Short Form ${\sf Form} 990\text{-}EZ$ **Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

DLN: 93492320077316 OMB No 1545-1150

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

| | | t of the Treasury venue Service | ► Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it ma ► Information about Form 990-EZ and its instructions is at <u>www</u> | • | _ | en to Public spection |
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| | | | r year, or tax year beginning 01-01-2015 , and ending 12-31- | | | |
| _ | | f applicable change | C Name of organization Apex Downtown Business Association Inc | D Em | ployer iden | tification numbe |
| _ | Name c | - | | | 3178142 | |
| _ | Initial re | _ | Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/s 714 Matney Lane | ETelep | ohone numbe | ≱r |
| | Final re | turn/terminated | | | (919) 24 | +9-6050 |
| Γ, | Amende | ed return | City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code Apex, NC 27502 | | p Exemption nber ► | |
| Γ. | Applicat | ion pending | 7,450,700 | Null | lbei P | |
| · w | /ebsit | e: • www.downtowna | The proof of the | H Check ► ✓ If required to atta (Form 990, 990 | ich Schedu | ıle B |
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| | | - | ▼Corporation Trust Association Other 7b to line 9 to determine gross receipts If gross receipts are \$200,00 | O or more or if total | | ert II. solumn |
| | | | o or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ | • | \$ 107,672 | • |
| P | art I | Revenue | , Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balanc | es (see the instructi | ons for Pa | rt I) |
| | | Check If th | e organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part | I | | 🗸 |
| | 1 | Contributions | , gifts, grants, and similar amounts received | | 1 | 10,000 |
| | 2 | Program serv | ice revenue including government fees and contracts | | 2 | C |
| | 3 | Membership o | dues and assessments | | 3 | 4,225 |
| | 4 | Investment in | ncome | | 4 | C |
| | 5a | Gross amount | t from sale of assets other than inventory | | | |
| 9 | b | Less cost or | other basis and sales expenses | 5b | 0 | |
| Kevenue | С | Gain or (loss) | from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a | 5c | C | |
| Ý | 6 | Gaming and fu | undraising events | | | |
| | а | Gross income | from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000) | 6a | 0 | |
| | ь | | e from fundraising events (not including \$ _93,447 of contribution ng events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the | | | |
| | | | | 6b 93,4 | 47 | |
| | С | Less directe | expenses from gaming and fundraising events | 6c 83,2 | 06 | |
| | d | Net income oi | ـــ r (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and si | ubtract line 6c) | 6d | 10,241 |
| | 7a | | of inventory, less returns and allowances | | | |
| | ь | Less cost of | F | 7b | 0 | |
| | c | Gross profit o | r (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a) | | 7c | C |
| | 8 | Other revenue | e (describe in Schedule O) | | 8 | |
| | 9 | Total revenue | Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8 | • | 9 | 24,466 |
| | 10 | | milar amounts paid (list in Schedule O) | | 10 | 4,049 |
| | 11 | | to or for members | | 11 | .,- |
| | 12 | · | er compensation, and employee benefits | | 12 | 7,200 |
| 'n | 13 | | fees and other payments to independent contractors | | 13 | ,,200 |
| expenses | 14 | | ent, utilities, and maintenance | | 14 | 50 |
| х Х | | | ications, postage, and shipping | | | |
| Ĺ | 15 | | | | 15 | 30,613 |
| | 16 | • | es (describe in Schedule O) | | 16 | • |
| | 17 | | es. Add lines 10 through 16 | | 17 | 41,912 |
| <u>ව</u> | 18 | , | eficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9) | | 18 | -17,446 |
| A55C | 19 | | fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must ag | ree with | | |
| - | i | end-of-vear fi | gure reported on prior year's return) | | 1101 | 34.129 |

Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)

