

Form **990**

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)

OMB No. 1545-0047

2008

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 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning and ending

B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Termination <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.	C Name of organization MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST Doing Business As Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite BOWDOIN MILL ONE MAIN STREET City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 TOPSHAM, ME 04086	D Employer identification number 23-7099105
		E Telephone number 207-729-7366	G Gross receipts \$ 18,123,462.
		F Name and address of principal officer: THOMAS E. IRELAND SAME AS C ABOVE	H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No H(b) Are all affiliates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)
		I Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) (3) (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527	H(c) Group exemption number ▶
		J Website: ▶ WWW.MCHT.ORG	
		K Type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶	L Year of formation: 1970 M State of legal domicile: ME

Part I Summary

	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <u>MAINE LAND CONSERVATION AND PROTECTION</u>			
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its assets.			
Activities & Governance	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	21	
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	21	
	5 Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a)	5	58	
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	152	
	7a Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, line 12, column (C)	7a	114,675.	
	7b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	-176,975.	
	Revenue	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year	Current Year
9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		18,860,611.	10,397,596.	
10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)		34,383.	125,758.	
11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)		3,813,745.	3,173,265.	
12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)		93,965.	134,882.	
13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)		22,802,704.	13,831,501.	
14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)			235,000.	
15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)		2,098,687.	2,353,590.	
16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)				
16b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 475,743.				
17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f)		4,739,827.	4,997,149.	
18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)		6,838,514.	7,585,739.	
Expenses	19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	15,964,190.	6,245,762.	
	Net Assets or Fund Balances	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Year	End of Year
		21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	126,001,689.	118,494,277.
		22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	2,758,319.	2,836,545.
		123,243,370.	115,657,732.	

Part II Signature Block

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

Sign Here	Signature of officer _____ PAUL GALLAY, PRESIDENT Type or print name and title	Date	
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature	Date	Preparer's identifying number (see instructions)
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4	EIN	Phone no.

BERRY, DUNN, MCNEIL & PARKER, LLC
36 PLEASANT STREET
BANGOR, ME 04401
(207) 942-1600

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) Yes No

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (see instructions)

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission: SEE SCHEDULE O FOR CONTINUATION
MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST IS A CONSERVATION ORGANIZATION WORKING TO
CONSERVE COASTAL AND OTHER LANDS THAT DEFINE MAINE'S DISTINCT
LANDSCAPE, PROTECT ITS ENVIRONMENT, SUSTAIN ITS OUTDOOR TRADITIONS,
AND PROMOTE THE WELL-BEING OF ITS PEOPLE. SINCE 1970 MORE THAN

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on
the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? [] Yes [X] No
If "Yes", describe these new services on Schedule O.

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? [] Yes [X] No
If "Yes", describe these changes on Schedule O.

4 Describe the exempt purpose achievements for each of the organization's three largest program services by expenses.
Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and
allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code:) (Expenses \$ 4,890,375. including grants of \$ 235,000.) (Revenue \$ 123,958.)
LAND PROTECTION PROGRAM - ASSISTANCE GIVEN TO LAND OWNERS INTERESTED IN
VOLUNTARILY CONSERVING KEY FEATURES OF THEIR PROPERTY

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ 737,409. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
LAND CONSERVATION FUND - PROVIDES FOR LAND CONSERVATION THROUGH
PURCHASE AND STEWARDSHIP

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ 231,561. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
COMMUNICATIONS - PROVIDES A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK TO LINK ALL PROGRAM
SERVICES TOGETHER

4d Other program services. (Describe in Schedule O.)
(Expenses \$ 473,597. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 17,045.)

4e Total program service expenses \$ 6,332,942. (Must equal Part IX, Line 25, column (B).)

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

		Yes	No
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i>	X	
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	X	
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i>		X
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>	X	
5	Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations. Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any accounts where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i>		X
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>	X	
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i>	X	
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21; serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>		X
10	Did the organization hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>	X	
11	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, lines 10, 12, 13, 15, or 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable</i>	X	
12	Did the organization receive an audited financial statement for the year for which it is completing this return that was prepared in accordance with GAAP? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII</i>	X	
13	Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		X
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the U.S.?		X
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the U.S.? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I</i>		X
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II</i>		X
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III</i>		X
17	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i>		X
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>		X
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		X
20	Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		X
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>	X	
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>		X
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, questions 3, 4, or 5? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>		X
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer questions 24b-24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to question 25</i>		X
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		
c	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		
25a	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		X
b	Did the organization become aware that it had engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person from a prior year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		X
26	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>		X
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, or substantial contributor, or to a person related to such an individual? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>		X

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

		Yes	No
28	During the tax year, did any person who is a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee:		
a	Have a direct business relationship with the organization (other than as an officer, director, trustee, or employee), or an indirect business relationship through ownership of more than 35% in another entity (individually or collectively with other person(s) listed in Part VII, Section A)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
b	Have a family member who had a direct or indirect business relationship with the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
c	Serve as an officer, director, trustee, key employee, partner, or member of an entity (or a shareholder of a professional corporation) doing business with the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	X	
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	X	
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>		X
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>		X
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>	X	
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1</i>		X
35	Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		X
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		X
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>		X

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Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096, Annual Summary and Transmittal of U.S. Information Returns. Enter -0- if not applicable		
	1a 39		
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable		
	1b 0		
c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	X	
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return		
	2a 58		
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file this return. (see instructions)	X	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?	X	
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	X	
4a	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
b	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.		
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?		X
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		X
c	If "Yes," to question 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, Disclosure by Tax-Exempt Entity Regarding Prohibited Tax Shelter Transaction?		
6a	Did the organization solicit any contributions 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?		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
a	Did the organization provide goods or services in exchange for any quid pro quo contribution of more than \$75?		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?		
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?		X
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year		
	7d		
e	Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?		X
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		X
g	For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	X	
h	For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C as required?	X	
8	Section 501(c)(3) and other sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?		X
9	Section 501(c)(3) and other sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.		
a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		X
b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		X
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter: N/A		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12		
	10a		
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities		
	10b		
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter: N/A		
a	Gross income from members or shareholders		
	11a		
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)		
	11b		
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?		
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year N/A		
	12b		

Part VII Governance, Management, and Disclosure (Sections A, B, and C request information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

Section A. Governing Body and Management

For each "Yes" response to lines 2-7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8 or 9b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

Table with 11 rows of questions and 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Includes sub-questions 1a, 1b, 7a, 7b, 8a, 8b, 9a, 9b, 15a, 15b, 16a, 16b.

