

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)

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 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning and ending

B Check if applicable: Address change, Name change, Initial return, Termination, Amended return, Application pending.

C Name of organization
AMALGAMATED TRANSIT UNION
Doing Business As
Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
10393 SAN DIEGO MISSION ROAD 205
City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4
SAN DIEGO, CA 92108

D Employer identification number
95-1185013

E Telephone number
619-563-1309

F Name and address of principal officer: STEVE ALCOVE
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G Gross receipts \$ 944,096.

H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? Yes No
H(b) Are all affiliates included? Yes No
If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)

I Tax-exempt status: 501(c) (5) (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527

J Website: WWW.ATULOCAL1309.ORG

K Type of organization: Corporation Trust Association Other

L Year of formation: 1942 **M State of legal domicile:** CA

H(c) Group exemption number

Part I Summary

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: **TO UNITE THE MEMBERS, TO PROMOTE THEIR GENERAL WELFARE AND ADVANCE THEIR SOCIAL, MORAL AND**

2 Check this box if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its assets.

3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	9
4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	0
5 Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a)	5	26
6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	0
7a Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, line 12, column (B)	7a	0.
7b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	0.

	Prior Year	Current Year
8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)		
9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	538,279.	659,653.
10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	16,316.	3,370.
11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	126,202.	75,268.
12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	680,797.	738,291.
13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)		
14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	48,010.	53,455.
15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	211,930.	215,380.
16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		
b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)		
17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f)	427,625.	392,025.
18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	687,565.	660,860.
19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	-6,768.	77,431.
	Beginning of Year	End of Year
20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	508,692.	577,916.
21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	6,976.	7,844.
22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	501,716.	570,072.

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: *[Signature]* Date: *Nov 16-09*
STEVE ALCOVE
Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer's Use Only
Preparer's signature: *[Signature]* Date: *11/16/09* Check if self-employed
Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4: SORENSEN & SNEAD, LLP
9255 TOWNE CENTRE DRIVE, SUITE 450
SAN DIEGO, CA 92121
Preparer's identifying number (see instructions):
EIN:
Phone no.: 858-597-7000

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 (see instructions)

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission: SEE SCHEDULE O FOR CONTINUATION THE AIMS AND OBJECTS OF THE ORGANIZATION ARE TO UNITE THE MEMBERS, TO POMOTE THEIR GENERAL WELFARE AND ADVANCE THEIR SOCIAL, MORAL AND INTELLECTUAL INTERESTS; TO PROTECT THEIR FAMILIES IN CASE OF SICKNESS OR DEATH; TO CONSTANTLY ENDEAVOR TO ESTABLISH MUTUAL CONFIDENCE AND

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 [X] 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 [X] No If "Yes", describe these changes on Schedule O.

4 Describe the exempt purpose achievements for each of the organization's three largest program services by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts 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 \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 659,653.) ANALGAMATED TRANSIT UNION, LOCAL 1309, A SECION 501(C)(5), ORGANIZATION, REGULARLY COLLECTIVELY BARGAINS FOR BETTER WAGES, BENEFITS AND WORKING CONDITIONS FOR ITS MEMBERS. THIS IS THE SOLE PROGRAM SERVICE ACTIVITY OF THE ORGANIZATION AND IS THE REASON FOR ITS TAX-EXEMPT STATUS. DURING 2008 THE ORGANIZATION REPRESENTED APPROXIMATELY 1,500 MEMBERS.

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 \$ (Must equal Part IX, Line 25, column (B))

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 Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?		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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>		
5	Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations. Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		X
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any accounts where 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; 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 hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>		X
11	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, lines 10, 12, 13, 15, or 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable</i>	X	
12	Did the organization receive an audited financial statement for the year for which it is completing this return that was prepared in accordance with GAAP? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII</i>		X
13	Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		X
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the U.S.?		X
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the U.S.? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I</i>		X
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II</i>		X
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III</i>		X
17	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i>		X
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total 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 on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		X
20	Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		X
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 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 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, questions 3, 4, or 5? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>		X
24a	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 questions 24b-24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to question 25</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?		
25a	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>		
b	Did the organization become aware that it had engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person from a prior year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		
26	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>		X
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, or substantial contributor, or to a person related to such an individual? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>		X

