

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

2006

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

A For the 2006 calendar year, or tax year beginning 07-01, 2006, and ending 06-30 20 07

- B Check if applicable: Address change, Name change, Initial return, Final return, Amended return, Application pending

C Name of organization: MONTANA WEED CONTROL ASSOCIATION
D Employer identification number: 81-0436793
E Telephone number: (406) 684-5590
F Accounting method: [X] Cash [] Accrual

Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

- H and I are not applicable to section 527 organizations
H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? [] Yes [X] No
H(b) If "Yes," enter number of affiliates
H(c) Are all affiliates included? [] Yes [] No
H(d) Is this a separate return filed by an organization covered by a group ruling? [] Yes [X] No

G Website WWW.MTWEED.ORG

J Organization type (check only one) [X] 501(c)(3) (insert no) [] 4947(a)(1) or [] 527

K Check here [] if the organization is not a 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. A return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return.

L Gross receipts Add lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b to line 12 249,708

I Group Exemption Number
M Check [] if the organization is not required to attach Sch B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the instructions)

Table with 21 rows and multiple columns. Rows include: 1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received; 2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts; 3 Membership dues and assessments; 4 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments; 5 Dividends and interest from securities; 6a Gross rents; 6b Less rental expenses; 6c Net rental income or (loss); 7 Other investment income; 8a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory; 8b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses; 8c Gain or (loss) (attach schedule); 8d Net gain or (loss); 9 Special events and activities; 9a Gross revenue; 9b Less direct expenses other than fundraising expenses; 9c Net income or (loss) from special events; 10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances; 10b Less cost of goods sold; 10c Gross profit of (loss) from sales of inventory; 11 Other revenue; 12 Total revenue; 13 Program services; 14 Management and general; 15 Fundraising; 16 Payments to affiliates; 17 Total expenses; 18 Excess or (deficit) for the year; 19 Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year; 20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances; 21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year.

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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 (See the instructions)

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 a	Grants paid from donor advised funds (attach schedule) (cash \$ _____ noncash \$ _____) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	22a				
22 b	Other grants and allocations (attach schedule) (cash \$ 3,439 noncash \$ _____) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	22b	3,439	3,439		
23	Specific assistance to individuals (attach schedule)	23				
24	Benefits paid to or for members (attach schedule)	24				
25 a	Compensation of current officers, directors, key employees, etc listed in Part V-A (attach schedule)	25a	35,000	25,000	10,000	
b	Compensation of former officers, directors, key employees, etc listed in Part V-B (attach schedule)	25b				
c	Compensation and other distributions, not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) (attach schedule)	25c				
26	Salaries and wages of employees not included on lines 25a, b, and c	26				
27	Pension plan contributions not included on lines 25a, b, and c	27				
28	Employee benefits not included on lines 25a - 27	28	3,210		3,210	
29	Payroll taxes	29	3,384		3,384	
30	Professional fundraising fees	30				
31	Accounting fees	31	1,520		1,520	
32	Legal fees	32	1,372		1,372	
33	Supplies	33	1,059		1,059	
34	Telephone	34	2,370		2,370	
35	Postage and shipping	35	2,099		2,099	
36	Occupancy	36				
37	Equipment rental and maintenance	37	108		108	
38	Printing and publications	38	21,112	17,827	3,285	
39	Travel	39	10,643	7,819	2,824	
40	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	40	7,083		7,083	
41	Interest	41				
42	Depreciation, depletion, etc (attach schedule)	42	647		647	
43	Other expenses not covered above (itemize)					
a	Dues and Misc	43a	619		619	
b	Bank charges and fees	43b	747		747	
c	Liability insurance	43c	778		778	
d	Taxes	43d	168		168	
e		43e				
f	Cost of fundraising	43f	2,121		2,121	
g	Program Service-see sch	43g	168,252	168,252		
44	Total functional expenses. Add lines 22a through 43g (Organizations completing columns (B)-(D), carry these totals to lines 13-15)	44	265,731	222,337	43,394	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 \$ _____, (ii) the amount allocated to Program services \$ _____,
 (iii) the amount allocated to Management and general \$ _____, and (iv) the amount allocated to Fundraising \$ _____