Section B. Policies

Table with 12 rows of questions and 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Includes sub-questions 12a, 12b, 12c, 15a, 15b, 16a, 16b.

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ME
18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection.
19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public.
20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization: SUSAN CONNOLLY - 207-729-7366 BOWDOIN MILL ONE MAIN STREET, TOPSHAM, ME 04086

Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Use Schedule J-2 if additional space is needed.

• List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation, and **current** key employees. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.

• List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.

• List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

• List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

Check this box if the organization did not compensate any officer, director, trustee, or key employee.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
THOMAS E. IRELAND CHAIR	1.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
LINZEE WELD VICE CHAIR	1.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
PETER CHANDLER TREASURER	1.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
BURT ADELMAN DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
THOMAS ARMSTRONG, JR. DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
FORREST BERKLEY DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
ROBERT O. BLAKE DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
EDMUND B. CABOT DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
GALE L. DAVIS DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
CAROL DONNELLY DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
JOHN H.J. GUTH DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
TOM HASLETT DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
ALIX W. HOPKINS DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
SALLY JACOBS DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
DAWN E. KIDD DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
KURT KLEBE DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
EVAN D. RICHERT DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.

Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
RICHARD G. ROCKEFELLER DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
DORIS STOCKLY DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
ANNA MARIE THRON DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
PAULA VOLENT DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
PAUL GALLAY PRESIDENT	40.00			X			71,598.	0.	9,792.	
DAVID MACDONALD INTRM PRSDNT - DRTR LAND	40.00			X			86,804.	0.	18,100.	
SUSAN CONNOLLY DRTR FINANCE & ADMINISTR	40.00			X			72,093.	0.	14,683.	
1b Total							230,495.	0.	42,575.	

2 Total number of individuals (including those in 1a) who received more than \$100,000 in reportable compensation from the organization 0

	Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any former officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual		X
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual		X
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization for services rendered to the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person		X

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
NICKERSON & O'DAY, INC. P.O. BOX 911, BANGOR, ME 04402	MDI OFFICE & BARN CONSTRUCTION	472,398.
STEWART BRECHER ARCHITECTS, 93 COTTAGE ST, SUITE F, BAR HARBOR, ME 04609	MDI OFFICE/BARN ARCHITECTS	122,376.

2 Total number of independent contractors (including those in 1) who received more than \$100,000 in compensation from the organization 2

Part VIII Statement of Revenue			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts	1 a	Federated campaigns	1a				
	b	Membership dues	1b				
	c	Fundraising events	1c				
	d	Related organizations	1d				
	e	Government grants (contributions)	1e				
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	10,397,596.			
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$		2,833,676.			
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f		10,397,596.			
Program Service Revenue	2 a	MISCELLANEOUS PROGRAM	Business Code 611600	84,153.	84,153.		
	b	PROGRAM FEES	611600	41,605.	41,605.		
	c						
	d						
	e						
	f	All other program service revenue					
	g	Total. Add lines 2a-2f		125,758.			
Other Revenue	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		2910364.		-4,962.	
	4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds				2,915,326.	
	5	Royalties					
	6 a	Gross Rents	(i) Real	(ii) Personal			
	b	Less: rental expenses					
	c	Rental income or (loss)					
	d	Net rental income or (loss)					
	7 a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	(ii) Other			
			2,904,736.	1,650,126.			
	b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	1,730,175.	2,561,786.			
	c	Gain or (loss)	1,174,561.	-911,660.			
	d	Net gain or (loss)		262,901.		262,901.	
8 a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	a					
b	Less: direct expenses	b					
c	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events						
9 a	Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a					
b	Less: direct expenses	b					
c	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities						
10 a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a	15,245.				
b	Less: cost of goods sold	b					
c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory		15,245.	15,245.			
Miscellaneous Revenue			Business Code				
11 a	SALE OF HAY AND SEMEN		110000	55,388.	55,388.		
b	SALE OF BEEF		110000	38,797.	38,797.		
c	SALE OF CATTLE		110000	17,223.	17,223.		
d	All other revenue		110000	8,229.	8,229.		
e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d			119,637.			
12	Total Revenue. Add lines 1h, 2g, 3, 4, 5, 6d, 7d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e			13,831,501.	141,003.	114,675.	

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns.

All other organizations must complete column (A) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the U.S. See Part IV, line 21	235,000.	235,000.		
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U.S. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U.S. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	273,068.	110,501.	115,994.	46,573.
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	1,584,791.	1,103,657.	264,384.	216,750.
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	150,562.	150,562.		
9 Other employee benefits	198,366.	93,915.	57,397.	47,054.
10 Payroll taxes	146,803.	107,992.	21,327.	17,484.
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal	57,480.	57,480.		
c Accounting	66,754.	3,600.	63,154.	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees	39,794.		39,794.	
g Other				
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses	22,034.	18,632.	1,924.	1,478.
14 Information technology				
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	205,332.	149,246.	31,375.	24,711.
17 Travel	79,694.	74,690.	2,304.	2,700.
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	65,868.	65,707.	49.	112.
20 Interest	26,500.	26,500.		
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	103,811.	61,800.	42,011.	
23 Insurance	57,296.	45,130.	6,798.	5,368.
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (Expenses grouped together and labeled miscellaneous may not exceed 5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below.)				
a PROJECT EXPENSE	3,117,595.	3,049,055.	7,218.	61,322.
b BAD DEBTS	317,264.	317,264.		
c CONTRACT PERSONNEL	205,370.	163,962.	38,873.	2,535.
d FARM OPERATING EXPENSES	108,159.	50,391.	57,768.	
e PRINTING & COPYING	107,311.	72,223.	248.	34,840.
f All other expenses	416,887.	375,635.	26,436.	14,816.
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	7,585,739.	6,332,942.	777,054.	475,743.
26 Joint Costs. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation ...				