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

		Yes	No
28	During the tax year, did any person who is a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee:		
a	Have a direct business relationship with the organization (other than as an officer, director, trustee, or employee), or an indirect business relationship through ownership of more than 35% in another entity (individually or collectively with other person(s) listed in Part VII, Section A)? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
b	Have a family member who had a direct or indirect business relationship with the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
c	Serve as an officer, director, trustee, key employee, partner, or member of an entry (or a shareholder of a professional corporation) doing business with the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		X
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M		X
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M		X
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I		X
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II		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? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I		X
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1		X
35	Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2		X
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2		
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI		X

Form 990 (2008)

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure (Sections A, B, and C request information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 11 rows of questions regarding governing body and management. Columns include question number, description, and Yes/No checkboxes. Questions cover voting members, family/business relationships, control delegation, organizational changes, asset diversion, membership, decision-making, documentation, local chapters, Form 990 distribution, and contactability.

Section B. Policies

Table with 12 rows of questions regarding organizational policies. Columns include question number, description, and Yes/No checkboxes. Questions cover conflict of interest, disclosure requirements, compliance monitoring, whistleblower policy, document retention, compensation review, joint ventures, and participation in joint ventures.

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed CA
18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.
19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public.
20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization: FINANCIAL SECRETARY - 619-563-1309 10393 SAN DIEGO MISSION ROAD, #205, SAN DIEGO, CA 92108

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

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

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Use Schedule J-2 if additional space is needed.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation, and **current** key employees. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- 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 the organization did not compensate any officer, director, trustee, or key employee.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(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			
STEVE ALCOVE PRESIDENT	40.00						68,598.	0.	0.	
LISA BENDER VICE PRESIDENT	20.00						13,400.	0.	0.	
MONNY F. CARPIO RECORDING SECRETARY	20.00						10,543.	0.	0.	
JOSEPH H. GOTCHER FINANCIAL SECRETARY	20.00						28,337.	0.	0.	
RAMIRO MONTOYA BOARD MEMBER	2.00						7,741.	0.	0.	
ANTONIO ALMIRANTE BOARD MEMBER	2.00						3,817.	0.	0.	
KERMIT TORREGANO BOARD MEMBER	2.00						6,634.	0.	0.	
RONALD G. DUNCAN BOARD MEMBER	2.00						3,158.	0.	0.	
GEORGE COOK BOARD MEMBER	2.00						3,054.	0.	0.	

Part VIII		Statement of Revenue		(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
				Total revenue	Related or exempt function revenue	Unrelated business revenue	Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts	1 a	Federated campaigns	1a					
	b	Membership dues	1b					
	c	Fundraising events	1c					
	d	Related organizations	1d					
	e	Government grants (contributions)	1e					
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f					
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$						
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f						
	Program Service Revenue	2 a	UNION DUES	Business Code 900099	659,653.	659,653.		
b								
c								
d								
e								
f		All other program service revenue						
g		Total. Add lines 2a-2f			659,653.			
Other Revenue	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		12,680.	12,680.			
	4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds						
	5	Royalties						
	6 a	Gross Rents	(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
		Less: rental expenses						
		Rental income or (loss)						
		Net rental income or (loss)						
	7 a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	(ii) Other				
		Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses						
		Gain or (loss)						
		Net gain or (loss)			-9,310.	-9,310.		
	8 a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	a					
		Less: direct expenses	b					
		Net income or (loss) from fundraising events						
	9 a	Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a					
		Less: direct expenses	b					
		Net income or (loss) from gaming activities						
10 a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a						
	Less: cost of goods sold	b						
	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory							
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code						
11 a	OTHER INCOME	900099		55,717.	55,717.			
b	VENDING COMMISSION	900099		19,551.	19,551.			
c								
d	All other revenue							
e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d			75,268.				
12	Total Revenue. Add lines 1h, 2g, 3, 4, 5, 6d, 7d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e			738,291.	738,291.	0.	0.	

