

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

2007

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2007 calendar year, or tax year beginning MAY 01, 2007, and ending APRIL 30, 2008

B Check if applicable: Address change, Name change, Initial return, Termination, Amended return, Application pending. C Name of organization: COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR EDUCATION & WEL... D Employer identification number: 36-3941998

G Website: N/A. J Organization type: 501(c)(3). K Check here if the organization is not a 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000.

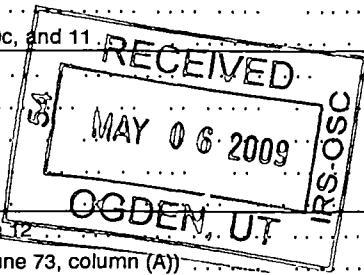
L Gross receipts: Add lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b to line 12: 215,460. H & I are not applicable to sec 527 organizations. H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? H(b) If "Yes," enter number of affiliates. H(c) Are all affiliates included? H(d) Is this a separate return filed by an organization covered by a group ruling?

M Check if organization is not required to attach Sch B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the instructions.)

Table with 21 rows and 4 columns: Description, Sub-column (a, b, c, d), Total, and Final Total. Includes sections for Revenue (lines 1-12), Expenses (lines 13-17), and Net Assets (lines 18-21).

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**Part II Statement of Functional Expenses**

All organizations must complete column (A). Columns (B), (C), and (D) are required for section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts but optional for others. (See the instructions)

Do not include amounts reported on line 6b, 8b, 9b, 10b, or 16 of Part I		(A) Total	(B) Program services	(C) Management and general	(D) Fundraising	
22a	Grants paid from donor advised funds (attach sch.) (cash \$ _____ noncash \$ _____) If this amount includes foreign grants, ck here <input type="checkbox"/>	22a				
22b	Other grants and allocations (attach schedule) (cash \$ _____ noncash \$ _____) If this amount includes foreign grants, ck. here <input type="checkbox"/>	22b				
23	Specific assistance to individuals (attach schedule) . . . . . #3	23	290	290		
24	Benefits paid to or for members (attach schedule) . .	24				
25a	Compensation of current officers, directors, key employees, etc. listed in Part V-A . . . . .	25a				
b	Compensation of former officers, directors, key employees, etc. listed in Part V-B . . . . .	25b				
c	Compensation and other distributions, not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) . . . . .	25c				
26	Salaries and wages of employees not included on lines 25a, b, and c . . . . .	26				
27	Pension plan contributions not included on lines 25a, b, and c . . . . .	27				
28	Employee benefits not included on lines 25a - 27 . .	28				
29	Payroll taxes . . . . .	29				
30	Professional fundraising fees . . . . .	30				
31	Accounting fees . . . . .	31	1,000	1,000		
32	Legal fees . . . . .	32				
33	Supplies . . . . .	33	4,989	4,989		
34	Telephone . . . . .	34	2,485	2,236	249	
35	Postage and shipping . . . . .	35	1,091	1,036	55	
36	Occupancy . . . . .	36	3,228	3,228		
37	Equipment rental and maintenance . . . . .	37	39	39		
38	Printing and publications . . . . .	38	2,108	2,108		
39	Travel . . . . .	39	2,150	2,150		
40	Conferences, conventions, and meetings . . . . .	40	2,044	2,044		
41	Interest . . . . .	41				
42	Depreciation, depletion, etc. (attach schedule) . .	42				
43	Other expenses not covered above (itemize)					
a	See attachment #4	43a	227,977	223,564	4,413	
b		43b				
c		43c				
d		43d				
e		43e				
f		43f				
g		43g				
44	<b>Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 22a through 43g. (Organizations completing columns (B)-(D), carry these totals to lines 13-15) . . . . .	44	247,401	241,684	5,717	0

Joint Costs. Check  if you are following SOP 98-2.

Are any joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation reported in (B) Program services?  Yes  No  
 If "Yes," enter (I) aggregate amount of these joint costs \$ \_\_\_\_\_, (II) amount allocated to Program services \$ \_\_\_\_\_,  
 (III) the amount allocated to Management and general \$ \_\_\_\_\_; and (IV) the amount allocated to Fundraising \$ \_\_\_\_\_



**Part IV Balance Sheets** (See the instructions)

**Note:** Where required, attached schedules and amounts within the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only.

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
<b>A S S E T S</b>	45 Cash -- non-interest-bearing	60,233	45	16,576
	46 Savings and temporary cash investments		46	
	47a Accounts receivable	23,319	47a	
	b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts		47b	23,319
	48a Pledges receivable		48a	
	b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts		48b	48c
	49 Grants receivable		49	
	50a Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule)		50a	
	b Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) (attach schedule)		50b	
	51a Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule)		51a	
	b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts		51b	51c
	52 Inventories for sale or use		52	
	53 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		53	
	54a Investments -- publicly-traded securities	<input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input type="checkbox"/> FMV		54a
	b Investments -- other securities (attach schedule)	<input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input type="checkbox"/> FMV		54b
	55a Investments -- land, buildings, and equipment basis		55a	
	b Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)		55b	55c
	56 Investments -- other (attach schedule)		56	
	57a Land, buildings, and equipment: basis		57a	
	b Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)		57b	57c
58 Other assets, including program-related investments (describe ► _____)			58	
59 <b>Total assets</b> (must equal line 74). Add lines 45 through 58	60,233	59	39,895	
<b>L I A B I L I T I E S</b>	60 Accounts payable and accrued expenses		60	14,914
	61 Grants payable		61	
	62 Deferred revenue		62	
	63 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule)		63	
	64a Tax-exempt bond liabilities (attach schedule)		64a	
	b Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)		64b	
	65 Other liabilities (describe ► _____)		65	
66 <b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 60 through 65	0	66	14,914	
<b>N E T A S S E T B A L A N C E S</b>	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 67 through 69 and lines 73 and 74.</b>			
	67 Unrestricted	60,233	67	24,981
	68 Temporarily restricted		68	
	69 Permanently restricted		69	
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 70 through 74.</b>			
	70 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds		70	
	71 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, and equipment fund		71	
	72 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		72	
	73 <b>Total net assets or fund balances.</b> Add lines 67 through 69 or lines 70 through 72 (Column (A) must equal line 19 and column (B) must equal line 21)	60,233	73	24,981
	74 <b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances.</b> Add lines 66 and 73	60,233	74	39,895

**Part IV-A Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return** (See the instructions.)

<b>a</b>	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	<b>a</b>	215,460
<b>b</b>	Amounts included on line <b>a</b> but not on Part I, line 12:		
<b>1</b>	Net unrealized gains on investments	<b>b1</b>	
<b>2</b>	Donated services and use of facilities	<b>b2</b>	
<b>3</b>	Recoveries of prior year grants	<b>b3</b>	
<b>4</b>	Other (specify):	<b>b4</b>	
	Add lines <b>b1</b> through <b>b4</b>	<b>b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Subtract line <b>b</b> from line <b>a</b>	<b>c</b>	215,460
<b>d</b>	Amounts included on Part I, line 12, but not on line <b>a</b> :		
<b>1</b>	Investment expenses not included on Part I, line 6b	<b>d1</b>	
<b>2</b>	Other (specify):	<b>d2</b>	
	Add lines <b>d1</b> and <b>d2</b>	<b>d</b>	
<b>e</b>	<b>Total revenue</b> (Part I, line 12). Add lines <b>c</b> and <b>d</b>	<b>e</b>	215,460

**Part IV-B Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return**

<b>a</b>	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	<b>a</b>	247,401
<b>b</b>	Amounts included on line <b>a</b> but not on Part I, line 17:		
<b>1</b>	Donated services and use of facilities	<b>b1</b>	
<b>2</b>	Prior year adjustments reported on Part I, line 20	<b>b2</b>	
<b>3</b>	Losses reported on Part I, line 20	<b>b3</b>	
<b>4</b>	Other (specify):	<b>b4</b>	
	Add lines <b>b1</b> through <b>b4</b>	<b>b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Subtract line <b>b</b> from line <b>a</b>	<b>c</b>	247,401
<b>d</b>	Amounts included on Part I, line 17, but not on line <b>a</b> :		
<b>1</b>	Investment expenses not included on Part I, line 6b	<b>d1</b>	
<b>2</b>	Other (specify):	<b>d2</b>	
	Add lines <b>d1</b> and <b>d2</b>	<b>d</b>	
<b>e</b>	<b>Total expenses</b> (Part I, line 17). Add lines <b>c</b> and <b>d</b>	<b>e</b>	247,401

**Part V-A Current Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees** (List each person who was an officer, director, trustee, or key employee at any time during the year even if they were not compensated) (See the instructions)

(A) Name and address	(B) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(C) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-.)	(D) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation plans	(E) Expense account and other allowances
See attachment #6				

<b>Part V-A Current Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees</b> (continued)		Yes	No
<b>75a</b>	Enter the total number of officers, directors, and trustees permitted to vote on organization business at board meetings . . . . . <b>17</b>		
<b>b</b>	Are any officers, directors, trustees, or key employees listed in Form 990, Part V-A, or highest compensated employees listed in Schedule A, Part I, or highest compensated professional and other independent contractors listed in Schedule A, Part II-A or II-B, related to each other through family or business relationships? If "Yes," attach a statement that identifies the individuals and explains the relationship(s) . . . . .	<b>75b</b>	X
<b>c</b>	Do any officers, directors, trustees, or key employees listed in Form 990, Part V-A, or highest compensated employees listed in Schedule A, Part I, or highest compensated professional and other independent contractors listed in Schedule A, Part II-A or II-B, receive compensation from any other organizations, whether tax exempt or taxable, that are related to the organization? See the instructions for the definition of "related organization." . . . . . If "Yes," attach a statement that includes the information described in the instructions.	<b>75c</b>	X
<b>d</b>	Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? . . . . .	<b>75d</b>	X

**Part V-B Former Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees That Received Compensation or Other Benefits** (If any former officer, director, trustee, or key employee received compensation or other benefits (described below) during the year, list that person below and enter the amount of compensation or other benefits in the appropriate column. See the instructions.)

(A) Name and address	(B) Loans and Advances	(C) Compensation (if not paid, enter -0-)	(D) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation plans	(E) Expense account and other allowances

<b>Part VI Other Information</b> (See the instructions)		Yes	No
<b>76</b>	Did the organization make a change in its activities or methods of conducting activities? If "Yes," attach a detailed statement of each change . . . . .	<b>76</b>	X
<b>77</b>	Were any changes made in the organizing or governing documents but not reported to the IRS? . . . . . If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes.	<b>77</b>	X
<b>78a</b>	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return? . .	<b>78a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on <b>Form 990-T</b> for this year? . . . . .	<b>78b</b>	X
<b>79</b>	Was there a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach a statement . . . . .	<b>79</b>	X
<b>80a</b>	Is the organization related (other than by association with a statewide or nationwide organization) through common membership, governing bodies, trustees, officers, etc., to any other exempt or nonexempt organization? . . . . .	<b>80a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," enter the name of the organization ► _____ and check whether it is <input type="checkbox"/> exempt or <input type="checkbox"/> nonexempt	<b>81a</b>	N/A
<b>81a</b>	Enter direct and indirect political expenditures (See line 81 instructions) . . . . .	<b>81a</b>	N/A
<b>b</b>	Did the organization file <b>Form 1120-POL</b> for this year? . . . . .	<b>81b</b>	X

Part VI Other Information (continued)		Yes	No
82a	Did the organization receive donated services or the use of materials, equipment, or facilities at no charge or at substantially less than fair rental value? . . . . .		X
b	If "Yes," you may indicate the value of these items here. Do not include this amount as revenue in Part I or as an expense in Part II. (See instructions in Part III.) . . . . .		
	82b N/A		
83a	Did the organization comply with the public inspection requirements for returns and exemption applications? . . . . .	X	
b	Did the organization comply with the disclosure requirements relating to quid pro quo contributions? . . . . .	N/A	
84a	Did the organization solicit any contributions or gifts that were not tax deductible? . . . . .		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible? . . . . .		X
85a	501(c)(4), (5), or (6). Were substantially all dues nondeductible by members? . . . . .		X
b	Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less? . . . . . If "Yes" was answered to either 85a or 85b, do not complete 85c through 85h below unless the organization received a waiver for proxy tax owed for the prior year.		X
c	Dues, assessments, and similar amounts from members . . . . .	85c	N/A
d	Section 162(e) lobbying and political expenditures . . . . .	85d	N/A
e	Aggregate nondeductible amount of section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices . . . . .	85e	N/A
f	Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (line 85d less 85e) . . . . .	85f	N/A
g	Does the organization elect to pay the section 6033(e) tax on the amount on line 85f? . . . . .	85g	X
h	If section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices were sent, does the organization agree to add the amount on line 85f to its reasonable estimate of dues allocable to nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures for the following tax year? . . .	85h	X
86	501(c)(7) orgs. Enter: a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 12 . . . . .	86a	N/A
b	Gross receipts, included on line 12, for public use of club facilities. . . . .	86b	N/A
87	501(c)(12) orgs. Enter: a Gross income from members or shareholders . . . . .	87a	N/A
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.) . . . . .	87b	N/A
88a	At any time during the year, did the organization own a 50% or greater interest in a taxable corporation or partnership, or an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? If "Yes," complete Part IX. . . . .	88a	X
b	At any time during the year, did the organization, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Part XI. . . . .	88b	X
89a	501(c)(3) organizations Enter. Amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ▶ N/A ; section 4912 ▶ N/A , section 4955 ▶ N/A		
b	501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) orgs. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or did it become aware of an excess benefit transaction from a prior year? If "Yes," attach a statement explaining each transaction . . . . .	89b	X
c	Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 . . . . .		N/A
d	Enter: Amount of tax on line 89c, above, reimbursed by the organization . . . . .		N/A
e	All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? . . . . .	89e	X
f	All organizations. Did the organization acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract? . . . . .	89f	X
g	For supporting organizations and sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did the supporting organization, or a fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year? . . . . .	89g	X
90a	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ▶		N/A
b	Number of employees employed in the pay period that includes March 12, 2007 (See instructions) . . . . .	90b	N/A
91a	The books are in care of ▶ See attachment #7 Telephone no ▶		
	Located at ▶ ZIP + 4 ▶		
b	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? . . . . . If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶	91b	X
	See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		

**Part VI Other Information** (continued)

c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the United States? 91c  Yes  No  
 If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

92 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041 -- Check here ▶   
 and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶ **92** \_\_\_\_\_

**Part VII Analysis of Income-Producing Activities** (See the instructions.)

**Note:** Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(E) Related or exempt function income
	(A) Business code	(B) Amount	(C) Excl. code	(D) Amount	
93 Program service revenue:					
a See attachment #8					101,416
b _____					
c _____					
d _____					
e _____					
f Medicare/Medicaid payments					48,768
g Fees & contracts from government agencies					
94 Membership dues and assessments					1,125
95 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments					
96 Dividends and interest from securities					
97 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:					
a debt-financed property					
b not debt-financed property					
98 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
99 Other investment income					
100 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory					
101 Net income or (loss) from special events					9,141
102 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
103 Other revenue					
a _____					
b See attachment #9					1,055
c _____					
d _____					
e _____					
104 Subtotal (add columns (B), (D), and (E))		0		0	161,505
105 Total (add line 104, columns (B), (D), and (E))					161,505

**Note:** Line 105 plus line 1e, Part I, should equal the amount on line 12, Part I.

**Part VIII Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes** (See the instructions.)

Line No.	Explain how each activity for which income is reported in column (E) of Part VII contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the organization's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes).
▼	See attachment #10

**Part IX Information Regarding Taxable Subsidiaries and Disregarded Entities** (See the instructions.)

(A) Name, address, and EIN of corporation, partnership, or disregarded entity	(B) Percentage of ownership int	(C) Nature of activities	(D) Total income	(E) End-of-year assets
	%			
	%			
	%			
	%			

**Part X Information Regarding Transfers Associated with Personal Benefit Contracts** (See the instructions.)

(a) Did organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?  Yes  No

(b) Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?  Yes  No

**Note:** If "Yes" to (b), file Form 8870 and Form 4720 (see instructions).

**Part XI Information Regarding Transfers To and From Controlled Entities.** Complete only if the organization is a controlling organization as defined in section 512(b)(13).

**106** Did the reporting organization **make** any transfers to a controlled entity as defined in section 512(b)(13) of the Code? If "Yes," complete the schedule below for each controlled entity. N/A

	(A) Name, address, of each controlled entity	(B) Employer Identification Number	(C) Description of transfer	(D) Amount of transfer
a				
b				
c				
<b>Totals</b>				

**107** Did the reporting organization **receive** any transfers from a controlled entity as defined in section 512(b)(13) of the Code? If "Yes," complete the schedule below for each controlled entity. N/A

	(A) Name, address, of each controlled entity	(B) Employer Identification Number	(C) Description of transfer	(D) Amount of transfer
a				
b				
c				
<b>Totals</b>				

**108** Did the organization have a binding written contract in effect on August 17, 2006, covering the interest, rents, royalties, and annuities described in question 107 above? N/A

**Please Sign Here** 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.

Signature of officer: *Cheri N. Ditzig* Date: *5/1/09*

Type or print name and title: *Cheri N. Ditzig, Community Development Director*

**Paid Preparer's Use Only**

Preparer's signature: *Chi King* Date: *7/20/09* Check if self-employed:

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4: *EVOY KAMSCHULTE JACOBS & CO LLP*  
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**SCHEDULE A**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

**Organization Exempt Under Section 501(c)(3)**  
**(Except Private Foundation) and Section 501(e), 501(f), 501(k),**  
**501(n), or 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust**

OMB No 1545-0047

**2007**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplementary Information — (See separate instructions.)**  
▶ **MUST be completed by the above organizations and attached to their Form 990 or 990-EZ**

Name of the organization  
**COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR EDUCATION & WELLNESS, INC.**

Employer identification number  
**36-3941998**

**Part I Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Employees Other Than Officers, Directors, and Trustees**  
(See the instructions. List each one. If there are none, enter "None.")

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to empl benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
NONE				
Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 ▶		0		

**Part II-A Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Independent Contractors for Professional Services**  
(See the instructions. List each one (whether individuals or firms). If there are none, enter "None.")

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services ▶		0

**Part II-B Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Independent Contractors for Other Services**  
(List each contractor who performed services other than professional services, whether individuals or firms. If there are none, enter "None." See instructions.)

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		
Total number of other contractors receiving over \$50,000 for other services ▶		0

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990 and Form 990-EZ. Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2007

<b>Part III Statements About Activities</b> (See the instructions)		Yes	No
<b>1</b>	During the year, has the organization attempted to influence national, state, or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum? If "Yes," enter the total expenses paid or incurred in connection with the lobbying activities ... ▶ \$ _____ (Must equal amounts on line 38, Part VI-A, or line I of Part VI-B.)		X
	Organizations that made an election under section 501(h) by filing Form 5768 must complete Part VI-A. Other organizations checking "Yes" must complete Part VI-B AND attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities.		
<b>2</b>	During the year, has the organization, either directly or indirectly, engaged in any of the following acts with any substantial contributors, trustees, directors, officers, creators, key employees, or members of their families, or with any taxable organization with which any such person is affiliated as an officer, director, trustee, majority owner, or principal beneficiary? (If the answer to any question is "Yes," attach a detailed statement explaining the transactions.)		
<b>a</b>	Sale, exchange, or leasing of property?		X
<b>b</b>	Lending of money or other extension of credit?		X
<b>c</b>	Furnishing of goods, services, or facilities?		X
<b>d</b>	Payment of compensation (or payment or reimbursement of expenses if more than \$1,000)?		X
<b>e</b>	Transfer of any part of its income or assets?		X
<b>3a</b>	Did the organization make grants for scholarships, fellowships, student loans, etc.? (If "Yes," attach an explanation of how the organization determines that recipients qualify to receive payments.)		X
<b>b</b>	Did the organization have a section 403(b) annuity plan for its employees?		X
<b>c</b>	Did the organization receive or hold an easement for conservation purposes, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas or historic structures? If "Yes," attach a detailed statement		X
<b>d</b>	Did the organization provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services?		X
<b>4a</b>	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," complete lines 4b through 4g. If "No," complete lines 4f and 4g.		X
<b>b</b>	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		
<b>c</b>	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		
<b>d</b>	Enter the total number of donor advised funds owned at the end of the tax year		
<b>e</b>	Enter the aggregate value of assets held in all donor advised funds owned at the end of the tax year		
<b>f</b>	Enter the total number of separate funds or accounts owned at the end of the tax year (excluding donor advised funds included on line 4d) where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts		0
<b>g</b>	Enter the aggregate value of assets held in all funds or accounts included on line 4f at the end of the tax year		0



**Part IV-A Support Schedule** (Complete only if you checked a box on line 10, 11, or 12) Use cash method of accounting.

**Note:** You may use the worksheet in the instructions for converting from the accrual to the cash method of accounting.

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2006	(b) 2005	(c) 2004	(d) 2003	(e) Total
<b>15</b> Gifts, grants, and contributions received. (Do not include unusual grants. See line 28) . . . . .	97,321	59,333	111,804	33,561	302,019
<b>16</b> Membership fees received . . . . .	150,791	160,170	118,487	115,824	545,272
<b>17</b> Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or furnishing of facilities in any activity that is related to the organization's charitable, etc., purpose . . . . .					
<b>18</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, amounts received from payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), rents, royalties, income from similar sources, and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 . . . . .					
<b>19</b> Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 18 . . . . .					
<b>20</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to it or expended on its behalf . . . . .					
<b>21</b> The value of services or facilities furnished to the organization by a governmental unit without charge. Do not include the value of services or facilities generally furnished to the public without charge . . . . .					
<b>22</b> Other income. Attach a schedule. Do not include gain or (loss) from sale of capital assets . . . . .					
<b>23</b> Total of lines 15 through 22 . . . . .	248,112	219,503	230,291	149,385	847,291
<b>24</b> Line 23 minus line 17 . . . . .	248,112	219,503	230,291	149,385	847,291
<b>25</b> Enter 1% of line 23 . . . . .	2,481	2,195	2,303	1,494	

<b>26 Organizations described on lines 10 or 11:</b>	<b>a</b> Enter 2% of amount in column (e), line 24 . . . . .	<b>26a</b>	N/A
<b>b</b> Prepare a list for your records to show the name of and amount contributed by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) whose total gifts for 2003 through 2006 exceeded the amount shown in line 26a. Do not file this list with your return. Enter the total of all these excess amounts . . . . .		<b>26b</b>	N/A
<b>c</b> Total support for section 509(a)(1) test: Enter line 24, column (e) . . . . .		<b>26c</b>	N/A
<b>d</b> Add: Amounts from column (e) for lines:	18 _____ 19 _____ 22 _____ 26b _____	<b>26d</b>	N/A
<b>e</b> Public support (line 26c minus line 26d total) . . . . .		<b>26e</b>	N/A
<b>f</b> Public support percentage (line 26e (numerator) divided by line 26c (denominator)) . . . . .		<b>26f</b>	N/A %

**27 Organizations described on line 12:**

**a** For amounts included in lines 15, 16, and 17 that were received from a "disqualified person," prepare a list for your records to show the name of, and total amounts received in each year from, each "disqualified person." Do not file this list with your return. Enter the sum of such amounts for each year

(2006) \_\_\_\_\_ (2005) \_\_\_\_\_ (2004) \_\_\_\_\_ (2003) \_\_\_\_\_

**b** For any amount included in line 17 that was received from each person (other than "disqualified persons"), prepare a list for your records to show the name of, and amount received for each year, that was more than the larger of (1) the amount on line 25 for the year or (2) \$5,000. (Include in the list organizations described in lines 5 through 11b, as well as individuals.) Do not file this list with your return. After computing the difference between the amount received and the larger amount described in (1) or (2), enter the sum of these differences (the excess amounts) for each year

(2006) \_\_\_\_\_ (2005) \_\_\_\_\_ (2004) \_\_\_\_\_ (2003) \_\_\_\_\_

<b>c</b> Add: Amounts from column (e) for lines:	15 302,019	16 545,272		
	17 _____	20 _____	21 _____	<b>27c</b> 847,291
<b>d</b> Add: Line 27a total _____ and line 27b total _____				<b>27d</b>
<b>e</b> Public support (line 27c total minus line 27d total) . . . . .				<b>27e</b> 847,291
<b>f</b> Total support for section 509(a)(2) test: Enter amount from line 23, column (e) . . . . .			<b>27f</b> 847,291	
<b>g</b> Public support percentage (line 27e (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator)) . . . . .				<b>27g</b> 100.00 %
<b>h</b> Investment income percentage (line 18, column (e) (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator)) . . . . .				<b>27h</b> %

**28 Unusual Grants:** For an organization described in line 10, 11, or 12 that received any unusual grants during 2003 through 2006, prepare a list for your records to show, for each year, the name of the contributor, the date and amount of the grant, and a brief description of the nature of the grant. Do not file this list with your return. Do not include these grants in line 15.

**Part V Private School Questionnaire** (See the instructions)  
**(To be completed ONLY by schools that checked the box on line 6 in Part IV) N/A**

	Yes	No
<b>29</b> Does the organization have a racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students by statement in its charter, bylaws, other governing instrument, or in a resolution of its governing body? .....	<b>29</b>	
<b>30</b> Does the organization include a statement of its racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students in all its brochures, catalogues, and other written communications with the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships? .....	<b>30</b>	
<b>31</b> Has the organization publicized its racially nondiscriminatory policy through newspaper or broadcast media during the period of solicitation for students, or during the registration period if it has no solicitation program, in a way that makes the policy known to all parts of the general community it serves? ..... If "Yes," please describe; if "No," please explain (If you need more space, attach a separate statement )	<b>31</b>	
_____		
_____		
_____		
<b>32</b> Does the organization maintain the following.		
<b>a</b> Records indicating the racial composition of the student body, faculty, and administrative staff? .....	<b>32a</b>	
<b>b</b> Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on a racially nondiscriminatory basis? .....	<b>32b</b>	
<b>c</b> Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships? .....	<b>32c</b>	
<b>d</b> Copies of all material used by the organization or on its behalf to solicit contributions? .....	<b>32d</b>	
If you answered "No" to any of the above, please explain. (If you need more space, attach a separate statement )		
_____		
_____		
<b>33</b> Does the organization discriminate by race in any way with respect to:		
<b>a</b> Students' rights or privileges? .....	<b>33a</b>	
<b>b</b> Admissions policies? .....	<b>33b</b>	
<b>c</b> Employment of faculty or administrative staff? .....	<b>33c</b>	
<b>d</b> Scholarships or other financial assistance? .....	<b>33d</b>	
<b>e</b> Educational policies? .....	<b>33e</b>	
<b>f</b> Use of facilities? .....	<b>33f</b>	
<b>g</b> Athletic programs? .....	<b>33g</b>	
<b>h</b> Other extracurricular activities? .....	<b>33h</b>	
If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain (If you need more space, attach a separate statement.)		
_____		
_____		
<b>34a</b> Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency? .....	<b>34a</b>	
<b>b</b> Has the organization's right to such aid ever been revoked or suspended? .....	<b>34b</b>	
If you answered "Yes" to either 34a or b, please explain using an attached statement		
<b>35</b> Does the organization certify that it has complied with the applicable requirements of sections 4.01 through 4.05 of Rev. Proc. 75-50, 1975-2 C B. 587, covering racial nondiscrimination? If "No," attach an explanation .....	<b>35</b>	

**Part VI-A Lobbying Expenditures by Electing Public Charities** (See the instructions )  
 (To be completed ONLY by an eligible organization that filed Form 5768)

N/A

Check **a** if the organization belongs to an affiliated group. Check **b** if you checked "a" and "limited control" provisions apply.

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures		(a) Affiliated group totals	(b) To be completed for all electing organizations
(The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred)			
36	Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grassroots lobbying) . . . . .	36	
37	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying) . . . . .	37	
38	Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 36 and 37) . . . . .	38	
39	Other exempt purpose expenditures . . . . .	39	
40	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 38 and 39) . . . . .	40	
41	Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table -- <b>If the amount on line 40 is --</b> <b>The lobbying nontaxable amount is --</b> Not over \$500,000 . . . . . 20% of the amount on line 40 . . . . . 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 . . . . .	41	
42	Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 41) . . . . .	42	
43	Subtract line 42 from line 36. Enter -0- if line 42 is more than line 36 . . . . .	43	
44	Subtract line 41 from line 38. Enter -0- if line 41 is more than line 38 . . . . .	44	

**Caution:** If there is an amount on either line 43 or line 44, you must file Form 4720.

**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 45 through 50.)

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period				
	(a) 2007	(b) 2006	(c) 2005	(d) 2004	(e) Total
45	Lobbying nontaxable amount				
46	Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 45(e)) . . . . .				
47	Total lobbying expenditures . . . . .				
48	Grassroots nontaxable amount				
49	Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 48(e)) . . . . .				
50	Grassroots lobbying expenditures . . . . .				

**Part VI-B Lobbying Activity by Nonelecting Public Charities**

(For reporting only by organizations that did not complete Part VI-A) (See the instructions)

N/A

During the year, did the organization attempt to influence national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of:	Yes	No	Amount
a Volunteers . . . . .			
b Paid staff or management (Include compensation in expenses reported on lines c through h.) . . . . .			
c Media advertisements . . . . .			
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public . . . . .			
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements . . . . .			
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes . . . . .			
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body . . . . .			
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any other means . . . . .			
i Total lobbying expenditures (Add lines c through h.) . . . . .			

If "Yes" to any of the above, also attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities.

**Part VII Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations** (See the instructions.)

**51** Did the reporting organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?

**a** Transfers from the reporting organization to a noncharitable exempt organization of:

- (I) Cash . . . . .
- (II) Other assets . . . . .

	Yes	No
<b>51a(I)</b>		X
<b>a(II)</b>		X
<b>b(I)</b>		X
<b>b(II)</b>		X
<b>b(III)</b>		X
<b>b(IV)</b>		X
<b>b(V)</b>		X
<b>b(vI)</b>		X
<b>c</b>		X

**b** Other transactions

- (I) Sales or exchanges of assets with a noncharitable exempt organization . . . . .
- (II) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization . . . . .
- (III) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets . . . . .
- (IV) Reimbursement arrangements . . . . .
- (V) Loans or loan guarantees . . . . .
- (VI) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations . . . . .

**c** Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees . . . . .

**d** If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column (b) should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting organization. If the organization received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column (d) the value of the goods, other assets, or services received:

(a) Line no.	(b) Amount involved	(c) Name of noncharitable exempt organization	(d) Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements
N/A			

**52a** Is the organization directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? . . . . .  Yes  No

**b** If "Yes," complete the following schedule:

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship
N/A		

**SCHEDULE OF SPECIAL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES**

Attachment 1: page 1 - 990, Page 1, Part I, line 9

Open to Public Inspection

For Calendar year 2007, or tax year period beginning 05-01-2007 and ending 04-30-2008

**Name of Organization**

COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR EDUCATION & WELLNESS, INC.

Employer Identification Number  
36-3941998

Event Name or Description	Nbr of Occasions	Gross Receipts	Contributions	Gross Revenue	Direct Expense	Net Income (Loss)
SPELLING BEE	1	9,141		9,141		9,141
<b>Total</b>						
						9,141

## SCHEDULE OF OTHER CHANGES IN NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES

Attachment 2: page 1 - 990 Page 1, Part I, Line 20

Open to Public Inspection	For calendar year 2007, or tax period beginning 05-01-2007, and ending 04-30-2008.	
Name of Organization	COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR EDUCATION & WELLNESS, INC.	Employer Identification Number 36-3941998

Description of Changes	Total Amount
PRIOR PERIOD ADJUSTMENT - CHANGE TO ACCRUAL	-3,311
<b>Total</b>	<b>-3,311</b>

## SCHEDULE OF SPECIFIC ASSISTANCE TO INDIVIDUALS

Attachment 3: page 1 - 990 Page 2, Part II, Line 23

Open to Public Inspection	For calendar year 2007 or tax period beginning 05-01-2007, and ending 04-30-2008.	
Name of Organization	COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR EDUCATION & WELLNESS, INC.	Employer Identification Number 36-3941998

Description of Activity	Total Amount
EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE	290
<b>Total</b>	<b>290</b>

## SCHEDULE OF OTHER EXPENSES

Attachment 4: page 1 - 990 Page 2, Part II, Line 43

Open to Public Inspection	For calendar year 2007 or tax period beginning 05-01-2007, and ending 04-30-2008.
Name of Organization COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR EDUCATION & WELLNESS, INC.	Employer Identification Number 36-3941998

Other Expenses	(A) Total	(B) Program Services	(C) Management and General	(D) Fundraising
CONTRACTED SERVICES	165,682	162,209	3,473	
TECHNICAL SERVICES	1,678	1,678		
OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	4,777	4,777		
COUNSELING	40,774	40,774		
INSURANCE	3,370	3,370		
DUES & SUBSCRIPTIONS	98	93	5	
MAINTENANCE	384	384		
INTERNET SERVICE	1,000	900	100	
PEC EXPENSE	1,639	1,639		
HEALTH INSURANCE	8,188	7,369	819	
OTHER BENEFITS	160	144	16	
MISCELLANEOUS	227	227		
<b>Total</b>	<b>227,977</b>	<b>223,564</b>	<b>4,413</b>	

# PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENT

Attachment 5: page 1 - 990 Page 3, Part III

Open to Public Inspection	For calendar year 2007, or tax period beginning 05-01-2007, and ending 04-30-2008.	
Name of Organization	COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR EDUCATION & WELLNESS, INC.	Employer Identification Number 36-3941998
Part III - Statement of Program Service Accomplishments		
Grants and allocations	Amount includes foreign grants	Program service expenses 241,684
Exempt Purpose Achievements		

None

**CURRENT OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES, AND KEY EMPLOYEES**

Attachment 6: page 1 - 990 Page 5, Part V-A

Open to Public Inspection		For calendar year 2007, or tax period beginning 05-01-2007, and ending 04-30-2008.		
Name of Organization				Employer Identification Number
COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR EDUCATION & WELLNESS, INC.				36-3941998
(A) Name and Address	(B) Title and Average Hrs per Week	(C) Compensation (If not paid, enter 0)	(D) Cont to Employee Ben Plans & Def. Comp	(E) Expense Account & Other Allowances
CHERI DITZIG	BOARD MEMBER 8.00	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 JAN SUTHARD	VICE PRESIDENT	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 DOUG LABELLE	PRESIDENT 4.00	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 CONNIE STEINKE	TREASURER 2.00	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 JEROME COLE	2ND VICE PRESIDENT	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 TIM NEARGARDER	SECRETARY 2.00	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 AL HILL	BOARD MEMBER 1.00	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 BILL BASSLER	BOARD MEMBER 3.00	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 MIKE MCDOWELL	BOARD MEMBER 1.00	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 JOANN OSMOND	BOARD MEMBER 1.00	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 BRENT PAXTON	BOARD MEMBER 1.00	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 CAL SCHNEIDER	BOARD MEMBER 1.00	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 JOHN SFIRE	BOARD MEMBER 1.00	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 JULIE WENDORF	BOARD MEMBER 2.00	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 CHRISTINE WERTMAN	BOARD MEMBER 2.00	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 RAY MCKOSKI	BOARD MEMBER 1.00	0	0	0
ZION, IL 60099 RONALD WYNN	BOARD MEMBER 1.00	0	0	0

## CURRENT OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES, AND KEY EMPLOYEES

Attachment 6: page 2 - 990 Page 5, Part V-A

Open to Public Inspection	For calendar year 2007, or tax period beginning 05-01-2007, and ending 04-30-2008.
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Name of Organization COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR EDUCATION & WELLNESS, INC.	Employer Identification Number 36-3941998
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(A) Name and Address	(B) Title and Average Hrs per Week	(C) Compensation (If not paid, enter 0)	(D) Cont to Employee Ben Plans & Def. Comp	(E) Expense Account & Other Allowances
Zion, IL 60099		0	0	0

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Attachment 7 - 990 Page 7, Part VI, Line 91a

For calendar year 2007 or tax period beginning 05-01, and ending 04-30-2008.

Name of Organization: COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR EDUCATION & WELLNESS, INC. Employer Identification Number: 36-3941998

Part VI - Line 91a

Individual Name: JOHN RIVERS

Business Name:

Street Address: 163223RD STREET

U.S. Address:

Zip code: 60099 City: ZION State: IL

Foreign Address

City

Province or State

Country

Postal code

Phone Number: (847) 872-2830

Fax Number



## SCHEDULE OF OTHER REVENUE

Attachment 9: page 1 - 990 Page 8, Part VII, Line 103

Open to Public Inspection	For calendar year 2007 or tax period beginning 05-01-2007 , and ending	04-30-2008.
Name of Organization COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR EDUCATION & WELLNESS, INC.		Employer Identification Number 36-3941998

Item	Program Service Revenue	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513 or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income (see instructions)
		(a) business code	(b) Amount	(c) Excl. code	(d) Amount	
a	MISCELLANEOUS					1,055
<b>Totals</b>						1,055

**SCHEDULE OF RELATIONSHIP OF ACTIVITIES  
TO THE ACCOMPLISHMENT OF EXEMPT PURPOSES**

Attachment 10: page 1 990 Page 8, Part VIII

Open to Public Inspection	For calendar year 2007 or tax period beginning	05-01-2007, and ending	04-30-2008.
Name of Organization COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR EDUCATION & WELLNESS, INC.			Employer Identification Number 36-3941998

Line Number	Briefly describe how the activity reported in column (E) of Part VII specifically contributed to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes).
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SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE

Part III: What is the organization's primary exempt purpose?

The mission of CREW is "Developing Resources, Developing Citizens, Developing Community". CREW does this in multiple ways:

1. With the creation of Partners for an Enriched Community in 2004 that supports frontline workers of 15-20 area nonprofit agencies by providing the opportunity to meet once a month to build relationships and find ways to assist clients in a more efficient way. Developing this meeting as a resource for workers resulted in reducing red tape, number of phone calls and trips to agencies to find appropriate resources for clients.
2. By partnering with Zion-Benton Township High School to create a Community Resource Center to house agencies that will assist residents in their development.
3. Through the provision of substance abuse treatment and anger management counseling for the community which is very diverse with a high poverty rate. Outcome data shows 431 clients received substance abuse services this fiscal year with a total of 201 clients completing a long-term treatment plan. 42 clients successfully completed treatment based on reporting that sobriety was maintained for 12 months. Of these 431 clients, 38% were Caucasian, 44% were African American, and 18% were Hispanic.

Part VIII: Relationship

As can be seen in the financial statement, 97.5 percent of the income for CREW is allocated directly for services in the community. Nearly all of the administrative duties are donated by CREW board members, including fundraising, community development, financial oversight, and advertising.

The income received is used for facilities and to provide services, including reimbursement for staff salaries. Great savings are realized with Zion Township being willing to hire full-time staff and then contract them to CREW at cost.

Zion Township also provides a grant to CREW for \$36,000 to ensure that all Zion Township clients who are in need of services are able to access them. Also, CREW was awarded CDBG grants from Lake County, Waukegan and North Chicago.

Additionally, CREW has contracts with Sheridan DOC and Lake County Psych Services, as well as a working relationship with Lake County Probation.

CREW's community relations and fund raising efforts are improving via a Corporate Community Spelling Bee that is in it's 2<sup>nd</sup> year, raising nearly \$10,000 each year. With this event, CREW partners with the Coalition for Healthy Communities who receives a yearly federal Drug Free Communities Grant to address the prevention of substance abuse in the communities' adolescent population.