Part X Balance Sheet

		(A)		(B)
		Beginning of year		End of year
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing	1,036,182.	1	1,147,821.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	10,830,696.	2	10,883,990.
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net	15,184,543.	3	11,448,052.
	4 Accounts receivable, net	10,187.	4	56,255.
	5 Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, or other related parties. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6 Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B). Complete Part II of Schedule L		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net	1,274,207.	7	311,787.
	8 Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	621,180.	9	92,051.
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost basis ...	10a 58,625,361.		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10b 875,041.	10c	57,750,320.
	11 Investments - publicly traded securities		11	
	12 Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11	43,621,979.	12	33,260,907.
	13 Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14 Intangible assets		14	
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	4,232,058.	15	3,543,094.
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	126,001,689.	16	118,494,277.	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	140,791.	17	311,517.
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue		19	13,500.
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21 Escrow account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22 Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	617,528.	23	511,528.
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable		24	
	25 Other liabilities. Complete Part X of Schedule D	2,000,000.	25	2,000,000.
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	2,758,319.	26	2,836,545.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.			
	27 Unrestricted net assets	72,454,918.	27	75,339,623.
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets	35,890,148.	28	25,924,985.
	29 Permanently restricted net assets	14,898,304.	29	14,393,124.
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.			
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
33 Total net assets or fund balances	123,243,370.	33	115,657,732.	
34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	126,001,689.	34	118,494,277.	

Part XI Financial Statements and Reporting

	Yes	No
1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other		
2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?		X
b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	X	
c If "Yes" to lines 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?	X	
3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?	X	
b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits?	X	

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

OMB No. 1545-0047

To be completed by all section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts.

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

Name of the organization **MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST** Employer identification number **23-7099105**

Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) (see instructions)

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (Please check only **one** organization.)

- 1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)**.
- 2 A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)**. (Attach Schedule E.)
- 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. (Attach Schedule H.)
- 4 A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: _____
- 5 An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 6 A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)**.
- 7 An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 8 A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 9 An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions - subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2)**. (Complete the Part III.)
- 10 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4)**. (see instructions)
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2). See **section 509(a)(3)**. Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h.
 - a Type I
 - b Type II
 - c Type III - Functionally integrated
 - d Type III - Other
- e By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2).
- f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box
- g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?

	Yes	No
(i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?	11g(i)	
(ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above?	11g(ii)	
(iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?	11g(iii)	
- h Provide the following information about the organizations the organization supports.

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col. (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col. (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col. (i) organized in the U.S.?		(vii) Amount of support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Total									

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

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	7,169,601.	18,089,649.	16,519,437.	18,860,611.	10,397,596.	71,036,894.
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 - 3	7,169,601.	18,089,649.	16,519,437.	18,860,611.	10,397,596.	71,036,894.
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						18,707,579.
6 Public Support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.						52,329,315.

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4	7,169,601.	18,089,649.	16,519,437.	18,860,611.	10,397,596.	71,036,894.
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	871,936.	1,314,807.	1,733,872.	2,355,203.	2,915,326.	9,191,144.
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						80,228,038.
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	393,193.
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here						<input type="checkbox"/>

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2008 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	65.23 %
15 Public support percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 26f	15	56.63 %
16a 33 1/3% support test - 2008. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b 33 1/3% support test - 2007. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<input type="checkbox"/>
17a 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<input type="checkbox"/>
b 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2007. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<input type="checkbox"/>
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions		<input type="checkbox"/>

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2008

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2) (Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge ...						
6 Total. Add lines 1 - 5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of 1% of the total of lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12 for the year or \$5,000						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources ...						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						

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

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2008 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27g	16	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2008 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27h	18	%

19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2008. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 33 1/3% support tests - 2007. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions

Schedule B
(Form 990, 990-EZ,
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Schedule of Contributors

▶ Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, and 990-PF.

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Name of the organization

MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST

Employer identification number

23-7099105

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)(3) (enter number) organization

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

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

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

General Rule

For organizations filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II.

Special Rules

For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1)/170(b)(1)(A)(vi), and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h or 2% of the amount on Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that received from any one contributor, during the year, aggregate contributions or bequests of more than \$1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that received from any one contributor, during the year, some contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not aggregate to more than \$1,000. (If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year.) ▶ \$ _____

Caution. Organizations that are not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules do not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but they **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2 of their Form 990, or check the box in the heading of their Form 990-EZ, or on line 2 of their Form 990-PF, to certify that they do not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

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Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2008)

Name of organization MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST	Employer identification number 23-7099105
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Part I Contributors (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
<u>1</u>	_____ _____ _____	\$ <u>556,020.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
<u>2</u>	_____ _____ _____	\$ <u>2,083,645.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
<u>3</u>	_____ _____ _____	\$ <u>948,100.</u>	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
<u>4</u>	_____ _____ _____	\$ <u>400,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
<u>5</u>	_____ _____ _____	\$ <u>241,198.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
<u>6</u>	_____ _____ _____	\$ <u>392,760.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

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Part I Contributors (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7	_____ _____ _____	\$ <u>373,700.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
8	_____ _____ _____	\$ <u>650,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
9	_____ _____ _____	\$ <u>2,000,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
10	_____ _____ _____	\$ <u>630,901.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
11	_____ _____ _____	\$ <u>250,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
12	_____ _____ _____	\$ <u>1,400,000.</u>	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

Name of organization

Employer identification number

MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST

23-7099105

Part I Contributors (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
13		\$ 241,198.	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
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Name of organization MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST	Employer identification number 23-7099105
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Part II Noncash Property (see instructions)

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
3	ARTWORK	\$ 948,100.	09/12/08
12	LAND	\$ 1,400,000.	06/11/08
13	16,600 SHARES TCF	\$ 241,198.	11/24/08
		\$ _____	_____
		\$ _____	_____
		\$ _____	_____

SCHEDULE C
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities
For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

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▶ **To be completed by organizations described below.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and B. Do not complete Part I-C.
- Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and C below. Do not complete Part I-B.
- Section 527 organizations: Complete Part I-A only.

