	Enter the number of supp	orted organiza	itions				
	B '						
g			the supported organizatio (iii) Type of organization	n(s). (iv) Is the or	ganization	(v) Amount of monetary	(vi) Amount of
1 (i)	Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(described on lines 1–10 above (see instructions))	listed in your	governing	support (see instructions)	other support (see instructions)
				Yes	No		
(A)							
(B)							
(C)							
(D)							
(E)							

#### 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.)

Sec	tion A. Public Support							
Cal	endar year (or fiscal year beginning	(a) 2020	<b>(b)</b> 2021	(c) 2022	(d) 2023	(e)	) 2024	(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 5	Total. Add lines 1 through 3  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							0
Sec	tion B. Total Support		1		T			T
Cal in)	endar year (or fiscal year beginning	<b>(a)</b> 2020	<b>(b)</b> 2021	<b>(c)</b> 2022	<b>(d)</b> 2023	(e)	2024	(f) Total
7 8	Amounts from line 4							
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							
12	Gross receipts from related activities, etc.	c. (see instruct	ions)			12		
13	First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the corganization, check this box and stop he							
Sec	tion C. Computation of Public Support	Percentage						
14	Public support percentage for 2024 (line	6, column (f),	divided by line	11, column (f))		14		ક
15	Public support percentage from 2023 Sc	hedule A, Par	t II, line 14			15		ક
16a	331/3% support test-2024. If the organ	ization did not	check the box	on line 13, and	d line 14 is 331/	′з% or	more, ch	eck this
	box and <b>stop here</b> . The organization qua	•		-				📙
b	331/3% support test—2023. If the organ	ization did not	check a box or	n line 13 or 16a	a, and line 15 is	<b>33</b> 1/3	% or mo	re, check
	this box and <b>stop here</b> . The organization	•		•				🖂
17a	7a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2024. 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 VI how the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization							
b	<b>10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2</b> t 10% or more, and if the organization mehow the organization meets the facts-an	ets the facts-a d-circumstanc	ınd-circumstand es test. The orç	ces test, check ganization qual	this box and sifies as a publi	stop h cly su	<b>ere</b> . Expl pported	
10	<del>-</del>							
18	<b>Private foundation</b> . If the organization d instructions							



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

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 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.)

Sec	Section A. Public Support								
Cal	endar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2020	<b>(b)</b> 2021	(c) 2022	(d) 2023	<b>(e)</b> 2024	(f) Total		
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees								
	received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	16,822	6,230	7,936	41,459	94,431	166,878		
2	Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities								
	furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose	400	28,292	37,524	29,988	8,430	104,634		
3	Gross receipts from activities that are not an								
	unrelated trade or business under section 513	0	0	0	0		0		
4	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf	0	0	0	0		0		
5	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge	0	0	0	0		0		
6	Total. Add lines 1 through 5	17,222	34,522	45,460	71,447	102,861	271,512		
7a	Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons	0	0	0	0		0		
b	Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year	0	0	0	0		0		
	Add lines 7a and 7b								
8	Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						271,512		
	tion B. Total Support			T					
	endar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2020	<b>(b)</b> 2021	(c) 2022	(d) 2023	<b>(e)</b> 2024	(f) Total		
9	Amounts from line 6	17,222	34,522	45,460	71,447	102,861	271,512		
10a	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources	183	158	208	2,856	4,098	7,503		
b	Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975	0	0	0	0		0		
С	Add lines 10a and 10b	183	158	208	2,856	4,098	7,503		
11	Net income from unrelated business activities not included on line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on	0	0	0	0		0		
12	Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)								
13	<b>Total support</b> . (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)	17,405	34,680	45,668	74,303	106,959	279,015		
14	<b>First 5 years</b> . If the Form 990 is for the organization, check this box and <b>stop her</b>			d, fourth, or fifth					
Sec	tion C. Computation of Public Support F	Percentage							
15	Public support percentage for 2024 (line 8	3, column (f), div	ided by line 13	3, column (f)) .		15	97.31 %		
16	Public support percentage from 2023 Sch	edule A, Part II	I, line 15			16	98.34 %		
Sec	tion D. Computation of Investment Inco	me Percentage	Э						
17	Investment income percentage for 2024 (I	ine 10c, columr	n (f), divided by	line 13, colum	n (f))	17	2.69 %		
18	Investment income percentage from 2023	Schedule A, Pa	art III, line 17			18	1.66 %		
19a	331/3% support test—2024. If the organiz	ation did not ch	neck the box o	n line 14, and li	ine 15 is more	than 331/3% ar	nd line		
	17 is not more than 331/3%, check this bo	x and stop her	e. The organiz	ation qualifies a	as a publicly su	ipported organ	ization 🗹		
b	<b>331/3% support test—2023.</b> If the organiz line 18 is not more than 331/3%, check this b								
20	Private foundation If the organization did	not check a bo	x on line 14, 1	9a, or 19b, che	ck this box an	d see instructio	ons		