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? Noxious weed education in MT 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.)	Program Service Expenses (Required for 501(c)(3) and (4) orgs., and 4947(a)(1) trusts, but optional for others.)
a See SERVICES 	
(Grants and allocations \$ <u>10,371</u>) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	9,969
b See SERVICES 	
(Grants and allocations \$ <u>38,092</u>) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	26,049
c See SERVICES 	
(Grants and allocations \$ <u>2,175</u>) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	7,279
d See SERVICES 	
(Grants and allocations \$ <u>97,854</u>) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	113,305
e Other program services (attach schedule) (Grants and allocations \$ <u>39,975</u>) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	65,735
f Total of Program Service Expenses (should equal line 44, column (B), Program services)	222,337

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)		(B)
		Beginning of year		End of year
A s s e t s	45 Cash - non-interest-bearing		45	
	46 Savings and temporary cash investments	90,103	46	74,950
	47 a Accounts receivable	47a		
	b Less allowance for doubtful accounts	47b	47c	
	48 a Pledges receivable	48a		
	b Less allowance for doubtful accounts	48b	48c	
	49 Grants receivable		49	
	50 a Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule)		50a	
	b Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) (attach schedule)		50b	
	51 a Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule)	51a		
	b Less allowance for doubtful accounts	51b	51c	
	52 Inventories for sale or use		52	
	53 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		53	
	54 a Investments - publicly-traded securities <input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input type="checkbox"/> FMV		54a	
	b Investments - other securities (attach schedule) <input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input type="checkbox"/> FMV		54b	
	55 a Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis	55a		
	b Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)	55b	55c	
	56 Investments - other (attach schedule)		56	
	57 a Land, buildings, and equipment basis	57a	4,530	
	b Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) STM11-6	57b	728	57c
58 Other assets, including program-related investments (describe _____)		4,449	58	
59 Total assets (must equal line 74) Add lines 45 through 58		94,552	59	78,752
L i a b i l i t i e s	60 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	1,288	60	1,511
	61 Grants payable		61	
	62 Deferred revenue		62	
	63 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule)		63	
	64 a Tax-exempt bond liabilities (attach schedule)		64a	
	b Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)		64b	
	65 Other liabilities (describe _____)		65	
66 Total liabilities. Add lines 60 through 65		1,288	66	1,511
N e t A s s e t s	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 67 through 69 and lines 73 and 74			
	67 Unrestricted		67	
	68 Temporarily restricted		68	
	69 Permanently restricted		69	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 70 through 74			
	70 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	93,264	70	77,241
	71 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, and equipment fund	0	71	0
	72 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds	0	72	0
73 Total net assets or fund balances. Add lines 67 through 69 or lines 70 through 72 (Column (A) must equal line 19 and column (B) must equal line 21)		93,264	73	77,241
74 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances. Add lines 66 and 73		94,552	74	78,752

