

# IRS e-file Signature Authorization for an Exempt Organization

For calendar year 2014, or fiscal year beginning 09/01, 2014, and ending 08/31, 2015

## 2014

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

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Name of exempt organization

**NEW JERSEY AUDUBON SOCIETY**

Employer identification number

**221539642**

Name and title of officer

**ERIC STILES, PRESIDENT & CEO**

### Part I Type of Return and Return Information (Whole Dollars Only)

Check the box for the return for which you are using this Form 8879-EO and enter the applicable amount, if any, from the return. If you check the box on line 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, or 5a, below, and the amount on that line for the return being filed with this form was blank, then leave line 1b, 2b, 3b, 4b, or 5b, 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 1 line in Part I.

1a	Form 990 check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b	Total revenue, if any (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12) . . .	1b	<u>7,028,925.</u>
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 type="checkbox"/>	b	Tax based on investment income (Form 990-PF, Part VI, line 5).	4b	_____
5a	Form 8868 check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b	Balance Due (Form 8868, Part I, line 3c or Part II, line 8c) . . . . .	5b	_____

### Part II Declaration and Signature Authorization of Officer

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I am an officer of the above organization and that I have examined a copy of the organization's 2014 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 organization's electronic return. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send the organization's 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 organization's 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 organization's electronic return and, if applicable, the organization's consent to electronic funds withdrawal.

Officer's PIN: check one box only

I authorize WITHUMSMITH+BROWN PC 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 organization's tax year 2014 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 of the organization, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the organization's tax year 2014 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.

Officer's signature ▶

Date ▶ 03/17/2016

### 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.

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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 2014 electronically filed return for the organization 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**  
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Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No. 1545-0047

Form 990

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

2014

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Do not enter Social Security numbers on this form as it may be made public. Information about Form 990 and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2014 calendar year, or tax year beginning 09/01, 2014, and ending 08/31, 2015

Form 990 header section containing organization name (NEW JERSEY AUDUBON SOCIETY), EIN (221539642), address (9 HARDCRABBLE ROAD, BERNARDSVILLE, NJ 07924), principal officer (ERIC STILES), and tax-exempt status (501(c)(3)).

Part I Summary

Summary table with columns for Activities & Governance, Revenue, Expenses, and Net Assets or Fund Balances. Includes rows for mission statement, membership counts, revenue (Total: 7,028,925), expenses (Total: 6,695,836), and net assets (Total: 27,487,280).

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.

Signature block and preparer information section. Includes signature of officer (ERIC STILES, PRESIDENT & CEO) and preparer (CATHERINE BENDALL, WITHUMSMITH+BROWN, PC).

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) [X] Yes [ ] No

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

Form 990 (2014)

**Part III** Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III  Yes  No

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

THE NEW JERSEY AUDUBON SOCIETY IS A PRIVATELY SUPPORTED,  
NOT-FOR-PROFIT, STATEWIDE MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATION (SEE SCHEDULE O FOR  
DETAILS).

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the  
prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?  Yes  No  
If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program  
services?  Yes  No  
If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by  
expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others,  
the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 2,225,061. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 882,730. )  
EDUCATION AND SANCTUARIES - PROMOTE EDUCATIONAL AWARENESS AND  
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION THROUGH SUMMER CAMPS, FIELD TRIPS,  
LECTURES AND WEEKEND EVENTS AND TO MAINTAIN WILDLIFE SANCTUARIES,  
EDUCATIONAL CENTERS AND OTHER PROPERTIES. FOR A MORE DETAILED  
DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM SERVICES PROVIDED, SEE SCHEDULE O FOR  
NEW JERSEY AUDUBON'S CONSERVATION UPDATE.

4b (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 1,674,184. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )  
STEWARDSHIP - ENCOURAGE AND SUPPORT SOUND CONSERVATION AND  
STEWARDSHIP PRACTICES AND LAWS. FOR A MORE DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF  
THE PROGRAM SERVICES PROVIDED, SEE SCHEDULE O FOR NEW JERSEY  
AUDUBON'S CONSERVATION UPDATE.

