



**Part II Statement of Functional Expenses**

All organizations must complete column (A) Columns (B), (C), and (D) are required for section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts but optional for others

Do not include amounts reported on line 6b, 8b, 9b, 10b, or 16 of Part I.		(A) Total	(B) Program services	(C) Management and general	(D) Fundraising
22	Grants and allocations (attach schedule) (cash \$ <u>2170436</u> - noncash \$ <u>0</u> ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>			Statement 3	
22		2,170,436.	2,170,436.		
23	Specific assistance to individuals (attach schedule)				
24	Benefits paid to or for members (attach schedule)				
25	Compensation of officers, directors, etc.	180,835.	0.	180,835.	0.
26	Other salaries and wages	1,589,702.	1,143,363.	446,339.	
27	Pension plan contributions	230,201.	154,138.	76,063.	
28	Other employee benefits	284,542.	162,458.	122,084.	
29	Payroll taxes	132,012.	88,731.	43,281.	
30	Professional fundraising fees				
31	Accounting fees	54,000.		54,000.	
32	Legal fees	63,373.		63,373.	
33	Supplies	43,162.	5,442.	37,720.	
34	Telephone	31,978.	15,310.	16,668.	
35	Postage and shipping	1,389,815.	1,368,324.	21,491.	
36	Occupancy	235,566.	157,935.	77,631.	
37	Equipment rental and maintenance	20,172.	6,309.	13,863.	
38	Printing and publications	563.	297.	266.	
39	Travel	65,519.	18,120.	47,399.	
40	Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
41	Interest				
42	Depreciation, depletion, etc. (attach schedule)	18,187.	8,897.	9,290.	
43	Other expenses not covered above (itemize):				
a	SELLING EXPENSES	157,005.	157,005.		
b	CONTRACTED SERVICES	305,370.	73,038.	232,332.	
c	OFFICE SERVICE &				
d	EXPENSE	130,005.	9,345.	120,660.	
e	BAD DEBTS	2,744.		2,744.	
f	ROYALTIES ON BOOKS	164,798.	164,798.		
g	WRITERS FEES	69,699.	68,769.	930.	
44	<b>Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 22 through 43. (Organizations completing columns (B)-(D), carry these totals to lines 13-15)	7,339,684.	5,772,715.	1,566,969.	0.

Joint Costs. Check  if you are following SOP 98-2.

Are any joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation reported in (B) Program services?  Yes  No  
 If "Yes," enter (i) the aggregate amount of these joint costs \$ N/A, (ii) the amount allocated to Program services \$ N/A,  
 (iii) the amount allocated to Management and general \$ N/A, and (iv) the amount allocated to Fundraising \$ N/A

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (See the instructions)

Form 990 is available for public inspection and, for some people, serves as the primary or sole source of information about a particular organization. How the public perceives an organization in such cases may be determined by the information presented on its return. Therefore, please make sure the return is complete and accurate and fully describes, in Part III, the organization's programs and accomplishments.

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? ▶ See Statement 4	<b>Program Service Expenses</b> (Required for 501(c)(3) and (4) orgs, and 4947(a)(1) trusts, but optional for others)
All organizations must describe their exempt purpose achievements in a clear and concise manner. State the number of clients served, publications issued, etc. Discuss achievements that are not measurable (Section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must also enter the amount of grants and allocations to others.)	
<b>a SALES OF BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, CASSETTE TAPES, ETC. DIRECTED TOWARDS THE REHABILITATION OF ALCOHOLICS. DURING 2005, 6,859,632 ITEMS WERE DISTRIBUTED.</b>	
(Grants and allocations \$ 2,170,436.) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	5,772,715.
<b>b</b>	
(Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>c</b>	
(Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>d</b>	
(Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>e Other program services (attach schedule)</b>	
(Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>f Total of Program Service Expenses</b> (should equal line 44, column (B), Program services) ▶	5,772,715.

**Part IV Balance Sheets** (See the instructions)

Note: Where required, attached schedules and amounts within the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only.