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		
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?	X	
84 a	Did the organization solicit any contributions or gifts that were not tax deductible?		X
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?		
	85a	N/A	
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	85b	N/A	
	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		
c	Dues, assessments, and similar amounts from members		
	85c		
d	Section 162(e) lobbying and political expenditures		
	85d		
e	Aggregate nondeductible amount of section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices		
	85e		
f	Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (line 85d less 85e)		
	85f		
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) orgs Enter a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 12		
	86a		
b	Gross receipts, included on line 12, for public use of club facilities		
	86b		
87	501(c)(12) orgs Enter a Gross income from members or shareholders		
	87a		
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)		
	87b		
88 a	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		
	88a	N/A	
b	At any time during the year, did the organization, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Part XI		
	88b	N/A	
89 a	501(c)(3) organizations Enter Amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under section 4911 ▶ _____, section 4912 ▶ _____, section 4955 ▶ _____		
b	501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) orgs 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 ▶ _____		
d	Enter Amount of tax on line 89c, above, reimbursed by the organization ▶ _____		
e	All organizations At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		X
	89e		
f	All organizations Did the organization acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract?		X
	89f		
g	For supporting organizations and sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds Did the supporting organization, or a fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?		X
	89g		
90 a	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ▶ <u>MT</u>		
b	Number of employees employed in the pay period that includes March 12, 2006 (See instructions)	90b	1
91 a	The books are in care of ▶ <u>% Becky Kington, Secretary</u> Telephone no ▶ <u>406-684-5590</u> Located at ▶ <u>PO Box 315 Twin Bridges MT</u> ZIP + 4 ▶ <u>59754</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)?		X
	91b		
	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶ _____		
	See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts		

Part VI Other Information (continued) Yes No

c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the United States? 91c

If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶

92 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here

and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶ 92

Part VII Analysis of Income-Producing Activities (See the instructions)

Note: Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(E) Related or exempt function income
	(A) Business code	(B) Amount	(C) Exclusion code	(D) Amount	
93 Program service revenue					
a Coordinator Training					10,371
b Annual Meeting					38,092
c Death by Lecture Gt					2,175
d Zero Tolerance Grant					97,854
e Reorganization grant					39,975
f Medicare/Medicaid payments					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
94 Membership dues and assessments					15,163
95 Interest on savings & temporary cash investments					660
96 Dividends and interest from securities					990
97 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate					
a debt-financed property					
b not debt-financed property					
98 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
99 Other investment income					
100 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory					
101 Net income or (loss) from special events					
102 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					1,057
103 Other revenue a					
b Summit travel grant					994
c					
d					
e					
104 Subtotal (add columns (B), (D), and (E))					207,331
105 Total (add line 104, columns (B), (D), and (E))					207,331

Note: Line 105 plus line 1e, 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)
93ab	Coordinator and member training increase knowledge and awareness
93c	Training for weed professionals
93d	Media campaign to increase public awareness and participation
93e	Increase effectiveness of MWCA through restructuring

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
	%			
	%			

Part X Information Regarding Transfers Associated with

(a) Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly,

(b) Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly,

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

Part XI Information Regarding Transfers To and From Controlled Entities. Complete only if the organization is a controlling organization as defined in section 512(b)(13)

106 Did the reporting organization make any transfers to a controlled entity as defined in section 512(b)(13) of the Code? If "Yes," complete the schedule below for each controlled entity

Yes	No

	(A) Name, address, of each controlled entity	(B) Employer Identification Number	(C) Description of transfer	(D) Amount of transfer
a				
b				
c				
Totals				

107 Did the reporting organization receive any transfers from a controlled entity as defined in section 512(b)(13) of the Code? If "Yes," complete the schedule below for each controlled entity

Yes	No

	(A) Name, address, of each controlled entity	(B) Employer Identification Number	(C) Description of transfer	(D) Amount of transfer
a				
b				
c				
Totals				

108 Did the organization have a binding written contract in effect on August 17, 2006, covering the interest, rents, royalties, and annuities described in question 107 above?

Yes	No

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge

Please Sign Here

Signature of officer: *Becky L Kington* Date: 2-11-09
 Type or print name and title: BECKY L KINGTON EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Paid Preparer's Use Only

Preparer's signature: Julie A Ward CPA Date: 2-04-08 Check if self-employed:
 Firm's name (or yours if self-employed) address, and ZIP + 4: JULIE A WARD CPA PC EIN:
PO BOX 762 Phone no: 406-842-5485
SHERIDAN, MT 59749

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Organization Exempt Under Section 501(c)(3)
(Except Private Foundation) and Section 501(e), 501(f), 501(k), 501(n),
or 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust

OMB No 1545-0047

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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

