

Form **990EZ**
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Short Form
Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax
Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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A For the 2019 calendar year, or tax year beginning 10-01-2019, and ending 09-30-2020

B Check if applicable:
 Address change
 Name change
 Initial return
 Final return/terminated
 Amended return
 Application pending

C Name of organization
Morehouse Economic Development Corporation
Number and street (or P. O. box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
101 S Franklin Street
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
Bastrop, LA 71220

D Employer identification number
58-1602245
E Telephone number
(318) 283-4000
F Group Exemption Number

G Accounting Method: Cash Accrual Other (specify) _____

H Check if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

I Website: www.morehouseedc.org
J Tax-exempt status (check only one) - 501(c)(3) 501(c)(6) (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527

K Form of organization: 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 **\$ 51,266**

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

Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	50,713
	2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
	3 Membership dues and assessments	3	
	4 Investment income	4	123
	5a Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
	b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	0
	c Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	
	6 Gaming and fundraising events		
	a Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000)	6a	430
	b Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions from fundraising events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the sum of such gross income and contributions exceeds \$15,000)	6b	0
c Less: direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events	6c	4,527	
d Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c)	6d	-4,097	
7a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a		
b Less: cost of goods sold	7b	0	
c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c		
8 Other revenue (describe in Schedule O)	8		
9 Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8	9	46,739	

Expenses	10 Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O)	10	
	11 Benefits paid to or for members	11	
	12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	37,800
	13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	1,425
	14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	
	15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	904
	16 Other expenses (describe in Schedule O)	16	18,078
17 Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17	58,207	
Net Assets	18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	-11,468
	19 Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	165,074
	20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	20	
	21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	21	153,606

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		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.		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)?		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 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		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		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?		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?		No
b	If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved	38b	
39	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9	39a	
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 ▶ 0 ; section 4912 ▶ 0 ; section 4955 ▶ 0		
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	40b	
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 ▶ 0		
d	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization ▶ 0		
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	40e	No
41	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed. ▶		
42a	The organization's books are in care of ▶ <u>Kay King</u> Telephone no. ▶ <u>(318) 283-4000</u> Located at ▶ <u>101 S Franklin St Suite A Bastrop, LA</u> ZIP + 4 ▶ <u>71220</u>		

		Yes	No
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).	42b	No
c	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside the U.S.? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶ _____	42c	No
43	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶ 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 explanation in Schedule O	44d	
45a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	45a	No
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 Form 990-EZ (see instructions)	45b	No

	Yes	No
46 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.	46	No

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

	Yes	No
47 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	47	
48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	48	
49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	49a	
b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?	49b	

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
NONE				

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
NONE		

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.

Sign Here Signature of officer Kay W King Executive Direc Type or print name and title	***** 2021-01-28 Date
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Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name Rick W Duplissey	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN P00548423
	Firm's name ▶ RICK W DUPLISSEY CPALLC			Firm's EIN ▶ 20-0524870	
	Firm's address ▶ 1915 E MADISON AVE BASTROP, LA 71220			Phone no. (318) 281-6049	

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

Additional Data

Software ID: 19009920
Software Version: 2019v5.0
EIN: 58-1602245
Name: Morehouse Economic Development Corporation

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

Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title.	Expenses (Required for section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations; optional for others.)	
28 Economic Development (Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	28a	

Form 990EZ, Part IV — List of Officers, Trustees, and Key Employees

(list each one even if not compensated — see the instructions for Part IV)

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

(a) Name and title	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC) (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
Kay W King Executive Direc	40.00	37,800		
Pudden Young Director	0	0		
Loe Dunn Director	0	0		
Joseph Mansour Vice President	0	0		
Allen Spires Jr Director	0	0		
Robert Green President	0	0		
Terry Matthews Director	0	0		
Kahty Lenard Secretary/Treas	0	0		
Glen Melton Director	0	0		
Billy Jordan Director	0	0		
Odis Hill Director	0	0		
Jack Scoggins Director	0	0		
Alex Rankin Director	0	0		
Christy Merriweather Director	0	0		
Norene Smith Director	0	0		

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**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 for the latest information.

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Name of the organization
Morehouse Economic Development Corporation

Employer identification number

58-1602245

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses.1001	Advertising and Promotion \$1975

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Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses.1007	Conferences, Conventions, and Meetings \$1102

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Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses.1009	Depreciation \$622

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Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses.1012	Insurance \$1926

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Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses.1	Projects \$4594

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Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses.2	Web site Hosting/Maint \$2250

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Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses.3	Phone \$2237

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Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses.4	Corporate Functions \$2035

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Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses.5	Internet Exp \$721

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Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses.7	Legal Report expenses \$360

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Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses.9	Supplies \$241

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses.10	Dues and subscriptions \$15

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Return Reference	Explanation
Other Assets.1002	Furniture and Fixtures - Beginning \$151 Furniture and Fixtures - Ending \$76

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Return Reference	Explanation
Other Assets.1003	Machinery and Equipment - Beginning \$2176 Machinery and Equipment - Ending \$2121

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Return Reference	Explanation
Other Assets.1004	Miscellaneous - Beginning \$32 Miscellaneous - Ending \$17

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Return Reference	Explanation
Other Assets.1009	Notes and Loans Receivable - Beginning \$47500 Notes and Loans Receivable - Ending \$47500

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Return Reference	Explanation
Total Liabilities.1001	Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses - Beginning \$326 Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses - Ending \$0