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Form 990-EZ

Short Form

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-1150

2017

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

Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.

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A For the 2017 calendar year, or tax year beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 20 18

B Check if applicable: Address change, Name change, Initial return, Final return/terminated, Amended return, Application pending. C Name of organization: Amvets Post 88. D Employer identification number: 43-1474357. E Telephone number: (314) 868-6475. F Group Exemption Number: 9506.

G Accounting Method: [X] Cash [ ] Accrual [ ] Other (specify) [ ]. H Check [X] if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

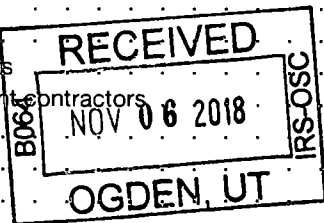
I Website: [ ]. J Tax-exempt status (check only one) - [ ] 501(c)(3) [X] 501(c) ( 19 ) (insert no.) [ ] 4947(a)(1) or [ ] 527

K Form of organization [X] Corporation [ ] Trust [ ] Association [ ] Other [ ]

L Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b to line 9 to determine gross receipts. If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets (Part II, column (B) below) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ \$

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (see the instructions for Part I) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I [ ]

Table with 21 rows. Revenue section (lines 1-9) includes contributions, program service revenue, membership dues, investment income, and gaming events. Expenses section (lines 10-17) includes grants paid, salaries, professional fees, occupancy, and printing. Net Assets section (lines 18-21) shows excess/deficit, beginning and ending net assets, and changes in net assets.



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**Part V Other Information** (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirements in 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		✓
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)		✓
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)?		✓
b	If "Yes" to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O		✓
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		✓
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		✓
37a	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions ▶ <b>37a</b>		
b	Did the organization file <b>Form 1120-POL</b> for this year?		✓
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?		✓
b	If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved <b>38b</b>		
39	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter.		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 <b>39a</b>		
b	Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities <b>39b</b>		
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		
c	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 ▶		
e	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		✓
41	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ▶		
42a	The organization's books are in care of ▶ <b>Jerry Griffin</b> Telephone no. ▶ <b>(314) 867-6475</b> Located at ▶ <b>8449 Broadway, St Louis, MO</b> ZIP + 4 ▶ <b>63147-2218</b>		
b	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶ See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).	Yes	No
42b			✓
c	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside the United States? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶		✓
42c			✓
43	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of <b>Form 1041</b> —Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶ <b>43</b>		<input type="checkbox"/>
44a	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		✓
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		✓
c	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?		✓
d	If "Yes" to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O		
44d			
45a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		✓
b	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 Form 990-EZ (see instructions)		✓
45b			✓

		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>46</b> Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I . . . . .	<b>46</b>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations only**

All section 501(c)(3) organizations must answer questions 47-49b and 52, and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part VI

		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>47</b> Did the organization engage in lobbying activities or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II . . . . .	<b>47</b>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>48</b> Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E . . . . .	<b>48</b>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>49a</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? . . . . .	<b>49a</b>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>b</b> If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization? . . . . .	<b>49b</b>		

**50** Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees, and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and title of each employee	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation

**f** Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 . . . . . ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

**51** Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and business address of each independent contractor	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation

**d** Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000 . . . . . ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

**52** Did the organization complete Schedule A? **Note:** All section 501(c)(3) organizations must attach a completed Schedule A . . . . . ▶  **Yes**  **No**

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

<b>Sign Here</b>	▶ <i>Jerry O Griffin</i> Signature of officer	▶ 11-2-18 Date
	▶ Jerry Griffin, Finance Officer Type or print name and title	

<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Prnt/Type preparer's name <b>Anthony L. Schilligo</b>	Preparer's signature <i>Anthony Schilligo</i>	Date 11/1/18	Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN P00181796
	Firm's name ▶ <b>A/B S Systems Co, LLC</b>			Firm's EIN ▶ <b>43-1399698</b>	
	Firm's address ▶ <b>1065 St Joseph St, Florissant, MO 63031-4342</b>			Phone no ▶ <b>(314) 837-8386</b>	

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions . . . . . ▶  **Yes**  **No**

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

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**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ**

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on  
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

▶ Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for the latest information.

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**2018**

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Name of the organization

**Amvets Post 88**

Employer identification number

**43-1474357**

Part 1, Line 8 - Commission from State Lottery Sales \$ 334

Recycling Income 256

**TOTAL \$ 590**

Part 1, Line 16 - Other Expenses

Dues paid to National Organization \$ 189

Licenses, taxes 1,328

Insurance 4,190

Donations 122

State Convention Expense 43

Depreciation 1,121

**TOTAL \$ 6,993**

Part II, Line 22

Balance - 2017 \$ 28,653

Income (Loss) From Operations - 11,141

Capital Expenditures - 352

Income from Investments 1,881

Change in Asset Value- 2,354

Balance - 2018 \$ 21,395

Part II, Line 23

Balance - 2017 \$ 92,909

Capital Expenditures

Current Depreciation - 512

Balance - 2018 \$ 92,397

Name of the organization <b>Amvets Post 88</b>	Employer identification number <b>43-1474357</b>
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**Part II, Line 24**

**Balance - 2017** **\$ 613**

**Capital Expenditures** **352**

**Current Depreciation** **- 609**

**Balance - 2018** **\$ 356**

**Beginning Inventory - 7/1/17** **\$ 1,240**

**Ending Inventory - 6/30/18** **-580**

**Net Change** **\$ -579**

**Total Other Assets** **\$ - 223**