#### Part IV

#### **Supporting Organizations**

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

	71, B, and E. II you oncoked box 12d, I are 1, complete decisions 7 and B, and complete I are v.)			
Sec	tion A. All Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If "No," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.	1		
2	Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).	2		
3a	Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer lines 3b and 3c below	3a		
b	Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> when and how the organization made the determination.	3b		
С	Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2) (B)	3c		
4a	purposes? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.  Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes," and if you checked box 12a or 12b in Part I, answer lines 4b and 4c below.	4a		
b	Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.	4b		
С	Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.	4c		
5a	Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer lines 5b and 5c below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> , including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action	5a		
b	was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).  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?	5b		
С	Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?	5с		
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 <b>Part VI.</b>	6		
7	Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor			
	(as 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).	7		
8	Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described on line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).	8		
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 <b>Part VI</b> .	9a		
b	Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined on line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>	9b		
С	Did a disqualified person (as defined on line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> .	9c		
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 line 10b below.	10a		
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.)	10b		

10b

Schedule A (Form 990) 2024 Page 5 Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued) No Yes 11 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 on lines 11b and 11c below, the governing body of a supported organization? 11a **b** A family member of a person described on line 11a above? 11b A 35% controlled entity of a person described on line 11a or 11b above? If "Yes" to line 11a, 11b, or 11c, provide detail in Part VI 11c Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations Nο Yes Did the governing body, members of the governing body, officers acting in their official capacity, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's officers, 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 officers, directors, or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year. Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization. 2 Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations Yes No Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s). 1 Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations Yes No 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 1 organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided? 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 the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s). By reason of the relationship described on line 2, above, 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 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 The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below. <sub>l</sub> The organization supported a governmental entity. *Describe in Part VI how you supported a governmental entity (see* instructions) Yes No Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b 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 on line 2a, above, constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement. 2b 3 Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer lines 3a and 3b 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? If "Yes" or "No," provide details in Part VI. За

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.

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(see instructions).

Pa	rt V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organiza	ations	•	
1	Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualify	ying tr	rust on Nov. 20, 1970 <i>(exp</i>	olain in <b>Part VI</b> ). <b>See</b>
	instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting or	ganiz	ations must complete Sec	ctions A through E.
Sec	etion 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		
Sec	ction B—Minimum Asset Amount	(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)	
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):			
а	Average monthly value of securities	1a		
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b		
С	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c		
d	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d		
е	Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in <b>Part VI</b> ):			
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 0.015 of line 3 (for greater			
	amount,	4		
	See instructions).	5		
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)  Multiply line 5 by 0.035	6		
<u>6</u>		7		
	Recoveries of prior-year distributions  Minimum Asset Amount(add line 7 to line 6)	8		
	etion C—Distributable Amount	0		Current Year
360		1		Current real
	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, column A)			
2	Enter 0.85 of line 1.	3		
<u>3</u>	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, column A)	4		
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3.			
5	Income tax imposed in prior year  Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to	5		
6	emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).	6		
	Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-function	nally i	ntegrated Type III suppor	ting organization