4c (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 1,501,504. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )  
RESEARCH AND MONITORING - DISSEMINATE AND ADVANCE KNOWLEDGE OF THE  
NATURAL ENVIRONMENT THROUGH EDUCATIONAL AND RESEARCH PROGRAMS AND  
PUBLICATIONS. FOR A MORE DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM  
SERVICES PROVIDED, SEE SCHEDULE O FOR NEW JERSEY AUDUBON'S  
CONSERVATION UPDATE.

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.)  
(Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

4e Total program service expenses ▶ 5,400,749.

**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.	X	
2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)?	X	
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I.		X
4 <b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> 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.	X	
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 Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III.		X
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.		X
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II.	X	
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III.		X
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability; serve as a custodian for 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.		X
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V.	X	
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.		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI.	X	
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.		X
c 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.		X
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.		X
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.		X
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.	X	
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII.	X	
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional.		X
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E.		X
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, 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.	X	
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.		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.		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).		X
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.		X
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III.		X
20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H.		X
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)**

	Yes	No
<b>21</b> Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II.</i> . . . . .	<b>21</b>	X
<b>22</b> Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III.</i> . . . . .	<b>22</b>	X
<b>23</b> Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J.</i> . . . . .	<b>23</b>	X
<b>24a</b> Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a.</i> . . . . .	<b>24a</b>	X
<b>b</b> Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception? . . . . .	<b>24b</b>	
<b>c</b> Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds? . . . . .	<b>24c</b>	
<b>d</b> Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year? . . . . .	<b>24d</b>	
<b>25a Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I.</i> . . . . .	<b>25a</b>	X
<b>b</b> Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I.</i> . . . . .	<b>25b</b>	X
<b>26</b> Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II.</i> . . . . .	<b>26</b>	X
<b>27</b> Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III.</i> . . . . .	<b>27</b>	X
<b>28</b> Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):		
<b>a</b> A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV.</i> . . . . .	<b>28a</b>	X
<b>b</b> A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV.</i> . . . . .	<b>28b</b>	X
<b>c</b> An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV.</i> . . . . .	<b>28c</b>	X
<b>29</b> Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M.</i> . . . . .	<b>29</b>	X
<b>30</b> Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M.</i> . . . . .	<b>30</b>	X
<b>31</b> Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I.</i> . . . . .	<b>31</b>	X
<b>32</b> Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II.</i> . . . . .	<b>32</b>	X
<b>33</b> Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I.</i> . . . . .	<b>33</b>	X
<b>34</b> Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1.</i> . . . . .	<b>34</b>	X
<b>35a</b> Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? . . . . .	<b>35a</b>	X
<b>b</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)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2.</i> . . . . .	<b>35b</b>	
<b>36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2.</i> . . . . .	<b>36</b>	X
<b>37</b> Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI.</i> . . . . .	<b>37</b>	X
<b>38</b> Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? <b>Note.</b> All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O. . . . .	<b>38</b>	X

**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

		Yes	No
<b>1 a</b>	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable. <b>1a</b> 25		
<b>b</b>	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable. <b>1b</b> 0		
<b>c</b>	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners? <b>1c</b>	X	
<b>2 a</b>	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return. <b>2a</b> 120		
<b>b</b>	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? <b>Note.</b> If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions). <b>2b</b>	X	
<b>3 a</b>	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? <b>3a</b>		X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O <b>3b</b>		
<b>4 a</b>	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? <b>4a</b>		X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR). <b>4b</b>		
<b>5 a</b>	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year? <b>5a</b>		X
<b>b</b>	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? <b>5b</b>		X
<b>c</b>	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T? <b>5c</b>		
<b>6 a</b>	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions? <b>6a</b>		X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible? <b>6b</b>		
<b>7</b>	<b>Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).</b>		
<b>a</b>	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor? <b>7a</b>	X	
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided? <b>7b</b>	X	
<b>c</b>	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282? <b>7c</b>		X
<b>d</b>	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year <b>7d</b>		
<b>e</b>	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? <b>7e</b>		X
<b>f</b>	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? <b>7f</b>		X
<b>g</b>	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required? <b>7g</b>		
<b>h</b>	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C? <b>7h</b>		
<b>8</b>	<b>Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.</b> Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year? <b>8</b>		
<b>9</b>	<b>Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.</b>		
<b>a</b>	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966? <b>9a</b>		
<b>b</b>	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person? <b>9b</b>		
<b>10</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(7) organizations.</b> Enter:		
<b>a</b>	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12 <b>10a</b>		
<b>b</b>	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities <b>10b</b>		
<b>11</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(12) organizations.</b> Enter:		
<b>a</b>	Gross income from members or shareholders <b>11a</b>		
<b>b</b>	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.) <b>11b</b>		
<b>12 a</b>	<b>Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.</b> Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041? <b>12a</b>		
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year <b>12b</b>		
<b>13</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.</b>		
<b>a</b>	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? <b>Note.</b> See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O. <b>13a</b>		
<b>b</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 <b>13b</b>		
<b>c</b>	Enter the amount of reserves on hand <b>13c</b>		
<b>14 a</b>	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year? <b>14a</b>		X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O <b>14b</b>		

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 in Schedule O. See instructions.

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI [X]

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include 1a (19), 1b (19), 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7a, 7b, 8, 8a, 8b, 9.

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include 10a, 10b, 11a, 11b, 12a, 12b, 12c, 13, 14, 15, 15a, 15b, 16a, 16b.

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed NJ
18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial 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:

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**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 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 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

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

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) ISOBEL WAYRICK BOARD CHAIR	1.00 0	X		X				0	0	0
(2) M. KAREN THOMPSON, ESQ. SECOND VICE-CHAIR	1.00 0	X		X				0	0	0
(3) RANDY JONES FIRST VICE-CHAIR	1.00 0	X		X				0	0	0
(4) THEODORE G. KOVEN SECRETARY	1.00 0	X		X				0	0	0
(5) ALAN H. BERNSTEIN, ESQ. DIRECTOR	1.00 0	X						0	0	0
(6) JOHN M. BLOOMFIELD DIRECTOR	1.00 0	X						0	0	0
(7) ISMAEL CALDERON DIRECTOR	1.00 0	X						0	0	0
(8) CONSTANCE CAMPANELLA DIRECTOR	1.00 0	X						0	0	0
(9) CHARLES M. CHAPIN, III DIRECTOR	1.00 0	X						0	0	0
(10) HELEN DAVIS CHAITMAN, ESQ. DIRECTOR	1.00 0	X						0	0	0
(11) HARRIETT DRUSKIN DIRECTOR	1.00 0	X						0	0	0
(12) JAMES GIBSON DIRECTOR	1.00 0	X						0	0	0
(13) CAROLE HUGHES DIRECTOR	1.00 0	X						0	0	0
(14) DIANE C. LOUIE, MD, MPH DIRECTOR	1.00 0	X						0	0	0





Part VIII Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII. X

Table with columns: (A) Total revenue, (B) Related or exempt function revenue, (C) Unrelated business revenue, (D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514. Rows include Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts; Program Service Revenue; and Other Revenue.

**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 response or note to any line in this Part IX  X

<b>Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.</b>	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21 . . . . .	0			
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22 . . . . .	0			
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16 . . . . .	0			
4 Benefits paid to or for members . . . . .	0			
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees . . . . .	224,291.	161,713.	38,962.	23,616.
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) . . . . .	0			
7 Other salaries and wages . . . . .	2,724,495.	2,061,605.	302,783.	360,107.
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	11,109.	11,109.		
9 Other employee benefits . . . . .	311,552.	256,543.	16,718.	38,291.
10 Payroll taxes . . . . .	299,359.	216,304.	46,038.	37,017.
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management . . . . .	0			
b Legal . . . . .	0			
c Accounting . . . . .	38,500.		38,500.	
d Lobbying . . . . .	0			
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17.	0			
f Investment management fees . . . . .	0			
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.) <u>ATCH 4</u>	1,550,983.	1,423,204.	53,220.	74,559.
12 Advertising and promotion . . . . .	29,600.	27,912.	728.	960.
13 Office expenses . . . . .	454,497.	314,767.	10,486.	129,244.
14 Information technology . . . . .	0			
15 Royalties . . . . .	0			
16 Occupancy . . . . .	259,155.	243,274.	9,236.	6,645.
17 Travel . . . . .	116,677.	102,139.	4,964.	9,574.
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials	0			
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings . . . . .	0			
20 Interest . . . . .	0			
21 Payments to affiliates . . . . .	0			
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization . . . . .	224,996.	181,785.	12,963.	30,248.
23 Insurance . . . . .	111,071.	89,587.	15,740.	5,744.
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a <u>PROGRAM EXPENSES</u> -----	301,009.	280,994.	3,959.	16,056.
b <u>BAD DEBT EXPENSE</u> -----	10,000.	10,000.		
c <u>WORLD SERIES OF BIRDING</u> -----	28,542.	19,813.	7,332.	1,397.
d -----				
e All other expenses -----				
<b>25 Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 1 through 24e	6,695,836.	5,400,749.	561,629.	733,458.
<b>26 Joint costs.</b> Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720) . . . . .	0			

**Part X Balance Sheet**

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

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
<b>Assets</b>	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing	214,655.	1	185,474.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	300,375.	2	309,456.
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net	204,035.	3	669,935.
	4 Accounts receivable, net	304,805.	4	568,812.
	5 Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	5	0
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	6	0
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net	23,224.	7	19,163.
	8 Inventories for sale or use	521,942.	8	546,703.
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	52,698.	9	62,653.
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	27,467,005.	10a	
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	5,544,185.	10b	
	10c	22,172,875.	10c	21,922,820.
	11 Investments - publicly traded securities	3,379,532.	11	3,167,466.
	12 Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11	118,492.	12	112,000.
	13 Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11	0	13	0
	14 Intangible assets	0	14	0
15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	760,689.	15	426,550.	
16 <b>Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	28,053,322.	16	27,991,032.	
<b>Liabilities</b>	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	233,769.	17	304,735.
	18 Grants payable	0	18	0
	19 Deferred revenue	368,466.	19	199,017.
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities	0	20	0
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D	0	21	0
	22 Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	22	0
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	0	23	0
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties	0	24	0
	25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D	0	25	0
	26 <b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25	602,235.	26	503,752.
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.</b>			
	27 Unrestricted net assets	6,409,011.	27	6,801,153.
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets	1,658,514.	28	1,339,704.
	29 Permanently restricted net assets	19,383,562.	29	19,346,423.
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 30 through 34.</b>			
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
	33 <b>Total net assets or fund balances</b>	27,451,087.	33	27,487,280.
34 <b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances.</b>	28,053,322.	34	27,991,032.	

**Part 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) . . . . .	<b>1</b>	7,028,925.
2 Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) . . . . .	<b>2</b>	6,695,836.
3 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1 . . . . .	<b>3</b>	333,089.
4 Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A)) . . . . .	<b>4</b>	27,451,087.
5 Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments . . . . .	<b>5</b>	-259,757.
6 Donated services and use of facilities . . . . .	<b>6</b>	0
7 Investment expenses . . . . .	<b>7</b>	0
8 Prior period adjustments . . . . .	<b>8</b>	0
9 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O) . . . . .	<b>9</b>	-37,139.
10 Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B)) . . . . .	<b>10</b>	27,487,280.

**Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting**

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

		Yes	No
1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.			
2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? . . . . . 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: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis	<b>2a</b>		X
b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? . . . . . If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis	<b>2b</b>	X	
c If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.	<b>2c</b>	X	
3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133? . . . . .	<b>3a</b>	X	
b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits.	<b>3b</b>	X	

**SCHEDULE A**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

**Public Charity Status and Public Support**

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2014**

**Open to Public Inspection**

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.

▶ Information about Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

NEW JERSEY AUDUBON SOCIETY

Employer identification number

221539642

**Part I Reason for Public Charity Status** (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 11, 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.)
- 3  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**.
- 4  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: \_\_\_\_\_
- 5  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.)
- 6  A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)**.
- 7  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.)
- 9  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.)
- 10  An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4)**.
- 11  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 in lines 11a through 11d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e, 11f, and 11g.
  - a  **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.**
  - 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.**
  - c  **Type III functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.**
  - d  **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.**
  - e  Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.
  - f Enter the number of supported organizations . . . . .
  - g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document?		(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
			Yes	No		
(A)						
(B)						
(C)						
(D)						
(E)						
<b>Total</b>						

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2014

**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.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 2014	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") . . . . .	4,636,969.	3,171,600.	4,924,858.	5,242,375.	5,751,113.	23,726,915.
<b>2</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf . . . . .						0
<b>3</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge . . . . .						0
<b>4 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3. . . . .	4,636,969.	3,171,600.	4,924,858.	5,242,375.	5,751,113.	23,726,915.
<b>5</b> 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). . . . .						1,135,133.
<b>6 Public support.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4.						22,591,782.

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 2014	(f) Total
<b>7</b> Amounts from line 4 . . . . .	4,636,969.	3,171,600.	4,924,858.	5,242,375.	5,751,113.	23,726,915.
<b>8</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources . . . . .	247,099.	182,972.	232,512.	91,036.	91,432.	845,051.
<b>9</b> Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on . . . . .						0
<b>10</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.) . . . . .						0
<b>11 Total support.</b> Add lines 7 through 10 . . . . .						24,571,966.
<b>12</b> Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) . . . . .					<b>12</b>	8,054,213.
<b>13 First five years.</b> If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . . . . . ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>						

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

<b>14</b> Public support percentage for 2014 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) . . . . .	<b>14</b>	91.94 %
<b>15</b> Public support percentage from 2013 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 . . . . .	<b>15</b>	83.37 %
<b>16a 33 1/3% support test - 2014.</b> If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . . ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
<b>b 33 1/3% support test - 2013.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . . ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2014.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . . ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2013.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . . ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>18 Private foundation.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions . . . . . ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)**  
(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 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.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 2014	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
<b>2</b> Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose . . . . .						
<b>3</b> Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513 . . . . .						
<b>4</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf . . . . .						
<b>5</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge . . . . .						
<b>6 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5 . . . . .						
<b>7a</b> Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons . . . . .						
<b>b</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 . . . . .						
<b>c</b> Add lines 7a and 7b. . . . .						
<b>8 Public support</b> (Subtract line 7c from line 6.) . . . . .						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 2014	(f) Total
<b>9</b> Amounts from line 6. . . . .						
<b>10a</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources . . . . .						
<b>b</b> Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975 . . . . .						
<b>c</b> Add lines 10a and 10b . . . . .						
<b>11</b> Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on . . . . .						
<b>12</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.) . . . . .						
<b>13 Total support.</b> (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.) . . . . .						

**14 First five years.** If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here** . . . . .

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

<b>15</b> Public support percentage for 2014 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) . . . . .	<b>15</b>	%
<b>16</b> Public support percentage from 2013 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 . . . . .	<b>16</b>	%

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

<b>17</b> Investment income percentage for 2014 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) . . . . .	<b>17</b>	%
<b>18</b> Investment income percentage from 2013 Schedule A, Part III, line 17 . . . . .	<b>18</b>	%

**19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2014.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ►

**b 33 1/3% support tests - 2013.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ►

**20 Private foundation.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions ►



**Part IV Supporting Organizations**

(Complete only if you checked a box on line 11 of Part I. If you checked 11a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked 11b of Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 11c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked 11d of Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