Employer identification number

MONTANA WEED CONTROL ASSOCIATION

81-0436793

Part I Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Employees Other Than Officers, Directors, and Trustees
(See page 2 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
None		0	0	0

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 ▶

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
Partners Inc	Media Campaign	87,650

Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services ▶

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		

Total number of other contractors receiving over \$50,000 for other services ▶

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)		X
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.			
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)?		X
e	Transfer of any part of its income or assets?		X
3a	Did the organization make grants for scholarships, fellowships, student loans, etc? (If "Yes," attach an explanation of how the organization determines that recipients qualify to receive payments)	X	
b	Did the organization have a section 403(b) annuity plan for its employees?		X
c	Did the organization receive or hold an easement for conservation purposes, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas or historic structures? If "Yes," attach a detailed statement		X
d	Did the organization provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services?		X
4a	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," complete lines 4b through 4g. If "No," complete lines 4f and 4g		X
b	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		X
c	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		X
d	Enter the total number of donor advised funds owned at the end of the tax year ▶		0
e	Enter the aggregate value of assets held in all donor advised funds owned at the end of the tax year ▶		0
f	Enter the total number of separate funds or accounts owned at the end of the tax year (excluding donor advised funds included on line 4d) where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts ▶		0
g	Enter the aggregate value of assets held in all funds or accounts included on line 4f at the end of the tax year ▶		0

Part IV Reason for Non-Private Foundation Status (See pages 4 through 7 of the instructions)

I certify that 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 otherwise meets the requirements of section 509(a)(3) Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization
 Type I Type II Type III-Functionally Integrated Type III-Other

Provide the following information about the supported organizations. (See page 7 of the instructions)

(a) Name(s) of supported organization(s)	(b) Employer identification number (EIN)	(c) Type of organization (described in lines 5 through 12 above or IRC section)	(d) Is the supported organization listed in the supporting organization's governing documents?		(e) Amount of support
			Yes	No	
Total					

- 14 An organization organized and operated to test for public safety Section 509(a)(4) (See page 7 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) 2005	(b) 2004	(c) 2003	(d) 2002	(e) Total
15 Gifts, grants, and contributions received (Do not include unusual grants See line 28)	44,632	60,355	29,232	17,068	151,287
16 Membership fees received	14,665	12,965	9,670	2,475	39,775
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					0
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	999	1,439	118		2,556
19 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 18					0
20 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to it or expended on its behalf					0
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					0
22 Other income Attach a schedule Do not include gain or (loss) from sale of capital assets	95,423	41,030	43,993	8,213	188,659
23 Total of lines 15 through 22	155,719	115,789	83,013	27,756	382,277
24 Line 23 minus line 17	155,719	115,789	83,013	27,756	382,277
25 Enter 1% of line 23	1,557	1,158	830	278	

26 Organizations described on lines 10 or 11: a Enter 2% of amount in column (e), line 24	26a	0
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 2002 through 2005 exceeded the amount shown in line 26a Do not file this list with your return. Enter the total of all these excess amounts	26b	
c Total support for section 509(a)(1) test Enter line 24, column (e)	26c	
d Add Amounts from column (e) for lines 18 _____ 19 _____	26d	
22 _____ 26b _____	26e	
e Public support (line 26c minus line 26d total)	26e	
f Public support percentage (line 26e (numerator) divided by line 26c (denominator))	26f	%

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

(2005) (2004) (2003) (2002)

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

(2005) _____ (2004) _____ (2003) _____ (2002) _____

c Add Amounts from column (e) for lines 15 <u>151,287</u> 16 <u>39,775</u>	27c	191,062
17 <u>0</u> 20 <u>0</u> 21 <u>0</u>	27d	
d Add Line 27a total and line 27b total	27e	191,062
e Public support (line 27c total minus line 27d total)	27f	382,277
f Total support for section 509(a)(2) test Enter amount from line 23, column (e)	27g	49.98%
g Public support percentage (line 27e (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))	27h	0.67%
h Investment income percentage (line 18, column (e) (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))		