		(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
Assets	45 Cash - non-interest-bearing	435,427.	489,702.
	46 Savings and temporary cash investments	871,241.	375,149.
	47 a Accounts receivable	1,603,437.	
	b Less allowance for doubtful accounts		
		309,962.	1,603,437.
	48 a Pledges receivable		
	b Less allowance for doubtful accounts		
	49 Grants receivable		
	50 Receivables from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees		
	51 a Other notes and loans receivable		
	b Less allowance for doubtful accounts		
	52 Inventories for sale or use	2,512,885.	2,162,505.
	53 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	84,893.	99,591.
	54 Investments - securities <input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input type="checkbox"/> FMV		
	55 a Investments - land, buildings, and equipment: basis		
b Less accumulated depreciation			
56 Investments - other			
57 a Land, buildings, and equipment: basis	231,250.		
b Less: accumulated depreciation Stmt 5	32,551.		
58 Other assets (describe <input type="checkbox"/> See Statement 6 )	1.	1.	
<b>59 Total assets</b> (must equal line 74). Add lines 45 through 58		4,214,409.	4,929,084.
Liabilities	60 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	1,072,360.	954,665.
	61 Grants payable		
	62 Deferred revenue	20,248.	23,226.
	63 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees		
	64 a Tax-exempt bond liabilities		
	b Mortgages and other notes payable		
	65 Other liabilities (describe <input type="checkbox"/> )		
<b>66 Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 60 through 65)		1,092,608.	977,891.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 67 through 69 and lines 73 and 74</b>		
	67 Unrestricted	3,121,801.	3,951,193.
	68 Temporarily restricted		
	69 Permanently restricted		
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 70 through 74.</b>		
	70 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds		
	71 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, and equipment fund		
	72 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		
	73 <b>Total net assets or fund balances</b> (add lines 67 through 69 or lines 70 through 72, column (A) must equal line 19, column (B) must equal line 21)	3,121,801.	3,951,193.
	74 <b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances.</b> Add lines 66 and 73	4,214,409.	4,929,084.



Part V-A Current Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees (continued)

75 a Enter the total number of officers, directors, and trustees permitted to vote on organization business at board meetings 9
75 b Are any officers, directors, trustees, or key employees listed in Form 990, Part V-A, or highest compensated employees listed in Schedule A, Part I, or highest compensated professional and other independent contractors listed in Schedule A, Part II-A or II-B, related to each other through family or business relationships? If "Yes," attach a statement that identifies the individuals and explains the relationship(s)
75 c Do any officers, directors, trustees, or key employees listed in Form 990, Part V-A, or highest compensated employees listed in Schedule A, Part I, or highest compensated professional and other independent contractors listed in Schedule A, Part II-A or II-B, receive compensation from any other organizations, whether tax exempt or taxable, that are related to this organization through common supervision or common control? See Statement 8
75 d Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy?

Part V-B Former Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees That Received Compensation or Other Benefits

Table with 5 columns: (A) Name and address, (B) Loans and Advances, (C) Compensation, (D) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation plans, (E) Expense account and other allowances. The first row contains 'None' in column (A).

Part VI Other Information (See the instructions)

76 Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of each activity
77 Were any changes made in the organizing or governing documents but not reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes
78 a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?
78 b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year? N/A
79 Was there a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach a statement
80 a Is the organization related (other than by association with a statewide or nationwide organization) through common membership, governing bodies, trustees, officers, etc., to any other exempt or nonexempt organization?
80 b If "Yes," enter the name of the organization THE GENERAL SERVICE BOARD OF A.A., INC. and check whether it is [X] exempt or [ ] nonexempt
81 a Enter direct or indirect political expenditures (See line 81 instructions) 81a 0.
81 b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?

Part VI Other Information (continued)		Yes	No
82 a	Did the organization receive donated services or the use of materials, equipment, or facilities at no charge or at substantially less than fair rental value?		X
b	If "Yes," you may indicate the value of these items here. Do not include this amount as revenue in Part I or as an expense in Part II (See instructions in Part III)		
82b	N/A		
83 a	Did the organization comply with the public inspection requirements for returns and exemption applications?	X	
b	Did the organization comply with the disclosure requirements relating to quid pro quo contributions?		
83b	N/A		
84 a	Did the organization solicit any contributions or gifts that were not tax deductible?		
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		
84b	N/A		
85	501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations		
a	Were substantially all dues nondeductible by members?		
b	Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less? If "Yes" was answered to either 85a or 85b, do not complete 85c through 85h below unless the organization received a waiver for proxy tax owed for the prior year		
85a	N/A		
b	Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?		
85b	N/A		
c	Dues, assessments, and similar amounts from members		
85c	N/A		
d	Section 162(e) lobbying and political expenditures		
85d	N/A		
e	Aggregate nondeductible amount of section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices		
85e	N/A		
f	Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (line 85d less 85e)		
85f	N/A		
g	Does the organization elect to pay the section 6033(e) tax on the amount on line 85f?		
85g	N/A		
h	If section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices were sent, does the organization agree to add the amount on line 85f to its reasonable estimate of dues allocable to nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures for the following tax year?		
85h	N/A		
86	501(c)(7) organizations Enter: a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 12		
86a	N/A		
b	Gross receipts, included on line 12, for public use of club facilities		
86b	N/A		
87	501(c)(12) organizations Enter: a Gross income from members or shareholders		
87a	N/A		
b	Gross income from other sources. (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)		
87b	N/A		
88	At any time during the year, did the organization own a 50% or greater interest in a taxable corporation or partnership, or an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? If "Yes," complete Part IX		X
89 a	501(c)(3) organizations Enter Amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under section 4911 <u>0.</u> , section 4912 <u>0.</u> , section 4955 <u>0.</u>		
b	501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or did it become aware of an excess benefit transaction from a prior year? If "Yes," attach a statement explaining each transaction		X
89b			
c	Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 <u>0.</u>		
d	Enter: Amount of tax on line 89c, above, reimbursed by the organization <u>0.</u>		
90 a	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed <u>NY</u>		
90 b	Number of employees employed in the pay period that includes March 12, 2005 <u>87</u>		
91 a	The books are in care of <u>ORGANIZATION</u> Telephone no <u>(212) 870-3400</u> Located at <u>475 RIVERSIDE DRIVE, NEW YORK, NY</u> ZIP + 4 <u>10115</u>		
b	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country <u>N/A</u> See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		X
91b			
c	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the United States? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country <u>N/A</u>		X
91c			
92	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041- Check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year <u>N/A</u>		
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**Part VII Analysis of Income-Producing Activities** (See the instructions.)

	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(E) Related or exempt function income
	(A) Business code	(B) Amount	(C) Exclu- sion code	(D) Amount	
<b>93</b> Program service revenue:					
a _____					
b _____					
c _____					
d _____					
e _____					
f Medicare/Medicaid payments					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
<b>94</b> Membership dues and assessments					
<b>95</b> Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			14	6,810.	
<b>96</b> Dividends and interest from securities					
<b>97</b> Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:					
a debt-financed property					
b not debt-financed property					
<b>98</b> Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
<b>99</b> Other investment income					
<b>100</b> Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory					
<b>101</b> Net income or (loss) from special events					
<b>102</b> Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					8,162,266.
<b>103</b> Other revenue:					
a _____					
b _____					
c _____					
d _____					
e _____					
<b>104</b> Subtotal (add columns (B), (D), and (E))		0.		6,810.	8,162,266.
<b>105</b> Total (add line 104, columns (B), (D), and (E))					8,169,076.

Note: Line 105 plus line 1d, Part I, should equal the amount on line 12, Part I

**Part VIII Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes** (See the instructions)

Line No.	Explain how each activity for which income is reported in column (E) of Part VII contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the organization's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes)
102	SALES OF BOOKS, PAMPHLETS AND CASSETTES TO A.A. GROUPS, MEMBERS AND
102	OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS SEEKING REHABILITATION FROM ALCOHOLISM

**Part IX Information Regarding Taxable Subsidiaries and Disregarded Entities** (See the instructions)

(A) Name, address, and EIN of corporation, partnership, or disregarded entity	(B) Percentage of ownership interest	(C) Nature of activities	(D) Total income	(E) End-of-year assets
N/A	%			
	%			
	%			
	%			

**Part X Information Regarding Transfers Associated with Personal Benefit Contracts** (See the instructions)

(a) Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?  Yes  No

(b) Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?  Yes  No

Note: If "Yes" to (b), file Form 8870 and Form 4720 (see instructions).

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.

Prepared Here: Donald W McVurror Signature of officer Date: 5/14/06 Type or print name and title: Donald W McVurror CFO Assst

Paid Preparer's Use Only: Preparer's signature: Kevin Smith Date: MAY 02 2006 Check if self-employed:  Preparer's SSN or PTIN: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4: Owen J Flanagan & Co  
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 EIN: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone no: 212-682-2783



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

**Organization Exempt Under Section 501(c)(3)**

OMB No 1545-0047

(Except Private Foundation) and Section 501(e), 501(f), 501(k),  
501(n), or 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust

**2005**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplementary Information-(See separate instructions.)**

▶ **MUST be completed by the above organizations and attached to their Form 990 or 990-EZ**

Name of the organization: **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS WORLD SERVICES, INC**  
Employer identification number: **13 1679617**

**Part I Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Employees Other Than Officers, Directors, and Trustees**  
(See page 1 of the instructions List each one if there are none, enter "None")

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
CHRISTOPHER CAVANAUGH OSSINING, NY	PUBLICATIONS 35.00	145,604.	42,225.	0.
CAROL HARLEY FOREST HILLS, NY	PRODUCTION 35.00	89,338.	25,908.	0.
ELEANOR WIDDOES NEW YORK, NY	WRITER 35.00	86,788.	25,169.	0.
DAN DEFILIPPIS FLORAL PARK, NY	ASST CONT 35.00	82,741.	23,995.	0.
JOHN DE STEFANO NY, NY	EDITOR 35.00	73,379.	21,280.	0.
Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 ▶	13			

**Part II-A Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Independent Contractors for Professional Services**  
(See page 2 of the instructions List each one (whether individuals or firms) if there are none, enter "None")

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
OWEN J FLANAGAN & CO NEW YORK, NY	AUDIT & TAX	54,000.
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Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services ▶	0	

**Part II-B Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Independent Contractors for Other Services**  
(List each contractor who performed services other than professional services, whether individuals or firms If there are none, enter "None" See page 2 of the instructions )

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
None		
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Total number of other contractors receiving over \$50,000 for other services ▶	0	

**Part III Statements About Activities** (See page 2 of the instructions )

	Yes	No
1 During the year, has the organization attempted to influence national, state, or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum? If "Yes," enter the total expenses paid or incurred in connection with the lobbying activities \$ _____ \$ _____ (Must equal amounts on line 38, Part VI-A, or line i of Part VI-B ) Organizations that made an election under section 501(h) by filing Form 5768 must complete Part VI-A Other organizations checking "Yes" must complete Part VI-B AND attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities		X
2 During the year, has the organization, either directly or indirectly, engaged in any of the following acts with any substantial contributors, trustees, directors, officers, creators, key employees, or members of their families, or with any taxable organization with which any such person is affiliated as an officer, director, trustee, majority owner, or principal beneficiary? (If the answer to any question is "Yes," attach a detailed statement explaining the transactions )		
a Sale, exchange, or leasing of property?		X
b Lending of money or other extension of credit?		X
c Furnishing of goods, services, or facilities?		X
d Payment of compensation (or payment or reimbursement of expenses if more than \$1,000)? See Part V-A, Form 990	X	
e Transfer of any part of its income or assets?		X
3 a Do you make grants for scholarships, fellowships, student loans, etc ? (If "Yes," attach an explanation of how you determine that recipients qualify to receive payments )		X
b Do you have a section 403(b) annuity plan for your employees?	X	
c During the year, did the organization receive a contribution of qualified real property interest under section 170(h)?		X
4 a Did you maintain any separate account for participating donors where donors have the right to provide advice on the use or distribution of funds?		X
b Do you provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services?		X

**Part IV Reason for Non-Private Foundation Status** (See pages 3 through 6 of the instructions )

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (Please check only ONE applicable box )

- 5  A church, convention of churches, or association of churches Section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)
- 6  A school Section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii) (Also complete Part V )
- 7  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)
- 8  A Federal, state, or local government or governmental unit Section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)
- 9  A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii) Enter the hospital's name, city, and state ► \_\_\_\_\_
- 10  An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A )
- 11a  An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A )
- 11b  A community trust Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A )
- 12  An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its charitable, etc , functions - subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See section 509(a)(2) (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A )
- 13  An organization that is not controlled by any disqualified persons (other than foundation managers) and supports organizations described in (1) lines 5 through 12 above, or (2) sections 501(c)(4), (5), or (6), if they meet the test of section 509(a)(2) Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization ►  Type 1  Type 2  Type 3

Provide the following information about the supported organizations (See page 6 of the instructions )

(a) Name(s) of supported organization(s)	(b) Line number from above

- 14  An organization organized and operated to test for public safety Section 509(a)(4) (See page 6 of the instructions )

**Part IV-A Support Schedule** (Complete only if you checked a box on line 10, 11, or 12.) Use cash method of accounting.  
 Note: You may use the worksheet in the instructions for converting from the accrual to the cash method of accounting

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2004	(b) 2003	(c) 2002	(d) 2001	(e) Total
15 Gifts, grants, and contributions received (Do not include unusual grants. See line 28.)					
16 Membership fees received					
17 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or furnishing of facilities in any activity that is related to the organization's charitable, etc., purpose	11,297,561.	10,460,468.	10,333,312.	11,128,420.	43,219,761.
18 Gross income from interest, dividends, amounts received from payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), rents, royalties, and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975	1,758.	2,194.	5,638.	9,405.	18,995.
19 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 18					
20 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to it or expended on its behalf					
21 The value of services or facilities furnished to the organization by a governmental unit without charge. Do not include the value of services or facilities generally furnished to the public without charge.					
22 Other income. Attach a schedule. Do not include gain or (loss) from sale of capital assets.					
23 Total of lines 15 through 22	11,299,319.	10,462,662.	10,338,950.	11,137,825.	43,238,756.
24 Line 23 minus line 17	1,758.	2,194.	5,638.	9,405.	18,995.
25 Enter 1% of line 23	112,993.	104,627.	103,390.	111,378.	
26 Organizations described on lines 10 or 11: a Enter 2% of amount in column (e), line 24					26a N/A
b Prepare a list for your records to show the name of and amount contributed by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) whose total gifts for 2001 through 2004 exceeded the amount shown in line 26a. Do not file this list with your return. Enter the total of all these excess amounts					26b N/A
c Total support for section 509(a)(1) test. Enter line 24, column (e)					26c N/A
d Add: Amounts from column (e) for lines 18 _____ 19 _____ 22 _____ 26b _____					26d N/A
e Public support (line 26c minus line 26d total)					26e N/A
f Public support percentage (line 26e (numerator) divided by line 26c (denominator))					26f N/A %
27 Organizations described on line 12: a For amounts included in lines 15, 16, and 17 that were received from a "disqualified person," prepare a list for your records to show the name of, and total amounts received in each year from, each "disqualified person." Do not file this list with your return. Enter the sum of such amounts for each year: (2004) 0. (2003) 0. (2002) 0. (2001) 0.					
b For any amount included in line 17 that was received from each person (other than "disqualified persons"), prepare a list for your records to show the name of, and amount received for each year, that was more than the larger of (1) the amount on line 25 for the year or (2) \$5,000. (Include in the list organizations described in lines 5 through 11b, as well as individuals.) Do not file this list with your return. After computing the difference between the amount received and the larger amount described in (1) or (2), enter the sum of these differences (the excess amounts) for each year: (2004) 1,400,725. (2003) 943,832. (2002) 753,351. (2001) 1,226,802.					
c Add: Amounts from column (e) for lines 15 _____ 16 _____ 17 43,219,761. 20 _____ 21 _____					27c 43,219,761.
d Add: Line 27a total 0. and line 27b total 4,324,710.					27d 4,324,710.
e Public support (line 27c total minus line 27d total)					27e 38,895,051.
f Total support for section 509(a)(2) test. Enter amount on line 23, column (e)					27f 43,238,756.
g Public support percentage (line 27e (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))					27g 89.9541%
h Investment income percentage (line 18, column (e) (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))					27h .0439%

28 Unusual Grants: For an organization described in line 10, 11, or 12 that received any unusual grants during 2001 through 2004, prepare a list for your records to show, for each year, the name of the contributor, the date and amount of the grant, and a brief description of the nature of the grant. Do not file this list with your return. Do not include these grants in line 15

**Part V Private School Questionnaire** (See page 7 of the instructions)

N/A

(To be completed ONLY by schools that checked the box on line 6 in Part IV)

		Yes	No
29	Does the organization have a racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students by statement in its charter, bylaws, other governing instrument, or in a resolution of its governing body?		
30	Does the organization include a statement of its racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students in all its brochures, catalogues, and other written communications with the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?		
31	Has the organization publicized its racially nondiscriminatory policy through newspaper or broadcast media during the period of solicitation for students, or during the registration period if it has no solicitation program, in a way that makes the policy known to all parts of the general community it serves? If "Yes," please describe, if "No," please explain (If you need more space, attach a separate statement )		
_____			
_____			
_____			
32	Does the organization maintain the following		
a	Records indicating the racial composition of the student body, faculty, and administrative staff?		
b	Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on a racially nondiscriminatory basis?		
c	Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?		
d	Copies of all material used by the organization or on its behalf to solicit contributions? If you answered "No" to any of the above, please explain (If you need more space, attach a separate statement )		
_____			
_____			
33	Does the organization discriminate by race in any way with respect to		
a	Students' rights or privileges?		
b	Admissions policies?		
c	Employment of faculty or administrative staff?		
d	Scholarships or other financial assistance?		
e	Educational policies?		
f	Use of facilities?		
g	Athletic programs?		
h	Other extracurricular activities? If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain (If you need more space, attach a separate statement )		
_____			
_____			
34 a	Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency?		
b	Has the organization's right to such aid ever been revoked or suspended? If you answered "Yes" to either 34a or b, please explain using an attached statement		
35	Does the organization certify that it has complied with the applicable requirements of sections 4 01 through 4 05 of Rev Proc 75-50, 1975-2 C B 587, covering racial nondiscrimination? If "No," attach an explanation		

**Part VI-A Lobbying Expenditures by Electing Public Charities** (See page 9 of the instructions )

N/A

(To be completed ONLY by an eligible organization that filed Form 5768)

Check  a if the organization belongs to an affiliated group Check  b if you checked "a" and "limited control" provisions apply

<b>Limits on Lobbying Expenditures</b> (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred )		(a) Affiliated group totals	(b) To be completed for ALL electing organizations												
		N/A													
36	Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grassroots lobbying)	36													
37	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)	37													
38	Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 36 and 37)	38													
39	Other exempt purpose expenditures	39													
40	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 38 and 39)	40													
41	Lobbying nontaxable amount Enter the amount from the following table -														
	<table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;"><b>If the amount on line 40 is -</b></td> <td style="width: 50%;"><b>The lobbying nontaxable amount is -</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Not over \$500,000</td> <td>20% of the amount on line 40</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000</td> <td>\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000</td> <td>\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$1,000,000</td> </tr> </table>	<b>If the amount on line 40 is -</b>	<b>The lobbying nontaxable amount is -</b>	Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 40	Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000	Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000	Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000	Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000	41	
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Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000														
42	Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 41)	42													
43	Subtract line 42 from line 36 Enter -0- if line 42 is more than line 36	43													
44	Subtract line 41 from line 38 Enter -0- if line 41 is more than line 38	44													

**Caution** If there is an amount on either line 43 or line 44, you must file Form 4720

**4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)**

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below See the instructions for lines 45 through 50 on page 11 of the instructions )

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period				N/A
	(a) 2005	(b) 2004	(c) 2003	(d) 2002	(e) Total
45	Lobbying nontaxable amount				0.
46	Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 45(e))				0.
47	Total lobbying expenditures				0.
48	Grassroots nontaxable amount				0.
49	Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 48(e))				0.
50	Grassroots lobbying expenditures				0.

**Part VI-B Lobbying Activity by Nonelecting Public Charities**

(For reporting only by organizations that did not complete Part VI-A) (See page 11 of the instructions )

N/A

During the year, did the organization attempt to influence national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of	Yes	No	Amount
a Volunteers			
b Paid staff or management (Include compensation in expenses reported on lines c through h.)			
c Media advertisements			
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public			
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements			
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes			
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body			
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any other means			
i Total lobbying expenditures (Add lines c through h.)			0.

If "Yes" to any of the above, also attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities



Asset No	Description	Date Acquired	Method	Life	Line No	Unadjusted Cost Or Basis	Bus % Excl	* Reduction In Basis	Basis For Depreciation	Accumulated Depreciation	Current Sec 179	Amount Of Depreciation
1	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	070105SL		3.00	19A	225,266.			225,266.			32,488.
2	FURNITURE	070105SL		8.00	16	5,984.			5,984.			63.
3	LESS: CHARGED TO GSB			.000	16			0.	231,250.	0.	0.	-14,364.
	* Total 990 Page 2 Depr					231,250.						18,187.

528102 01-06-06 (D) - Asset disposed \* ITC, Section 179, Salvage, Bonus, Commercial Revitalization Deduction, GO Zone

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Footnotes

Statement 1

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990 PART V

CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS  
ARE BASED UPON REASONABLE ESTIMATES.

PART OF OFFICERS' SALARIES ARE CARRIED BY THE  
GENERAL SERVICE BOARD OF A.A.



Form 990

Income and Cost of Goods Sold  
Included on Part I, Line 10

Statement 2

Income

1. Gross receipts . . . . .	11,923,839	
2. Returns and allowances . . . . .	322,773	
3. Line 1 less line 2 . . . . .		11,601,066
4. Cost of goods sold (line 13) . . . . .	3,438,800	
5. Gross profit (line 3 less line 4) . . . . .		8,162,266

Cost of Goods Sold

6. Inventory at beginning of year . . . . .	2,512,885	
7. Merchandise purchased . . . . .	3,088,420	
8. Cost of labor . . . . .		
9. Materials and supplies . . . . .		
10. Other costs . . . . .		
11. Add lines 6 through 10 . . . . .		5,601,305
12. Inventory at end of year . . . . .	2,162,505	
13. Cost of goods sold (line 11 less line 12). . . . .		3,438,800

Form 990 Cash Grants and Allocations Statement 3

Classification	Donee's Name	Donee's Address	Donee's Relationship	Amount
	GENERAL SERVICE BOARD OF A.A.	475 RIVERSIDE DRIVE, NEW YORK, NY	SEE PART VI	2170436.
Total Included on Form 990, Part II, line 22				2170436.

Form 990 Statement of Organization's Primary Exempt Purpose Part III Statement 4

Explanation

DISSEMINATION OF LITERATURE AND RELATED ITEMS DIRECTED TOWARDS ALCOHOLICS FOLLOWING THE A.A RECOVERY PROGRAM.

Form 990 Depreciation of Assets Not Held for Investment Statement 5

Description	Cost or Other Basis	Accumulated Depreciation	Book Value
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	225,266.	32,488.	192,778.
FURNITURE	5,984.	63.	5,921.
Total to Form 990, Part IV, ln 57	231,250.	32,551.	198,699.

Form 990 Other Assets Statement 6

Description	Amount
COPYRIGHTS & GOODWILL @ NOMINAL VALUE	1.
Total to Form 990, Part IV, line 58, Column B	1.

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Part V - List of Officers, Directors,  
Trustees and Key Employees

Statement 7

Name and Address	Title and Avg Hrs/Wk	Compen- sation	Employee Ben Plan Expense Contrib Account	
GREG MUTH NEW YORK, NY	PRESIDENT 20.00	114,851.	33,307.	0.
VALERIE O'NEILL NEW YORK, NY	SECOND VICE PRESIDENT 20.00	0.	0.	0.
CHARLES J. BARTA CEDAR RAPIDS, IA	FIRST VICE PRESIDENT 2.00	0.	0.	0.
GEORGE G. MARTIN MILDFORD, MI	TRUSTEE 2.00	0.	0.	0.
RONALD J. GAUTHIER SO. HAMILTON, MA	TRUSTEE 2.00	0.	0.	0.
JOSEPH DENNAN NEW YORK, NY	SECRETARY 20.00	0.	0.	0.
DONALD MEURER BABYLON, NY	ASST. TREASURER 20.00	65,984.	19,135.	0.
PAUL CLEARY OCEANSIDE, CA	TREASURER 2.00	0.	0.	0.
JANE TOLAR EASTON, MD	TRUSTEE 2.00	0.	0.	0.
DON MILLER LOUISVILLE, CO	TRUSTEE 2.00	0.	0.	0.
GARY KLUKSDAHL PARKER, CO	CHAIRPERSON 2.00	0.	0.	0.
Totals Included on Form 990, Part V		180,835.	52,442.	0.

Form 990 Part V-A Officer Compensation from Statement 8  
 Related Organizations

Officer's Name	Compensation	Employee Benefit Plan Contribution	Expense Account
GREG MUTH	114,850.	33,307.	0.

Name of Related Organization	Employer ID Number
GENERAL SERVICE BOARD OF ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS	23-7282071

Relationship Between Organizations

AFFILIATED EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS

Compensation Description

THE COMPENSATION OF THE GENERAL MANAGER IS SHARED EQUALLY BETWEEN AA WORLD SERVICES & THE GENERAL SERVICE BOARD OF AA, TWO RELATED TAX EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS.

Officer's Name	Compensation	Employee Benefit Plan Contribution	Expense Account
DONALD MEURER	65,984.	19,135.	0.

Name of Related Organization	Employer ID Number
GENERAL SERVICE BOARD OF ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS	23-7282071

Relationship Between Organizations

AFFILIATED EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS

Compensation Description

THE COMPENSATION OF THE CFO/CONTROLLER IS SHARED EQUALLY BETWEEN AA WORLD SERVICES & THE GENERAL SERVICE BOARD OF AA, TWO RELATED TAX EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS.

**Depreciation and Amortization** 990  
 (Including Information on Listed Property)

▶ See separate instructions. ▶ Attach to your tax return.

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**Part I Election To Expense Certain Property Under Section 179** Note: If you have any listed property, complete Part V before you complete Part I

1	Maximum amount. See the instructions for a higher limit for certain businesses	105,000.
2	Total cost of section 179 property placed in service (see instructions)	
3	Threshold cost of section 179 property before reduction in limitation	420,000.
4	Reduction in limitation. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-	
5	Dollar limitation for tax year. Subtract line 4 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0-. If married filing separately, see instructions	

6	(a) Description of property	(b) Cost (business use only)	(c) Elected cost

7	Listed property. Enter the amount from line 29	7
8	Total elected cost of section 179 property. Add amounts in column (c), lines 6 and 7	
9	Tentative deduction. Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8	
10	Carryover of disallowed deduction from line 13 of your 2004 Form 4562	
11	Business income limitation. Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5	
12	Section 179 expense deduction. Add lines 9 and 10, but do not enter more than line 11	
13	Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2006. Add lines 9 and 10, less line 12	13

Note: Do not use Part II or Part III below for listed property. Instead, use Part V.

**Part II Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation (Do not include listed property.)**

14	Special allowance for certain aircraft, certain property with a long production period, and qualified NYL or GO Zone property (other than listed property) placed in service during the tax year	
15	Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election	
16	Other depreciation (including ACRS)	-14,301.

**Part III MACRS Depreciation (Do not include listed property) (See instructions)**

**Section A**

17	MACRS deductions for assets placed in service in tax years beginning before 2005	
18	If you are electing to group any assets placed in service during the tax year into one or more general asset accounts, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	

**Section B - Assets Placed in Service During 2005 Tax Year Using the General Depreciation System**

	(a) Classification of property	(b) Month and year placed in service	(c) Basis for depreciation (business/investment use only - see instructions)	(d) Recovery period	(e) Convention	(f) Method	(g) Depreciation deduction
19a	3-year property		225,266.	3 Yrs.	HY	SL	32,488.
b	5-year property						
c	7-year property						
d	10-year property						
e	15-year property						
f	20-year property						
g	25-year property			25 yrs		S/L	
h	Residential rental property	/		27.5 yrs	MM	S/L	
		/		27.5 yrs	MM	S/L	
i	Nonresidential real property	/		39 yrs.	MM	S/L	
		/			MM	S/L	

**Section C - Assets Placed in Service During 2005 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System**

20a	Class life				S/L	
b	12-year			12 yrs	S/L	
c	40-year	/		40 yrs	MM	S/L

**Part IV Summary (see instructions)**

21	Listed property. Enter amount from line 28	21
22	Total. Add amounts from line 12, lines 14 through 17, lines 19 and 20 in column (g), and line 21. Enter here and on the appropriate lines of your return. Partnerships and S corporations - see instr.	18,187.
23	For assets shown above and placed in service during the current year, enter the portion of the basis attributable to section 263A costs	23

**Part V Listed Property** (Include automobiles, certain other vehicles, cellular telephones, certain computers, and property used for entertainment, recreation, or amusement)  
**Note:** For any vehicle for which you are using the standard mileage rate or deducting lease expense, complete only 24a, 24b, columns (a) through (c) of Section A, all of Section B, and Section C if applicable

**Section A - Depreciation and Other Information (Caution: See the instructions for limits for passenger automobiles.)**

24a Do you have evidence to support the business/investment use claimed?  Yes  No 24b If "Yes," is the evidence written?  Yes  No

(a) Type of property (list vehicles first)	(b) Date placed in service	(c) Business/investment use percentage	(d) Cost or other basis	(e) Basis for depreciation (business/investment use only)	(f) Recovery period	(g) Method/Convention	(h) Depreciation deduction	(i) Elected section 179 cost
25 Special allowance for certain aircraft, certain property with a long production period, and qualified NYL or GO Zone property placed in service during the tax year and used more than 50% in a qualified business use							25	
26 Property used more than 50% in a qualified business use:								
		%						
		%						
		%						
27 Property used 50% or less in a qualified business use								
		%				S/L -		
		%				S/L -		
		%				S/L -		
28 Add amounts in column (h), lines 25 through 27 Enter here and on line 21, page 1							28	
29 Add amounts in column (i), line 26. Enter here and on line 7, page 1								29

**Section B - Information on Use of Vehicles**

Complete this section for vehicles used by a sole proprietor, partner, or other "more than 5% owner," or related person  
 If you provided vehicles to your employees, first answer the questions in Section C to see if you meet an exception to completing this section for those vehicles

	(a) Vehicle		(b) Vehicle		(c) Vehicle		(d) Vehicle		(e) Vehicle		(f) Vehicle	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
30 Total business/investment miles driven during the year (do not include commuting miles)												
31 Total commuting miles driven during the year												
32 Total other personal (noncommuting) miles driven												
33 Total miles driven during the year Add lines 30 through 32												
34 Was the vehicle available for personal use during off-duty hours?												
35 Was the vehicle used primarily by a more than 5% owner or related person?												
36 Is another vehicle available for personal use?												

**Section C - Questions for Employers Who Provide Vehicles for Use by Their Employees**

Answer these questions to determine if you meet an exception to completing Section B for vehicles used by employees who are not more than 5% owners or related persons

	Yes	No
37 Do you maintain a written policy statement that prohibits all personal use of vehicles, including commuting, by your employees?		
38 Do you maintain a written policy statement that prohibits personal use of vehicles, except commuting, by your employees? See the instructions for vehicles used by corporate officers, directors, or 1% or more owners		
39 Do you treat all use of vehicles by employees as personal use?		
40 Do you provide more than five vehicles to your employees, obtain information from your employees about the use of the vehicles, and retain the information received?		
41 Do you meet the requirements concerning qualified automobile demonstration use? <b>Note:</b> If your answer to 37, 38, 39, 40, or 41 is "Yes," do not complete Section B for the covered vehicles		

**Part VI Amortization**

(a) Description of costs	(b) Date amortization begins	(c) Amortizable amount	(d) Code section	(e) Amortization period or percentage	(f) Amortization for this year
42 Amortization of costs that begins during your 2005 tax year					
43 Amortization of costs that began before your 2005 tax year					43
44 Total. Add amounts in column (f). See the instructions for where to report					44