

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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- ▶ Information about Form 990 and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

A For the 2013 calendar year, or tax year beginning 07/01, 2013, and ending 06/30, 2014

B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	C Name of organization NRDC ACTION FUND INC. Doing Business As			D Employer identification number 13-3976062	
	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite 40 WEST 20TH STREET			E Telephone number (212) 727-2700	
	City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code NEW YORK, NY 10011			G Gross receipts \$ 1,553,303.	
	F Name and address of principal officer: PETER LEHNER, EXEC DIRECTOR 40 WEST 20TH STREET NEW YORK, NY 10011			H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No H(b) Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)	
I Tax-exempt status: 501(c)(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) (4) ◀ (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527					
J Website: WWW.NRDCACTIONFUND.ORG					
K Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶					
L Year of formation: 1996 M State of legal domicile: NY					

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: THE NRDC ACTION FUND'S MISSION IS TO BUILD POLITICAL SUPPORT IN THE UNITED STATES FOR PROTECTING THE PLANET AND ITS PEOPLE.			
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.			
	3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	29.	
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	26.	
	5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2013 (Part V, line 2a)	0	
	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	0	
	7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	0	
7b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	0		
Revenue	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	1,727,296.	1,553,303.
	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	0	0
	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	0	0
	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	270.	0
	12	Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1,727,566.	1,553,303.
Expenses	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	0	8,000.
	14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0	0
	15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	813,366.	709,929.
	16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	0	0
	b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 41,927.		
	17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)	2,463,740.	740,137.
	18	Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	3,277,106.	1,458,066.
19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	-1,549,540.	95,237.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	1,475,750.	1,641,382.
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	348,446.	418,841.
	22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	1,127,304.	1,222,541.

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 _____ Date _____				
	Type or print name and title _____				
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name SCOTT THOMPSETT	Preparer's signature 	Date 5/15/15	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN P00741490
	Firm's name ▶ GRANT THORNTON LLP			Firm's EIN ▶ 36-6055558	
	Firm's address ▶ 757 THIRD AVE., 2ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017-2013			Phone no. 212-599-0100	

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

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III Yes No

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

ATTACHMENT 1

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 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 No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations 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 \$ 1,275,649. including grants of \$ 8,000.) (Revenue \$ 0)

ATTACHMENT 2

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.)

(Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e Total program service expenses 1,275,649.

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 <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> (see instructions)?	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, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>		
5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		X
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which 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, for escrow or custodial account liability; 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, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>		X
11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI</i>	X	
b Did the organization report an amount for investments-other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII</i>		X
c Did the organization report an amount for investments-program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i>		X
d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i>		X
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>	X	
f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>	X	
12 a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i>		X
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional</i>	X	
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		X
14 a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</i>		X
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>		X
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i>		X
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions)</i>		X
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions 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 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		X
20 a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		X
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

	Yes	No
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or government 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 of grants or other assistance to individuals in the United States 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, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	X	
24 a 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 lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</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?		
25 a 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 Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		X
26 Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payable to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <i>If so, complete Schedule L, Part II</i>		X
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>		X
28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):		
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
c An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <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, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i>	X	
35 a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		X
b If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		
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>		
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
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	X	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V

Table with columns for question number, description, sub-part, and Yes/No columns. Rows include questions 1a-1c, 2a-2b, 3a-3b, 4a-4b, 5a-5c, 6a-6b, 7a-7h, 8, 9a-9b, 10a-10b, 11a-11b, 12a-12b, 13a-13c, and 14a-14b.

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI [X]

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year; 1b Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent; 2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?; 3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?; 4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?; 5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?; 6 Did the organization have members or stockholders?; 7a Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?; 7b Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?; 8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following: a The governing body? b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?; 9 Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O.

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 10a Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates? b If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?; 11a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? b Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.; 12a Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13 b Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? c Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done; 13 Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?; 14 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?; 15 Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision? a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official b Other officers or key employees of the organization If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions).; 16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year? b If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ATTACHMENT 3
18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply. [X] Own website [] Another's website [X] Upon request [] Other (explain in Schedule O)
19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.
20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization: PETER LEHNER, EXEC. DIRECTOR 40 WEST 20TH STREET NEW YORK, NY 10011 212 727-2700

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII.

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

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."
- 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 neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(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			
(1) WENDY ABRAMS DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(2) JOHN H. ADAMS DIRECTOR	1.00 35.00	X					0	175,000.	63,296.	
(3) CHRISTOPHER ARNDT DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(4) RICHARD E. AYRES DIRECTOR	1.00 1.00	X					0	0	0	
(5) ANNE BARTLEY DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(6) PATRICIA BAUMAN DIRECTOR	1.00 1.00	X					0	0	0	
(7) FRANCES BEINECKE PRESIDENT	1.00 40.00	X		X			0	422,811.	54,293.	
(8) LUCY BLAKE DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(9) DAYNA BOCHCO DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(10) SHERWOOD BOEHLERT DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(11) HAMILTON CANDEE DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(12) ARI EMANUEL DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(13) BOB EPSTEIN DIRECTOR AND BOARD CHAIR	1.00	X		X			0	0	0	
(14) MICHAEL FINNEGAN 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 (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(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			
(15) WILLIAM HANEY ----- DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(16) BARBARINA HEYERDAHL ----- DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(17) CINDY HORN ----- DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(18) HONORABLE HAMILTON KEAN ----- DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(19) PATRICIA SULLIVAN ----- DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	59,038.	0	
(20) VERNICE MILLER-TRAVIS ----- DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(21) MARY MORAN ----- DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(22) EDWARD JAMES OLMOS ----- DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(23) JOHN PODESTA ----- DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(24) DANIEL R. TISHMAN ----- DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
(25) DOUGLAS N. VARLEY ----- DIRECTOR	1.00	X					0	0	0	
1b Sub-total							0	597,811.	117,589.	
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A							0	939,962.	138,021.	
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							0	1,537,773.	255,610.	

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>		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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	X	
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>		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. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in compensation from the organization ▶ 0

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(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			
(26) ERIC WEPSIC ----- DIRECTOR	1.00 ----- 1.00	X						0	0	0
(27) IRA ZIERING ----- DIRECTOR	1.00 ----- 1.00	X						0	0	0
(28) KATHLEEN WELCH ----- DIRECTOR	1.00 ----- 1.00	X						0	0	0
(29) JOANN KAPLAN ----- DIRECTOR	1.00 ----- 1.00	X						0	0	0
(30) SARAH A. GILLMAN ----- CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER	1.00 ----- 40.00			X				0	226,500.	35,020.
(31) JUDITH A. KEEFER ----- CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER	1.00 ----- 40.00			X				0	234,021.	41,279.
(32) PETER LEHNER ----- EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	1.00 ----- 40.00			X				0	296,060.	49,193.
(33) JENNIFER REYNOSO ----- ASSISTANT SECRETARY	1.00 ----- 1.00			X				0	0	0
(34) MARI PAT ALPUCH ----- SECRETARY (THRU 5/14)	1.00 ----- 1.00			X				0	0	0
(35) SARAH COGAN ----- SECRETARY (AS OF 5/14)	1.00 ----- 1.00			X				0	0	0
(36) HEATHER TAYLOR-MIESLE ----- DIRECTOR	40.00 ----- 40.00					X		0	124,343.	12,529.
1b Sub-total										
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A										
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)										

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of 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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>		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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	X	
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>		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. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in compensation from the organization ►

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII

Table with columns (A) Total revenue, (B) Related or exempt function revenue, (C) Unrelated business revenue, (D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514. Rows include Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts; Program Service Revenue; and Other Revenue.

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).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX X

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 United States. See Part IV, line 21	8,000.	8,000.		
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States. See Part IV, line 22	0			
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the United States. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	0			
4 Benefits paid to or for members	0			
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	24,257.	14,455.	7,717.	2,085.
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	0			
7 Other salaries and wages	534,302.	446,757.	69,968.	17,577.
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	0			
9 Other employee benefits	151,370.	124,989.	21,053.	5,328.
10 Payroll taxes	0			
11 Fees for services (non-employees):	0			
a Management	0			
b Legal	62,153.	62,153.		
c Accounting	4,275.	4,275.		
d Lobbying	51,942.	51,942.		
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17	0			
f Investment management fees	0			
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.) ATCH 4	271,719.	271,719.		
12 Advertising and promotion	5,743.	1,644.	4,099.	
13 Office expenses	25,985.	13,337.	2,830.	9,818.
14 Information technology	105,228.	102,057.	3,171.	
15 Royalties	0			
16 Occupancy	0			
17 Travel	52,383.	42,049.	10,334.	
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials	0			
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	23,174.	20,465.	2,709.	
20 Interest	0			
21 Payments to affiliates	0			
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	4,907.	4,907.		
23 Insurance	0			
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a CREDIT CARD COSTS	4,385.	1,946.	39.	2,400.
b MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES	108,794.	85,969.	18,256.	4,569.
c FILING FEES	19,449.	18,985.	314.	150.
d				
e All other expenses				
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	1,458,066.	1,275,649.	140,490.	41,927.
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)	0			

Part X Balance Sheet

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing	1,421,100.	1	1,631,569.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	0	2	0
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net	0	3	0
	4 Accounts receivable, net	0	4	0
	5 Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	5	0
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	6	0
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net	0	7	0
	8 Inventories for sale or use	0	8	0
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	39,930.	9	0
	10 a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a 14,720.		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	10b 4,907.	14,720.	10c 9,813.
	11 Investments - publicly traded securities	0	11	0
	12 Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11	0	12	0
	13 Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11	0	13	0
	14 Intangible assets	0	14	0
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	0	15	0
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)		1,475,750.	16	1,641,382.
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	348,446.	17	365,755.
	18 Grants payable	0	18	0
	19 Deferred revenue	0	19	0
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities	0	20	0
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D	0	21	0
	22 Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	22	0
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	0	23	0
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties	0	24	0
	25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D	0	25	53,086.
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25		348,446.	26
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.			
	27 Unrestricted net assets	0	27	0
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets	1,127,304.	28	1,222,541.
	29 Permanently restricted net assets	0	29	0
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), 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		1,127,304.	33
34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances.		1,475,750.	34	1,641,382.

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	1,553,303.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	1,458,066.
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	95,237.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	1,127,304.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	0
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	0
7	Investment expenses	7	0
8	Prior period adjustments	8	0
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	0
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	1,222,541.

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII

		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? _____ If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		X
2b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? _____ If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis	X	
2c	If "Yes" to line 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? _____ If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.	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
3b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits.		

Form **990** (2013)

Schedule of Contributors

2013

▶ **Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.**

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

Name of the organization NRDC ACTION FUND INC.	Employer identification number 13-3976062
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Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)(4) (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 an organization 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 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3 % support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 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 (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h, or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions 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 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not total 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. An organization that is not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules does not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

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Part I **Contributors** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	----- ----- -----	\$ 400,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
2	----- ----- -----	\$ 75,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
3	----- ----- -----	\$ 32,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
4	----- ----- -----	\$ 30,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
5	----- ----- -----	\$ 200,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
6	----- ----- -----	\$ 25,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7	----- ----- ----- -----	\$ ----- 30,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
8	----- ----- ----- -----	\$ ----- 26,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
9	----- ----- ----- -----	\$ ----- 40,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
10	----- ----- ----- -----	\$ ----- 35,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
11	----- ----- ----- -----	\$ ----- 50,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
12	----- ----- ----- -----	\$ ----- 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
13	----- ----- -----	\$ 43,750.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
14	----- ----- -----	\$ 7,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
15	----- ----- -----	\$ 10,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
16	----- ----- -----	\$ 20,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
17	----- ----- -----	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
18	----- ----- -----	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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Part I **Contributors** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
19	----- ----- -----	\$ 25,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
20	----- ----- -----	\$ 300,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
21	----- ----- -----	\$ 30,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
22	----- ----- -----	\$ 25,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
23	----- ----- -----	\$ 25,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
24	----- ----- -----	\$ 13,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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Part I **Contributors** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
25	----- ----- -----	\$ 13,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
26	----- ----- -----	\$ 11,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
27	----- ----- -----	\$ 10,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
28	----- ----- -----	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
29	----- ----- -----	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
30	----- ----- -----	\$ 5,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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Part II **Noncash Property** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
-----	----- ----- ----- -----	\$-----	-----
-----	----- ----- ----- -----	\$-----	-----
-----	----- ----- ----- -----	\$-----	-----
-----	----- ----- ----- -----	\$-----	-----
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Part III *Exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., individual contributions to section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organizations that total more than \$1,000 for the year. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry.

For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions.) ▶ \$ _____

Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
-----	----- ----- -----	----- ----- -----	----- ----- -----
(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
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-----	----- ----- -----	----- ----- -----	----- ----- -----
(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
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-----	----- ----- -----	----- ----- -----	----- ----- -----
(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
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-----	----- ----- -----	----- ----- -----	----- ----- -----
(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
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SCHEDULE C
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

OMB No. 1545-0047

2013

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527
 ▶ **Complete if the organization is described below.** ▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**
 ▶ **See separate instructions.** ▶ **Information about Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.**

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, 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) or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 35c (Proxy Tax), then

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

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Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.

- 1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV.
- 2 Political expenditures ▶ \$ 104,254.
- 3 Volunteer hours

Part I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3).

- 1 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955 ▶ \$
- 2 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955 ▶ \$
- 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 Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).

- 1 Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$ 104,254.
- 2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$
- 3 Total exempt function expenditures. Add lines 1 and 2. Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b ▶ \$ 104,254.
- 4 Did the filing organization file **Form 1120-POL** for this year? Yes No
- 5 Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which the filing organization made payments. For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization's funds. Also enter the amount of political contributions received that were 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-.
(1)	-----			
(2)	-----			
(3)	-----			
(4)	-----			
(5)	-----			
(6)	-----			

Part II-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

A Check if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV each affiliated group member's name, address, EIN, expenses, and share of excess lobbying expenditures).

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 (grass roots lobbying)														
b	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)														
c	Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)														
d	Other exempt purpose expenditures														
e	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)														
f	Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table in both columns.														
<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)														
h	Subtract line 1g from line 1a. If zero or less, enter -0-														
i	Subtract line 1f from line 1c. If zero or less, enter -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 on page 4.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period					
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) Total
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount					
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column (e))					
c Total lobbying expenditures					
d Grassroots nontaxable amount					
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

Part II-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and has NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

Table with 3 main columns: (a) Yes/No, (b) Amount. Rows include: 1 During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state or local legislation...; 2a Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?; 2b If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912; 2c If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912; 2d If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?

Part III-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6).

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 1 Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?; 2 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?; 3 Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?

Part III-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) and if either (a) BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2, are answered "No," OR (b) Part III-A, line 3, is answered "Yes."

Table with 2 columns: Question, Amount. Rows include: 1 Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members; 2 Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid); 2a Current year; 2b Carryover from last year; 2c Total; 3 Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues; 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?; 5 Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)

Part IV Supplemental Information

Provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1; Part I-B, line 4; Part I-C, line 5; Part II-A (affiliated group list); Part II-A, line 2; and Part II-B, line 1. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

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Part IV Supplemental Information (continued)

SCHEDULE C, PART I-A, LINE 1

AS 2013 WAS NOT AN ELECTION YEAR, THESE POLITICAL EXPENDITURES WERE DIRECTED MAINLY TOWARD PREPARATION FOR THE 2014 ELECTIONS. SPECIFICALLY, THE ACTION FUND BEGAN DEVELOPING NARRATIVE STRATEGIES FOR KEY U.S. SENATE RACES IN NEW HAMPSHIRE, MICHIGAN, NORTH CAROLINA, HAWAII, COLORADO AND IOWA. IN ADDITION, THE ACTION FUND PRODUCED BLOGS AND SOCIAL MEDIA CONTENT HIGHLIGHTING CANDIDATES WHO WERE "RUNNING CLEAN" AND THOSE WHO SUPPORT AN AGENDA LED BY THE FOSSIL FUEL INDUSTRY.

\$49,981 OF THE TOTAL POLITICAL EXPENDITURES WAS SPENT ON STAFF SALARIES (INCLUDING BENEFITS AND OVERHEAD), WHILE THE REMAINING \$54,273 WAS SPENT ON DISCRETIONARY EXPENSES, INCLUDING CONSULTANTS, OTHER VENDORS, AND ADVERTISING.

THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF POLITICAL EXPENDITURES REPRESENTS 7 PERCENT OF THE ORGANIZATION'S OVERALL EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR.

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Supplemental Financial Statements

OMB No. 1545-0047

Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.

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Attach to Form 990.

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

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Name of the organization

NRDC ACTION FUND INC.

Employer identification number

13-3976062

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.

Table with 3 columns: Line number, Description, (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Includes rows for total number, aggregate contributions, aggregate grants, aggregate value, and two Yes/No questions regarding donor advisement.

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

Table with 3 columns: Line number, Description, Held at the End of the Tax Year. Includes rows for purpose(s) of easements, total number, total acreage, and various monitoring and reporting questions.

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.

Table with 3 columns: Line number, Description, Amount. Includes rows for reporting requirements under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) regarding art and historical treasures.

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Schedule D (Form 990) 2013

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

3 Using the organization's acquisition, 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

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.

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?

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if the 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?

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table:

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows: 1c Beginning balance, 1d Additions during the year, 1e Distributions during the year, 1f Ending balance.

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII.

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

Table with 6 columns: (a) Current year, (b) Prior year, (c) Two years back, (d) Three years back, (e) Four years back. Rows: 1a-1g Balance and expense categories.

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:

- a Board designated or quasi-endowment %, b Permanent endowment %, c Temporarily restricted endowment %

The percentages in lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.

3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:

Table with 3 columns: Description, Yes, No. Rows: 3a(i) unrelated organizations, 3a(ii) related organizations, 3b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?

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

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Table with 5 columns: (a) Cost or other basis (investment), (b) Cost or other basis (other), (c) Accumulated depreciation, (d) Book value. Rows: 1a-1e Land, Buildings, Leasehold improvements, Equipment, Other.

Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)

Part VII Investments - Other Securities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely-held equity interests		
(3) Other _____		
(A) _____		
(B) _____		
(C) _____		
(D) _____		
(E) _____		
(F) _____		
(G) _____		
(H) _____		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) ▶		

Part VIII Investments - Program Related.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.) ▶		

Part IX Other Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.) ▶	

Part X Other Liabilities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2) DUE FROM RELATED PARTIES	53,086.
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) ▶	53,086.

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740). Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

Table with 5 main rows and sub-rows (a-e) for adjustments. Columns include line numbers and a final column for totals. Sub-rows are labeled 2a-2d and 4a-4b.

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

Table with 5 main rows and sub-rows (a-e) for adjustments. Columns include line numbers and a final column for totals. Sub-rows are labeled 2a-2d and 4a-4b.

Part XIII Supplemental Information.

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, line 2; Part XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

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Part XIII Supplemental Information (continued)

FORM 990, SCHEDULE D, PART XI AND XII

NRDC ACTION FUND DOES NOT RECEIVE STANDALONE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS; ITS OPERATIONS ARE CONSOLIDATED FOR FINANCIAL REPORTING PURPOSES WITH AN AFFILIATED ORGANIZATION, THE NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL, INC.

FORM 990, SCHEDULE D, PART X, LINE 2

THE FASB ACCOUNTING CODIFICATION (ASC) ESTABLISHED CRITERION THAT AN INDIVIDUAL TAX POSITION MUST MEET FOR SOME OR ALL OF THE BENEFITS OF THAT POSITION TO BE RECOGNIZED IN AN ENTITY'S FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. THIS STANDARD REQUIRES THAT A TAX POSITION BE RECOGNIZED OR DERECOGNIZED BASED ON A "MORE LIKELY THAN NOT" THRESHOLD. NRDC HAS PROCESSES CURRENTLY IN PLACE TO ENSURE THE MAINTENANCE OF ITS TAX-EXEMPT STATUS; TO IDENTIFY AND REPORT UNRELATED INCOME; DETERMINE ITS FILING AND TAX OBLIGATIONS IN JURISDICTIONS FOR WHICH IT HAS NEXUS; AND TO REVIEW OTHER MATTERS THAT MAY BE CONSIDERED A TAX POSITION. THE TAX YEARS ENDING 2011, 2012, 2013, AND 2014 REMAIN OPEN TO AUDIT FOR BOTH FEDERAL AND STATE PURPOSES. THIS STANDARD HAD NO IMPACT ON NRDC'S 2014 AND 2013 CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. NRDC DOES NOT BELIEVE ITS 2014 AND 2013 CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS INCLUDE ANY UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS.

**SCHEDULE J
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Compensation Information

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

- ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 23.
- ▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.
- ▶ Information about Schedule J (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Employer identification number

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Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

	Yes	No
1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.		
<input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel		
<input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions		
<input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments		
<input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account		
<input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use		
<input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence		
<input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees		
<input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)		
b If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain	1b	
2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, and officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?	2	
3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.		
<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee		
<input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant		
<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations		
<input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract		
<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study		
<input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee		
4 During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:		
a Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?	4a	X
b Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?	4b	X
c Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?	4c	X
If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.		
Only section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete lines 5-9.		
5 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:		
a The organization?	5a	X
b Any related organization?	5b	X
If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.		
6 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:		
a The organization?	6a	X
b Any related organization?	6b	X
If "Yes" to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.		
7 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III	7	X
8 Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III	8	X
9 If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?	9	

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Schedule J (Form 990) 2013

Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported in Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII.

Note. The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported as deferred in prior Form 990
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
1 JOHN H. ADAMS DIRECTOR	(i)	0	0	0				
	(ii)	175,000.	0	0		63,296.	238,296.	
2 FRANCES BEINECKE PRESIDENT	(i)	0	0	0				
	(ii)	422,811.	0	0	35,700.	18,593.	477,104.	
3 SARAH A. GILLMAN CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER	(i)	0	0	0				
	(ii)	226,500.	0	0	16,427.	18,593.	261,520.	
4 JUDITH A. KEEFER CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER	(i)	0	0	0				
	(ii)	234,021.	0	0	32,935.	8,344.	275,300.	
5 PETER LEHNER EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	(i)	0	0	0				
	(ii)	296,060.	0	0	30,600.	18,593.	345,253.	
6	(i)							
	(ii)							
7	(i)							
	(ii)							
8	(i)							
	(ii)							
9	(i)							
	(ii)							
10	(i)							
	(ii)							
11	(i)							
	(ii)							
12	(i)							
	(ii)							
13	(i)							
	(ii)							
14	(i)							
	(ii)							
15	(i)							
	(ii)							
16	(i)							
	(ii)							

Part III Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

COMPENSATION INFORMATION

SCHEDULE J

PART II, JOHN H ADAMS COLUMN B(I): BASE COMPENSATION

AFTER THIRTY-FIVE YEARS OF COMMITTED SERVICE AS NRDC'S FOUNDER AND PRESIDENT, JOHN ADAMS RETIRED ON APRIL 1, 2006. JOHN IS A PART-TIME CONSULTANT FOR NRDC AND RECEIVED \$175,000 FOR THESE SERVICES IN CALENDAR YEAR 2013.

COLUMN D: NONTAXABLE BENEFITS:

AS PART OF HIS RETIREMENT AGREEMENT, NRDC PROVIDES JOHN ADAMS WITH MEDICAL AND DENTAL BENEFITS AND A LONG TERM CARE PLAN. THE VALUE OF THESE BENEFITS ARE:

MEDICAL \$ 20,312

LTC \$ 42,985

FORM 990, PART VII & SCHEDULE J, PART I

Part III Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

THE INDIVIDUALS REPORTED ON NRDC ACTION FUND'S FORM 990, FRANCES BEINECKE, SARAH GILLMAN, JUDITH KEEFER, PETER LEHNER AND HEATHER TAYLOR-MIESLE RECEIVE THEIR COMPENSATION FROM THE PARENT ORGANIZATION, NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL, INC. (NRDC). ACCORDINGLY, ALL COMPENSATION IS BEING REPORTED ON NRDC ACTION FUND'S FORM 990 AS RELATED ORGANIZATION COMPENSATION. HOWEVER, A PORTION OF EACH OFFICER'S COMPENSATION IS REIMBURSED BY NRDC ACTION FUND TO NRDC BASED ON SERVICES RENDERED TO NRDC ACTION FUND. IN THE INTEREST OF CLARITY, NRDC ACTION FUND IS DISCLOSING THE FOLLOWING SALARY AND BENEFITS AMOUNTS AS HAVING BEEN REIMBURSED BY NRDC ACTION FUND TO NRDC FOR THESE SERVICES:

	SALARY	BENEFITS
PRESIDENT BEINECKE	\$ 5,739	\$1,567
CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER GILLMAN	\$ 4,701	\$1,285
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR LEHNER	\$12,913	\$3,532
DIRECTOR TAYLOR-MIESLE	\$124,343	\$12,529

NRDC ACTION FUND REIMBURSES NRDC FOR THE SERVICES OF OTHER NRDC EMPLOYEES. THOSE INDIVIDUALS DO NOT MEET THE CRITERIA OF AN OFFICER, KEY

Part III Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

EMPLOYEE OR HIGHLY COMPENSATED EMPLOYEE OF THE ACTION FUND AND

ACCORDINGLY ARE NOT DISCLOSED IN PART VII OR SCHEDULE J OF THE 990.

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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.**

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Name of the organization

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FORM 990, PART IV

LINE 5 - NRDC ACTION FUND IS NOT SUBJECT TO THE SECTION 6033(E) NOTICE
AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS SINCE IT DOES NOT RECEIVE MEMBERSHIP DUES,
ASSESSMENTS OR SIMILAR AMOUNTS AS DEFINED IN REV. PROC. 98-19.

GOVERNING BODY AND MANAGEMENT

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A

LINE 2 - BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEMBERS, BOB EPSTEIN AND PATRICIA BAUMAN,
HAVE A BUSINESS RELATIONSHIP.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEMBERS KATHLEEN WELCH AND DAN TISHMAN HAVE A BUSINESS
RELATIONSHIP.

LINE 6 - NRDC ACTION FUND'S SOLE INSTITUTIONAL MEMBER IS ITS PARENT
ORGANIZATION, NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL, INC ("NRDC").

LINE 7A - THE SOLE INSTITUTIONAL MEMBER, NRDC, HAS THE SOLE AUTHORITY TO
APPOINT NRDC ACTION FUND'S BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON AN ANNUAL BASIS. THIS
POWER IS RESERVED TO NRDC IN NRDC ACTION FUND'S ORGANIZATIONAL
DOCUMENTS.

LINE 7B - IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SHOULD HAVE A VACANCY DURING THE
YEAR, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, BY A VOTE OF A MAJORITY OF DIRECTORS THEN
IN OFFICE, HAS THE RIGHT TO APPROVE THE BOARD'S ELECTION OF A REPLACEMENT

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TO FILL THAT VACANCY.

PART VI - GOVERNANCE

990 REVIEW PROCESS FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11

NRDC ACTION FUND'S FORM 990 IS PREPARED BY A NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED ACCOUNTING FIRM IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORGANIZATION'S SENIOR MANAGEMENT AND FINANCIAL TEAM. UPON COMPLETION, THE FORM 990 IS DISTRIBUTED TO SENIOR MANAGEMENT AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS' FINANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL. A COPY OF THE FINAL FORM 990 IS SHARED WITH THE FULL BOARD OF DIRECTORS PRIOR TO ITS ELECTRONIC FILING WITH THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY MONITORING & ENFORCEMENT

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12

EACH OFFICER, DIRECTOR, AND EMPLOYEE IS REQUIRED TO ANNUALLY DISCLOSE ANY CONFLICTS OF INTEREST THAT ARISE BY VIRTUE OF RELATIONSHIP TO THE ORGANIZATION, BOARD SERVICE, OR POSITION WITH EITHER NRDC ACTION FUND OR NRDC. NRDC ACTION FUND MONITORS COMPLIANCE WITH ITS CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY THROUGH AN ANNUAL QUESTIONNAIRE/DISCLOSURE STATEMENT THAT IS DISTRIBUTED TO THESE INDIVIDUALS. POTENTIAL CONFLICTS ARE INVESTIGATED IMMEDIATELY.

PROCESS TO DETERMINE COMPENSATION

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15

NRDC ACTION FUND DOES NOT DIRECTLY COMPENSATE ANY OFFICERS, DIRECTORS AND/OR EMPLOYEES. ALL COMPENSATION IS PAID BY THE PARENT ORGANIZATION,

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NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL, AND IS REIMBURSED BY NRDC ACTION FUND TO NRDC. THE PROCESSES USED FOR DETERMINING COMPENSATION AS PAID BY THE PARENT ENTITY ARE DESCRIBED ON THAT ORGANIZATION'S FORM 990.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C

LINE 19 - NRDC ACTION FUND MAKES ITS FORM 990 AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC BY RETAINING A COPY AT ITS PLACE OF BUSINESS. THE ACTION FUND ALSO MAKES THE 990 AVAILABLE ON THE ACTION FUND WEBSITE AT WWW.NRDCACTIONFUND.ORG (AND ON WWW.GUIDESTAR.ORG). THE ORGANIZATION'S FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, GOVERNING DOCUMENTS AND CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY ARE NOT ORDINARILY MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC, BUT, IF REQUESTED, WILL BE PROVIDED AT MANAGEMENT'S DISCRETION.

FORM 990, PART XII, LINE 2C

THE NRDC ACTION FUND DOES NOT RECEIVE STANDALONE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS; FOR AUDIT PURPOSES ITS OPERATIONS ARE CONSOLIDATED WITH AN AFFILIATED ORGANIZATION, THE NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL, INC.

FORM 990, PART XII, LINE 3A

THE NRDC ACTION FUND DID NOT RECEIVE ANY FEDERAL FUNDING; NEVERTHELESS, ITS ACTIVITIES ARE INCLUDED IN THE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF ITS PARENT ORGANIZATION, NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL, WHICH DID UNDERGO AN A-133 AUDIT.

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ATTACHMENT 1FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1 - ORGANIZATION'S MISSION

THE NRDC ACTION FUND'S MISSION IS TO ACHIEVE THE PASSAGE OF LEGISLATION THAT REDUCES CARBON POLLUTION, AND SUSTAINS VIBRANT COMMUNITIES FOR ALL AMERICANS. NOW IS THE TIME FOR LEADERSHIP AND ACTION FROM OUR ELECTED OFFICIALS; OUR CURRENT GOAL IS A COMPREHENSIVE CLEAR ENERGY POLICY THAT WILL IMPROVE OUR ECONOMY AND FUEL OUR FUTURE.

ATTACHMENT 2FORM 990, PART III - PROGRAM SERVICE, LINE 4A

ONE OF THE MOST SIGNIFICANT ACTIONS BY THE ACTION FUND DURING THIS PERIOD WAS THE CREATION OF A NEW ALLIANCE WITH THE LEAGUE OF CONSERVATION VOTERS CALLED LEADINGGREEN. LEADINGGREEN ORGANIZES PROMINENT CITIZENS WHO ARE ALSO POLITICAL DONORS INTO A NETWORK OF ADVOCATES FOR THE ENVIRONMENT. BY PROVIDING ELECTED OFFICIALS WITH HIGH QUALITY INFORMATION WHEN THEY NEED IT TO MAKE DECISIONS, LEADINGGREEN HAS BECOME AN EFFECTIVE TOOL FOR ADVANCING ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY MAKING IN WASHINGTON AND THE STATES.

THE ACTION FUND ALSO CREATED A PAC, WHICH CONTRIBUTES TO CANDIDATES FOR FEDERAL POLITICAL OFFICE. THE NRDC ACTION FUND PAC ALSO SUPPORTS THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMUNITY'S DONOR BUNDLING OPERATION KNOWN AS GIVEGREEN, WHICH IS OPERATED BY THE LCV ACTION FUND. GIVEGREEN HELPS TO MAKE SURE THAT ENVIRONMENTAL CHAMPIONS HAVE THE FINANCIAL SUPPORT THEY DESERVE WHEN THEY RUN FOR OFFICE.

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1. EDUCATING THE PUBLIC AND HOLDING POLICY MAKERS ACCOUNTABLE

ONE OF THE ACTION FUND'S TOP PRIORITIES IS TO TELL THE AMERICAN PEOPLE HOW THEIR ELECTED OFFICIALS VOTE ON ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENERGY ISSUES. TOO OFTEN, POLITICIANS PROFESS CONCERN FOR THE ENVIRONMENT, BUT CAST VOTES THAT BENEFIT POLLUTERS—COUNTING ON THEIR VOTING RECORDS TO REMAIN UNDER THE RADAR. USING BOTH TRADITIONAL MEDIA AND ADVANCED DIGITAL TECHNIQUES, THE NRDC ACTION FUND MAKES SURE THE PUBLIC KNOWS WHERE THEIR ELECTED OFFICIALS STAND ON THE ISSUES.

THE NRDC ACTION FUND'S WHOVOTESDIRTY PROJECT USED SOPHISTICATED ANALYSIS AND THE LATEST VOTING DATA TO CONNECT THE DOTS BETWEEN DIRTY VOTES AND CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS FROM FOSSIL FUEL COMPANIES. THIS DOCUMENTATION REVEALED A STARTLING PICTURE: MANY MEMBERS OF CONGRESS WHO VOTED AGAINST ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION TOOK THE MOST MONEY FROM THE POLLUTERS WHO BENEFITED FROM THOSE VOTES. THE NRDC ACTION FUND CREATED THE WEBSITE WHOVOTESDIRTY.COM TO MAKE IT EASY FOR THE PUBLIC TO TRACK ELECTED OFFICIALS. OUR FINDINGS GOT COVERED IN THE MEDIA, FURTHER SPREADING THE WORD ABOUT POLLUTER INFLUENCE IN POLITICS.

THE NRDC ACTION FUND ALSO LAUNCHED AN ONLINE AD CAMPAIGN - "THE COST OF CLIMATE CHANGE...TELL THE U.S. SENATE: DON'T POISON OUR CHILDREN'S FUTURE" - TO GALVANIZE OPPOSITION TO ANY EFFORTS TO

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DERAIL PRESIDENT OBAMA'S CLIMATE AND CLEAN AIR PLAN. WE USED ORIGINAL POLLING RESEARCH THAT SHOWED THAT FOCUSING ON CHILDREN'S HEALTH AND CHILDHOOD ASTHMA IS VERY EFFECTIVE IN INCREASING SUPPORT FOR POLLUTION LIMITS.

2. ADVOCATING FOR THE ENVIRONMENT

MUCH OF THE NRDC ACTION FUND'S WORK IS GEARED TOWARD PERSUADING ELECTED OFFICIALS TO PRESERVE THE ENVIRONMENT AND PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH. WE IDENTIFY POLICIES THAT WILL ACHIEVE THOSE GOALS, AND WE EDUCATE AND INFORM LAWMAKERS ABOUT HOW THE POLICIES WORK. THE NRDC ACTION FUND FOCUSES ON BOLD MEASURES THAT ADDRESS CLIMATE CHANGE AT THE STATE AND FEDERAL LEVEL, BUT WE ALSO RALLY TO THE RESCUE WHEN EXISTING ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTIONS COME UNDER ATTACK.

THE NRDC ACTION FUND DRAWS ON THE POLICY EXPERTISE OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL, WITH WHICH IT IS AFFILIATED. NRDC IS A LEADING ENVIRONMENTAL ORGANIZATION THAT HAS HELPED DESIGN AND SECURE SOME OF THE MOST FAR-REACHING CLEAN AIR, CLEAN WATER, AND CLIMATE VICTORIES IN THE NATION. TOGETHER WITH NRDC AND OTHER COALITION PARTNERS, THE NRDC ACTION FUND PROVIDES ELECTED OFFICIALS WITH THE ANALYSIS THEY NEED TO SUPPORT EFFECTIVE ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES.

ONE OF THE KEY ADVOCACY TOOLS USED BY THE NRDC ACTION FUND IS ITS

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EXTENSIVE NETWORK OF POLICY EXPERTS, BUSINESS LEADERS, AND OTHER INFLUENTIAL PEOPLE WHO HAVE CREDIBILITY WITH AND RELATIONSHIPS WITH POLICY MAKERS. ESPECIALLY THROUGH THE LEADINGGREEN ALLIANCE, THE NRDC ACTION FUND CAN EDUCATE POLITICAL DONORS, ALERT THEM QUICKLY WHEN A LEGISLATIVE ISSUE ON THE ENVIRONMENT ARISES, AND HELP THEM MAKE THEIR VOICES HEARD MORE EFFECTIVELY WITH POLICY MAKERS. AT THE SAME TIME, THE NRDC ACTION FUND WORKS WITH OFFICE HOLDERS TO MAKE SURE THEY ARE USING THE BEST MESSAGING ON ENERGY AND PUBLIC HEALTH ISSUES AND HAVE THE INFORMATION THEY NEED WHEN IT COMES TIME TO VOTE ON LEGISLATION. ALL OF THESE ADVOCACY TOOLS WERE ON DISPLAY DURING SEVERAL MAJOR POLICY FIGHTS DURING FY14.

FIGHTING CONGRESSIONAL ATTACKS ON THE ENVIRONMENT: IN FY14, ANTI-ENVIRONMENTAL FORCES IN CONGRESS, LED MAINLY BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, TRIED TO WEAKEN A RANGE OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTIONS BY SLIPPING THEM IN ANNUAL BUDGET BILLS FOR THE GOVERNMENT OR PASSING THEM AS STAND-ALONE SPECIAL INTEREST BILLS. THE NRDC ACTION FUND JOINED THE FIGHT AGAINST THESE ENVIRONMENTAL ROLLBACKS, AND, DUE IN PART TO ITS EFFORTS, ALMOST NONE OF THESE ATTACKS ON OUR AIR, WATER, FOOD, AND COMMUNITIES SUCCEEDED. FOR EXAMPLE, OUR ADVOCATES HELPED STOP APPROVAL OF THE THE KEYSTONE XL PIPELINE IN CONGRESS BY WORKING WITH OUR CONNECTED SUPPORTERS TO TALK DIRECTLY TO DECISION-MAKERS ABOUT THE PROBLEMATIC PRECEDENT AND NEGATIVE IMPACT ON THE ENVIRONMENT AND PEOPLE'S HEALTH.

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CLEAN AIR DEFENSE: THE ACTION FUND WAS A PARTNER IN THE SUCCESSFUL ENVIRONMENTAL AND HEALTH COALITION EFFORTS TO REDUCE AIR POLLUTION AND SUPPORT PRESIDENTIAL ACTION AGAINST CLIMATE CHANGE. OUR INFLUENTIAL NETWORK OF ADVOCATES ENCOURAGED PRESIDENT OBAMA TO UTILIZE EXISTING AUTHORITY UNDER THE CLEAN AIR ACT TO REDUCE DANGEROUS CARBON POLLUTION FROM POWER PLANTS AND FOR U.S. EPA TO ISSUE RULES FOR NEW AND EXISTING SOURCES OF CARBON POLLUTION THAT ARE THE LARGEST CONTRIBUTORS TO CLIMATE CHANGE. ON A RELATED NOTE, WE ACTIVATED OUR ADVOCATE NETWORK TO ENCOURAGE U.S. SENATORS AND OTHER ELECTED OFFICIALS TO PUBLICLY SUPPORT PRESIDENT OBAMA'S CLEAN POWER PLAN WHEN IT WAS RELEASED ON JUNE 2, 2014.

CALIFORNIA FRACKING: THE NRDC ACTION FUND RAN ONLINE ADVERTISING IN CALIFORNIA TO SOLIDIFY SUPPORT FOR LEGISLATION THAT PROVIDES CALIFORNIANS WITH CRITICAL PROTECTIONS TO OUT-OF-CONTROL FRACKING. THE BANNER ADS RAN ON KEY PUBLICATIONS IN CALIFORNIA AND FEATURED A LINK TO AN ACTION PAGE TO ALLOW CONSTITUENTS TO EMAIL THEIR STATE LEGISLATORS.

3. ELECTORAL WORK

IN ORDER TO CONFRONT THE CRISIS OF CLIMATE CHANGE, AMERICA NEEDS MORE ELECTED OFFICIALS COMMITTED TO PASSING FORWARD-LOOKING CLEAN ENERGY AND CLIMATE LEGISLATION. THE NRDC ACTION FUND HELPS ELECT THOSE CHAMPIONS TO OFFICE AND SUPPORT THEM WHEN IT COMES TIME TO

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VOTE FOR THE ENVIRONMENT. WE HELP CANDIDATES SPEAK PERSUASIVELY ON OUR ISSUES, AND WE DEMONSTRATE THAT RUNNING FOR OFFICE ON CLEAN ENERGY AND CLIMATE ACTION WILL HELP THEM WIN.

MAYORS FORUM: IN FISCAL YEAR 2014, THE NRDC ACTION FUND CO-SPONSORED THE NEW YORK MAYORAL FORUM ON FOOD, NUTRITION, AND HUNGER. THE FORUM AIMED TO GET THE LEADING CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR TO EXPLAIN HOW THEY WOULD ENSURE NEW YORK CITY HAS A HEALTHIER, FAIRER, MORE SUSTAINABLE, MORE AFFORDABLE, AND ECONOMICALLY STRONGER FOOD SYSTEM.

POLITICAL POLLING: THE NRDC ACTION FUND COMMISSIONED AND LED OPINION RESEARCH PROJECTS THAT SHOWED SUPPORT FOR CLEAN ENERGY POLICIES AND CANDIDATES WHO BACK THEM. ONE POLL FOCUSED ON VOTER ATTITUDES IN ARKANSAS, ILLINOIS, LOUISIANA, AND NEW HAMPSHIRE. IN ADDITION, THE NRDC ACTION FUND RELEASED POLLING FROM NINE SENATE BATTLEGROUND STATES IN FEBRUARY 2014 THAT SHOWED AMERICANS ARE READY TO ACT ON CLIMATE CHANGE BY REDUCING CARBON POLLUTION. MORE THAN TWO-THIRDS OF VOTERS (WITH MAJORITIES ACROSS PARTY LINES) IN THESE STATES SAID THE EPA SHOULD LIMIT CARBON POLLUTION FROM POWER PLANTS.

NRDC ACTION FUND PAC: IN JULY 2013, THE NRDC ACTION FUND LAUNCHED A POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE (PAC) ACCOUNT. THE NRDC ACTION FUND PAC MAKES CONTRIBUTIONS TO PRO-ENVIRONMENT FEDERAL CANDIDATES FROM

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ANY POLITICAL PARTY AND PROVIDES A SUPPORT STRUCTURE FOR THE NRDC ACTION FUND'S NETWORK OF POLITICAL DONORS.

AS PART OF THE LEADINGGREEN ALLIANCE, THE NRDC ACTION FUND PAC IS ALSO ENCOURAGING DONORS TO GIVE THEIR POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS THROUGH GIVEGREEN, A PROJECT OF LCV ACTION FUND. THROUGH NOVEMBER OF 2014, GIVEGREEN WAS ABLE TO EXCEED ITS GOAL FOR THE 2014 ELECTION CYCLE BY RAISING NEARLY \$6 MILLION TO SUPPORT ENVIRONMENTAL CHAMPIONS RUNNING FOR OFFICE. OF THE AMOUNT OF MONEY THAT WAS RAISED, 73 PERCENT OF IT WENT TO WINNING CANDIDATES, DEMONSTRATING THE STRATEGIC THINKING BEHIND THE INITIATIVE.

ATTACHMENT 3FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 17 - STATES

AL, AK, AR, CA, CO, CT,

FL, GA, HI, IL, KS, KY, ME, MD, MA,

MN, MS, MO, NH, NJ, NY, NC, ND, OH, OK, OR, PA,

RI, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, WV, WI,

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<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>(A)</u> <u>TOTAL</u> <u>FEES</u>	<u>(B)</u> <u>PROGRAM</u> <u>SERVICE EXP.</u>	<u>(C)</u> <u>MANAGEMENT</u> <u>AND GENERAL</u>	<u>(D)</u> <u>FUNDRAISING</u> <u>EXPENSES</u>
STRATEGIC PLANNING	108,016.	108,016.		
DESIGN	13,056.	13,056.		
WEB SERVICES	84,286.	84,286.		
WRITING & EDITING	9,802.	9,802.		
POLITICAL OUTREACH	9,575.	9,575.		
MISCELLANEOUS	16,471.	16,471.		
CONSULTING	30,000.	30,000.		
PRINTING	1,121.	1,121.		
LESS RECLASSIFIED PROFESSIONAL TO LOBBYING (SCHEDULE C)	-608.	-608.		
TOTALS	<u>271,719.</u>	<u>271,719.</u>		

**SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)**

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

OMB No. 1545-0047

2013

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▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.

▶ Attach to Form 990.

▶ See separate instructions.

▶ Information about Schedule R (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.

(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) 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
(1) -----					
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Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.

(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	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
						Yes	No
(1) NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL, INC 13-2654926 40 WEST 20TH STREET NEW YORK, NY 10011	ENVIRONMENTAL	NY	501 (C) (3)	7	N/A		X
(2) NRDC LIMITED 22/F, BANK OF CHINA TOWER HONG KONG, HK	ENVIRONMENTAL	HK	N/A	N/A	NRDC		X
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Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of- year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	
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Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percen- tage ownership	(i) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
								Yes	No
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Part V Transactions With Related Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.

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

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?

- a** Receipt of (i) interest (ii) annuities (iii) royalties or (iv) rent from a controlled entity
- b** Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)
- c** Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)
- d** Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)
- e** Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)
- f** Dividends from related organization(s)
- g** Sale of assets to related organization(s)
- h** Purchase of assets from related organization(s)
- i** Exchange of assets with related organization(s)
- j** Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)
- k** Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)
- l** Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)
- m** Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)
- n** Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)
- o** Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)
- p** Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses
- q** Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses
- r** Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)
- s** Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)

	Yes	No
1a		X
1b		X
1c		X
1d		X
1e		X
1f		
1g		X
1h		X
1i		X
1j		X
1k		X
1l		X
1m		X
1n	X	
1o	X	
1p	X	
1q		X
1r		X
1s		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 related organization	(b) Transaction type (a-s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
(1) NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL, INC	N, O, P	906,770.	COST
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
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Part VI **Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 37.

Provide the following information for each entity taxed as a partnership through which the organization conducted more than five percent of its activities (measured by total assets or gross revenue) that was not a related organization. See instructions regarding exclusion for certain investment partnerships.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under section 512-514)	(e) Are all partners section 501(c)(3) organizations?		(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
				Yes	No			Yes	No		Yes	No	
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Part VII **Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions).