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-A. Do not complete Part II-B.
- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-B. Do not complete Part II-A.

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 5 (Proxy Tax), then

- Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations: Complete Part III.

Name of organization MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST	Employer identification number 23-7099105
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Part I-A To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c) and section 527 organizations.

See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

- 1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV.
- 2 Political expenditures ▶ \$ 0.
- 3 Volunteer hours 0.

Part I-B To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3).

See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

- 1 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955 ▶ \$ 0.
- 2 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955 ▶ \$ 0.
- 3 If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year? Yes No
- 4a Was a correction made? Yes No
- b If "Yes," describe in Part IV.

Part I-C To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).

See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

- 1 Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$ _____
- 2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$ _____
- 3 Total of direct and indirect exempt function expenditures. Add lines 1 and 2 and enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b ▶ \$ _____
- 4 Did the filing organization file **Form 1120-POL** for this year? Yes No
- 5 State the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which payments were made. Enter the amount paid and indicate if the amount was paid from the filing organization's funds or were political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a political action committee (PAC). If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV.

(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization. If none, enter -0-.

Part II-A To be completed by organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) that filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)). See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

- A** Check if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group.
B Check if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply.

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)		(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals												
1a	Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grassroots lobbying)	0.	0.												
b	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)	228.	0.												
c	Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)	228.	0.												
d	Other exempt purpose expenditures	7,293,861.	0.												
e	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)	7,294,089.	0.												
f	Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table in both columns.	514,704.	0.												
<table border="1" style="width: 100%;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 50%;">If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:</th> <th style="width: 50%;">The lobbying nontaxable amount is:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Not over \$500,000</td> <td>20% of the amount on line 1e.</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> </tbody> </table>		If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:	Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e.	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.		
If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:														
Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e.														
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.														
g	Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)	128,676.	0.												
h	Subtract line 1g from line 1a. Enter -0- if line g is more than line a	0.													
i	Subtract line 1f from line 1c. Enter -0- if line f is more than line c	0.													
j	If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No												

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 2a through 2f of the instructions.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) Total	
2a	Lobbying non-taxable amount	427,219.	467,349.	491,926.	514,704.	1,901,198.
b	Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					2,851,797.
c	Total lobbying expenditures	1,337.	458.	4,591.	228.	6,614.
d	Grassroots non-taxable amount	106,805.	116,837.	122,982.	128,676.	475,300.
e	Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					712,950.
f	Grassroots lobbying expenditures	0.	0.	239.	0.	239.

Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2008

Part II-B To be completed by organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)). See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

	(a)		(b)
	Yes	No	Amount
1 During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of:			
a Volunteers?			
b Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)? ..			
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 Other activities? If "Yes," describe in Part IV			
j Total lines 1c through 1i			
2a Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?			
b If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912			
c If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912			
d If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?			

Part III-A To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6). See the instructions for Schedule C for details.

	Yes	No
1 Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?	1	
2 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?	2	
3 Did the organization agree to carryover lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?	3	

Part III-B To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) if BOTH Part III-A, questions 1 and 2 are answered "No" OR if Part III-A, question 3 is answered "Yes." See Schedule C instructions for details.

1 Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	1	
2 Section 162(e) non-deductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).		
a Current year	2a	
b Carryover from last year	2b	
c Total	2c	
3 Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	3	
4 If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and political expenditure next year?	4	
5 Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (line 2c total minus 3 and 4)	5	

Part IV Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1; Part I-B, line 4; Part I-C, line 5; and Part II-B, line 1i. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

PART II-B, AFFILIATED GROUP RETURN STATEMENT:

N/A

PART II-B, SECTION 501(H) AVERAGING STATEMENT:

N/A

Schedule D
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

▶ Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12.

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2008

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Name of the organization **MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST** Employer identification number **23-7099105**

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year	0	0
2 Aggregate contributions to (during year)	0.	0.
3 Aggregate grants from (during year)	0.	0.
4 Aggregate value at end of year	0.	0.

- 5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? Yes No
- 6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds may be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor or other impermissible private benefit? Yes No

Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

- 1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply).
 Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or pleasure) Preservation of an historically important land area
 Protection of natural habitat Preservation of certified historic structure
 Preservation of open space
- 2 Complete lines 2a-2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year.

	Held at the End of the Year
a Total number of conservation easements	184
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	14,102.00
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)	0
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06	0

- 3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the taxable year ▶ 0
- 4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ 1
- 5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? Yes No
- 6 Staff or volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing easements during the year ▶ 1020
- 7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing easements during the year ▶ \$ 96,571.
- 8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? Yes No
- 9 In Part XIV, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

- 1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items.
- b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items:
- (i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ _____
- (ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ _____
- 2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 relating to these items:
- a Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ _____
- b Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ 524,041.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets (continued)

- 3 Using the organization's accession and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):
- a Public exhibition
 - b Scholarly research
 - c Preservation for future generations
 - d Loan or exchange programs
 - e Other DONATED ARTWORK (PHOTOS)
- 4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIV.
- 5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? Yes No

Part IV Trust, Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

- 1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? Yes No
- b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV and complete the following table:
- | | Amount |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| c Beginning balance | 1c |
| d Additions during the year | 1d |
| e Distributions during the year | 1e |
| f Ending balance | 1f |
- 2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21? Yes No
- b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV.

Part V Endowment Funds. Complete if organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	41,732,557.				
b Contributions	181,520.				
c Investment earnings or losses	-9,061,436.				
d Grants or scholarships	0.				
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs	1637659.				
f Administrative expenses	39,794.				
g End of year balance	31,175,188.				

- 2 Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as:
- a Board designated or quasi-endowment 33.20 %
 - b Permanent endowment 26.30 %
 - c Term endowment 40.50 %

- 3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:
- | | Yes | No |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| (i) unrelated organizations | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (ii) related organizations | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

4 Describe in Part XIV the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

Part VI Investments - Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of investment	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		55,249,891.		55,249,891.
b Buildings		934,410.	183,683.	750,727.
c Leasehold improvements		2,791.	2,791.	0.
d Equipment		906,071.	635,675.	270,396.
e Other	524,041.	1,008,157.	52,892.	1,479,306.
Total. Add lines 1a-1e. (Column (d) should equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				57,750,320.

Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Financial Statements

1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	13,831,501.
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	7,585,739.
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	6,245,762.
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	4	
5	Donated services and use of facilities	5	
6	Investment expenses	6	
7	Prior period adjustments	7	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	8	-13,831,399.
9	Total adjustments (net). Add lines 4-8	9	-13,831,399.
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per financial statements. Combine lines 3 and 9	10	-7,585,637.

Part XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	-97,460.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:		
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a	-13132757.
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	-13132757.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	13,035,297.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	39,794.
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	756,410.
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	796,204.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)	5	13,831,501.

Part XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	7,488,177.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Losses reported on Form 990, Part IX, line 25	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	0.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	7,488,177.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	39,794.
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	57,768.
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	97,562.
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	5	7,585,739.

Part XIV Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X; Part XI, line 8; Part XII, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b.

PART II, LINE 3: N/A

PART II, LINE 5: CONSERVATION EASEMENTS REQUIRE COMMUNICATIONS WITH LANDOWNERS, MONITORING VISITS AT LEAST ONCE EACH YEAR, REVIEWING LANDOWNER PLANS FOR CHANGES THAT ARE ADDRESSED IN THE EASEMENT AND APPROVING OR DENYING THEM, WORKING WITH THE ORGANIZATION'S ATTORNEY TO DEAL WITH VIOLATIONS AND AMDENDMENTS, AND IN SOME CASES TRANSFERRING EASEMENTS TO OTHER ORGANIZATIONS. SOME EASEMENTS REQUIRE VERY LITTLE

Part XIV Supplemental Information (continued)

TIME AND OTHERS REQUIRE LENGTHLY DISCUSSIONS, NEGOTIATIONS, REPEATED VISITS, AND SPECIFIC MANAGEMENT. MAINTAINING GOOD COMMUNICATION WITH LANDOWNERS IS THE KEY FACTOR IN AVOIDING VIOLATIONS AND LEGAL QUARRELS. AS ORIGINAL GRANTORS PASS ON OR TRANSFER THEIR PROPERTY, IT IS ESPECIALLY IMPORTANT TO QUICKLY MAKE CONTACT AND DEVELOP RELATIONSHIPS WITH THE NEW LANDOWNERS AND TO HELP THEM UNDERSTAND THE PURPOSE AND RESTRICTIONS OF THE EASEMENT IF NECESSARY.

PART II, LINE 9: CONTRIBUTED CONSERVATION EASEMENTS HELD BY THE ORGANIZATION ARE NOT RECORDED IN THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS BECAUSE EASEMENTS DO NOT REPRESENT ECONOMIC ASSETS OR RESOURCES. PURCHASED CONSERVATION EASEMENTS ARE EXPENSED ON THE DATE PURCHASED.

PART III, LINE 4: PHOTOS RECEIVED IN SETTLEMENT OF DONOR'S ESTATE. PROCEEDS UPON SALE WILL BE APPLIED TOWARDS FUTURE LAND CONSERVATION.

PART V, LINE 4: OPERATING ENDOWMENT FUND INCOME IS TO BE USED FOR OPERATING FUND PURPOSES (EXCLUDING LAND AND CONSERVATION EASEMENT ACQUISITIONS) EXCEPT AS NEEDED TO BE RETAINED IN THE OPERATING ENDOWMENT FUND SO THE PURCHASING POWER OF THE PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED CONTRIBUTIONS IS NOT ERODED.

PART XI, LINE 8 - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

UNREALIZED GAIN/LOSS ON SECURITIES: -13132757.

INCREASE/DECREASE IN BENEFICIAL INTEREST IN SPLIT-INTEREST AGREEMENT: -698642.

PART XII, LINE 4B - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

Part XIV Supplemental Information (continued)

DECREASE IN BENEFICIAL INTEREST IN SPLIT-INTEREST AGREEMENT: 698642.

FARM OVERHEAD EXPENSES: 57768.

PART XIII, LINE 4B - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

FARM OVERHEAD EXPENSES: 57768.

**SCHEDULE I
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

**Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,
Governments, and Individuals in the U.S.**

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, lines 21 or 22.
▶ Attach to Form 990.**

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2008

**Open to Public
Inspection**

Name of the organization

MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST

Employer identification number

23-7099105

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

- 1** Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? **Yes** **No**
- 2** Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States.

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Check this box if no one recipient received more than \$5,000. Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed ...

1 (a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
FRENCHMAN BAY CONSERVANCY P.O. BOX 150 HANCOCK, ME 04640	22-2849309	CODE 501C(3)	35,000.	0.			CONTRIBUTION TOWARDS ACQUISITION OF LAND FOR CONSERVATION
YORK LAND TRUST 449 U.S. ROUTE 1 YORK, ME 03909	22-2793161	CODE 501C(3)	200,000.	0.			CONTRIBUTION TOWARDS ACQUISITION OF LAND FOR CONSERVATION

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations **2.**

3 Enter total number of other organizations **0.**

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Schedule I (Form 990) 2008

Part III **Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22.
Use Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance

Part IV **Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, and any other additional information.

SCHEDULE I, PART I, LINE 2: GRANTS WERE AWARDED AS CONTRIBUTIONS TOWARDS ACQUISITION OF LAND FOR CONSERVATION. MCHT'S LAND TRUST PROGRAM MANAGER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR REVIEWING AND MONITORING EACH OF OUR REGRANTS. FINAL GRANT REPORTS ARE REQUIRED WITHIN GENERALLY 12 MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THE GRANT. THESE GRANT REPORTS REQUIRE THE LAND TRUSTS TO PROVIDE THE MANNER IN WHICH THE FUNDS WERE SPENT, A SUMMARY OF THE PROJECT, AN EVALUATION OF THE OUTCOMES, CHALLENGES AND NEXT-STEPS. IN ADDITION, THE LAND TRUSTS ARE TO INCLUDE INFORMATION ON WHAT THE ORGANIZATION HAS LEARNED THROUGH THE PROJECT, PARTICULARLY INFORMATION THAT MAY BE RELEVANT TO OTHER

**SCHEDULE M
(Form 990)**

NonCash Contributions

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ To be completed by organizations that answered
"Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.

▶ Attach to Form 990.

Name of the organization **MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST** Employer identification number **23-7099105**

Part I Types of Property

	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions	(c) Revenues reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining revenues
1 Art - Works of art	X	1	948,100.	APPRAISAL
2 Art - Historical treasures				
3 Art - Fractional interests				
4 Books and publications				
5 Clothing and household goods				
6 Cars and other vehicles				
7 Boats and planes				
8 Intellectual property				
9 Securities - Publicly traded	X	31	452,676.	FAIR MARKET VALUE
10 Securities - Closely held stock				
11 Securities - Partnership, LLC, or trust interests				
12 Securities - Miscellaneous				
13 Qualified conservation contribution (historic structures)				
14 Qualified conservation contribution (other) ...	X	2	0.	NOT RECORDED
15 Real estate - Residential				
16 Real estate - Commercial				
17 Real estate - Other	X	3	1,520,000.	APPRAISED FAIR VALUE
18 Collectibles				
19 Food inventory				
20 Drugs and medical supplies				
21 Taxidermy				
22 Historical artifacts				
23 Scientific specimens				
24 Archeological artifacts				
25 Other ▶ (_____)				
26 Other ▶ (_____)				
27 Other ▶ (_____)				
28 Other ▶ (_____)				

29 Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee Acknowledgment **29** **25**

	Yes	No
30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1-28 that it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which is not required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period?		X
b If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II.		
31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any non-standard contributions?	X	
32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash contributions?	X	
b If "Yes," describe in Part II.		
33 If the organization did not report revenues in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II.		

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Part II

Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the information required by Part I, lines 30b, 32b, and 33. Also complete this part for any additional information.

SCHEDULE M, LINE 32B: MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST CURRENTLY USES BAR HARBOR TRUST COMPANY AS ITS AGENT FOR INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES FOR PLANNED GIFT FUNDS. MCHT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CHANGE OR ADD AGENTS WITHOUT NOTICE TO DONORS.

Multiple horizontal lines for supplemental information.

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990)

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Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information to Form 990

▶ Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations to provide additional information for responses to specific questions for the Form 990 or to provide any additional information.

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Name of the organization

MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST

Employer identification number

23-7099105

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION:

112,000 ACRES HAVE BEEN PERMANENTLY PROTECTED, INCLUDING VALUABLE FARM AND FOREST LAND, WILDLIFE HABITAT, COASTAL FRONTAGE, AND 341 ENTIRE ISLANDS. MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST PROVIDES CONSERVATION SERVICES TO LANDOWNERS, LOCAL LAND TRUSTS, GOVERNMENT AGENCIES AND COMMUNITIES THROUGHOUT MAINE. AS A MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATION, MCHT IS SUPPORTED BY INDIVIDUALS COMMITTED TO PROTECTING MAINE'S NATURAL BEAUTY AND RESOURCES.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4D, OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES:

FARM OPERATIONS

EXPENSES \$ 473597. INCLUDING GRANTS OF \$ 0. REVENUE \$ 17045.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 10: THE AUDIT & FINANCE COMMITTEE

REVIEW THE 990 BEFORE IT IS FILED. A COPY OF THE 990 WAS PROVIDED TO THE ORGANIZATION'S GOVERNING BODY BEFORE IT WAS FILED.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C: DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, COMMITTEE

MEMBERS, ETC. ARE REQUIRED TO SIGN A CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT STATEMENT AND REPORT ANY CONFLICTS TO THE PRESIDENT.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15: COMPENSATION OF THE ORGANIZATION'S

PRESIDENT IS DETERMINED WITH THE USE OF A COMPENSATION SURVEY OR STUDIES

AND BY APPROVAL OF THE BOARD. KEY EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION IS PRESENTED TO THE

BOARD AS PART OF THE ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGET AT THE NOVEMBER BOARD MEETING.

THE FULL BUDGET IS REVIEWED IN DETAIL PRIOR TO SUCH MEETING WITH THE

LHA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.

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FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19: THE ORGANIZATION MAKES ITS GOVERNING DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC THROUGH THE ORGANIZATION'S WEBSITE AND UPON REQUEST.

990, PAGE 11, PART XI, LINE 2C

AUDIT COMMITTEE PROCESS CHANGES

THE AUDIT COMMITTEE PROCESS HAVE NOT CHANGED FROM THE PRIOR YEAR.

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

▶ **Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, lines 33, 34, 35, 36, or 37.**
▶ **See separate instructions.**

Name of the organization MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST **Employer identification number** 23-7099105

Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities

(A) Name, address, and EIN of disregarded entity	(B) Primary activity	(C) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(D) Total income	(E) End-of-year assets	(F) Direct controlling entity
CONSERVATION LIMITED DEVELOPMENT, LLC - 23-7099105, 1 BOWDOIN MILL ISLAND, SUITE #201, TOPSHAM, ME 04086	OWNING, MANAGING, RENTING, LEASING, BUYING, SELLING AND DEVELOPING PROPERTY	MAINE	204.	- 2,740.	MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST

Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations

(A) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(B) Primary activity	(C) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(D) Exempt Code section	(E) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(F) Direct controlling entity

Part V Transactions With Related Organizations

Note. Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV.

1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?

	Yes	No
a Receipt of (i) interest (ii) annuities (iii) royalties (iv) rent from a controlled entity		X
b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to other organization(s)		X
c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from other organization(s)		X
d Loans or loan guarantees to or for other organization(s)		X
e Loans or loan guarantees by other organization(s)		X
f Sale of assets to other organization(s)		X
g Purchase of assets from other organization(s)		X
h Exchange of assets		X
i Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to other organization(s)		X
j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from other organization(s)		X
k Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for other organization(s)		X
l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by other organization(s)		X
m Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets		X
n Sharing of paid employees		X
o Reimbursement paid to other organization for expenses		X
p Reimbursement paid by other organization for expenses		X
q Other transfer of cash or property to other organization(s)		X
r Other transfer of cash or property from other organization(s)		X

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds.

(A) Name of other organization(s)	(B) Transaction type (a-r)	(C) Amount involved
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return (and proxy tax under section 6033(e))

2008

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

For calendar year 2008 or other tax year beginning , and ending

Header section containing organization name (MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST), address (BOWDOIN MILL ONE MAIN STREET, TOPSHAM, ME 04086), and identification number (23-7099105).

H Describe the organization's primary unrelated business activity. FARM INCOME

I During the tax year, was the corporation a subsidiary in an affiliated group or a parent-subsidiary controlled group? No

J The books are in care of SUSAN CONNOLLY Telephone number 207-729-7366

Table for Part I: Unrelated Trade or Business Income. Columns include (A) Income, (B) Expenses, and (C) Net. Rows include Gross receipts or sales (111,408), Total (114,675), and other income items.

Part II Deductions Not Taken Elsewhere (see instructions for limitations on deductions.) (Except for contributions, deductions must be directly connected with the unrelated business income.)

Table for Part II: Deductions Not Taken Elsewhere. Columns include (A) Income, (B) Expenses, and (C) Net. Rows include Compensation of officers (69,468), Depreciation (61,800), and Total deductions (291,650).

Part III Tax Computation

35 Organizations Taxable as Corporations. See instructions for tax computation. Controlled group members (sections 1561 and 1563) check here... 36 Trusts Taxable at Trust Rates. See instructions for tax computation. Income tax on the amount on line 34 from: 37 Proxy tax. See instructions 38 Alternative minimum tax 39 Total. Add lines 37 and 38 to line 35c or 36, whichever applies

Part IV Tax and Payments

40a Foreign tax credit (corporations attach Form 1118; trusts attach Form 1116) 40b Other credits (see instructions) 40c General business credit. Attach Form 3800 40d Credit for prior year minimum tax (attach Form 8801 or 8827) 40e Total credits. Add lines 40a through 40d 41 Subtract line 40e from line 39 42 Other taxes. Check if from: Form 4255 Form 8611 Form 8697 Form 8866 Other (attach schedule) 43 Total tax. Add lines 41 and 42 44a Payments: A 2007 overpayment credited to 2008 44b 2008 estimated tax payments 44c Tax deposited with Form 8868 44d Foreign organizations: Tax paid or withheld at source (see instructions) 44e Backup withholding (see instructions) 44f Other credits and payments: Form 2439 Form 4136 Other Total 45 Total payments. Add lines 44a through 44f 46 Estimated tax penalty (see instructions). Check if Form 2220 is attached 47 Tax due. If line 45 is less than the total of lines 43 and 46, enter amount owed 48 Overpayment. If line 45 is larger than the total of lines 43 and 46, enter amount overpaid 49 Enter the amount of line 48 you want: Credited to 2009 estimated tax Refunded

Part V Statements Regarding Certain Activities and Other Information (See instructions on page 18)

1 At any time during the 2008 calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account (bank, securities, or other) in a foreign country? If YES, the organization may have to file Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts. If YES, enter the name of the foreign country here 2 During the tax year, did the organization receive a distribution from, or was it the grantor of, or transferor to, a foreign trust? If YES, see page 5 of the instructions for other forms the organization may have to file. 3 Enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year

Schedule A - Cost of Goods Sold. Enter method of inventory valuation

N/A

1 Inventory at beginning of year 2 Purchases 3 Cost of labor 4a Additional section 263A costs b Other costs (attach schedule) 5 Total. Add lines 1 through 4b 6 Inventory at end of year 7 Cost of goods sold. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and in Part I, line 2 8 Do the rules of section 263A (with respect to property produced or acquired for resale) apply to the organization?

Sign Here

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 taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Signature of officer: [Signature] Date: [Date] Title: PRESIDENT

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instructions)? [X] Yes [] No

Paid Preparer's Use Only

Preparer's signature: [Signature] Date: [Date] Check if self-employed: [] Preparer's SSN or PTIN: P00219457 Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP code: BERRY, DUNN, MCNEIL & PARKER, LLC 36 PLEASANT STREET BANGOR, ME 04401 EIN: 01-0523282 Phone no.: (207)942-1600

Schedule C - Rent Income (From Real Property and Personal Property Leased With Real Property)(see instr. on pg 19)

1 Description of property

Table with 4 rows for property description (1-4).

2 Rent received or accrued

Table with 3 columns: (a) From personal property, (b) From real and personal property, and 3(a) Deductions directly connected with the income.

(c) Total income. Add totals of columns 2(a) and 2(b). Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (A) 0. (b) Total deductions. Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (B) 0.

Schedule E - Unrelated Debt-Financed Income (See instructions on page 19)

Table with 4 columns: 1 Description of debt-financed property, 2 Gross income from or allocable to debt-financed property, 3(a) Straight line depreciation, 3(b) Other deductions.

Table with 5 columns: 4 Amount of average acquisition debt, 5 Average adjusted basis, 6 Column 4 divided by column 5, 7 Gross income reportable, 8 Allocable deductions.

Totals Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 7, column (A) 0. Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 7, column (B) 0. Total dividends-received deductions included in column 8 0.

Schedule F - Interest, Annuities, Royalties, and Rents From Controlled Organizations (See instructions on page 20)

Table for Exempt Controlled Organizations with 6 columns: 1 Name of controlled organization, 2 Employer identification number, 3 Net unrelated income, 4 Total of specified payments made, 5 Part of column 4 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income, 6 Deductions directly connected with income.

Nonexempt Controlled Organizations

Table with 5 columns: 7 Taxable Income, 8 Net unrelated income (loss), 9 Total of specified payments made, 10 Part of column 9 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income, 11 Deductions directly connected with income.

Totals Add columns 5 and 10. Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 8, column (A) 0. Add columns 6 and 11. Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 8, column (B) 0.