28 Unusual Grants: For an organization described in line 10, 11, or 12 that received any unusual grants during 2002 through 2005, 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 9 of the instructions)

(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?	32a	
b	Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on a racially nondiscriminatory basis?	32b	
c	Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?	32c	
d	Copies of all material used by the organization or on its behalf to solicit contributions?	32d	
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?	33a	
b	Admissions policies?	33b	
c	Employment of faculty or administrative staff?	33c	
d	Scholarships or other financial assistance?	33d	
e	Educational policies?	33e	
f	Use of facilities?	33f	
g	Athletic programs?	33g	
h	Other extracurricular activities?	33h	
If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain (If you need more space, attach a separate statement)			

34a	Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency?	34a	
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	34b	
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	35	

Part VI-A Lobbying Expenditures by Electing Public Charities (See page 10 of the instructions)
 (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

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures

(The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred)

		(a) Affiliated group totals	(b) To be completed for all electing organizations
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-		
	If the amount on line 40 is-		
	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
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	0

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 13 of the instructions)

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period				
	(a) 2006	(b) 2005	(c) 2004	(d) 2003	(e) Total
45	Lobbying nontaxable amount				
46	Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 45(e))				
47	Total lobbying expenditures				
48	Grassroots nontaxable amount				
49	Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 48(e))				
50	Grassroots lobbying expenditures				

Part VI-B Lobbying Activity by Nonelecting Public Charities
 (For reporting only by organizations that did not complete Part VI-A) (See page 13 of the instructions)

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		X	
b Paid staff or management (Include compensation in expenses reported on lines c through h.)		X	
c Media advertisements		X	
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public		X	
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements		X	
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes		X	
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body	X		
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any other means		X	7,818
i Total lobbying expenditures (Add lines c through h.)			7,818

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

Depreciation and Amortization (Including Information on Listed Property)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ See separate instructions.

▶ Attach to your tax return.

2006
Attachment
Sequence No **67**

Name(s) shown on return MONTANA WEED CONTROL ASSOCIATION	Business or activity to which this form relates PROGRAM SERVICES - 1	Identifying number 81-0436793
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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	1	
2 Total cost of section 179 property placed in service (see instructions)	2	
3 Threshold cost of section 179 property before reduction in limitation	3	
4 Reduction in limitation Subtract line 3 from line 2 If zero or less, enter -0-	4	
5 Dollar limitation for tax year Subtract line 4 from line 1 If zero or less, enter -0- If married filing separately, see instructions	5	

(a) Description of property	(b) Cost (business use only)	(c) Elected cost	
6			
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		8	
9 Tentative deduction Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8		9	
10 Carryover of disallowed deduction from line 13 of your 2005 Form 4562		10	
11 Business income limitation Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5 (see instructions)		11	
12 Section 179 expense deduction Add lines 9 and 10, but do not enter more than line 11		12	
13 Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2007 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) (See instructions)

14 Special allowance for qualified New York Liberty or Gulf Opportunity Zone property (other than listed property) placed in service during the tax year (see instructions)	14	
15 Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election	15	
16 Other depreciation (including ACRS)	16	647

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 2006	17	
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 2006 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						
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	
i Nonresidential real property			39 yrs	MM	S/L	

Section C - Assets Placed in Service During 2006 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	22	647
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	

Federal Supporting Statements

2006 PG01

Name(s) as shown on return

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MONTANA WEED CONTROL ASSOCIATION

81-0436793

SchA PG6 Part VIB Lobbying

STMT 100

Unformatted Statement

The Association sends two representatives each year to a national conference " National Weed Week" where representatives from throughout the country meet to discuss weed issues and share these with Congress. The primary purpose is to network with other organizations at a national level. Most of the week is spent in educational opportunities for our representatives. Contact with Congressmen is limited to less than 6 hours in the week, which if the cost was prorated would be about 11% or \$860 of the total.

