

Return of Private Foundation
or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation

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For calendar year 2022 or tax year beginning , **2022**, and ending , **20**

Name of foundation <u>Forever Our Rivers Foundation</u>		A Employer identification number 81-3496752
Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address) <u>601 Rambling Road</u>	Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) 9702759712
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code <u>Grand Junction CO 81507</u>		C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>
G Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>
H Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) \$ <u>1,880,070.</u>	J Accounting method: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____ (Part I, column (d), must be on cash basis.)	F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions).)		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)	953,148.			
	2 Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	31,467.	31,467.		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	-14,476.	L-6a Stmt		
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a <u>218,765.</u>				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		0.		
	8 Net short-term capital gain			0.	
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b Less: Cost of goods sold					
c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)					
11 Other income (attach schedule) See Stmt	1,000.				
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	971,139.	31,467.	0.		
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.				
	14 Other employee salaries and wages	160,174.			
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits	10,202.			
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)				
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)	13,227.	0.		
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) See Stmt	12,914.			
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings	5,450.			
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule) See Stmt	128,803.			
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	330,770.	0.		
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	215,358.			
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	546,128.	0.			
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	425,011.				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		31,467.			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			0.		

Part II Balance Sheets Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only. (See instructions.)		Beginning of year	End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing	102,816.	542,642.	542,642.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	200,000.		
	3 Accounts receivable 396,000.			
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts		396,000.	450,000.
	4 Pledges receivable			
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts			
	5 Grants receivable			
	6 Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)			
	7 Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule)			
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts			
	8 Inventories for sale or use			
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10a Investments—U.S. and state government obligations (attach schedule)			
	b Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)			
	c Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)			
	11 Investments—land, buildings, and equipment: basis			
Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)				
12 Investments—mortgage loans				
13 Investments—other (attach schedule) L-13 Stmt	1,370,132.	1,168,815.	887,428.	
14 Land, buildings, and equipment: basis				
Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)				
15 Other assets (describe)				
16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	1,672,948.	2,107,457.	1,880,070.	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses		9,498.	
	18 Grants payable			
	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)			
	22 Other liabilities (describe)			
	23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)		9,498.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here and complete lines 24, 25, 29, and 30. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	24 Net assets without donor restrictions	302,816.	929,144.	
	25 Net assets with donor restrictions	1,370,132.	1,168,815.	
	Foundations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here and complete lines 26 through 30. <input type="checkbox"/>			
	26 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
	27 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund			
	28 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds			
29 Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	1,672,948.	2,097,959.		
30 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	1,672,948.	2,107,457.		

Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances			
1 Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year—Part II, column (a), line 29 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)		1	1,672,948.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a		2	425,011.
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize)		3	
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3		4	2,097,959.
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize)		5	
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 29		6	2,097,959.

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (for example, real estate, 2-story brick warehouse; or common stock, 200 shs. MLC Co.)		(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1a	Vanguard Short Term Bond Fund	P	04/23/2021	06/08/2022
b	Vanguard Short Term Bond Fund	P	04/23/2021	03/03/2022
c	Capital Gain Distributions	P	12/31/2022	12/31/2022
d				
e				

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) ((e) plus (f) minus (g))
a 200,117.		213,943.	-13,826.
b 18,648.		19,298.	-650.
c 184.		0.	184.
d			
e			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69.

(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any	(l) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))
a			-13,826.
b			-650.
c			184.
d			
e			

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) { If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }	2	-14,292.
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6): If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c). See instructions. If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8 }	3	-466.

Part V Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), or 4948—see instructions)

1a Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter "N/A" on line 1. Date of ruling or determination letter: _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary—see instructions)	1	437.
b All other domestic foundations enter 1.39% (0.0139) of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations, enter 4% (0.04) of Part I, line 12, col. (b) }		
2 Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only; others, enter -0-)	2	0.
3 Add lines 1 and 2	3	437.
4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only; others, enter -0-)	4	0.
5 Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-	5	437.
6 Credits/Payments:		
a 2022 estimated tax payments and 2021 overpayment credited to 2022 6a		
b Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source 6b		
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868) 6c 437.		
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld 6d		
7 Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7	437.
8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached	8	
9 Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9	0.
10 Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10	0.
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2023 estimated tax Refunded 11		

Part VI-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
1a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?		X
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes? See the instructions for the definition If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b , attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.		X
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation. \$ _____ (2) On foundation managers. \$ _____		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. \$ _____		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.		X
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes		X
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by <i>General Instruction T</i> .		X
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	X	
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XIV	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered. See instructions. CO		
b If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by <i>General Instruction G</i> ? If "No," attach explanation	X	
9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2022 or the tax year beginning in 2022? See the instructions for Part XIII. If "Yes," complete Part XIII		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses	X	
11 At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule. See instructions		X
12 Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement. See instructions		X
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address <u>N/A</u>	X	
14 The books are in care of <u>Arete Bookkeeping LLC</u> Telephone no. <u>(970) 948-5821</u> Located at <u>1128 Ouray Ave Grand Junction CO</u> ZIP+4 <u>81501</u>		
15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 —check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 15		
16 At any time during calendar year 2022, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country		X

Part VI-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.

	Yes	No
1a During the year, did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):		
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person?	1a(1)	X
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?	1a(2)	X
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?	1a(3)	X
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?	1a(4)	X
(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)?	1a(5)	X
(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days.)	1a(6)	X
b If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions	1b	
c Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here <input type="checkbox"/>		
d Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2022?	1d	X
2 Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)):		
a At the end of tax year 2022, did the foundation have any undistributed income (Part XII, lines 6d and 6e) for tax year(s) beginning before 2022?	2a	X
If "Yes," list the years 20 ____ , 20 ____ , 20 ____ , 20 ____		
b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see instructions.)	2b	
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here. 20 ____ , 20 ____ , 20 ____ , 20 ____		
3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?	3a	X
b If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2022 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969; (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest; or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Form 4720, Schedule C, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2022.)	3b	
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a	X
b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2022?	4b	X

Part VI-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required *(continued)*

	Yes	No
5a During the year, did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:		
(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?		X
(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?		X
(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?		X
(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? See instructions		X
(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?		X
b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions		
c Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here <input type="checkbox"/>		
d If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant? If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d).		
6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?		X
b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.		X
7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		X
b If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?		
8 Is the foundation subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or excess parachute payment(s) during the year?		X

Part VII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors

1 List all officers, directors, trustees, and foundation managers and their compensation. See instructions.

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (if not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
Tim Carlson 601 Rambling Road Grand Junction CO 81507	Dir, Pres Sec'y 20.00	0.		
Robyn Paulekas P.O. Box 1479 Frisco CO 80443	Dir, Treas 1.00	0.		
Donna D'Angelo 827 Lincoln Ct Palisade CO 81526	Director 1.00	0.		
See Statement	43.00	102,500.		

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1—see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
Ann Johnston 115 Whiterock Avenue, #1952 Crested Butte CO 81224	Executive Director 40.00	102,500.	9,600.	

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 0

Part VII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors *(continued)*

3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services. See instructions. If none, enter "NONE."

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

Part VIII-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.

	Expenses
1 See attached statement.	
2	215,358.
3	
4	

Part VIII-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.

	Amount
1	
2	
3 All other program-related investments. See instructions.	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3	

Part IX Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	0.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1.5% (0.015) of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	0.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3	5	0.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% (0.05) of line 5	6	0.

Part X Distributable Amount (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations, check here and do not complete this part.)

1	Minimum investment return from Part IX, line 6	1	0.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2022 from Part V, line 5	2a	437.
b	Income tax for 2022. (This does not include the tax from Part V.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	437.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	0.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	0.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XII, line 1	7	0.

Part XI Qualifying Distributions (see instructions)

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc.—total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1a	
b	Program-related investments—total from Part VIII-B	1b	
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part XII, line 4	4	

Part XII Undistributed Income (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2021	(c) 2021	(d) 2022
1 Distributable amount for 2022 from Part X, line 7				0.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2022:				
a Enter amount for 2021 only				
b Total for prior years: 20____, 20____, 20____				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2022:				
a From 2017				0.
b From 2018				0.
c From 2019				1,000.
d From 2020				0.
e From 2021				0.
f Total of lines 3a through e	1,000.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2022 from Part XI, line 4: \$ _____				
a Applied to 2021, but not more than line 2a				
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions)				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions)				
d Applied to 2022 distributable amount				
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2022 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)				
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5	1,000.			
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b		0.		
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount—see instructions		0.		
e Undistributed income for 2021. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount—see instructions			0.	
f Undistributed income for 2022. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2023				0.
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required—see instructions)				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2017 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)	0.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2023. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	1,000.			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2018				0.
b Excess from 2019				1,000.
c Excess from 2020				0.
d Excess from 2021				0.
e Excess from 2022				0.

Part XIII Private Operating Foundations (see instructions and Part VI-A, question 9)

N/A

1a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2022, enter the date of the ruling

b Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)

	Tax year				(e) Total
	(a) 2022	(b) 2021	(c) 2020	(d) 2019	
2a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part IX for each year listed					
b 85% (0.85) of line 2a					
c Qualifying distributions from Part XI, line 4, for each year listed					
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon:					
a "Assets" alternative test—enter:					
(1) Value of all assets					
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
b "Endowment" alternative test—enter ² / ₃ of minimum investment return shown in Part IX, line 6, for each year listed					
c "Support" alternative test—enter:					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

Part XIV Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year—see instructions.)

1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

a List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000). (See section 507(d)(2).)

b List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest.

2 Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:

Check here if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc., to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d. See instructions.

a The name, address, and telephone number or email address of the person to whom applications should be addressed:

See Supplementary Information Statement

b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include:

c Any submission deadlines:

d Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors:

Part XIV Supplementary Information *(continued)*

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
a Paid during the year				
RiversEdge West P.O. 1907 Grand Junction CO 81502		Active	Restoration	76,677.
Grand Staircase Escalante Partners P.O. Box 53 Kanab UT 84741		Active	Restoration	39,408.
Friends of the Verde River P.O. Box 2535 Cottonwood AZ 86326		Active	Restoration	43,650.
Gila Watershed Partnership P.O. Box 1614 Thatcher AZ 85552		Active	Restoration	39,898.
Western Slope Conservation Center 204 Poplar Avenue Paonia CO 81428		Active	Restoration	5,000.
Colorado Canyons Association 543 Main St, #4 Grand Junction CO 81501		Active	Restoration	4,500.
High Country Conservation Advocates P.O. Box 1066 Crested Butte CO 81224		Active	Restoration	3,750.
Colorado West Land Trust 1006 Main St Grand Junction CO 81501		Active	Restoration	2,475.
Total			3a	215,358.
b Approved for future payment				
Total			3b	

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Part XV, Line 2: Supplementary Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc.

Continuation Statement

Name and Address Information	Form Information	Submission Information	Restrictions
Ann Johnston 115 Whiterock Avenue #1952 Crested Butte, CO 81224 Ann@ForeverOurRivers.org 970-275-9712	See website	None	See website

Form 990-PF: Return of Private Foundation

Part VIII: Information about Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors **Continuation Statement**

Name and address	Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	Compensation	Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	Expense account, other allowances
Jim Francis 4019 Harbor Walk Lane Fort Collins, CO 80525	Director 1.00	0.		
Chip Norton P.O.1671 Camp Verde, AZ 86322	Director 1.00	0.		
Steve Ayers 176 Merchant Lane Camp Verde, AZ 86322	Director 1.00	0.		
Ann Johnston 115 Whiterock Ave #1952 Crested Butte, CO 81224	Executive Director 40.00	102,500.		
		102,500.	0.	0.

Additional Information From Form 990-PF: Return of Private Foundation

Form 990-PF: Return of Private Foundation

Other Income

Continuation Statement

Description	Revenue and Expense per Book	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income
Royalties	1,000.		
Total	1,000.		

Form 990-PF: Return of Private Foundation

Taxes

Continuation Statement

Description	Revenue and Expense per Book	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursement for charitable purpose
Payroll Taxes	12,914.			
Total	12,914.			

Form 990-PF: Return of Private Foundation

Other Expenses

Continuation Statement

Description	Revenue and Expense per Book	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursement for charitable purpose
Advertising & promotion	10,539.			
Insurance	2,450.			
Program Consulting Services	97,936.			
Bank Charges	380.			
IT and Communications	10,502.			
Office Expense	1,801.			
Rent	960.			
Other Expenses	4,235.			
Total	128,803.			

Name Forever Our Rivers Foundation	Employer Identification No. 81-3496752
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Asset Information:

Description of Property Vanguard Short Term Bond
 Business Code 999999 Exclusion Code
 Date Acquired 04/23/21 How Acquired
 Date Sold 03/03/22 Name of Buyer
 Check Box, if Buyer is a Business
 Sales Price 18,648 . Cost or other basis (do not reduce by depreciation) 19,298 .
 Sales Expense Valuation Method
 Total Gain (Loss) -650 . Accumulated Depreciation

Description of Property Vanguard Short Term Bond Fund
 Business Code 999999 Exclusion Code
 Date Acquired 04/23/21 How Acquired
 Date Sold 06/08/22 Name of Buyer
 Check Box, if Buyer is a Business
 Sales Price 200,117 . Cost or other basis (do not reduce by depreciation) 213,943 .
 Sales Expense Valuation Method
 Total Gain (Loss) -13,826 . Accumulated Depreciation

Description of Property
 Business Code Exclusion Code
 Date Acquired How Acquired
 Date Sold Name of Buyer
 Check Box, if Buyer is a Business
 Sales Price Cost or other basis (do not reduce by depreciation)
 Sales Expense Valuation Method
 Total Gain (Loss) Accumulated Depreciation

Description of Property
 Business Code Exclusion Code
 Date Acquired How Acquired
 Date Sold Name of Buyer
 Check Box, if Buyer is a Business
 Sales Price Cost or other basis (do not reduce by depreciation)
 Sales Expense Valuation Method
 Total Gain (Loss) Accumulated Depreciation

Description of Property
 Business Code Exclusion Code
 Date Acquired How Acquired
 Date Sold Name of Buyer
 Check Box, if Buyer is a Business
 Sales Price Cost or other basis (do not reduce by depreciation)
 Sales Expense Valuation Method
 Total Gain (Loss) Accumulated Depreciation

Totals:

Total Gain (Loss) of all assets -14,476 .
 Gross Sales Price of all assets 218,765 .
 Unrelated Business Income -14,476 . Business Code . 999999
 Excluded by section 512, 513, 514 Exclusion Code
 Related/Exempt Function Income

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Line 10a - Investments - US and State Government Obligations:	End of Year		End of Year	
	State and Local Obligations Book Value	State and Local Obligations FMV	US Government Obligations Book Value	US Government Obligations FMV
Tot to Fm 990-PF, Pt II, Ln 10a				

Line 10b - Investments - Corporate Stock:	End of Year	
	Book Value	Fair Market Value
Totals to Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 10b		

Line 10c - Investments - Corporate Bonds:	End of Year	
	Book Value	Fair Market Value
Totals to Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 10c		

Line 12 - Investments - Mortgage loans:	End of Year	
	Book Value	Fair Market Value
Totals to Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 12		

Line 13 - Investments - Other:	End of Year	
	Book Value	Fair Market Value
Money Market and Mutual Funds - Fidelity	1,168,815.	887,428.
Totals to Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 13	1,168,815.	887,428.

Schedule B (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-PF. Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.

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2022

Table with 2 columns: Name of the organization (Forever Our Rivers Foundation) and Employer identification number (81-3496752)

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

- Form 990 or 990-EZ: 501(c)() (enter number) organization, 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust not treated as a private foundation, 527 political organization
Form 990-PF: 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation, 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation, 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the General Rule or a Special Rule.

Note: Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

General Rule

- For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

Special Rules

- For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000; or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.
For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I (entering "N/A" in column (b) instead of the contributor name and address), II, and III.
For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions exclusively for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an exclusively religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the General Rule applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year \$

Caution: An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990), but it must answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990).

Name of organization Forever Our Rivers Foundation	Employer identification number 81-3496752
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Part I **Contributors** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	My Good Fund 2223 South Highland Drive, Ste E6 #133 Salt Lake City UT 84106	\$ 946,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
-----	-----	\$ -----	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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-----	-----	\$ -----	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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Name of organization Forever Our Rivers Foundation	Employer identification number 81-3496752
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Part II **Noncash Property** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) <small>(See instructions.)</small>	(d) Date received
-----	----- ----- -----	\$ -----	-----
-----	----- ----- -----	\$ -----	-----
-----	----- ----- -----	\$ -----	-----
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-----	----- ----- -----	\$ -----	-----

Name of organization Forever Our Rivers Foundation	Employer identification number 81-3496752
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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 completing Part III, enter the total of *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions of **\$1,000 or less** for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions.) \$ _____
 Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
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Application for Automatic Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

(Rev. January 2022)

OMB No. 1545-0047

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

► **File a separate application for each return.**
► **Go to www.irs.gov/Form8868 for the latest information.**

Electronic filing (e-file). You can electronically file Form 8868 to request a 6-month automatic extension of time to file any of the forms listed below with the exception of Form 8870, Information Return for Transfers Associated With Certain Personal Benefit Contracts, for which an extension request must be sent to the IRS in paper format (see instructions). For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit www.irs.gov/e-file-providers/e-file-for-charities-and-non-profits.

Automatic 6-Month Extension of Time. Only submit original (no copies needed).

All corporations required to file an income tax return other than Form 990-T (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns.

Type or print File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.	Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions. <u>Forever Our Rivers Foundation</u>	Taxpayer identification number (TIN) <u>81-3496752</u>
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. <u>601 Rambling Road</u>	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. <u>Grand Junction CO 81507</u>	

Enter the Return Code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return) 0 4

Application Is For	Return Code	Application Is For	Return Code
Form 990 or Form 990-EZ	01	Form 1041-A	08
Form 4720 (individual)	03	Form 4720 (other than individual)	09
Form 990-PF	04	Form 5227	10
Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	05	Form 6069	11
Form 990-T (trust other than above)	06	Form 8870	12
Form 990-T (corporation)	07		

• The books are in the care of ► Arete Bookkeeping LLC

Telephone No. ► (970) 948-5821 Fax No. ► _____

- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box ►
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) _____ . If this is for the whole group, check this box ► . If it is for part of the group, check this box ► and attach a list with the names and TINs of all members the extension is for.

1 I request an automatic 6-month extension of time until Nov 15, 20 23, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:
 ► calendar year 20 22 or
 ► tax year beginning _____, 20 _____, and ending _____, 20 _____.

2 If the tax year entered in line 1 is for less than 12 months, check reason: Initial return Final return
 Change in accounting period

3a If this application is for Forms 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	3a	\$	437.
b If this application is for Forms 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit.	3b	\$	0.
c Balance due. Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	3c	\$	437.

Caution: If you are going to make an electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-TE and Form 8879-TE for payment instructions.

IRS e-file Signature Authorization for a Tax Exempt Entity

For calendar year 2022, or fiscal year beginning _____, 2022, and ending _____, 20_____

2022

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Do not send to the IRS. Keep for your records.
Go to www.irs.gov/Form8879TE for the latest information.

Name of filer <u>Forever Our Rivers Foundation</u>	EIN or SSN <u>81-3496752</u>
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Name and title of officer or person subject to tax
Tim Carlson, Executive Director

Part I Type of Return and Return Information

Check the box for the return for which you are using this Form 8879-TE and enter the applicable amount, if any, from the return. Form 8038-CP and Form 5330 filers may enter dollars and cents. For all other forms, enter whole dollars only. If you check the box on line **1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a, or 10a** below, and the amount on that line for the return being filed with this form was blank, then leave line **1b, 2b, 3b, 4b, 5b, 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, or 10b**, whichever is applicable, blank (do not enter -0-). But, if you entered -0- on the return, then enter -0- on the applicable line below. **Do not** complete more than one line in Part I.

1a Form 990 check here . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12) . . .	1b _____
2a Form 990-EZ check here . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990-EZ, line 9)	2b _____
3a Form 1120-POL check here . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total tax (Form 1120-POL, line 22)	3b _____
4a Form 990-PF check here . . . <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b Tax based on investment income (Form 990-PF, Part V, line 5)	4b <u>437.</u>
5a Form 8868 check here . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	b Balance due (Form 8868, line 3c)	5b _____
6a Form 990-T check here . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total tax (Form 990-T, Part III, line 4)	6b _____
7a Form 4720 check here . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total tax (Form 4720, Part III, line 1)	7b _____
8a Form 5227 check here . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	b FMV of assets at end of tax year (Form 5227, Item D)	8b _____
9a Form 5330 check here . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	b Tax due (Form 5330, Part II, line 19)	9b _____
10a Form 8038-CP check here . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	b Amount of credit payment requested (Form 8038-CP, Part III, line 22)	10b _____

Part II Declaration and Signature Authorization of Officer or Person Subject to Tax

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I am an officer of the above entity or I am a person subject to tax with respect to (name of entity) _____, (EIN) _____ and that I have examined a copy of the 2022 electronic return and accompanying schedules and statements, and, to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I further declare that the amount in Part I above is the amount shown on the copy of the electronic return. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send the return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS (a) an acknowledgement of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, (b) the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and (c) the date of any refund. If applicable, I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) entry to the financial institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of the federal taxes owed on this return, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account. To revoke a payment, I must contact the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent at 1-888-353-4537 no later than 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial institutions involved in the processing of the electronic payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and resolve issues related to the payment. I have selected a personal identification number (PIN) as my signature for the electronic return and, if applicable, the consent to electronic funds withdrawal.

PIN: check one box only

I authorize Jeff Wendland, CPA, LLC to enter my PIN

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 as my signature

ERO firm name

Enter five numbers, but do not enter all zeros

on the tax year 2022 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I also authorize the aforementioned ERO to enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

As an officer or person subject to tax with respect to the entity, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the tax year 2022 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I will enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

Signature of officer or person subject to tax _____ Date _____

Part III Certification and Authentication

ERO's EFIN/PIN. Enter your six-digit electronic filing identification number (EFIN) followed by your five-digit self-selected PIN.

8	4	5	7	6	6	6	4	0	0	0
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Do not enter all zeros

I certify that the above numeric entry is my PIN, which is my signature on the 2022 electronically filed return indicated above. I confirm that I am submitting this return in accordance with the requirements of **Pub. 4163**, Modernized e-File (MeF) Information for Authorized IRS e-file Providers for Business Returns.

ERO's signature _____ Date _____

ERO Must Retain This Form – See Instructions
Do Not Submit This Form to the IRS Unless Requested To Do So

Miscellaneous Statement

2022

Name	Identification Number
Forever Our Rivers Foundation	81-3496752

Part VIII-A - Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

Forever Our Rivers Foundation largest charitable gifts came from its Southwest Rivers Stewardship fund and included \$215,358 in giving to the four following organizations:

- RiversEdge West, Colorado
- Grand Staircase Escalante Partners, Utah
- Friends of the Verde River, Utah
- The Gila Watershed Partnership, Arizona

These awards support river restoration that improves natural habitat along and within rivers, floodplain connectivity and overall function of the Delores, Escalante, Gila and Verde Rivers, all tributaries of the Colorado River. Grantmaking enables the protection of a legacy of river restoration projects undertaken by the communities that live along these rivers, and helps ensure long-term health and resilience. In addition to protecting native species, hundreds of local residents and youth, and thousands of anglers, rafters and boaters are served by these grants. Forever Our Rivers Foundation is committed to deepening relationships with marginalized communities across the West to help create space and opportunity for excluded groups who want to protect rivers in their communities.

Total

990-EZ, 990, 990-T and 990-PF
Information Worksheet

2022

Part I – Identifying Information

Employer Identification Number . 81-3496752
Name Forever Our Rivers Foundation
Doing Business As
Address 601 Rambling Road Room/Suite .
City Grand Junction State . . . CO ZIP Code . . 81507
Province/State Foreign Postal Code . .
Foreign Code Foreign Country
Telephone Number (970) 275-9712 Extension . Foreign Phone No .
Fax E-Mail Address . . tim@foreverourrivers.org

Eligible for hurricane tax relief legislation benefits, check here

Part II – Type of Return

IMPORTANT

For tax years beginning on or after July 2, 2019, section 3101 of P.L. 116-25 requires that returns by exempt organizations be filed electronically. The appropriate electronic filing box(es) must be checked in Part VII - Electronic Filing Information.

- Form 990-EZ only
- Form 990 only
- Form 990-PF only
- Form 990-T only
- Form 990-EZ and Form 990-T
- Form 990 and Form 990-T
- Form 990-PF and Form 990-T
- Form 990-N (gross receipts \$50,000 or less)

QuickBooks Import Users & 990 to 990-EZ Data Transfer Option: Check if you're filing the EZ & want 990 imported data copied to the EZ OR for those not importing from QuickBooks who transferred from prior year 990 and now qualify to file the EZ this year, check this box to transfer 990 data to the EZ.

IMPORTANT

Before transferring data from Form 990 to Form 990-EZ, refer to "How to transfer data from filing Form 990 to 990-EZ" listed above in the Most Common Support Questions or Tax Help for this line.

Part III – Type of Organization

- 501(c) Corporation/Association 3 (subsection number)
- 501(c) Trust (subsection number)
- 4947(a)(1) Trust
- 408(e) Trust
- 401(a) Trust
- Public College or University Corporation/Association
- Other (describe) Or Trust
- 220(e) Trust
- 408A Trust
- 529(a) Corporation
- 529(a) Trust
- 530(a) Trust
- 527 Organization
- 501(c) Association

Part IV – Tax Year and Filing Information

- Calendar year
- Fiscal year — Ending month . . .
- Short year — Beginning date . . . Ending date . . .
- Change of Accounting Period
- Check this box if the organization is enrolled in the Electronic Federal Tax Payment System (EFTPS)

Part V – 2022 Estimated Taxes Paid

Check this box if the organization is a private foundation

Form 990-T Form 990-PF

Amount of 2021 overpayment credited to 2022 estimated tax _____

Payment Quarters	Due Date	Form 990-T		Form 990-PF	
		Date Paid	Amount Paid	Date Paid	Amount Paid
1st Quarter Payment	<u>05/16/22</u>				
2nd Quarter Payment	<u>06/15/22</u>				
3rd Quarter Payment	<u>09/15/22</u>				
4th Quarter Payment	<u>12/15/22</u>				
Additional Payment 1					
Additional Payment 2					
Additional Payment 3					
Additional Payment 4					

Part VI - Taxpayer Signature Information

Officer's Name Tim Carlson
 Officer's SSN 283-48-1620 Officer's Title Executive Director

Part VII – Electronic Filing Information

IMPORTANT: Do **not** use the Miscellaneous Statement or Additional Information if filing Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. These statements will **not** be transmitted with the return. Use Schedule O or the applicable Supplemental Information for the appropriate Schedule.

Choose Returns to be Filed Electronically:

Note: Returns represented by gray bars are not supported by ProSeries or Taxing Agency.

Filings To	Original Return	Extension	Amended Return	Estimated Payments			
				1	2	3	4
Federal Filings							
990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, or 990-N . . . ▶	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
990-T ▶	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Form 114 (FBAR). ▶	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
State Filings							
<i>Information Only: Selection of state/city return(s) was made . . . ▶</i>							
California ▶	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

QuickZoom to the Electronic Filing Information Worksheet ▶ _____
QuickZoom to the Form 8868 Electronic Filing Information Worksheet ▶ _____

Practitioner PIN program:

Sign this return electronically using the Practitioner PIN
 ERO entered PIN
 Officer's PIN (enter any 5 numbers) . . . 64000
 Date PIN entered 04/26/2023

Responsible Party Information:

Yes **No**
 Is Form 8822-B required to report a change of responsible party?

Part VIII – Electronic Funds Withdrawal Information (Form 990-PF and Form 990-T filers only)

Yes	No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Use electronic funds withdrawal of Form 990-PF Return balance due (EF Only)?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Use electronic funds withdrawal of Form 990-PF Extension Form 8868 balance due (EF Only)?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Use electronic funds withdrawal of Form 990-PF Amended balance due (EF Only)?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Use electronic funds withdrawal of Form 990-T Return balance due? (EF Only)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Use electronic funds withdrawal of Form 990-T Extension Form 8868 balance due? (EF Only)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Use electronic funds withdrawal of Form 990-T Amended balance due? (EF Only)

Bank Information

Check to confirm transferred account information (which appears in green) is correct

Name of Financial Institution (optional) . . . Alpine Checking

Check the appropriate box Checking Savings

Routing number 102103407

Account number 8910261596

Form 990-PF Payment Information

Enter the Form 990-PF payment date _____

Balance due amount from this Form 990-PF return _____

Enter an amount to withdraw tax payment _____

If partial payment is made, the remaining balance due _____

Enter the Form 990-PF Extension payment date _____

Balance-due amount from this 990-PF Extension _____

Payment date for amended Form 990-PF returns _____

Balance due amount for amended Form 990-PF return _____

Form 990-T Payment Information

Enter the Form 990-T payment date _____

Balance-due amount from this 990-T return _____

Enter the Form 990-T Extension payment date _____

Balance-due amount from this 990-T Extension _____

Enter the amended Form 990-T payment date _____

Balance-due amount from Form 990-T amended _____

Date 990-T Exempt Organization Return was EFiled _____

Date 990-T Exempt Organization Return was accepted _____

Date 990-T Exempt Organization Extension was EFiled _____

Date 990-T Exempt Organization Extension was accepted _____

Date 990-T Exempt Organization Amended Return was EFiled _____

Date 990-T Exempt Organization Amended Return was accepted _____

Part IX – Information for Client Letter

	Form 990-EZ or Form 990	Form 990-PF	Form 990-T
Extended Due Date	_____	11/15/23	_____

Letter Salutation. . . _____

Part X – Return Preparer

Enter preparer code from Firm/Preparer Info (See Help) jt

QuickZoom to Firm/Preparer Info ► _____

QuickZoom to Form 990-EZ, Pages 1 through 4 ► _____

QuickZoom to Form 990, Page 1 ► _____

QuickZoom to Form 990-PF, Page 1 ► _____

QuickZoom to Form 990-T, Page 1 ► _____

QuickZoom to Form 990-N, e-PostCard ► _____

QuickZoom to Client Status ► _____

IRS e-file Authentication Statement

2022

Keep for your records

Table with 2 columns: Name(s) Shown on Return (Forever Our Rivers Foundation) and Employer ID No. (81-3496752)

A - Practitioner PIN Authorization

QuickZoom to the Federal Information Worksheet to enter PIN information

Please indicate how the taxpayer(s) PIN(s) are entered into the program. Officer entered PIN, ERO entered Officer's PIN

B - Signature of Electronic Return Originator

ERO Declaration:

I declare that the information contained in this electronic tax return is the information furnished to me by the Corporation. If the Exempt Organization furnished me a completed tax return, I declare that the information contained in this electronic tax return is identical to that contained in the return provided by the Exempt Organization.

I am signing this Tax Return by entering my PIN below.

ERO's PIN (EFIN followed by any 5 numbers) EFIN845766 Self-Select PIN 64000

C - Signature of Officer

Perjury Statement:

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I am an officer of the above Exempt Organization and that I have examined a copy of the Exempt Organization's 2022 electronic income tax return and accompanying schedules and statements and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

Consent to Disclosure:

I consent to allow my electronic return originator (ERO), transmitter, or intermediate service provider to send the Exempt Organization's return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS (a) an acknowledgment of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, (b) an indication of any refund offset, (c) the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and (d) the date of any refund.

Electronic Funds Withdrawal Consent (if applicable):

I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) entry to the financial institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of the Exempt Organization's federal taxes owed on this return, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account.

I am signing this Tax Return and Electronic Funds Withdrawal Consent, if applicable, by entering my self-selected PIN below.

Officer's PIN 64000
Date 04/26/2023

Electronic Filing Information Worksheet

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Name(s) shown on return: Forever Our Rivers Foundation; Identifying number: 81-3496752

Part I - State Electronic Filing:

Check this box to force state only filing for all states selected to be filed electronically []

Part II - Electronic Return Originator Information

The ERO Information below will automatically calculate based on the preparer code entered on the return.

For returns that are prepared as a "Non-Paid Preparer" (XNP) or "Self-Prepared" (XSP) enter the EFIN for the ERO that is responsible for this return. 845766

For returns that are marked as a "Non-Paid Preparer" (XNP) or "Self-Prepared" (XSP) enter a PIN for the ERO that is responsible for filing return.

ERO Name: Jeff Wendland, CPA, LLC; ERO Address: 2686 Caribbean Dr.; City: Grand Junction, CO; ZIP Code: 81506; ERO Electronic Filers Identification Number (EFIN): 845766; ERO Employer Identification Number: 20-3875017; ERO Social Security Number or PTIN: []

Part III - Paid Preparer Information

Firm Name: Jeff Wendland, CPA, LLC; Preparer Name: Jeffrey T. Wendland, CPA; Address: 2686 Caribbean Dr.; City: Grand Junction, CO; ZIP Code: 81506; Preparer Social Security Number or PTIN: P00451559; Employer Identification Number: 20-3875017; Phone Number: (970) 314-1323; Preparer E-mail Address: jeffgw@acsol.net

Part IV - Selection of Additional Amended Returns

Enter the payment date to withdraw tax payment; Amount you are paying with the amended return

- Check this box to file another federal amended return electronically
Check this box to file another 990-T amended return electronically
File another Amended Form 114 Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR) electronically
Check this box to file another state and/or city amended return electronically

* Select the state and/or city amended return(s) to file electronically.

Table with columns for State/City and selection checkboxes. Includes 'California State Exempt' and several empty rows.

Part V - Name Control

Name Control, enter here to override default: FORE

Smart Worksheets From 2022 Federal Exempt Tax Return

SMART WORKSHEET FOR: Form 990-PF: Return of Private Foundation

Part XIII, Line 2a Smart Worksheet			
	(b) 2021	(c) 2020	(d) 2019
Adjusted Net Income from Part I	1,180.		
Minimum Investment Return from Part IX	0.	0.	0.

SMART WORKSHEET FOR: Schedule B: Contributors (Copy 1)

General Information Smart Worksheet

A Description for this copy of Schedule B, Part I. Copy 1

SMART WORKSHEET FOR: Form 8868, page 1: Application for Extension of Time to File an Exempt Organization Return

Filing Address Smart Worksheet

Send Form 8868 to: Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service Center
Ogden, UT 84201-0045

SMART WORKSHEET FOR: Form 990-PF Estimated Tax Worksheet

Estimated Tax for 990-PF Additional Information Smart Worksheet

Note: This copy is for use in preparing Estimated Tax for **Form 990-PF only.**

Estimated Tax Options

A Check to suspend estimated tax calculations

B Check here if the organization is a large organization

C Choose an installment rounding factor (the program defaults to the next dollar):
 Round up to next \$10 Round up to next \$100

D Enter the private foundation's net investment income for next year (instead of using current year amounts) _____

Current Year Overpayment Options

E Amount of overpayment available (Form 990-T, page 2, Part III, line 10 or Form 990-PF, page 3, Part V, line 10) 0.

F Check to apply overpayment available on line E and refund the excess, if any,
OR enter overpayment to apply

G Check to apply consecutively to all installments.

H Check to apply evenly to all installments

I Check to apply to first installment only

Additional Information From 2022 Federal Exempt Tax Return

Form 990-PF: Return of Private Foundation

Other Expenses (5)

Line 23(a)

Itemization Statement

Description	Amount
Computer Hardware & Software	5992.
Graphic & Web	2952.
Communications	1558.
Total	10502.

Form 990-PF: Return of Private Foundation

Other Expenses (8)

Line 23(a)

Itemization Statement

Description	Amount
Postage & Mailing	1290.
Product Donations	1945.
Sponsorships	1000.
Total	4235.

Form 990-PF: Return of Private Foundation

Line 4(b)

Itemization Statement

Description	Amount
Dividends	31,283.
Capital Gain Distributions	184.
Total	31,467.

Form 990-PF: Return of Private Foundation

Line 21(a)

Itemization Statement

Description	Amount
Meetings and Conferences	1,473.
Travel	3,977.
Total	5,450.