

Form **990-EZ**
 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)

▶ **Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.**
 ▶ **Information about Form 990-EZ and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990ez.**

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A For the 2017 calendar year, or tax year beginning 01-01-2017, and ending 12-31-2017

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

C Name of organization
 GREATER GIBSON CO CHAMBER OF COMM

Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
 PO BOX 464

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
 TRENTON, TN 38382

D Employer identification number
 62-0557040

E Telephone number
 (731) 855-0973

F Group Exemption Number ▶

G Accounting Method Cash Accrual Other (specify) ▶ _____

I Website: ▶ N/A

J Tax-exempt status (check only one) - 501(c)(3) 501(c)(6) ◀ (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527

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

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 ▶ \$ 128,077

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	77,463
	2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	50,566
	3	Membership dues and assessments	3	
	4	Investment income	4	48
	5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
	b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
	5c	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	
	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	
c	Less direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events	6c		
d	Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c)	6d		
7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a		
b	Less cost of goods sold	7b		
7c	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	128,077	
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	72,233
	13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	1,870
	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	12,465
	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	
	16	Other expenses (describe in Schedule O)	16	35,570
	17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16 ▶	17	122,138
Net Assets	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	5,939
	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	63,272
	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	69,211

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

Table with columns for question number, question text, and Yes/No response boxes. Rows include questions 33 through 45b regarding organizational activities, financials, and compliance.

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

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

Table with 5 columns: (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 "

Table with 3 columns: (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

Sign Here ***** Signature of officer 2018-01-31 Date LIBBY WICKHERSHAM SECRETARY Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only Print/Type preparer's name JACK M MATTHIS Preparer's signature Date 2018-02-05 Check if self-employed PTIN P00669228 Firm's name ALEXANDER THOMPSON ARNOLD PLLC Firm's EIN 62-1110839 Firm's address 109 W COURT SQUARE TRENTON, TN 38382 Phone no (731) 855-1097

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

Additional Data

Software ID:
Software Version:
EIN: 62-0557040
Name: GREATER GIBSON CO CHAMBER OF COMM

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.)	
<p>28 THE GREATER GIBSON COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SEEKS TO DEVELOP AND MAINTAIN A SUPERIOR ECONOMIC CLIMATE WHICH CREATES JOBS AND ENHANCES THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR ALL CITIZENS OF GIBSON COUNTY (SEE LIST OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS)</p> <p>(Grants \$)</p> <p>If this amount includes foreign grants, check here . . . <input type="checkbox"/></p>	28a	

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Form 990EZ, Part IV - List of Officers, Directors, 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
VANCE COLEMAN DIRECTOR	000 00	0		
DR HEATHER MARTIN DIRECTOR	000 00	0		
PAT RILEY PRESIDENT	000 00	0		
EMILY SULLIVAN VICE PRESIDE	000 00	0		
JOSH GIBSON DIRECTOR	000 00	0		
JIM TURNER DIRECTOR	000 00	0		
SCOTT WRIGHT DIRECTOR	000 00	0		
ANN TUBBS DIRECTOR	000 00	0		
LIBBY WICKHERSHAM SECRETARY	000 00	0		
FELECIA TEDDLETON DIRECTOR	000 00	0		
CARMEDA KEEN DIRECTOR	000 00	0		
NATHAN REED DIRECTOR	000 00	0		
TOM CRIDER DIRECTOR	000 00	0		
BROOKE CARSON DIRECTOR	000 00	0		

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

OMB No 1545-0047

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.

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

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Name of the organization

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Employer identification number

62-0557040

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990-EZ, PART I, LINE 16	EXPENSES CONFERENCES/MEETINGS 1,447 DUES & SUBSCRIPTIONS 612 TAXES AND LICENSES 1,226 ADVERTISING 710 MILEAGE 6,260 SUPPLIES 3,595 ORGANIZATIONAL EVENTS EXP 13,444 INSURANCE 6,400 MISC 1,531 NON-INVESTMENT DEPRECIATION 345 TOTAL 35,570

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990-EZ, PART II, LINE 24	PREPAID EXPENSES AND DEFERRED CHARGES 65 65 26,708 26,708 LESS ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION 25,677 26,022 TOTAL 1,096 751

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990-EZ, PART II, LINE 26	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED EXPENSES 1,446 1,304

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Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990-EZ, PART III	THE GREATER GIBSON CO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SEEKS TO DEVELOP AND MAINTAIN A SUPERIOR ECONOMIC CLIMATE WHICH CREATES JOBS AND ENHANCES THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR ALL CITIZENS OF GIBSON COUNTY

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FORM 990-EZ, PART III, LINE 31	THE GREATER GIBSON COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SEEKS TO DEVELOP AND MAINTAIN A SUPERIOR ECONOMIC CLIMATE WHICH CREATES JOBS AND ENHANCES THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR ALL CITIZENS OF GIBSON COUNTY 2016 ACCOMPLISHMENTS 1 REORGANIZATION OF THE YOUNG PROFESSIONALS OF GIBSON COUNTY 2 HOSTED REGULAR SMALL BUSINESS "LUNCH AND LEARN" SESSIONS AND MONTHLY NETWORKING EVENTS 3 FACILITATION OF GIBSON COUNTY YOUTH LEADERSHIP AND GIBSON COUNTY ADULT LEADERSHIP PROGRAMS 4 SUBMITTING GIBSON COUNTY'S APPLICATION FOR THE GOVERNOR'S THREE STAR PROGRAM TO ENSURE ELIGIBILITY FOR CDBG GRANT FUNDS 5 ATTENDED INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF SHOPPING CENTERS(ICSC)TO MARKET/PROMOTE GIBSON COUNTY FOR RETAILERS WISHING TO LOCATE IN WEST TENNESSEE 6 INITATED BRANDON NEWMAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND 7 CITY WIDE BUSINESS AFTER HOURS 8 PROMOTED SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY 9 ORGANIZED AND PLANNED NEW WEBSITE