Schedule G - Investment Income of a Section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) Organization (see instructions on page 21)

Table with 5 columns: 1 Description of income, 2 Amount of income, 3 Deductions directly connected, 4 Set-asides, 5 Total deductions and set-asides. Totals row shows 0.

Schedule I - Exploited Exempt Activity Income, Other Than Advertising Income (see instructions on page 21)

Table with 7 columns: 1 Description of exploited activity, 2 Gross unrelated business income, 3 Expenses directly connected, 4 Net income (loss), 5 Gross income from activity, 6 Expenses attributable, 7 Excess exempt expenses. Totals row shows 0.

Schedule J - Advertising Income (see instructions on page 21)

Part I: Table with 7 columns: 1 Name of periodical, 2 Gross advertising income, 3 Direct advertising costs, 4 Advertising gain or (loss), 5 Circulation income, 6 Readership costs, 7 Excess readership costs. Totals row shows 0.

Part II: Income From Periodicals Reported on a Separate Basis (For each periodical listed in Part II, fill in columns 2 through 7 on a line-by-line basis.)

Table with 7 columns: 1 Name of periodical, 2 Gross advertising income, 3 Direct advertising costs, 4 Advertising gain or (loss), 5 Circulation income, 6 Readership costs, 7 Excess readership costs. Totals row shows 0.

Schedule K - Compensation of Officers, Directors, and Trustees (see instructions on page 22)

Table with 4 columns: 1 Name, 2 Title, 3 Percent of time devoted to business, 4 Compensation attributable to unrelated business. Total row shows 0.

FORM 990-T	INCOME (LOSS) FROM PARTNERSHIPS	STATEMENT	1
DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	
TIFF REALTY AND RESOURCES II, LLC		-3,933.	
TIFF PRIVATE EQUITY PARTNERS 2006, LLC		-452.	
TIFF REALTY AND RESOURCES 2008, LLC		-577.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-T, PAGE 1, LINE 5		-4,962.	

FORM 990-T	OTHER INCOME	STATEMENT	2
DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	
OTHER BOARD		7,231.	
		998.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-T, PAGE 1, LINE 12		8,229.	

FORM 990-T	OTHER DEDUCTIONS	STATEMENT	3
DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	
RENT & UTILITIES		6,377.	
TELEPHONE		706.	
TRAVEL		3,645.	
DUES		333.	
INSURANCE		13,775.	
EQUIPMENT EXPENSE		30,694.	
CATTLE/FARM OPERATING EXPENSES		50,391.	
OFFICE SUPPLIES		136.	
POSTAGE		16.	
CONTRACT PERSONNEL		2,050.	
STAFF TRAINING		177.	
IMPROVEMENTS		33,261.	
P.I.L.O.T.		4,335.	
STAFF RECRUITMENT		71.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-T, PAGE 1, LINE 28		145,967.	

Depreciation and Amortization 990-T
 (Including Information on Listed Property)

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

Name(s) shown on return MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST	Business or activity to which this form relates FORM 990-T PAGE 1	Identifying number 23-7099105
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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	250,000.
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	800,000.
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	
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	8	
9 Tentative deduction. Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8	9	
10 Carryover of disallowed deduction from line 13 of your 2007 Form 4562	10	
11 Business income limitation. Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5	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 2009. 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 depreciation for qualified property (other than listed property) placed in service during the tax year	14	
15 Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election	15	
16 Other depreciation (including ACRS)	16	

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 2008	17	61,613.
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 2008 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		1,018.	5.0	HY	200DB	187.
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 2008 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	61,800.
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
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25 Special depreciation allowance for qualified listed 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:

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)
:	:	%						
:	:	%						
:	:	%						

27 Property used 50% or less in a qualified business use:

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)
:	:	%				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?		

Note: 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
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42 Amortization of costs that begins during your 2008 tax year:

:	:				
:	:				

43 Amortization of costs that began before your 2008 tax year **43**

44 Total. Add amounts in column (f). See the instructions for where to report **44**

Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

▶ **File a separate application for each return.**

- 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).

A corporation 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 1120-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 a corporation 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	Name of Exempt Organization MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST	Employer identification number 23-7099105
File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. BOWDOIN MILL ONE MAIN STREET	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. TOPSHAM, ME 04086	

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

- | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (corporation) | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4720 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-BL | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust) | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-EZ | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (trust other than above) | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 6069 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 1041-A | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8870 |

SUSAN CONNOLLY

- The books are in the care of ▶ **BOWDOIN MILL ONE MAIN STREET - TOPSHAM, ME 04086**
 Telephone No. ▶ **207-729-7366** 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 corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until **NOVEMBER 15, 2009**, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:
 ▶ calendar year **2008** or
 ▶ tax year beginning _____, and ending _____.

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	\$	0.
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	\$	0.
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	\$	0.

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.

• If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** and check this box **X**

Note. Only complete Part II if you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

• If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** (on page 1).

Part II			Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time. Only file the original (no copies needed).		
Type or print File by the extended due date for filing the return. See instructions.	Name of Exempt Organization				Employer identification number
	MAINE COAST HERITAGE TRUST				23-7099105
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions.				For IRS use only
BOWDOIN MILL ONE MAIN STREET					
City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions.					
TOPSHAM, ME 04086					

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

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

STOP! Do not complete Part II if you were not already granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

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• 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 is for.

- 4 I request an additional 3-month extension of time until NOVEMBER 15, 2009.
- 5 For calendar year 2008, or other tax year beginning _____, and ending _____.
- 6 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason: Initial return Final return Change in accounting period

7 State in detail why you need the extension
ADDITIONAL TIME IS NEEDED TO OBTAIN INFORMATION FROM THIRD PARTIES NECESSARY TO FILE A COMPLETE AND ACCURATE RETURN.

8a	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.	8a	\$	
b	If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit and any amount paid previously with Form 8868.	8b	\$	
c	Balance Due. Subtract line 8b from line 8a. 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.	8c	\$	N/A

Signature and Verification

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form.

Signature Title **PRESIDENT** Date