FORM 990, SCH FOR PART IV, LINE 57
LAND ETC. SCHEDULE

PG 01
Statement #116

Category or Item	Basis	Accumulated Depreciation	End of Year
Storage shed	4,530	728	3,802
TOTAL	<u>4,530</u>	<u>728</u>	<u>3,802</u>

SCHEDULE A, PART III-A, LINE 3A
SCHOLARSHIP AWARD STATEMENT

PG 01
Statement #123

Three \$500 Scholarships were awarded to applicants n the second year or above at a college or university in a program related to weed management. Awards are based upon an essay and letters of recommendation. Applicants must be an association member or related to a member to qualify. Members cannot serve on the selection committee if a relative applies.

FORM 990, PART II, LINE 22
CASH GRANTS PAID SCHEDULE

PG 01
Statement #124

TOTAL Amount Relationship

Montana Weed Control Association Inc.
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Line 22b- Grants and allocations

RMEF camp	\$ 67
MVRG Weed Committee	100
Weed Wacker Ball	100
Moderator gifts	552
Other gifts	650
Barb Mullin award	100
Science Fair awards	270
Scholarships (3)	1500
Misc other	<u>100</u>
	<u>\$ 3439</u>

Line 25a Compensation of Secretary

For Reorganization grant	\$ 15000
For Zero Spread grant	<u>10000</u>
	<u>\$ 25000</u>

Line 38 Publications

Brochures- "Why Should I?"	\$ 12,570
TIPS CDs	4,429
Membership brochures	89
Directories	<u>739</u>
	<u>\$ 17,827</u>

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Line 43g Other Program Services

Coordinator Trainings

NAWMA Conference fees	\$ 4,833	
Tour bus expenses	1,877	
Meals for Spring Conference	1,996	
Supplies for Spring Conference	504	
Charter bus Spring conference	<u>759</u>	<u>\$ 9,969</u>

Annual Meeting

Hotel fees for attendees	\$ 23,212	
Guest speaker	211	
Supplies	<u>2,625</u>	<u>\$ 26,048</u>

Death By Lecture Grant

Speaker fees and travel expense	\$ 5,995	
Room for workshop	1,214	
Materials for workshop	<u>69</u>	<u>\$ 7,278</u>

Reorganization Grant

Facilitator contract	\$ 1,955	
Web site construction	3,583	
Contract services	1,411	
Travel expenses	1,927	
Membership brochures	4,924	
Materials for training	6,003	
Board Orientation Meals	325	
Retreat expenses	<u>687</u>	<u>\$ 20,815</u>

Zero Spread Grant

Postage and printing	\$ 6,818	
Area meetings travel and meals	4,446	
Partners Inc Media campaign	69,525	
Big Look signs for campaign	20,134	
Contract help for packets	1,094	
Storage expenses	508	
Website maintenance	<u>780</u>	<u>\$ 103,305</u>

Summit Travel Grant

Reimburse board travel expenses	\$ 837	<u>\$ 837</u>
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Total program services expenses to line 43g \$ 168,252

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MONTANA WEED CONTROL ASSOCIATION

81-0436793

FORM 990, PART III (a)

Grants and Allocations	\$10371
Program Service Expenses	\$9969
Includes Foreign Grants	NO

Explanation

Weed coordinator training in Fall 2006 was at the North American Weed Management Conference in Canada with appx 25 coordinators attending. Weed coordinator training in Spring 2007 was held in Deer Lodge MT with about 52 people registered for training and education

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FORM 990, PART III (b)

Grants and Allocations	\$38092
Program Service Expenses	\$26048
Includes Foreign Grants	NO

Explanation

The Annual Conference was held in Helena MT with approximately 325 people attending the two day conference. There were numerous sessions and workshops on various topics for education and training.

