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Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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Department of the Treasury ► Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information. Inspection and ending A For the 2021 calendar year, or tax year beginning Check if applicable: C Name of organization D Employer identification number Address change CALIFORNIA FARMLINK Name change 94-3332630 Doing business as Initial return Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) E Telephone number Final return/ 335 SPRECKELS DRIVE, SUITE F (831)425-0303termin-ated 8,964,882. City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code **G** Gross receipts \$ Amended return APTOS, CA 95003 H(a) Is this a group return Applica-F Name and address of principal officer: REGINALD V. KNOX Yes X No for subordinates? pending SAME AS C ABOVE H(b) Are all subordinates included? Yes No Tax-exempt status: X = 501(c)(3) 501(c) () ◀ (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or If "No," attach a list. See instructions J Website: ► WWW.CALIFORNIAFARMLINK.ORG **H(c)** Group exemption number ▶ **K** Form of organization: **X** Corporation Association Other > L Year of formation: 1999 M State of legal domicile: CA Part I Summary Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: TO INVEST IN THE PROSPERITY OF Governance FARMERS AND RANCHERS THROUGH LENDING, EDUCATION AND ACCESS TO LAND. Check this box if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets. Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) 11 <u>11</u> Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) Activities & 5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2021 (Part V, line 2a) 6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) 7a 7 a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, Part I, line 11 7b **Prior Year Current Year** 7,804,556. 3,052,032. Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) Revenue 738,070. 1,127,610. Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) 7,447. 12,403. Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) 10 0. 0. Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e) 3,797,549 8,944,569. Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) 0. 20,000. Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3) 0. 0. Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) 1,522,864. 1,729,848. Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10) Expenses 16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) **b** Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) 1,050,314. 1,146,862. Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e) 2,573,178. 2,896,710. Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) 1,224,371. 6,047,859. Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12 Beginning of Current Year **End of Year** 29,554,658. 17,838,693. 20 Total assets (Part X, line 16) 12,801,139. 18,469,245. 21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) 5,037,554**.** 11,085,413. Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20 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. Signature of officer Date Sign REGINALD V. KNOX, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER Here Type or print name and title PTIN Date Print/Type preparer's name Preparer's signature **№**00513747 SHERMAN LEONG Paid Firm's EIN ▶ 94-1250261 Firm's name LINDQUIST, VON HUSEN & JOYCE LLP Preparer

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105

Firm's address 301 HOWARD STREET, SUITE 850

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions

X Yes No

Phone no. (415) 957-9999

4d	Other program	services (Describe	on Sc	hedule (J.)
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(Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$

4e Total program service expenses ►

2,067,094.

Form 990 (2021) CALIFORNIA FARMLINK 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)?			
	If "Yes," complete Schedule A	1	X	
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors? See instructions	2	X	
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for			v
	public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I	3		X
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	4		х
5	Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or			
	similar amounts as defined in Rev. Proc. 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	5		Х
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to			
	provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I	6		X
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space,			٠,,
	the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II	7		Х
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III	8		X
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for	-		
3	amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services?			
	If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV	9		Х
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in donor-restricted endowments			
	or in quasi endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V	10		Х
11	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X, as applicable.			
•	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D,			
а	Part VI	11a	х	
b	Did the organization report an amount for investments - other securities in Part X, line 12, that is 5% or more of its total			
	assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII	11b		Х
С	Did the organization report an amount for investments - program related in Part X, line 13, that is 5% or more of its total			
	assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII	11c	Х	
d	Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in			
	Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX	11d		X
е	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	11e		Х
f	Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses			
	the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	11f	Х	
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete		37	
	Schedule D, Parts XI and XII	12a	X	
р	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year?	401-		X
10	If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	12b 13		X
13	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a		X
14a b	Did the organization maintain an onice, employees, or agents outside of the officed States? Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business,	1 1 d		
J	investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000			
	or more? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV	14b		х
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any			
	foreign organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV	15		X
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to			
	or for foreign individuals? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV	16		X
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX,			
	column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I. See instructions	17		Х
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines			
	1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II	18		Х
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes,"			\ _{3,7}
	complete Schedule G, Part III	19		X
20a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20a		X
b	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	20b		
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or	04		x
	domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	21		_ 43_

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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

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? If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a 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? 24d 25a Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit	No
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	X
that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete	
	X
26 Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5 or 22, for receivables from or payables to any current	
or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35%	
controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II	X
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee,	
creator or founder, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled	
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28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see the Schedule L, Part IV,	
instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):	
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, or substantial contributor? If	X
	<u>X</u>
c A 35% controlled entity of one or more individuals and/or organizations described in line 28a or 28b?	
	X
===	X
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation	
	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	<u>X</u>
33 Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations	
contain control 2 and control c. ii. 100, complete conteautin, act.	<u>X</u>
34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and	Х
	X
Bid the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section of 2(b)(10):	
b If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	
36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	
	X
37 Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization	
	X
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations on Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19?	
Note: All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	
Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance	
Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V	ᆜ
	No
1a Enter the number reported in box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable 1a 31 b. Enter the number of Forms W-2G included on line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	
b Effect the flumber of Forms will a mineral. Effect of those applicable	
c Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	

021) CALIFORNIA FARMLINK Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued) Part V

					Yes	No
2 a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements,		2.2			
	filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return	2a	23		v	
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax return.			2b	Х	
2-	Note: If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file. See instructions			2-		Х
	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation on Schedule			3a 3b		12
	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other a			SD		
44	financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial		•	4a		x
h	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country	accou	iiiy:	та		
~	See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial A	ccour	nts (FBAR)			
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?			5a		х
	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transa			5b		Х
	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?			5c		
	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the					
	any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?			6a		Х
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contribut	ions c	r gifts			
	were not tax deductible?			6b		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).					
а	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and ser			7a		X
	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?			7b		
С	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was a second or the second of the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was a second or the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was a second or the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was a second or the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was a second or the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was a second or the organization sell, exchange and the organization of the organization sell, exchange a second or the organization of the organization sell, exchange a second or the organization of the or			_		٦,
	to file Form 8282?		I	7c		Х
	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	7d	10	_		
_	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit of			7e		Х
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Fo			7f 7g		X
g h	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file of the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file of the organization file orga			79 7h		
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained			,		
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9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.					
а	Ditti			9a		
b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?			9b		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:					
а	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	10a				
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	10b				
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:		I			
	Gross income from members or shareholders	11a				
b	Gross income from other sources. (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against					
40-	amounts due or received from them.)	11b		10-		
	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	1041 12b		12a		
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.	120				
	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state?			13a		
-	Note: See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.					
b	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the					
	organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans	13b				
С	Enter the amount of reserves on hand	13c				
	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?			14a		Х
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation on Schedu	le O		14b		
15	Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remune					
	excess parachute payment(s) during the year?			15		X
	If "Yes," see the instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N.					v
16	Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investmen	t inco	me?	16		X
47	If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O.					
17	Section 501(c)(21) organizations. Did the trust, any disqualified person, or mine operator engage in			47		
	activities that would result in the imposition of an excise tax under section 4951, 4952 or 4953? If "Yes," complete Form 6069.			17		
	n 166, complete Form 6000.					

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

	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI			X
Sec	tion A. Governing Body and Management			
			Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year 1a 1			
	If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing			
	body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain on Schedule O.			
b	Enter the number of voting members included on line 1a, above, who are independent 1b 1			
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other			
	officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	2		Х
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision			
	of officers, directors, trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?	3	Х	
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	4		Х
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?	5		Х
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	6		Х
7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or			
	more members of the governing body?	7a		Х
b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or			
	persons other than the governing body?	7b		Х
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:			
а	The governing body?	8a	X	
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b	X	
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the			
	organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses on Schedule O	9		Х
Sec	tion B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)			
			Yes	No
10a	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	10a		Х
b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates,			
	and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?	10b		
11a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	11a	X	
b	Describe on Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.			
12a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	12a	Х	
b	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	12b		Х
С	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe			
	on Schedule O how this was done	12c	X	
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13	Х	
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	Х	
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent			
	persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?			
а	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	15a	Х	
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization	15b		Х
	If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process on Schedule O. See instructions.			
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a			
	taxable entity during the year?	16a		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation			
	in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's			
	exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	16b		
Sec	tion 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 (1024 or 1024-A, if applicable), 990, and 990-T (section 501(c)(3)	s only) availa	able
	for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.			
	X Own website X Another's website X Upon request Other (explain on Schedule O)			
19	Describe on Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, an	d finaı	ncial	
	statements available to the public during the tax year.			
20	State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records			
	REGINALD V. KNOX - (831)425-0303			
	335 SPRECKELS DRIVE, SUITE F, APTOS, CA 95003			

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

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

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

- 1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.
- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
 - List all of the organization's current key employees, if any. See the instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five current highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (box 5 of Form W-2, Form 1099-MISC, and/or box 1 of Form 1099-NEC) 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.

oxdet Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee.