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) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).

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 U.S. See Part IV, line 21				
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U.S. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U.S. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members	53,455.			
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	145,282.			
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	42,964.			
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	2,967.			
9 Other employee benefits	7,985.			
10 Payroll taxes	16,182.			
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal	61,168.			
c Accounting	14,350.			
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees				
g Other	750.			
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses				
14 Information technology				
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	35,549.			
17 Travel				
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	17,971.			
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	1,203.			
23 Insurance				
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (Expenses grouped together and labeled miscellaneous may not exceed 5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below.)				
a INTERNATIONAL OFFICE	155,933.			
b LOCAL & STATE CENTRAL B	44,694.			
c OFFICE SUPPLIES & EXPEN	16,816.			
d PICNIC & HOLIDAY PARTY	16,148.			
e MEALS & ENTERTAINMENT	6,828.			
f All other expenses	20,615.			
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	660,860.			
26 Joint Costs. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				

Part X Balance Sheet

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year		
Assets	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing	415,712.	1	501,246.	
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		2		
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		3		
	4	Accounts receivable, net		4		
	5	Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, or other related parties. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5		
	6	Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B). Complete Part II of Schedule L		6		
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7		
	8	Inventories for sale or use		8		
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		9		
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost basis	43,031.			
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	42,405.	4,371.	10c	626.
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities		11		
	12	Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11	88,609.	12	74,659.	
	13	Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13		
	14	Intangible assets		14		
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	0.	15	1,385.	
16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	508,692.	16	577,916.		
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses		17		
	18	Grants payable		18		
	19	Deferred revenue		19		
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20		
	21	Escrow account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21		
	22	Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		22		
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23		
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable		24		
	25	Other liabilities. Complete Part X of Schedule D	6,976.	25	7,844.	
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	6,976.	26	7,844.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.					
	27	Unrestricted net assets	310,777.	27	358,860.	
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets	190,939.	28	211,212.	
	29	Permanently restricted net assets		29		
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, 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	501,716.	33	570,072.	
	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	508,692.	34	577,916.	

Part XI Financial Statements and Reporting

		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?		X
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	X	
c	If "Yes" to lines 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?	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
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits?		

Schedule D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12.

OMB No 1545-0047

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Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization

AMALGAMATED TRANSIT UNION

Employer identification number

95-1185013

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: Question, (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Includes questions 1-6 regarding donor advised funds.

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

Form for Part II Conservation Easements, including questions 1-9 and a table for 'Held at the End of the Year'.

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.

Form for Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets, including questions 1a-1b and 2a-2b.

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

3 Using the organization's 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 XIV.

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? Yes No

Part IV Trust, Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if 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? Yes No

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

	Amount
c Beginning balance	1c
d Additions during the year	1d
e Distributions during the year	1e
f Ending balance	1f

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21? Yes No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV.

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

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance					
b Contributions					
c Investment earnings or losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance					

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as:

- a Board designated or quasi-endowment _____ %
- b Permanent endowment _____ %
- c Term endowment _____ %

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

	Yes	No
(i) unrelated organizations	3a(i)	
(ii) related organizations	3a(ii)	
b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?	3b	

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

Part VI Investments - Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of investment	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings		4,850.	4,850.	0.
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		38,181.	37,555.	626.
e Other				
Total. Add lines 1a-1e. (Column (d) should equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				626.

Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Financial Statements

1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	4	
5	Donated services and use of facilities	5	
6	Investment expenses	6	
7	Prior period adjustments	7	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	8	
9	Total adjustments (net). Add lines 4-8	9	
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per financial statements. Combine lines 3 and 9	10	

Part XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	738,291.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:		
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a	
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)	5	

Part XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	669,935.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Losses reported on Form 990, Part IX, line 25	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	5	

Part XIV Supplemental Information

Complete this part to 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; Part XI, line 8; Part XII, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b.

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FORM 990, PART I, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION:

INTELLECUTAL INTERESTS.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION:

**CREATE AND MAINTAIN HARMONIOUS RELATIONS WITH OUR EMPLOYER; TO
ENCOURAGE THE PRINCIPLE OF ARBITRATION AND PRODUCE ALL CONILATION
POSSIBLE IN THE SETTLEMENT OF DIFFERENCES BETWEEN EMPLOYEES AND
EMPLOYER.**

**FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 6: UNION MEMBERS WHO PAY DUES TO THE
ORGANIZATION**

**FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7A: THERE ARE ELECTIONS EVERY THREE
YEARS. THE UNION MEMBERS ELECT THE PRESIDENT, VICE PRESIDENT, FINANCIAL
SECRETARY, RECORDING SECRETARY, AND BOARD MEMBERS.**

**FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7B: THE UNION MEMBERS MUST APPROVE THE
FOLLOWING DECISIONS: ANY DUES ASSESSMENTS AND ANY MONITARY EXPENDITURES
THAT DO NOT RELATE TO THE DAY TO DAY OPERATIONS OF THE UNION**

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 10: NO REVIEW WAS OR WILL BE DONE.

**FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19: NO DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE TO THE
PUBLIC.**

FORM 990 PART XI, LINE 1

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ACCOUNTING METHOD USED TO PREPARE THE FORM 5500

MODIFIED CASH BASIS

Form 4562

Depreciation and Amortization 990 (Including Information on Listed Property)

OMB No 1545-0172

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Attachment Sequence No 67

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service (99)

See separate instructions. Attach to your tax return.

Name(s) shown on return

Business or activity to which this form relates

Identifying number

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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 columns: Line number, Description, and Amount. Includes lines 1-13 for Section 179 election details.

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 2 columns: Line number and Amount. Includes lines 14-16 for special depreciation.

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

Section A

Table with 2 columns: Line number and Amount. Includes lines 17-18 for MACRS deductions.

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

Table with 7 columns: (a) Classification of property, (b) Month and year placed in service, (c) Basis for depreciation, (d) Recovery period, (e) Convention, (f) Method, (g) Depreciation deduction. Includes rows 19a-i.

Section C - Assets Placed in Service During 2008 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System

Table with 7 columns: (a) Class life, (b) Month and year placed in service, (c) Basis for depreciation, (d) Recovery period, (e) Convention, (f) Method, (g) Depreciation deduction. Includes rows 20a-c.

Part IV Summary (See instructions.)

Table with 2 columns: Line number and Amount. Includes lines 21-23 for summary totals.

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? [X] Yes [] No 24b If "Yes," is the evidence written? [X] 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.

25 Special depreciation allowance for qualified listed property placed in service during the tax year and used more than 50% in a qualified business use 25

26 Property used more than 50% in a qualified business use:

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. Row 1: DODGE INTREPID, 022504, 100.00%, 18,725., 9,362.5.00, 200DB-HY, 1,079.

27 Property used 50% or less in a qualified business use:

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. Rows 1-3 with S/L in column (g).

28 Add amounts in column (h), lines 25 through 27. Enter here and on line 21, page 1 28 1,079.

29 Add amounts in column (i), line 26. Enter here and on line 7, page 1 29

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 with 6 main columns: (a) Vehicle, (b) Vehicle, (c) Vehicle, (d) Vehicle, (e) Vehicle, (f) Vehicle. Rows 30-36 with questions about miles driven and 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.

Table with 2 main columns: Yes, No. Rows 37-41 with questions about written policies and requirements for employees.

Note: If your answer to 37, 38, 39, 40, or 41 is "Yes," do not complete Section B for the covered vehicles.

Part VI Amortization

Table with 6 columns: (a) Description of costs, (b) Date amortization begins, (c) Amortizable amount, (d) Code section, (e) Amortization period or percentage, (f) Amortization for this year.

42 Amortization of costs that begins during your 2008 tax year:

43 Amortization of costs that began before your 2008 tax year 43

44 Total. Add amounts in column (f). See the instructions for where to report 44