Cost V	Type III Non Eupetional	ly Integrated 500(a)(2)	<b>Supporting Organizations</b>	(continued)
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Sec	etion D-Distributions				Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exer	mpt purposes		1	
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exemporganizations, in excess of income from activity	t purposes of suppo	rted	2	
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purpose	s of supported orga	nizations	3	
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets			4	
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required $-p$	rovide details in <b>Par</b>	t VI)	5	
6	Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions.			6	
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.			7	
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which th <i>(provide details in <b>Part VI)</b>.</i> See instructions.	ponsive	8		
9	Distributable amount for 2024 from Section C, line 6			9	
10	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount			10	
Sec	tion E-Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributio Pre-2024	ns	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2024
1	Distributable amount for 2024 from Section C, line 6				
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2024 (reasonable cause required — <i>explain in Part VI</i> ). See instructions.				
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2024				
а	From 2019				
b	From 2020				
С	From 2021				
d	From 2022				
е	From 2023				
f	Total of lines 3a through 3e				
g	Applied to underdistributions of prior years				
h	Applied to 2024 distributable amount				
i	Carryover from 2019 not applied (see instructions)				
j	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f				
4	Distributions for 2024 from \$ Section D, line 7:				
а	Applied to underdistributions of prior years				
b	Applied to 2024 distributable amount				
С	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4.				
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2024, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI</i> . See instructions.				
6	Remaining underdistributions for 2024. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI</i> . See instructions.				
7	Excess distributions carryover to 2025. Add lines 3j and 4c				
8	Breakdown of line 7:				
а	Excess from 2020				
b	Excess from 2021				
С	Excess from 2022				
d	Excess from 2023				
е	Excess from 2024				
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## Schedule G (Form 990)

#### **Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities**

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

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Name of the organization BUFFALO FOUNDATION					77-0668356	itification number
Part I Fundraising Activities. Complete if Form 990-EZ filers are not required	_			on Form 990	D, Part IV, line 17.	
<ul> <li>Indicate whether the organization raised fun</li> <li>a Mail solicitations</li> <li>b Internet and email solicitations</li> <li>c Phone solicitations</li> <li>d In-person solicitations</li> <li>2a Did the organization have a written or oral or key employees listed in Form 990, Part</li> <li>2a If "Yes," list the 10 highest paid individuals compensated at least \$5,000 by the organ</li> </ul>	agreement w VII) or entity i s or entities (fu	e Soli f Soli g Spe  rith any indi n connection	citation of r citation of g cial fundrai vidual (incl on with pro	non-governmen government gra sing events uding officers, fessional fund	nt grants ants directors, trustees, raising services?	YesNo
(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	custody o	draiser have r control of utions?	(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
1		Yes	No			
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
9						
10						
Total						
List all states in which the organization is registration or licensing.						

		than \$15,000 of fundraising event of	ontributions and g	ross income on For	m 990-EZ, lines 1 a	and 6b. List events with
		gross receipts greater than \$5,000.				
Revenue			(a) Event #1 Golf Tournament 2024 (event type)	(b) Event #2 Ring of Honor 2024 (event type)	(c) Other events (total number)	<b>(d)</b> Total events (add col. <b>(a)</b> through col. <b>(c)</b> )
Re	1	Gross receipts	15,092	75,857		90,949
	2	Less: Contributions				
	3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	15,092	75,857	0	90,949
	4	Cash prizes				
nses	5	Noncash prizes	792			792
Direct Expenses	6	Rent/facility costs	8,851	5,641		14,492
Direct	7	Food and beverages	4,979	9,720		14,699
	8	Entertainment				
	9	Other direct expenses	1,406	22,074		23,480
	10	. , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,				
_	Part III Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d)				37,486	
Par					rted more than	
Revenue			(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col. (a) through col. (c))
	1	Gross revenue				
Direct Expenses	2	Cash prizes				
t Exp	3	Noncash prizes				
Direc	4	Rent/facility costs				
	5	Other direct expenses				
			Yes %	Yes %	Yes %	
	6	Volunteer labor	No	No	No	
	7 Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d)					
	8	Net gaming income summary. Subtract	ct line 7 from line 1,	column (d)		
9 a b	a Is the organization licensed to conduct gaming activities in each of these states?					Yes No

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended, or terminated during the tax year? . . . Yes No
b If "Yes," explain:

Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more

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11	Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers?	Yes	No
	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
	Indicate the percentage of gaming activity conducted in:	1 1	
а	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		
b	Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue?	Yes	No
	Address		
16	Gaming manager information:  Name  Gaming manager compensation \$		
	Description of services provided		
	Director/officer Employee Independent contractor		
17 a	Mandatory distributions:  Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to		
b	retain the state gaming license?	Yes	No

## **SCHEDULE O** (Form 990)

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Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information. Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.

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Name of the Organization **BUFFALO FOUNDATION**  EIN 77-0668356

Part and Line Number: Part I - Line 10

Description	Amount
THS McKinney Vento(Student/Family Assistance) Program	\$3,531
THS Softball - Banners	\$445
THS Marching Band - Winter Guard Registration	\$1,236
THS Dance	\$1,500
THS Special Education	\$1,500
THS Softball	\$375
THS Hispanic Club	\$1,499
THS Drama Club	\$1,500
THS Ring of Honor - (5) Scholarships	\$12,500
THS Basketball	\$1,000
THS Best Buddy's Program	\$639
THS PBIS(Positive Behavior Intervention Support) Program	\$1,500
THS Baseball	\$1,590
THS Track	\$1,500
THS Football	\$1,500
THS Administration	\$2,500
THS Economics Club	\$628
THS Volleyball	\$737
THS Band	\$1,200
THS Orchestra	\$1,500
THS String's (Music) Project	\$1,400
THS Marching Band	\$1,030
THS Social Studies Honors Club	\$800
THS Student Activities 2023/2024 & 2024/2025 Academic School Year's	\$8,001

Description	Amount
Arizona Corporation Commission	\$10
Tax Filing Expense	\$101
Storage/Records Facility	\$1,694
Administrative Operating Expenses	\$216
Board Meeting Expenses	\$400

Part and Line Number: Part II - Line 24

Description	BOY Amount	EOY Amount
Other assets	\$0	\$0

Part and Line Number: Part II - Line 26

Description	BOY Amount	EOY Amount
Other assets	\$0	\$0

#### Part and Line Number: Part III - Primary Exempt Purpose

Financially support Tempe High School(THS) Administration, Teachers and Students with School Activities, Programs, Clubs, Organizations, Scholars, Athletes, and Students in Need.

#### Part and Line Number: Part III - Line 28

Funding programs & activities for THS administration, students, teachers, clubs, cultural & athletic programs. Examples include: student council, science, reading, testing, ESD/Special Education, Softball, Track Tennis, Volleyball, ELL, McKinney Vento, and others serving over 1,600 Students, Teachers & Staff.

#### Part and Line Number: Part I Line 10

THS McKinney Vento \$3,531.37, THS Softball - Banners - Feb \$444.40, THS Marching Band - Winter Guard Registration \$1,236.15, THS Dance - March \$1,500.00, THS Special Ed \$1,500.00, THS Softball - April \$375.00, THS Hispanic Club - April \$1,499.36, THS Drama Club - May \$1,500.00, THS Ring of Honor - Scholarships - May \$12,500.00, THS Basketball - May \$1,000.00, THS Best Buddies Program - May \$638.85, THS PBIS - June \$1,500.00, THS Baseball - May \$1,590.00, THS Track - June \$1,500.00, THS Football - June \$1,500.00, THS Admin - Aug \$2,500.00, THS Econ Program - Aug \$628.01, THS Volleyball - Sept \$736.83, THS Band - Oct \$1,200.00, THS Orchestra - Nov \$1,500.00, THS String Project - ASU - Nov \$1,400.00, THS Marching Band - Nov \$1,030.18, THS SS Honors Club - Nov \$800.00, THS Student Activities for 2023/2024 & 2024/2025 Academic School Year's \$8,001

#### Part and Line Number: Part I Line 16

AZ Corporation Commission \$10, Tax Filing Expenses \$101, CubeSmart - Document/Supply Storage \$1,694.16, Other Admin Expenditures \$216, Board Meeting Expenses \$400