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FORM 990, PART III (c)

Grants and Allocations	\$2175
Program Service Expenses	\$7278
Includes Foreign Grants	NO

Explanation

MDA 05 Death By Lecture Grant from Noxious Weed Trust Fund This was awarded in 2005 and was ongoing into 2007. The total grant was for \$12772. Professional presenters have offered training opportunities for weed professionals. In February 2007 33 people attended a workshop on how to deal with conflict.

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FORM 990, PART III (d)

Grants and Allocations	\$97854
Program Service Expenses	\$113305
Includes Foreign Grants	NO

Explanation

MDT Noxious Weed Trust Fund Zero Spread Campaign. The amount of the grant was \$123,750 with half from the Natural Resources Conservation Service. This funding was used for an educational campaign using newspaper and radio media, administration of the campaign by MWCA, and for supplies and materials related to the campaign.

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FORM 990, PART III (e)

Grants and Allocations	\$39975
Program Service Expenses	\$35815
Includes Foreign Grants	NO

Explanation

Reorganization grant from the MT Dept of Ag Noxious Weed Trust Fund The amount of the grant was \$33,500 with matching funds of \$6475. The funding was used towards efforts to restructure and promote the MWCA. \$15000 was allocated towards staff salary with the balance used for the cost of a professional facilitator and supplies.

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FORM 990, PART III (f)

Grants and Allocations \$0
Program Service Expenses \$29921
Includes Foreign Grants NO

Explanation

Special projects for program services National Weed Week in Washington DC Advocacy
\$ 7818 Cost of publications in excess of grant money 17827 Summit grant
travel expenses 837 Scholarship program
1500 Donations and gifts 1939

Application for Extension of Time to File an Exempt Organization Return

▶ File a separate application for each return

mailed 10-24-07
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OMB No 1545-1709

● If you are filing for an Automatic 3-Month Extension, complete only Part I and check this box

● If you are filing for an Additional (not automatic) 3-Month Extension, complete only Part II (on page 2 of this form)

Do not complete Part II unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868

Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time - Only submit original (no copies needed)

Section 501(c)(3) corporations required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension - check this box and complete Part I only

All other corporations (including Form 11200-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns

Electronic Filing (e-file). Generally, you can electronically file Form 8868 if you want a 3-month automatic extension of time to file one of the returns noted below (6 months for section 501(c)(3) corporations required to file Form 990-T) However, you cannot file Form 8868 electronically if (1) you want the additional (not automatic) 3-month extension or (2) you file Forms 990-BL, 6069, or 8870, group returns, or a composite or consolidated Form 990-T Instead, you must submit the fully completed and signed page 2 (Part II) of Form 8868 For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit www.irs.gov/efile and click on e-file for Charities & Nonprofits

Type or print File by the due date for filing your return See instructions	Name of Exempt Organization MONTANA WEED CONTROL ASSOCIATION	Employer identification number 81-0436793
	Number, street, and room or suite no If a P O box, see instructions PO BOX 315	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code For a foreign address, see instructions Twin Bridges MT 59754	

Check type of return to be filed (file a separate application for each return)

- Form 990
- Form 990-BL
- Form 990-EZ
- Form 990-PF
- Form 990-T (corporation)
- Form 990-T (sec 401(a) or 408(a) trust)
- Form 990-T (trust other than above)
- Form 1041-A
- Form 4720
- Form 5227
- Form 6069
- Form 8870

● The books are in the care of ▶ Becky Kington

Telephone No ▶ 406-684-5590 FAX No ▶ _____

● If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box

● If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) _____ If this is for the whole group, check this box If it is for part of the group, check this box and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension will cover

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6-months for a section 501(c)(3) corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until 02-15, 2008, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above The extension is for the organization's return for
▶ calendar year 20__ or
▶ tax year beginning 07-01, 2006, and ending 06-30, 2007

2 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason Initial return Final return Change in accounting period

3a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits See instructions	3a	\$
b If this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit	3b	\$
c Balance Due. Subtract line 3b from line 3a Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System) See instructions	3c	\$

Caution: If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions