

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

Short Form
Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax
 Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code
 (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)
 Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds and controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990. All other organizations with gross receipts less than \$500,000 and total assets less than \$1,250,000 at the end of the year may use this form.
 The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

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2009
Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning 09-01-2009, and ending 08-31-2010

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	Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.	C Name of organization AMERICAN FEDERATION OF TEACHERS	D Employer identification number 05-6035583
		Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite 356 SMITH STREET	E Telephone number
		City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 PROVIDENCE, RI 02908	F Group Exemption Number 0787

G Accounting method: Cash Accrual
 Other (specify):

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

K Check if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. A Form 990-EZ or Form 990 return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return.

L Add lines 5b, 6b, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts, if \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ **\$ 278,626**

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

Revenue		Expenses		Net Assets	
1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	10	Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)
2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	11	Benefits paid to or for members	19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)
3	Membership dues and assessments	12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)
4	Investment income	13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20
5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance		
5b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping		
5c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	16	Other expenses (describe)		
6	Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G) If any amount is from gaming, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16		
6a	Gross revenue (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1)				
6b	Less direct expenses other than fundraising expenses				
6c	Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)				
7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances				
7b	Less cost of goods sold				
7c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)				
8	Other revenue (describe)				
9	Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8				

Part II Balance Sheets—If total assets on line 25, column (B) are \$1,250,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ

(See the instructions for Part II)

	(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments	318,699	22 345,017
23 Land and buildings	1,380	23 807
24 Other assets (describe)		24
25 Total assets	320,079	25 345,824
26 Total liabilities (describe)		26
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	320,079	27 345,824

Part V Other Information (Note the statement requirements in the instructions for Part V.)

Yes No

<p>33 Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of each activity</p>	<p>33</p>		<p>No</p>
<p>34 Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes</p>	<p>34</p>		<p>No</p>
<p>35 If the organization had income from business activities, such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a (among others), but not reported on Form 990-T, attach a statement explaining why the organization did not report the income on Form 990-T</p>			
<p>a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or was it subject to section 6033 (e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?</p>	<p>35a</p>		<p>No</p>
<p>b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?</p>	<p>35b</p>		
<p>36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N</p>	<p>36</p>		<p>No</p>
<p>37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions ▶ 37a _____</p>			
<p>b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?</p>	<p>37b</p>		<p>No</p>
<p>38a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the period covered by this return?</p>	<p>38a</p>		<p>No</p>
<p>b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved</p>	<p>38b</p>		
<p>39 <i>Section 501(c)(7) organizations.</i> Enter</p>			
<p>a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9</p>	<p>39a</p>		
<p>b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities</p>	<p>39b</p>		
<p>40a <i>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</i> Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under section 4911 ▶ _____, section 4912 ▶ _____, section 4955 ▶ _____</p>			
<p>b <i>Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations.</i> Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or is it 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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</p>	<p>40b</p>		
<p>c <i>Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations</i> Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 ▶ _____</p>			
<p>d <i>Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations</i> Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization ▶ _____</p>			
<p>e <i>All organizations.</i> At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T</p>	<p>40e</p>		<p>No</p>
<p>41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ▶ _____</p>			
<p>42a The organization's books are in care of ▶ <u>JAMES ISABELLA</u> Telephone no ▶ <u>(401) 741-2487</u> 5 WHIPPLE ROAD Located at ▶ <u>Lincoln, RI</u> ZIP + 4 ▶ <u>02865</u></p>			
<p>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)?</p>	<p>42b</p>	<p>Yes No</p>	<p>No</p>
<p>If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶ _____ See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.</p>			
<p>c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U S ?</p>	<p>42c</p>		<p>No</p>
<p>If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶ _____</p>			
<p>43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041—Check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶ 43 _____</p>	<p>43</p>		
<p>44 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes", Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ.</p>	<p>44</p>	<p>Yes No</p>	<p>No</p>
<p>45 Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes", Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ.</p>	<p>45</p>	<p>Yes No</p>	<p>No</p>

Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts only.

All section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must answer questions 46-49b and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

	Yes	No
46 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I		
47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II		
48 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E		
49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?		
49b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?		

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

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$100,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances

50(f) Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000

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

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation

51(d) Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000

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: ***** Date: 2010-12-20

JAMES ISABELLA TREASUER
Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer's Use Only

Preparer's signature: HENRY M SACCOCCIA CPA Date: 2010-12-23 Check if self-employed:

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4: Henry M Saccoccia CPA, 535 Atwood Avenue Suite 1, Cranston, RI 02920

Preparer's identifying number (See instructions): EIN: Phone no: (401) 943-4300

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

Additional Data**Software ID:****Software Version:****EIN:** 05-6035583**Name:** AMERICAN FEDERATION OF TEACHERS**Form 990EZ, Part IV - List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees**

(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	(E) Expense account and other allowances
JOHN P MAGUIRE 37 TEA HOUSE LANE Warwick, RI 02889	PRESIDENT 5	15,645	0	0
LAURIE BATEK 21 STEERE ROAD Greenville, RI 02828	VICE-PRESIDENT 5	3,911	0	0
MERLE DRESNER 20 PARIS STREET Pawtucket, RI 02860	SECRETARY 5	3,911	0	0
JAMES ISABELLA 5 WHIPPLE ROAD Lincoln, RI 02865	TREASURER 5	7,822	0	0

Form 4562

Depreciation and Amortization (Including Information on Listed Property)

OMB No 1545-0172

2009

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

See separate instructions. Attach to your tax return.

Attachment Sequence No 67

Table with 3 columns: Name(s) shown on return, Business or activity to which this form relates, Identifying number.

Part I Election To Expense Certain Property Under Section 179

Note: If you have any listed property, complete Part V before you complete Part I.

Table with 5 rows for Section 179 election details, including maximum amount, total cost, and dollar limitation.

Table with 13 rows for Section 179 expense deduction calculation, including description of property, cost, and elected cost.

Note: Do not use Part II or Part III below for listed property. Instead, use Part V.

Part II Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation (Do not include listed property)

Table with 3 rows for Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation.

Part III MACRS Depreciation (Do not include listed property.)

Section A

Table with 2 rows for MACRS deductions for assets placed in service in tax years beginning before 2009.

Section B—Assets Placed in Service During 2008 Tax Year Using the General Depreciation System

Table with 7 columns: Classification of property, Month and year placed in service, Basis for depreciation, Recovery period, Convention, Method, Depreciation deduction.

Section C—Assets Placed in Service During 2009 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System

Table with 3 rows for Alternative Depreciation System assets, including class life and recovery period.

Part IV Summary (see instructions)

Table with 3 rows for Summary, including listed property amount, total depreciation, and section 263A costs.

Part V Listed Property (Include automobiles, certain other vehicles, cellular telephones, certain computers, and property used for entertainment, recreation, or amusement.)

Note: For any vehicle for which you are using the standard mileage rate or deducting lease expense, complete **only** 24a, 24b, columns (a) through (c) of Section A, all of Section B, and Section C if applicable.

Section A—Depreciation and Other Information (Caution: See the instructions for limits for passenger automobiles.)

24a Do you have evidence to support the business/investment use claimed? Yes No **24b** If "Yes," is the evidence written? Yes No

Table with 9 columns: (a) Type of property, (b) Date placed in service, (c) Business/investment use percentage, (d) Cost or other basis, (e) Basis for depreciation, (f) Recovery period, (g) Method/Convention, (h) Depreciation/deduction, (i) Elected section 179 cost. Includes rows 25-29 for special depreciation and business use percentages.

Section B—Information on Use of Vehicles

Complete this section for vehicles used by a sole proprietor, partner, or other "more than 5% owner," or related person. If you provided vehicles to your employees, first answer the questions in Section C to see if you meet an exception to completing this section for those vehicles.

Table for Section B with columns (a)-(f) for Vehicle 1-6. Rows 30-36 cover total miles driven, commuting miles, other personal miles, and availability for personal use.

Section C—Questions for Employers Who Provide Vehicles for Use by Their Employees

Answer these questions to determine if you meet an exception to completing Section B for vehicles used by employees who are not more than 5% owners or related persons (see instructions).

Table for Section C with columns Yes/No. Rows 37-41 cover policy statements and requirements for vehicle use by employees.

Part VI Amortization

Table for Part VI with columns (a)-(f). Row 42 covers amortization starting in 2009, and row 43 covers amortization starting before 2009. Row 44 is the total.

TY 2009 General Explanation Attachment**Name:** AMERICAN FEDERATION OF TEACHERS**EIN:** 05-6035583

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
		PART III STATEMENT OF PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS CARRY ON THE ACTIVITIES OF A LABOR UNION INCLUDING COLLECTIVE BARGAINING ASSISTANCE TO MEMBERS IN LABOR MATTERS & PROMOTING THE TEACHING PROFESSION

TY 2009 Grants and Similar Amounts Paid Schedule

Name: AMERICAN FEDERATION OF TEACHERS

EIN: 05-6035583

Item No.	1
Class of Activity	PAYMENTS TO AFFILIATE
Donee's Name	AMERICAN FEDERATION OF TEACHERS
Donee's Address	PO BOX 791212 Baltimore, MD 21279
Amount (FMV)	67,062
Purpose of Payment to Affiliate	
Relationship	NATIONAL O
Description	
Book Value	
How BV Determined	
How FMV Determined	
Date of Gift	

Item No.	2
Class of Activity	PAYMENTS TO AFFILIATE
Donee's Name	RI FEDERATION OF TEACHERS
Donee's Address	356 SMITH STREET Providence, RI 02908
Amount (FMV)	60,792
Purpose of Payment to Affiliate	
Relationship	STATE ORG
Description	
Book Value	
How BV Determined	
How FMV Determined	
Date of Gift	

Item No.	3
Class of Activity	PAYMENTS TO AFFILIATE
Donee's Name	PROVIDENCE CENTRAL FED COUNCIL
Donee's Address	199 WINGATE AVENUE Warwick, RI 02888
Amount (FMV)	373
Purpose of Payment to Affiliate	
Relationship	LOCAL ORG
Description	
Book Value	
How BV Determined	
How FMV Determined	
Date of Gift	

Item No.	4
Class of Activity	SCHOLARSHIP
Donee's Name	BETHANY IMONDI
Donee's Address	NORTH PROVIDENCE HIGH SCHOOL North Providence, RI 02904
Amount (FMV)	2,500
Purpose of Payment to Affiliate	
Relationship	NONE-STUDE
Description	
Book Value	
How BV Determined	
How FMV Determined	
Date of Gift	

Item No.	5
Class of Activity	SCHOLARSHIP
Donee's Name	MICHAEL YEPES
Donee's Address	NORTH PROVIDENCE HIGH SCHOOL North Providence, RI 02904
Amount (FMV)	1,500
Purpose of Payment to Affiliate	
Relationship	NONE-STUDE
Description	
Book Value	
How BV Determined	
How FMV Determined	
Date of Gift	

Item No.	6
Class of Activity	SCHOLARSHIP
Donee's Name	DAVID GROCCIA
Donee's Address	NORTH PROVIDENCE HIGH SCHOOL North Providence, RI 02904
Amount (FMV)	1,000
Purpose of Payment to Affiliate	
Relationship	NONE-STUDE
Description	
Book Value	
How BV Determined	
How FMV Determined	
Date of Gift	

Item No.	7
Class of Activity	DONATIONS
Donee's Name	VARIOUS MAXIMUM SINGLE AMOUNT 500
Donee's Address	VARIOUS VARIOUS, RI 02904
Amount (FMV)	4,265
Purpose of Payment to Affiliate	
Relationship	NONE
Description	
Book Value	
How BV Determined	
How FMV Determined	
Date of Gift	

TY 2009 Other Expenses Schedule**Name:** AMERICAN FEDERATION OF TEACHERS**EIN:** 05-6035583

Description	Amount
PAYROLL TAXES	5,029
CONFERENCES CONVENTIONS & MEETINGS	22,465
SUNSHINE EXPENSE	1,386
PRIZES EXPENSE	7,950
INSURANCE EXPENSE	852
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSE	1,600

TY 2009 Other Revenues Schedule

Name: AMERICAN FEDERATION OF TEACHERS

EIN: 05-6035583

Description	Amount
Liability Insurance Reimbursement	15,024
Miscellaneous	127