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| Check if the organization used Sch | | ny question in this Pa | rt II | | |
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| | | (A) | Beginning of year | | (B) End of year |
| 22 Cash, savings, and investments | | | 31,465 | 22 | 15,095 |
| 23 Land and buildings | | | | 23 | |
| 24 Other assets (describe in Schedule O) | | | 2,664 | \vdash | 1,888 |
| 25 Total assets | | | 34,129 | - | 16,983 |
| 26 Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O) | | | 24 4 20 | 26 | 300 |
| 27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column Part III Statement of Program Serv | | , | 34,129 | 27 | 16,683 Expenses |
| Check if the organization used Sch What is the organization's primary exempt purpo | edule O to respond to a | | | (c) | equired for section 501 (3) and 501(c)(4) |
| Business Association Describe the organization's program service acc | complishments for each | o of its three largest pr | ogram cervices as | _ | anızatıons, optıonal for ers) |
| measured by expenses In a clear and concise i benefited, and other relevant information for eac | nanner, describe the se | | | | T |
| 28 See Additional Data Table | | | | | |
| | ount includes foreign gr | rants, check here . | ▶ ┌ | 28a | |
| 29 | | | | | |
| (Grants \$) If this am | ount includes foreign gr | rants, check here . | ▶ ┌ | 29a | |
| | | | | | |
| (Grants \$) If this am 31 Other program services (describe in Schedu | ount includes foreign gr le O) | rants, check here . | ▶ ┌ | 30a | |
| (Grants \$) If this am 32 Total program service expenses (add lines 28 | ount includes foreign gr | | | 31a 32 | |
| Part IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees | | | | | ns for Part IV) |
| Check if the organization used Sch | edule O to respond to a | ny question in this Pa | rt IV | | |
| (a) Name and title | (b) A verage hours per week devoted to position | MISC) (if not paid, | (d) Health bene contributions employee benefit and deferred | to plans l | (e) Estimated amount of other compensation |
| PAMELA HUELSMAN Secretary | 1 50 | enter -0-) | compensatio | <u>n</u> | |
| PAMELA W BARDEN Treasurer | 4 0 0 | 0 | | | |
| DUDLEY MOORHOUS Vice-President | 1 00 | 0 | | | |
| JC KNOWLES President | 10 00 | 7,200 | | | |
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| Pa | rt V Other Information (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirem | ients i | n the | _ | |
| | instructions for Part V) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part | v | | | |
| | | | Yes | No | |
| 33 | Did the organization engage in any significant activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O | 33 | | No | |
| 34 | Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O (see instructions) | 34 | | No | |
| 35a | Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year from business activities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)? | 35a | | No | |
| b | If "Yes," to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule C | 35b | | | |
| c | Was the organization a section $501(c)(4)$, $501(c)(5)$, or $501(c)(6)$ organization subject to section $6033(e)$ notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III | 35c | | No | |
| 36 | Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N | 36 | | No | |
| 37a | Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions 37a | | | | |
| b | Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year? | 37b | | No | |
| 38a | Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were | | | | |
| | any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return? | 38a | | No | |
| b | If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved . 38b | | | | |
| 39 | Section 501(c)(7) organizations Enter | | | | |
| а | Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 | | | | |
| b | Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities 39b | | | | |
| 40a | Section 501(c)(3) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under |] | | | |
| | section 4911 ▶, section 4912 ▶, section 4955 ▶ | | | | |
| b | Section $501(c)(3)$, $501(c)(4)$, and $501(c)(29)$ organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year, or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I | and 501(c)(29) organizations Did the organization engage in any section 4958 and the year, or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that | | | |
| С | Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 ▶ | | | | |
| d | Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization | | | | |
| е | All organizations At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T | 40e | | No | |
| 41 | List the states with which a copy of this return is filed $ ightharpoonup$ NC | | | | |
| 42a | The organization's books are in care of ▶ PAMELA W BARDEN Telephone no | ▶ (91 | 9)249 | -6050 | |
| | Located at ► 714 Matney Lane Apex, NC ZIP + 4 | <u>≥ 27</u> | 502 | | |
| b | At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? | 42b | Yes | No | |
| | If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country | | | 110 | |
| | See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR) | | | | |
| c | At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside the U S ? | 42c | | No | |
| | If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country • | | | | |
| | Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year | | .▶ 「 | _ | |

| b | Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year, or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I | 40Ь | | |
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| | Located at ▶ 714 Matney Lane Apex, NC ZIP + 4 | ▶ <u>27</u> | 502 | |
| b | At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial | | Yes | No |
| | account)? | 42b | | No |
| | If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country • | | | |
| c | See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR) At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside the U.S.? | 42c | | No. |
| Ĭ | If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country | | | 1.10 |
| 43 | Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year \Delta 43 | | .▶ 「 | _ |
| | | | Yes | No |
| 44a | Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of | | | |
| | Form 990-EZ | 44a | | No |
| b | Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ | 44b | | No |
| c | Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year? | 44c | | No |
| d | If "Yes," to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an | | | |
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45a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? . .

45b Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of

explanation in Schedule O

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Additional Data

Software ID: Software Version:

EIN: 26-3178142

Name: Apex Downtown Business Association Inc

Form 990EZ, Part III - Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

| Describe what was achieved manner, describe the service for each program title. | Expenses (Required for 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and 4947(a)(1) trusts; optional for others.) | | |
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| 28 Small Town Business Assoc To provide services to the c | iation To promote the shopping and services available in the downtown of Apex ommunity | | |
| (Grants \$ 10,000) | If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ ☐ | 28a | |

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As Filed Data -

DLN: 93492320077316

OMB No 1545-0047

2015

Employer identification number

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

Apex Downtown Business Association Inc

(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

SCHEDULE G

Fundraising or Gaming Activities Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the

Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ

organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a

Supplemental Information Regarding

▶ Information about Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www irs gov/form990