See the instructions for the order in which to list the persons above.

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per	box	not c , unle:	ss pe	ition more rson i	than is bot	h an	(D) Reportable compensation	(E) Reportable compensation	(F) Estimated amount of
	week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	stee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer of the property of the		Highest compensated Employee		from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC/ 1099-NEC)	from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC/ 1099-NEC)	other compensation from the organization and related organizations
(1) REGINALD V. KNOX	40.00			77				105 255	0	21 640
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	40 00			Х				125,355.	0.	21,648.
(2) BRETT A MELONE	40.00					Х		109,391.	0.	12,604.
OIRECTOR OF LENDING (3) JONATHAN HARRISON	10.00					^		109,391.	0.	12,004.
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	10.00			х				71,993.	0.	0.
CFO (4) MARISA ALCORTA	1.00			Λ				11,333.	0.	0.
PRESIDENT & CHAIR	1.00	X		х				0.	0.	0.
(5) ROB HURLBUT	1.00	^		Λ				0.	· ·	<u>0 •</u>
BOARD TREASURER	1.00	x		Х				0.	0.	0.
(6) JENNIFER SOWERWINE	1.00							0.	•	
BOARD SECRETARY	1.00	x		Х				0.	0.	0.
(7) CHRIS MITTLESTEADT	1.00							0.0		
BOARD MEMBER		x						0.	0.	0.
(8) KRISTYN LEACH	1.00	ļ <u> </u>								
BOARD MEMBER		Х						0.	0.	0.
(9) LARRY CRETAN	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER		Х						0.	0.	0.
(10) MARSHA HABIB	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER		Х						0.	0.	0.
(11) ROBIN BOT-MILLER	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER		Х						0.	0.	0.
(12) MEREDITH STORTON	1.00									
BOARD SECRETARY		Х		Х				0.	0.	0.
(13) MARIELA CEDENO	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER		Х						0.	0.	0.
(14) SHYAM KAMATH	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER		Х						0.	0.	0.
(15) WESLEY VAN CAMP	1.00							_	_	_
BOARD MEMBER		Х						0.	0.	0.
(16) KEIR JOHNSON	1.00									_
BOARD MEMBER		Х	$ldsymbol{ld}}}}}}$					0.	0.	0.

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Fait	Section A. Officers, Directors, Trus	itees, Key Em	ploy	rees	, and	a Hi	ıgne	St C	;ompensated Employe	es (continuea)				
	(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for	(do box offic	not c , unle cer ar	Posi check ess per	osition ck more than one person is both an a director/trustee)			(D) Reportable compensation from the organization	Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC/		am com	(F) timate nount o other pensa om the	of tion
		related organizations below line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	(W-2/1099-MISC/ 1099-NEC)	1099-NEC)		and	anizati d relate inizatio	ed
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	Subtotal Total from continuation sheets to Part V								306,739.		0.	3,	4,2	52. 0.
	Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							<u> </u>	306,739.		0.	3	4,2	_
	Total number of individuals (including but r compensation from the organization	not limited to th	ıose	liste	ed al	bov	e) wł	no re	eceived more than \$100	0,000 of reportab	le			2
	<u> </u>												Yes	No
	Did the organization list any former officer, line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for s											3		Х
4	For any individual listed on line 1a, is the su	um of reportab	le co	omp	ensa	atior	n and	d oth	her compensation from			4		Х
	and related organizations greater than \$15 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or a									idual for services	 3	4		Λ
	rendered to the organization? If "Yes," comion B. Independent Contractors	plete Schedul	e J f	or s	uch	pers	son .					5		Х
	Complete this table for your five highest co	mpensated in	dep:	ende	ent c	onti	racto	ors t	hat received more than	\$100,000 of cor	npens	ation f	rom	
	the organization. Report compensation for	the calendar y	ear	endi	ng v	vith	or w	ithir I		year.		(C	.,	
	(A) Name and business	address	NC	INC	<u> </u>				(B) Description of s	ervices	С	comper		า
2	Total number of independent contractors (including but n	not li	mite	d to	tho	se li	sted	d above) who received n	ore than				
	\$100,000 of compensation from the organi	-				(0 "						200 //	

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Part VIII Statement of Revenue

		Chack if Schodula O	containe c	rocponco	or note to any lir	oo in this Dart VIII			
		Check if Schedule O	contains a	response	or note to any iii		(B)	(C)	(D)
						Total revenue	Related or exempt	Unrelated	Revenue excluded
						Total Tovolido		business revenue	
									sections 512 - 514
nts nts	1 a	Federated campaigns		1a					
ᇍ	ı	Membership dues		1b					
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts		Fundraising events		1c					
#ia ji				1d					
ا≝ن		Government grants (contr			918,735.				
Sign		All other contributions, gifts,	,	-	- · , · · ·				
를		similar amounts not included			885,821.				
芦티				1g \$	20,313.				
ğ	`	Noncash contributions included in				7,804,556.			
0 (0		Total. Add lines 1a-1f				7,004,550.			
		DDOODAM TAIMED	- mam	CATOOM	Business Code	610 025	610 025		
<u>i</u>	2 8				522200	610,025.	610,025.		
Program Service Revenue	ı	PROGRAM FEE R		JE:	541900	456,515.	456,515.		
en S	•	PROGRAM REVEN	IUE		541900	61,070.	61,070.		
ev an	•	t							
9	•	·							
₫	1	All other program service	revenue						
	9	Total. Add lines 2a-2f				1,127,610.			
	3	Investment income (include							
		other similar amounts)				12,340.			12,340.
	4	Income from investment of							
	5	Royalties		-					
		· · · · , · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
	6 a	Gross rents	6a	• •	.,				
		Less: rental expenses	6b						
		5	6c						
		Net rental income or (loss)	-	Securities	(ii) Othor				
	/ 8	Gross amount from sales of			(ii) Other				
		assets other than inventory	7a 20	376.					
.	ı	Less: cost or other basis	_,	212					
ğ		and sales expenses		313.					
Revenue	•	Gain or (loss)	7c	63.					
<u>~</u>	•	d Net gain or (loss)		<u></u>	<u>,</u>	63.			63.
ther	8 8	a Gross income from fundraising	ng events (not					
₽		including \$		of					
		contributions reported on	line 1c). 9	See					
		Part IV, line 18		8a					
	ı	Less: direct expenses							
		Net income or (loss) from		····					
		Gross income from gamin							
	٠,	Part IV, line 19		I	1				
		Less: direct expenses							
					<u> </u>				
		Net income or (loss) fromGross sales of inventory, I							
	10 8			I					
		and allowances			†				
		Less: cost of goods sold							
		Net income or (loss) from	sales of ir	nventory					
sn					Business Code				
ne e	11 8	·							
Miscellaneous Revenue	ı	·							
Se Se	(
Ĕ¯	(All other revenue			<u> </u>				
		Total. Add lines 11a-11d			<u></u>	0.044.555	1 105 515		10 100
	12	Total revenue See instruction	ne			เช. 944 . 569 -	1,127,610.	0.	12.403.

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

	Check if Schedule O contains a respon	·		. ,	X
Do	not include amounts reported on lines 6b,	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
	8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	Total expenses	Program service expenses	Management and general expenses	Fundráising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations		ехрепзез	general expenses	ехрепзез
•	and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21				
2	Grants and other assistance to domestic				
_	individuals. See Part IV, line 22	20,000.	20,000.		
3	Grants and other assistance to foreign		·		
	organizations, foreign governments, and foreign				
	individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4	Benefits paid to or for members				
5	Compensation of current officers, directors,				
	trustees, and key employees	218,995.	157,496.	40,162.	21,337.
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	1,229,135.	883,961.	225,415.	119,759.
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include				
	section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	41,863.	30,107.	7,677.	4,079. 12,542.
9	Other employee benefits	128,725.	92,576.	23,607.	12,542.
10	Payroll taxes	111,130.	79,884.	21,030.	10,216.
11	Fees for services (nonemployees):				
а	Management				
b	Legal				
С	Accounting	39,082.	3,887.	35,195.	
d	Lobbying				
е	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f	Investment management fees				
g	Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25,				
	column (A), amount, list line 11g expenses on Sch 0.)	477,922.	365,904.	100,265.	11,753.
12	Advertising and promotion	3,788.	1,235.	1,814.	739.
13	Office expenses	54,788.	7,928.	39,150.	7,710.
14	Information technology				
15	Royalties	100 560	F1 060	60.060	
16	Occupancy	120,562.	51,962.	68,062.	538.
17	Travel	10,076.	9,214.	754.	108.
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses				
	for any federal, state, or local public officials	7 045	2 200	2 004	2 542
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	7,845. 210,522.	3,299.	2,004.	2,542.
20	Interest	410,344.	210,522.		
21	Payments to affiliates	16,161.		16,161.	
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	22,739.	355.	11,464.	10,920.
23	Other expanses Itamize expanses not severed	44,139.	333.	11,404.	10,340.
24	Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (List miscellaneous expenses on line 24e. If				
	line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A),				
_	amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule 0.) LOAN LOSS RESERVE	75,351.	75,351.		
a h	COMPUTER AND IT EXPENSE	72,321.	46,882.	14,048.	11,391.
a	LOAN SERVICE FEES	25,130.	25,130.	11,010.	
c d	RECRUITING	9,174.	23,130.	9,174.	
-	All other expenses	1,401.	1,401.	212120	
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	2,896,710.	2,067,094.	615,982.	213,634.
26	Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization	_, _, _, _,	_, ,	220,5021	
20	reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined				
	educational campaign and fundraising solicitation.				
	Check here if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				
					F 000 (0004)

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Part X Balance Sheet

		Balance Sheet					
		Check if Schedule O contains a response or not	te to an	y line in this Part X			
					(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing			2,993,340.	1	6,368,512.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments				2	
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net			1,427,738.	3	1,294,499.
	4	Accounts receivable, net				4	
	5	Loans and other receivables from any current o					
		trustee, key employee, creator or founder, subs	tantial (contributor, or 35%			
		controlled entity or family member of any of the	se pers	ons		5	
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disquali	fied pe	rsons (as defined			
		under section 4958(f)(1)), and persons describe		6			
ţ	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		9,087,080.	7	11,915,504.	
Assets	8	Inventories for sale or use		8			
⋖	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			18,034.	9	35,677.
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other					
		basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a	96,740.			
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation	10b	42,162.	38,707.	10c	54,578.
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities		11			
	12	Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line	4 000 004	12	2 225 222		
	13	Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line	4,273,794.	13	9,885,888.		
	14	Intangible assets		14			
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11			18 000 600	15	00 554 650
\rightarrow	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equ			17,838,693.	16	29,554,658.
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses			247,316.	17	498,213.
	18	Grants payable		18	1 2/1 100		
	19	Deferred revenue			19	1,241,198.	
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities				20	
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete				21	
Liabilities	22	Loans and other payables to any current or form					
pili		trustee, key employee, creator or founder, subs				22	
Lia	00	controlled entity or family member of any of the Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrela				23	
	23 24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelate			12,553,823.	24	16,729,834.
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, pa			12/333/0231	24	10//25/0510
	25	parties, and other liabilities not included on lines					
		of Coloradiula D		•		25	
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25			12,801,139.	26	18,469,245.
		Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, che			, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		, , , , ,
Ses		and complete lines 27, 28, 32, and 33.					
auc	27	Net assets without donor restrictions			2,299,582.	27	6,547,766.
Bal	28	Net assets with donor restrictions			2,737,972.	28	4,537,647.
pu		Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 9					
편		and complete lines 29 through 33.	•	ŕ			
o s	29	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds			29		
set	30	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or ed				30	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	31	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated in		F		31	
Net	32	Total net assets or fund balances			5,037,554.	32	11,085,413.
	33	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances		17,838,693.	33	29,554,658.	

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Pa	rt XI Reconciliation of Net Assets								
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI								
1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	8,94						
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	2,89						
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	6,04						
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A))	4	5,03	7 <u>,</u> 5	<u>54.</u>				
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments								
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6							
7	Investment expenses	7							
8	Prior period adjustments	8							
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain on Schedule O)	9			0.				
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 32,								
	column (B))	10	11,08	5,4	13.				
Pa	rt XII Financial Statements and Reporting								
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII				X				
				Yes	No				
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: Cash X Accrual Other								
	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain on Schedule								
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?		2a		X				
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed	on a							
	separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:								
	Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis								
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?		2b	Х					
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separat	e basis,							
	consolidated basis, or both:								
	X Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis								
С	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the	e audit,							
	review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?		2c	Х					
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain on Sch	nedule O.							
За	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Sir	ngle Audit							
	Act and OMB Circular A-133?		3a	Х					
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required	ired audit							
	or audits, explain why on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits		3b	Х					

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SCHEDULE A

(Form 990)

Total

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

► Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

OMB No. 1545-0047

Open to Public Inspection

Employer identification number Name of the organization CALIFORNIA FARMLINK 94-3332630 Reason for Public Charity Status. (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions. Part I The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 12, check only one box.) 1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(i). 2 A school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Attach Schedule E (Form 990).) 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Complete Part II.) A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(v). 7 X An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.) 8 A community trust described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.) An agricultural research organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ix) operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land-grant college of agriculture (see instructions). Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university: 10 An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions, subject to certain exceptions; and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See section 509(a)(2). (Complete Part III.) 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See section 509(a)(4). 12 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2). See section 509(a)(3). Check the box on lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g. Type I. A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B. Type II. A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). You must complete Part IV. Sections A and C. its supported organization(s) (see instructions). You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E. ☐ Type III non-functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V. Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type III, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization. f Enter the number of supported organizations Provide the following information about the supported organization(s). (iv) Is the organization listed (i) Name of supported (ii) EIN (iii) Type of organization (v) Amount of monetary (vi) Amount of other ì your governing document? (described on lines 1-10 organization support (see instructions) support (see instructions) Yes No above (see instructions))

Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Sec	ction A. Public Support	, ,,		,			
	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2017	(b) 2018	(c) 2019	(d) 2020	(e) 2021	(f) Total
	Gifts, grants, contributions, and		()	` '	()	,	()
	membership fees received. (Do not						
	include any "unusual grants.")	2,059,544.	1,875,918.	2,851,973.	3,052,032.	7,804,556.	17,644,023.
2	Tax revenues levied for the organ-						
	ization's benefit and either paid to						
	or expended on its behalf						
3	The value of services or facilities						
	furnished by a governmental unit to						
	the organization without charge						
4	Total. Add lines 1 through 3	2,059,544.	1,875,918.	2,851,973.	3,052,032.	7,804,556.	17,644,023.
5	The portion of total contributions						
	by each person (other than a						
	governmental unit or publicly						
	supported organization) included						
	on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the						
	amount shown on line 11,						
	column (f)						3,787,600.
	Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.						13,856,423.
	ction B. Total Support	1					
	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2017	(b) 2018	(c) 2019	(d) 2020	(e) 2021	(f) Total
	Amounts from line 4	2,059,544.	1,875,918.	2,851,973.	3,052,032.	7,804,556.	17,644,023.
8	Gross income from interest,						
	dividends, payments received on						
	securities loans, rents, royalties,	106 100			7 447	10 240	145 076
	and income from similar sources	126,189.			7,447.	12,340.	145,976.
9	Net income from unrelated business						
	activities, whether or not the						
	business is regularly carried on						
10	Other income. Do not include gain						
	or loss from the sale of capital						
	assets (Explain in Part VI.)						15 500 000
	Total support. Add lines 7 through 10					3	17,789,999. ,105,421.
	Gross receipts from related activities,						,105,421.
13	First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for th						. —
<u>S</u>	organization, check this box and storection C. Computation of Publ		rcentage				P
	Public support percentage for 2021 (volumo (f)\		14	77.89 %
						14	77.89 % 80.18 %
	Public support percentage from 2020 33 1/3% support test - 2021. If the o					15	
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	meets the facts-and-circumstances to		*		•	· ·	
h	10% -facts-and-circumstances tes	-	•		-	 I7a and line 15 is	
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	organization meets the facts-and-circ				-		
18	•		-	• •			s
18	Private foundation. If the organization	on did not check a	box on line 13, 16a	, 16b, 17a, or 17b	, check this box a	nd see instruction	s ▶∟

Part III | Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Sec	tion A. Public Support	slow, picase com	piete i art ii.j				
	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2017	(b) 2018	(c) 2019	(d) 2020	(e) 2021	(f) Total
	Gifts, grants, contributions, and		, ,	, ,	, ,	1 , ,	
	membership fees received. (Do not						
	include any "unusual grants.")						
	Gross receipts from admissions,						
	merchandise sold or services per-						
	formed, or facilities furnished in						
	any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
2	Gross receipts from activities that						
3	are not an unrelated trade or bus-						
4							
4	Tax revenues levied for the organ-						
	ization's benefit and either paid to						
	or expended on its behalf						
	The value of services or facilities						
	furnished by a governmental unit to						
	the organization without charge						
	Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a	Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and						
	3 received from disqualified persons						
b	Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that						
	exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the						
	amount on line 13 for the year						
С	Add lines 7a and 7b						
8	Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						
Sec	tion B. Total Support						
	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🖊	(a) 2017	(b) 2018	(c) 2019	(d) 2020	(e) 2021	(f) Total
9	Amounts from line 6						
10a	Gross income from interest,						
	dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties,						
	and income from similar sources						
b	Unrelated business taxable income						
	(less section 511 taxes) from businesses						
	acquired after June 30, 1975						
С	Add lines 10a and 10b						
	Net income from unrelated business						
	activities not included on line 10b,						
	whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12	Other income. Do not include gain						
	or loss from the sale of capital						
12	assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
	Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)		 	faculto au fifth tax		F01/a)/0) averaginat	<u> </u>
14	First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the	ū			•		ion,
200	check this box and stop heretion C. Computation of Publi		roontago				
	<u> </u>			L (f))		145	
	Public support percentage for 2021 (li						
	Public support percentage from 2020					16	•
	tion D. Computation of Inves		<u>~</u> _			147	
	Investment income percentage for 202						
	Investment income percentage from 2					18	
19a	33 1/3% support tests - 2021. If the						1 / is not
	more than 33 1/3%, check this box ar						▶∟
	33 1/3% support tests - 2020. If the	•			•	•	
	line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, che	ck this box and s	top here. The orga	anization qualifies a	as a publicly sup	oorted organization	▶∟
20	Private foundation. If the organization	n did not check a	a box on line 14, 19	a, or 19b, check t	his box and see i	nstructions	▶∟

Part IV Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box in line 12 on Part I. If you checked box 12a, Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked box 12b, Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked box 12c, Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked box 12d, Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

- 1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.
- 2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in **Part VI** how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).
- **3a** Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer lines 3b and 3c below.
- **b** Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If "Yes," describe in **Part VI** when and how the organization made the determination.
- c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.
- **4a** Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? *If* "Yes," and if you checked box 12a or 12b in Part I, answer lines 4b and 4c below.
- **b** Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in **Part VI** how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.
- c Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.
- 5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer lines 5b and 5c below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).
- **b** Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?
- c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?
- 6 Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- 7 Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (as defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).
- 8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described on line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).
- **9a** Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons, as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? If "Yes," provide detail in **Part VI.**
- **b** Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined on line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? *If* "Yes," *provide detail in* **Part VI.**
- c Did a disqualified person (as defined on line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- 10a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? If "Yes," answer line 10b below.
 - **b** Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)

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Par	t IV Supporting Organizations (continued)			
			Yes	No
11	Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?			
а	A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described on lines 11b and			
	11c below, the governing body of a supported organization?	11a		
b	A family member of a person described on line 11a above?	11b		
С	A 35% controlled entity of a person described on line 11a or 11b above? If "Yes" to line 11a, 11b, or 11c, provide			
	detail in Part VI.	11c		
Sect	tion B. Type I Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Did the governing body, members of the governing body, officers acting in their official capacity, or membership of one	or		
	more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's office			
	directors, or trustees at all times during the tax year? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s)			
	effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one support organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove officers, directors, or trustees were allocated among the			
	supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.	1		
	Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported	-		
	organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in			
	Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated,			
	supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.	2		
	tion C. Type II Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors		103	140
	or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control			
	or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed			
	the supported organization(s).	1		
	tion D. All Type III Supporting Organizations			
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1	Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the		163	140
	organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax			
	year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the			
	organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?	1		
	Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported	•		
	organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in Part VI how			
	the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).	2		
	By reason of the relationship described on line 2, above, did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's			
	income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's			
	supported organizations played in this regard.	9		
Sect	tion E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations			
	Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the yea(see instructions)	tions)		
' a	The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.	.10113).		
b	The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. <i>Complete line 3 below.</i>			
C	The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 bolow. The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a governmental entity (see instructio	ne)	
	Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b below.	see mstructio	Yes	No
	Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of		163	NO
	the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in Part VI identify			
	those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes,			
	how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined			
	that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.	2a		
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	Did the activities described on line 2a, above, constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in			
	Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in			
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	these activities but for the organization's involvement.	2b		
	Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer lines 3a and 3b below. Did the experiencies have the power to regularly experience a majority of the efficace directors are			
	Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or	0-		
	trustees of each of the supported organizations? If "Yes" or "No" provide details in Part VI.	3a		
	Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each			
	of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.	3b		

Par	t V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Support	ting Organ	izations	
1	Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualif	ying trust on I	Nov. 20, 1970 (explain in	Part VI). See instructions.
	All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations m	ust complete	Sections A through E.	
Section	on A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Net short-term capital gain	1		
2	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2		
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3		
4	Add lines 1 through 3.	4		
5	Depreciation and depletion	5		
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or			
	collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or			
	maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6		
	Other expenses (see instructions)	7		
	Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4)	8		
	on B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see			
	instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):			
а	Average monthly value of securities	1a		
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b		
С	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c		
d	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d		
е	Discount claimed for blockage or other factors			
	(explain in detail in Part VI):			
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2		
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3		
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 0.015 of line 3 (for greater amount,			
	see instructions).	4		
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5		
6	Multiply line 5 by 0.035.	6		
	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7		
	Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8		
	on C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, column A)	1		
	Enter 0.85 of line 1.	2		
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, column A)	3		
	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3.	4		
	Income tax imposed in prior year	5		
	Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to			
	emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).	6		
7	Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-function	nally integrate	d Type III supportina ora	anization (see

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instructions).

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Pa	t V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)	(3) Supporting Orga	nizations (continued)	
Sect	ion D - Distributions			Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt	t purposes	1	
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt pu	urposes of supported		
	organizations, in excess of income from activity		2	
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes o	f supported organization	s 3	
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets		4	
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required - provide	e details in Part VI)	5	
6	Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions.		6	
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.		7	
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the o	rganization is responsive		
	(provide details in Part VI). See instructions.		8	
9	Distributable amount for 2021 from Section C, line 6		9	
10	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount		10	
		(i)	(ii)	(iii) Distributable

Sect	ion E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2021	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2021
1	Distributable amount for 2021 from Section C, line 6			
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2021 (reason-			
	able cause required - explain in Part VI). See instructions.			
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2021			
а	From 2016			
b	From 2017			
c	From 2018			
d	From 2019			
е	From 2020			
f	Total of lines 3a through 3e			
g	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h	Applied to 2021 distributable amount			
i_	Carryover from 2016 not applied (see instructions)			
j	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f.			
4	Distributions for 2021 from Section D,			
	line 7: \$			
a	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b	Applied to 2021 distributable amount			
c	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4.			
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2021, if			
	any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater			
	than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
6	Remaining underdistributions for 2021. Subtract lines 3h			
	and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in			
	Part VI. See instructions.			
7	Excess distributions carryover to 2022. Add lines 3j			
	and 4c.			
8	Breakdown of line 7:			
a	Excess from 2017			
b	Excess from 2018			
С	Excess from 2019			
d	Excess from 2020			
е	Excess from 2021			

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Part VI	Supplemental Information. Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; Part III, line 12;
	Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a, and 3b; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V, Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information.
	(See instructions.)

Schedule B (Form 990)

Schedule of Contributors

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-PF.

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OMB No. 1545-0047

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

C.F	ALIFORNIA FARMLINK	94-3332030
Organization type (check o	one):	
Filers of:	Section:	
Form 990 or 990-EZ	\fbox{X} 501(c)(\ref{X}) (enter number) organization	
	4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust not treated as a private foundation	
	527 political organization	
Form 990-PF	501(c)(3) exempt private foundation	
	4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation	
	501(c)(3) taxable private foundation	
,	is covered by the General Rule or a Special Rule.)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Ru	ıle. See instructions.
General Rule		
	on filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling yone contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor	•
Special Rules		
sections 509(a)(1) contributor, during	on described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, arg the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000; or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) F., line 1. Complete Parts I and II.	nd that received from any one
contributor, during literary, or educati	on described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from g the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 exclusively for religious, charitable, so ional purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I (60) instead of the contributor name and address), II, and III.	ientific,
year, contributions is checked, enter purpose. Don't co	on described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from a exclusively for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled maker the total contributions that were received during the year for an exclusively religious amplete any of the parts unless the General Rule applies to this organization because it le, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year	ore than \$1,000. If this box , charitable, etc., received <i>nonexclusively</i>
answer "No" on Part IV, line	hat isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Fe 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, an requirements of Schedule B (Form 990)	

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Schedule B (Form 990) (2021)

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Part I	Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional	I space is needed.	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
No.	Name, address, and ZIP + 4	Total contributions	Type of contribution
1		\$\$	Person X Payroll
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
2		\$ 2,451,265.	Person X Payroll
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
3		\$160,211.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
No. 4	Name, address, and ZIP + 4	Total contributions \$ 2,150,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
5		\$172,832 .	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
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Name of organization Employer identification number

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Part I	Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if addition	al space is needed.	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
No.	Name, address, and ZIP + 4	Total contributions	Type of contribution
7		\$\$	Person X Payroll
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
8		\$\$	Person X Payroll
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
No.	Name, address, and ZIP + 4	Total contributions	Person Payroll Complete Part II for noncash contributions.
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
14O.	Name, address, and ZIP + 4	\$	Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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Part II	Noncash Property (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of P	art II if additional space is needed.	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
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		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
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		\$	

CALIFORNIA FARMLINK Part III Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations

com	m any one contributor. Complete columns (a pleting Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, and unlighted application of Port III if additional	charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or	less for the year. (Enter this info. once.)
). 	e duplicate copies of Part III if additional	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
- _			
		(e) Transfer of gif	it
	Transferee's name, address, a	and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
-	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
	Transferee's name, address, a	(e) Transfer of gif and ZIP + 4	it Relationship of transferor to transferee
	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
_		(e) Transfer of gif	
	Transferee's name, address, a		Relationship of transferor to transferee
<u> </u>	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
_			
-	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, a		

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

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

► Attach to Form 990.

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Name of the organization

CALIFORNIA FARMLINK

Employer identification number 94-3332630

Pai	t I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advise	d Funds or Other Similar Funds	or Accounts. Complete if the
	organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lin	e 6.	
		(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1	Total number at end of year		
2	Aggregate value of contributions to (during year)		
3	Aggregate value of grants from (during year)		
4	Aggregate value at end of year		
5	Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in v	writing that the assets held in donor advise	ed funds
	are the organization's property, subject to the organization's	_	
6	Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor a		
	for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor o		
Pai			
1	Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organizati	on (check all that apply).	
	Preservation of land for public use (for example, recrea	tion or education) Preservation of a	a historically important land area
	Protection of natural habitat	Preservation of a	a certified historic structure
	Preservation of open space		
2	Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualif	ied conservation contribution in the form o	of a conservation easement on the last
	day of the tax year.		Held at the End of the Tax Year
а	Total number of conservation easements		2a
b			
С	Number of conservation easements on a certified historic stru	ucture included in (a)	2c
d	Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired a		
	listed in the National Register		2d
3	Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, rel		
	year ▶		
4	Number of states where property subject to conservation eas	sement is located	
5	Does the organization have a written policy regarding the per	riodic monitoring, inspection, handling of	
	violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it	holds?	Yes No
6	Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting,		
	>		
7	Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, hand	lling of violations, and enforcing conservat	ion easements during the year
	> \$		
8	Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above	e satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i)
	and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?		Yes
9	In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation		
	balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footr	note to the organization's financial stateme	ents that describes the
	organization's accounting for conservation easements.		
Pai	t III Organizations Maintaining Collections of		her Similar Assets.
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form	990, Part IV, line 8.	
1a	If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 95	8, not to report in its revenue statement a	nd balance sheet works
	of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public	olic exhibition, education, or research in fu	therance of public
	service, provide in Part XIII the text of the footnote to its finar	ncial statements that describes these item	S.
b	If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 95	8, to report in its revenue statement and b	alance sheet works of
	art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public	exhibition, education, or research in furth	erance of public service,
	provide the following amounts relating to these items:		
	(i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1		> \$
	(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X		
2	If the organization received or held works of art, historical treatment		
	the following amounts required to be reported under FASB A	SC 958 relating to these items:	
а	Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1		> \$
b	Assets included in Form 990, Part X		▶ \$

Pa	t III Organizations Maintaining C	ollections of A	rt, Hist	orical Tr	easures,	or Other	Similar As	sets(continued)
3	Using the organization's acquisition, accession	on, and other record	ds, check	any of the	following tha	at make sigr	nificant use of	its
	collection items (check all that apply):							
а	Public exhibition	d	ι 🗆 ι	oan or exc	hange progra	am		
b	Scholarly research	е	. 🗌	Other				
С	Preservation for future generations							
4	Provide a description of the organization's co	llections and explai	n how th	ey further t	he organizati	on's exemp	t purpose in F	Part XIII.
5	During the year, did the organization solicit or	receive donations	of art, his	storical trea	sures, or oth	er similar as	ssets	
	to be sold to raise funds rather than to be ma	intained as part of t	the orgar	ization's c	ollection?			Yes No
Pa	t IV Escrow and Custodial Arrang	gements. Comple	ete if the	organizatio	n answered	"Yes" on Fo	orm 990, Part	IV, line 9, or
	reported an amount on Form 990, Par	t X, line 21.						
1a	Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodi	an or other intermed	diary for o	contribution	ns or other as	sets not inc	cluded	
	on Form 990, Part X?							Yes No
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII							
								Amount
С	Beginning balance						1c	
	Additions during the year						1d	
	Distributions during the year						1e	
f	Ending balance						1f	
2a	Did the organization include an amount on Fo						?	Yes No
<u>b</u>	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII.							
Pa	T V Endowment Funds. Complete if	the organization ar	swered '	'Yes" on F				
		(a) Current year	(b) Pr	ior year	(c) Two yea	rs back (d)	Three years ba	ck (e) Four years back
1a	Beginning of year balance							
b	Contributions							
	Net investment earnings, gains, and losses							
d	Grants or scholarships							
	Other expenditures for facilities							
	and programs							
f	Administrative expenses							
g	End of year balance							
2	Provide the estimated percentage of the curr	ent year end baland	ce (line 1	g, column (a)) held as:	•		•
а	Board designated or quasi-endowment	•	%					
b	Permanent endowment	%						
С	Term endowment							
	The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c show	uld equal 100%.						
За	Are there endowment funds not in the posse	ssion of the organiz	ation tha	t are held a	and administe	ered for the	organization	
	by:							Yes No
	(i) Unrelated organizations							3a(i)
	(ii) Related organizations							
b	If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organiza							
4	Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the	organization's endo	owment f	unds.				
Pa	rt VI Land, Buildings, and Equipm	ent.						
	Complete if the organization answered	d "Yes" on Form 990	0, Part IV	, line 11a. \$	See Form 990), Part X, lin	e 10.	
	Description of property	(a) Cost or o basis (investr			t or other (other)		ımulated ciation	(d) Book value
1a	Land							
	Buildings							
	Leasehold improvements			2	28,480.	2	2,375.	6,105.
	Equipment				8,260.		9,787.	48,473.
	Other		1					
	I. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must ed		X, colum	n (B), line	10c.)			54,578.

Part VII	Investments	- Other Securitie

Part VII Investments - Other Securities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes"	on Form 990. Part IV. line	11b. See Form 990. Part X. line 12	<u> </u>
(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or en	d-of-vear market value
(1) Financial derivatives	(-,	(-,	
(2) Closely held equity interests			
(3) Other			
(A)			
(B)			
(C)			
(D)			
(E)			
(F)			
(G)			
(H)			
Total. (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) Part VIII Investments - Program Related.			
Complete if the organization answered "Yes"	on Form 990 Part IV line 1	11.c Soo Form 990 Part V line 13	
(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or en	d-of-vear market value
(1) VARIOUS INVESTMENTS	9,885,888.	END-OF-YEAR MARKET	
(2)	3,003,000.		V11202
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			
(7)			
(8)			
(9)			
Total. (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.)	9,885,888.		
Part IX Other Assets.	E 000 B 1 11 / 11 / 1	44 L O . E	
Complete if the organization answered "Yes"		11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.	(h) Dook value
	Description		(b) Book value
(1)			
(2) (3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			
(7)			
(8)			
(9)			
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line	e 15.)	>	
Part X Other Liabilities.			
Complete if the organization answered "Yes"	on Form 990, Part IV, line	11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 2	
1. (a) Description of liability			(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes			
(2)			
(3)			
<u>(4)</u>			
(5)			
<u>(6)</u> (7)			
(8)			
(9)			
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line	e 25.)	>	
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^{2.} Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FASB ASC 740. Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII... X

Pai	t XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Stater	nents With	Revenue per R	eturn) .
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12	2a.			
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements			1	8,992,857.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:				
а	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments		40.000	-	
b	Donated services and use of facilities		48,288.	-	
С	Recoveries of prior year grants				
d	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	2d			40 200
е	Add lines 2a through 2d			2e	48,288.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			3	8,944,569.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:	1.1			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b			-	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)			1	0.
C E	Add lines 4a and 4b Total revenue Add lines 2 and 4a (This must aguel Form 900, Part I line 12.)			4c	8,944,569.
Pa	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.) rt XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial State			_	
·	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 1:		Lapended per	riota	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements			1	2,944,998.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:				
– a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	48,288.		
b	Prior year adjustments		·		
С	Other losses				
d		···			
е	Add lines 2a through 2d	•		2e	48,288.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			3	2,896,710.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:				
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a			
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b			
	Add lines 4a and 4b			4c	0.
	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)			5	2,896,710.
	rt XIII Supplemental Information.				
	ide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; P			4; Part	X, line 2; Part XI,
iines	2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any a	daitional inform	nation.		
PAI	RT X, LINE 2:				
FAI	RMLINK BELIEVES THAT IT HAS APPROPRIATE S	UPPORT	FOR TAX PO	SIT	IONS TAKEN,
					•
ANI	O THEREFORE DOES NOT HAVE ANY UNCERTAIN T	'AX POSI	TIONS THAT	' ARI	E MATERIAL
<u>TO</u>	THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. FARMLINK'S FED	ERAL AN	D STATE IN	FORI	MATION
RE'	TURNS FOR THE YEARS 2017 THROUGH 2020 ARE	SUBJEC	T TO EXAMI	NAT'.	LON FOR
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1111	REE AND FOUR YEARS RESPECTIVELY.				
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SCHEDULE (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations, Governments, and Individuals in the United States

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.

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% ⊠ **Employer identification number** Schedule I (Form 990) 2021 94-3332630 (h) Purpose of grant or assistance Yes Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection (g) Description of noncash assistance (f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other) (e) Amount of assistance noncash Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States. recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed. (d) Amount of cash grant Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table (c) IRC section (if applicable) LHA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990. Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table CALIFORNIA FARMLINK General Information on Grants and Assistance (b) EIN criteria used to award the grants or assistance? 1 (a) Name and address of organization or government Name of the organization Part Part

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Schedule I (Form 990) 2021 CALIFORNIA FARMLINK

Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22.

Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22.

(f) Description of noncash assistance									Schedule I (Form 990) 2021
(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)				dditional information.					
(d) Amount of non- cash assistance	• 0			(b); and any other a					
(c) Amount of cash grant	.000,000			e 2; Part III, column					
(b) Number of recipients	4			uired in Part I, lin					
(a) Type of grant or assistance	LOAN REPAYMENT			Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the information required in Part I, line 2; Part III, column (b); and any other additional information.					132102 10-26-21

SCHEDULE O (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury

Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1:

CALIFORNIA FARMLINK (FARMLINK), A CALIFORNIA NONPROFIT PUBLIC BENEFIT

CORPORATION, WAS FORMED IN 1999. ITS MISSION IS TO INVEST IN THE

PROSPERITY OF FARMERS AND RANCHERS THROUGH EDUCATION, LOANS, AND ACCESS

TO LAND. FARMLINK HELPS THE BUSINESSES IT SERVES TO BUILD STRONG

BUSINESS SKILLS, ACCESS FAIR FINANCING, AND ESTABLISH SECURE LAND

TENURE. FARMLINK WORKS ACROSS THE STATE, WITH PARTICULAR FOCUS ON THE

CENTRAL COAST, SACRAMENTO AND SAN JOAQUIN VALLEYS, AND THE NORTH COAST

REGIONS OF CALIFORNIA. TO HELP FARMERS, RANCHERS AND FISHERS ACCESS

LAND AND CAPITAL, GROW THEIR BUSINESSES, AND CREATE JOBS, FARMLINK

ORGANIZES ITS WORK INTO TWO PROGRAM AREAS, THE FARM AND RANCH

PROSPERITY LOAN PROGRAM, AND THE LAND ACCESS AND FARM BUSINESS

EDUCATION PROGRAM. SEE BELOW FOR MORE INFORMATION.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 2, NEW PROGRAM SERVICES:

IN 2021 WE BEGAN A FISHERIES LENDING PROGRAM, RECEIVING APPROVAL FROM
THE CALIFORNIA OCEAN PROTECTION COUNCIL TO ACQUIRE 15 LOANS TO MANAGE
THE CALIFORNIA FISHERIES FUND. WE ARE MAKING NEW LOANS WITH AN EYE TO
DIVERSIFYING THE PORTFOLIO AND SUPPORTING NEW ENTRANTS WHO ARE BUYING
THEIR FIRST BOAT OR TAKING OVER FROM A RETIRING FISHERY BUSINESS OWNER.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4A:

FARM AND RANCH PROSPERITY LOAN PROGRAM - PROVIDES FLEXIBLY STRUCTURED FINANCING TO UNDERSERVED, LOW INCOME, IMMIGRANT AND BEGINNING FARMERS,

RANCHERS AND FISHERS ACROSS CALIFORNIA FOR OPERATING, EQUIPMENT AND

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INFRASTRUCTURE LOANS. FARMLINK'S LOAN PROGRAM SERVES BORROWERS WHO WOULD OTHERWISE HAVE A DIFFICULT TIME SECURING FINANCING DUE TO LIMITED HISTORY AS ENTREPRENEURS, LIMITED TRADITIONAL COLLATERAL, LITTLE OR NO CREDIT HISTORY, SMALL LOAN SIZE, LANGUAGE BARRIERS, OR NON-TRADITIONAL MARKETING AND BUSINESS MODELS. FARMLINK ALSO DIRECTS FARMERS TO OTHER APPROPRIATE SOURCES OF FINANCING SUITED TO THE SCALE AND TYPE OF THE BUSINESS. FARMLINK MADE 126 AND 197 LOANS, WITH AN AVERAGE LOAN SIZE OF \$63,053 AND \$41,944 DURING 2021 AND 2020, RESPECTIVELY. IN 2021, AS AN SBA COMMUNITY ADVANTAGE LENDER, FARMLINK MADE 80 TARGETED PAYCHECK PROTECTION PROGRAM (PPP) FORGIVABLE LOANS TO COMMUNITIES UNDERSERVED BY THE TRADITIONAL COMMERCIAL BANKING RELATIONSHIPS. THESE LOANS FORMED THE BASIS OF DEPLOYMENT FOR CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC (COVID-19) RELIEF EFFORTS. FARMLINK FOCUSES ON PATHWAYS TO OWNERSHIP TO HELP GROWERS PLAN FOR LONG-TERM, LOWER-INTEREST LAND LOANS TO ESTABLISH SECURE LAND TENURE. WITH LAND OWNERSHIP, FARMERS BUILD EQUITY AND ARE ABLE TO EFFECTIVELY INVEST IN IMPROVEMENTS TO SOIL, FARM INFRASTRUCTURE AND HOUSING.

THE LOAN PROGRAM DATES BACK TO 2005 WHEN FARMLINK BEGAN DEVELOPING A

FARM LOAN FUND TO PROVIDE FINANCING TO GROWERS. FARMLINK IDENTIFIED A

LACK OF ACCESS TO FINANCING AS ONE OF THE TOP OBSTACLES FACED BY

SMALL-SCALE AND LOW-INCOME FARMERS. FOR FIVE YEARS, FARMLINK OPERATED

THE LOAN PROGRAM IN COLLABORATION WITH OTHER LENDING INSTITUTIONS:

FARMLINK RAISED AND LOANED FUNDS TO THE LENDING INSTITUTIONS WHO ACTED

AS THE LENDER OF RECORD TO MAKE LOANS TO SMALL FARMERS. FARMLINK

OBTAINED ITS OWN LENDING LICENSE FROM THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF

CORPORATIONS AT THE END OF 2010, SECURED GUARANTEED LENDER STATUS FROM

THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (USDA) FARM SERVICE AGENCY

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(FSA) IN 2011 AND HAS BEEN MAKING DIRECT LOANS TO GROWERS SINCE THE

FALL OF 2011. IN 2013, FARMLINK RECEIVED CERTIFICATION FROM THE U.S.

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY AS A COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FINANCIAL

INSTITUTION (CDFI). A CDFI IS A SPECIALIZED FINANCIAL INSTITUTION THAT

WORKS IN MARKETS THAT ARE UNDERSERVED BY TRADITIONAL FINANCIAL

INSTITUTIONS. WITH THIS CERTIFICATION, FARMLINK IS ELIGIBLE TO ACCESS

FINANCIAL AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AWARDS FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF

TREASURY'S CDFI FUND.

IN 2021, FARMLINK WAS APPROVED BY THE CALIFORNIA OCEAN PROTECTION

COUNCIL TO MANAGE THE "CALIFORNIA FISHERIES FUND." ACQUIRED FROM

COMMUNITY VISION CAPITAL & CONSULTING AT NO COST, THE PORTFOLIO

CONSISTS OF 15 SMALL BUSINESS LOANS FOR A TOTAL OF \$1,582,034. FARMLINK

IS PRIORITIZING LOANS TO BEGINNING, LOW-INCOME AND DISADVANTAGED

SMALL-SCALE FISHERS. FISHERS FROM THE COASTAL COMMUNITIES SURROUNDING

THE MONTEREY BAY AND SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PORTS ARE DIVERSE IN ETHNICITY

(LATINO, SICILIAN, VIETNAMESE), AND MANY COME FROM MULTI-GENERATIONAL

FISHING FAMILIES. SIMILAR TO TRENDS OBSERVED IN SMALL-SCALE

AGRICULTURE, THE AVERAGE AGE OF FISHERS IS 55-60, AND A CONSIDERABLE

TRANSITION IS UNDERWAY OVER THE NEXT 10 YEARS TO RETAIN THESE

BUSINESSES FOR THE NEXT GENERATION.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4B:

LAND ACCESS AND FARM BUSINESS EDUCATION PROGRAMS - LINKS LANDSEEKERS
WITH LANDHOLDERS AND PROVIDES EDUCATION AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE IN
BUSINESS SKILLS, INCLUDING FINANCIAL AND LEGAL ACUMEN AND SUCCESSION
PLANNING. FARMLINK'S LAND ACCESS AND FARM BUSINESS EDUCATION PROGRAMS

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ALSO BRING INCREASED FOCUS TO THE NEEDS OF DIFFERENT STAKEHOLDER GROUPS

THROUGH THREE PROGRAM AREAS: "EQUITY AND CONSERVATION ON WORKING LANDS

(ECWL)," "RESILIENCE," AND "LA RESILIENCIA Y LA PROSPERIDAD." ALL THREE

APPROACHES EMPLOY FARMLINK'S CORE TOOLS IN LENDING, LAND ACCESS,

BUSINESS EDUCATION AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO PROVIDE OPPORTUNITY FOR

GROWTH AND SUCCESS AMONG SMALL AND DIVERSE FARM AND FISHING

ENTREPRENEURS. IN 2021, FARMLINK STAFF PROVIDED DIRECT, INDIVIDUALIZED

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO 284 GROWERS AND LANDHOLDERS. PROGRAM DETAILS

AND OUTCOMES INCLUDE:

EQUITY AND CONSERVATION ON WORKING LANDS:

LAND ACCESS: FARMLINK INCREASES OPPORTUNITIES FOR CALIFORNIA FARMERS TO

ACQUIRE AFFORDABLE, SECURE, LONG-TERM ACCESS TO FARMLAND, WITH AN

EMPHASIS ON BEGINNING FARMERS AND BLACK, INDIGENOUS, AND PEOPLE OF

COLOR (BIPOC) FARMERS. THIS PROGRAM LINKS LANDSEEKERS WITH LANDHOLDERS,

MAINTAINS A DATABASE OF LAND AVAILABLE FOR LEASE OR SALE, CONNECTS

FARMERS AND LANDHOLDERS, FACILITATES THE DEVELOPMENT AND NEGOTIATION OF

STRONG AND EQUITABLE LEASE AGREEMENTS, AND SUPPORTS FARMERS SEEKING

FINANCING FOR LAND PURCHASES. SINCE 2011, FARMLINK STAFF HAS DEVELOPED

485 SUCCESSFUL LEASES OR PURCHASES TAILORED TO THE NEEDS OF LANDHOLDERS

AND GROWERS.

CONSERVATION OF FARMLAND: FARMLINK FOCUSES ITS MODEL AS AN AGRICULTURAL

CDFI TO SUPPORT LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS: ESTABLISHING SECURE LAND TENURE,

FARM SUCCESSION PLANNING TO MAINTAIN FARM BUSINESSES, AND CREATING

CONSERVATION INITIATIVES TO PROTECT AND IMPROVE NATURAL RESOURCES, SOIL

HEALTH, WATER QUALITY AND BIODIVERSITY. IMPORTANT ASPECTS OF THE WORK

INCLUDE DEEPENING PARTNERSHIPS WITH LAND TRUSTS AND CONSERVATION

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ORGANIZATIONS, AND MAKING LOANS DESIGNED TO SUPPORT REGENERATIVE

FARMING PRACTICES. DURING THE PERIOD OF 2020 TO 2021, FARMLINK

SUPPORTED 15 FARM BUSINESSES IN PURCHASING LAND OR TRANSITIONING THEIR

FARM BUSINESS TO NEW OWNERS/OPERATORS. OF THE \$7.9 MILLION FARMLINK

INVESTED IN THESE BUSINESSES, 68% SUPPORTED LAND LOANS FOR FARMERS OF

COLOR. FARMLINK APPLIES PROVEN STRATEGIES TO HELP LANDHOLDERS WORK WITH

SMALL FARMERS, PROMOTE A NEW PUBLICATION TO SUPPORT THE DEVELOPMENT OF

REGENERATIVE GRAZING LEASES, AND INVITE MORE LANDHOLDERS TO BE PART OF

ECWL.

SUCCESSION: FARMLINK'S SUCCESSION PROGRAM, "THE REGENERATOR: A YEAR OF

FARM SUCCESSION PLANNING," IS A 12-MONTH COURSE THAT WORKS WITH A SMALL

COHORT OF FARM FAMILIES AND THEIR SUCCESSORS TO GENERATE PLANS THAT

SUPPORT TRANSITION TO THE NEXT GENERATION OF FARMERS. PARTICIPANTS

CONVENE MONTHLY TO LEARN FROM PROFESSIONALS, COMPARE NOTES WITH THEIR

PEERS, AND WORK STEP-BY-STEP TO PLAN FOR THEIR FINANCIAL AND FAMILY

WELL-BEING, AND THE HEALTH AND CONTINUITY OF THEIR WORKING FARMS AND

RANCHES.

WEALTH BUILDING AND RESILIENCE:

FARMLINK'S EDUCATION PROGRAMS ASSIST FARMERS, RANCHERS AND FISHERS IN

UNDERSTANDING THE LEGAL AND FINANCIAL STRUCTURE OF THEIR BUSINESSES AND

HELP THEM ESTABLISH PRACTICES THAT WILL ENSURE THE FARM, RANCH OR

FISHING BUSINESS IS RESILIENT TO FINANCIAL AND LEGAL RISKS, AND ABLE TO

REMAIN VIABLE OVER THE LONG-TERM. THE SPANISH-LANGUAGE WEALTH BUILDING

PROGRAM, LA RESILIENCIA Y LA PROSPERIDAD, ASSISTS FARMERS, RANCHERS AND

FISHERS WITH LIMITED FORMAL EDUCATION OR ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

TO BUILD FINANCIAL STABILITY, INCLUDING THE ABILITY TO RECOVER FROM

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SHORT TERM SETBACKS, THE ABILITY TO SAVE FOR RETIREMENT AND THE ABILITY

TO PASS WEALTH TO FUTURE GENERATIONS. THE ENGLISH-LANGUAGE "RESILIENCE"

PROGRAM PROVIDES COMPREHENSIVE BEGINNING AND INTERMEDIATE FARM, RANCH

AND FISHERY BUSINESS TRAINING. DURING 2021, A TOTAL OF 34 GROWERS

COMPLETED THE PARALLEL, 10-WEEK ENGLISH AND SPANISH LANGUAGE CURRICULA,

WITH FOLLOW-ON BOOKKEEPING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE. BOTH

THE ENGLISH AND SPANISH LANGUAGE PROGRAMS USE A COMPREHENSIVE

SELF-ASSESSMENT TOOL (THE FARMLINK BUSINESS RESILIENCE SELF-ASSESSMENT)

TO HELP PARTICIPANTS SET LEARNING GOALS AND TO ASSIST IN LONG-TERM

EVALUATION OF HOW EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING SHAPES FUTURE BUSINESS

SUCCESS.

FARMLINK ENGAGES CONSULTANTS WITH EXPERTISE IN ADULT PEDAGOGY AND
LEADERSHIP FROM AGRICULTURAL BUSINESS ADVISORS FROM THE COMMUNITIES

FARMLINK SERVES TO DESIGN AND DELIVER PROGRAMMING THAT IS RESPONSIVE TO
HOW A COHORT OF PARTICIPANTS LEARN NEW SKILLS AND BEHAVIORS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 3:

CALIFORNIA FARMLINK CONTRACTS WITH JONATHAN HARRISON TO PERFORM THE DUTIES
OF CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER AT APPROXIMATELY 10 HOURS PER WEEK.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11B:

THE PROCESS TO PREPARE AND REVIEW FORM 990:

THE FORM 990 IS PREPARED BASED ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AUDITED BY LINDQUIST VON HUSEN & JOYCE LLP OF SAN FRANCISCO. IN JULY OF 2022, CALIFORNIA FARMLINK CONDUCTED A FULL INTERNAL QUALITATIVE AND QUANTITATIVE REVIEW OF 2021'S FORM 990. REVIEWERS INCLUDED THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, CHIEF

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FINANCIAL OFFICER, DIRECTOR OF COMMUNICATIONS AND PHILANTHROPY, DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT AND IMPACT, AND THE FINANCE AND OPERATIONS MANAGER. THEN, A DRAFT COPY WAS DISTRIBUTED TO THE AUDIT COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR REVIEW, AND FORMALLY PRESENTED TO THE FULL BOARD OF DIRECTORS PRIOR TO CALIFORNIA FARMLINK'S AUGUST 2022 BOARD MEETING. THE BOARD APPROVED THE 2021 FORM 990 AS PRESENTED. THE DOCUMENT WAS THEN FILED.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C:

THE PROCESS TO MONITOR CONFLICT OF INTEREST:

CALIFORNIA FARMLINK AND ITS LEADERSHIP AND STAFF (ASSOCIATES) ARE SUBJECT
TO LEGAL REQUIREMENTS RELATING TO CONFLICTS OF INTEREST OUTLINED IN
FARMLINK'S CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY. ASSOCIATES ARE TO PROMPTLY DISCLOSE
IN WRITING TO FARMLINK ANY AFFILIATIONS OR OTHER MATTERS THAT CONSTITUTE OR
COULD RESULT IN A CONFLICT OF INTEREST, WHENEVER THERE IS ANY DOUBT ABOUT
WHETHER DISCLOSURE IS REQUIRED. ASSOCIATES ARE SUBJECT TO APPROPRIATE
DISCIPLINARY AND/OR CORRECTIVE ACTIONS FOR A FAILURE TO DISCLOSE ACTUAL OR
POSSIBLE CONFLICT OF INTEREST.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15A:

THE PROCESS FOR DETERMINING THE CEO'S COMPENSATION:

A COMPENSATION ANALYSIS WAS PREPARED BY THE FINANCE AND OPERATIONS MANAGER

UTILIZING CONTEMPORANEOUS SALARY SURVEYS AND DATA FROM SIMILAR NOT FOR

PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, REVIEWED BY AN INDEPENDENT HUMAN RESOURCE SPECIALIST,

AND SUBMITTED TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR APPROVAL. DELIBERATIONS ARE

DOCUMENTED IN CALIFORNIA FARMLINK'S BOARD MINUTES.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19:

AVAILABILITY OF GOVERNING DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY, AND

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS: THESE DOCUMENTS ARE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST. AUDITED FINANCIAL ON OUR WEBSITE.	NCIALS ARE POSTED
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ON OUR WEBSITE.	
FORM 990, PART IX, LINE 11G, OTHER FEES:	
PROFESSIONAL FEES:	
PROGRAM SERVICE EXPENSES	365,904.
MANAGEMENT AND GENERAL EXPENSES	100,265.
FUNDRAISING EXPENSES	11,753.
TOTAL EXPENSES	477,922.
TOTAL OTHER FEES ON FORM 990, PART IX, LINE 11G, COL A	477,922.
FORM 990, PART XII, LINE 2C:	
RESPONSIBILITY FOR OVERSIGHT OF AUDIT AND SELECTION OF IN	IDEPENDENT
ACCOUNTANTS:	
CALIFORNIA FARMLINK'S AUDIT COMMITTEE WAS ESTABLISHED AS	AN ADVISORY
COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, AND HAS ASSUMED RESE	PONSIBILITY FOR
OVERSIGHT OF THE AUDIT AND AUDITOR SELECTION PROCESS.	