Open to Public Inspection

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| Pā | | ctivities. Comple ers are not requir | | | | on Form 990, Part IV | /, line 17. |
| 1 | Indicate whether the orga | anızatıon raised fun | ds through | n any of th | ne following activities (| Check all that apply | |
| а | Mail solicitations | | | | e Solicitation of r | non-government grants | |
| b | Internet and email so | olicitations | | | f Solicitation of o | jovernment grants | |
| c | Phone solicitations | | | | g Special fundrais | sing events | |
| d | In-person solicitatio | ns | | | | | |
| 2a b | Did the organization have or key employees listed i services? If "Yes," list the ten high to be compensated at le | in Form 990, Part V | II) or enti | ity in coni es (fundra | nection with professiona | al fundraising T Y | 'es No fundraiser is |
| | to be compensated at te | | - gamzacı | | | | |
| (| (i) Name and address of Individual or entity (fundraiser) | (ii) Activity | fundrais custo cont contrib | Did ser have ody or rol of outions? | (iv) Gross receipts from activity | (v) A mount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col (i) | (vi) A mount paid to (or retained by) organization |
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| | List all states in which the registration or licensing | organization is regi | stered or | licensed t | o solicit contributions | or has been notified it is | exempt from |
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Page 2 Fundraising Events. Part II Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000. (a)Event #1 (b)Event #2 (c)Other events (d) Total events **Chist mas On Salem** Music Festival (add col (a) through (event type) Street (total number) col (c)) (event type) 88,222 5,225 93,447 **1** Gross receipts 2 Less Contributions. 3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2) 88,222 5,225 93,447 4 Cash prizes Noncash prizes 6 Rent/facility costs 44,440 5,761 50,201 Expenses 7 Food and beverages 22,000 940 22,940 8 Entertainment 9,365 700 10,065 Teg Teg 9 Other direct expenses 10 Direct expense summary Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) 83,206 11 Net income summary Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d) 10,241 Gaming. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

Part III

Revenue

Expenses

Direct

2 Cash prizes

3 Noncash prizes

4 Rent/facility costs

6 Volunteer labor

5 Other direct expenses

1 Gross revenue .

8 Net gaming income summary Subtract line 7 from line 1, column (d).

No

(a)Bingo

7 Direct expense summary Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d)

Yes______%

(b)Pull tabs/Instant

bingo/progressive bingo

☐ Yes %

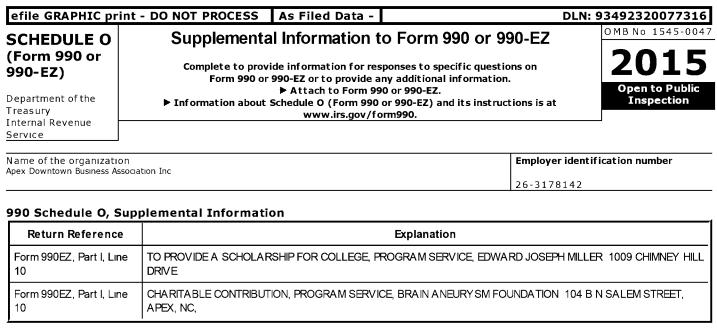
(c)Other gaming

(d)

Total gaming (add col

(a) through col (c))

| Enter the state(s) in which the organization conducts gaming activities | |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| Is the organization licensed to conduct gaming activities in each of these states? | Yes No |
| If "No," explain | |
| Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax yea | r [?] |
| If "Yes," explain | |
| | |
| S | Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2 |



Return Reference Explanation

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Form 990EZ, Part I, Line CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTION, PROGRAM, HABITAT FOR HUMANITY OF WAKE COUNTY 2420 RALEIGH BLVD, RALEIGH, N

Form 990EZ, Part I, Line Sponsorship, Program, Apex Breakers Sw im Team 311 W Chatham Street, Apex, NC, 27502, none, 200

990 Schedule O. Supplemental Information Return Reference Explanation

Form 990EZ, Part I, Line 10 Sponsorship, Program, Apex Sunrise Rotary Foundation, PO Box 1906, Apex, NC, 27502, none, 500

Form 990EZ, Part I, Line 16

Advertising 15786

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Insurance 1373

Form 990EZ, Part I, Line 16 Website Hosting 2400

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Beautification Expenses 3880

| Form 990EZ, Part I, Line 16 | Bank Service Charges 1097 |
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Gifts 53

Form 990EZ, Part I, Line 16 Program Expenses 4961

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Amortization 51

Form 990EZ, Part I, Line 16 Depreciation 726

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Equipment Net 1814 1089

Form 990EZ, Part I, Line 16 Supplies 286

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Unearned Revenue 300

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| Form 990EZ, Part II, Line 24 | Organizational Costs Net 850 799 |