**Section A. All Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? <i>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.</i>		
2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).</i>		
3a Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? <i>If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.</i>		
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)? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.</i>		
c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.</i>		
4a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? <i>If "Yes" and if you checked 11a or 11b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.</i>		
b Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? <i>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.</i>		
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)? <i>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.</i>		
5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) 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).</i>		
b <b>Type I or Type II only.</b> Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?		
c <b>Substitutions only.</b> 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 (a) its supported organizations; (b) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations; or (c) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
7 Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (defined in IRC 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35-percent controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).</i>		
8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).</i>		
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))? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
b Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9(a)) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
c Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9(a)) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
10a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of IRC 4943 because of IRC 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? <i>If "Yes," answer (b) below.</i>		
b Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? <i>(Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)</i>		

**Part IV Supporting Organizations** (continued)

	Yes	No
<b>11</b> Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
<b>a</b> A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (b) and (c) below, the governing body of a supported organization?		
<b>b</b> A family member of a person described in (a) above?		
<b>c</b> A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> .		

**Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the tax year? If "No," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.		
<b>2</b> 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 <b>Part VI</b> how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.		

**Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).		

**Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (1) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (2) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (3) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?		
<b>2</b> 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 <b>Part VI</b> how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).		
<b>3</b> By reason of the relationship described in (2), 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 <b>Part VI</b> the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.		

**Section E. Type III Functionally-Integrated Supporting Organizations**

<b>1</b> Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions):			
<b>a</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete <b>line 2</b> below.			
<b>b</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete <b>line 3</b> below.			
<b>c</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in <b>Part VI</b> how you supported a government entity (see instructions).			
<b>2</b> Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.		Yes	No
<b>a</b> Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in <b>Part VI</b> 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.			
<b>b</b> Did the activities described in (a) 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 <b>Part VI</b> the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.			
<b>3</b> Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer (a) and (b) below.			
<b>a</b> Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? Provide details in <b>Part VI</b> .			
<b>b</b> 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 <b>Part VI</b> the role played by the organization in this regard.			

**Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations**

1  Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970. See instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

Section 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	
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7	
8	<b>Adjusted Net Income</b> (subtract lines 5, 6 and 7 from line 4)	8	
Section 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):			
a	Average monthly value of securities	1a	
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b	
c	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c	
d	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d	
e <b>Discount</b> 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 1-1/2% 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 .035	6	
7	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7	
8	<b>Minimum Asset Amount</b> (add line 7 to line 6)	8	
Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	1	
2	Enter 85% of line 1	2	
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	3	
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3	4	
5	Income tax imposed in prior year	5	
6	<b>Distributable Amount.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions)	6	
7	<input type="checkbox"/> Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally-integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).		

**Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations** (continued)

Section D - Distributions	Current Year
1 Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	
2 Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	
3 Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	
4 Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	
5 Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)	
6 Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions.	
7 <b>Total annual distributions.</b> Add lines 1 through 6.	
8 Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in Part VI). See instructions.	
9 Distributable amount for 2014 from Section C, line 6	
10 Line 8 amount divided by Line 9 amount	

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2014	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2014
1 Distributable amount for 2014 from Section C, line 6			
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2014 (reasonable cause required-see instructions)			
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2014:			
a			
b			
c			
d			
e From 2013 . . . . .			
f <b>Total</b> of lines 3a through e			
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h Applied to 2014 distributable amount			
i Carryover from 2009 not applied (see instructions)			
j Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
4 Distributions for 2014 from Section D, line 7: \$			
a Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b Applied to 2014 distributable amount			
c Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2014, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2 (if amount greater than zero, see instructions).			
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2014. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1 (if amount greater than zero, see instructions).			
7 <b>Excess distributions carryover to 2015.</b> Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8 Breakdown of line 7:			
a			
b			
c			
d Excess from 2013 . . . . .			
e Excess from 2014 . . . . .			

**Part VI** **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; and Part III, line 12. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

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Schedule B
(Form 990, 990-EZ,
or 990-PF)
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

OMB No. 1545-0047

2014

Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.
Information about Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Name of the organization
NEW JERSEY AUDUBON SOCIETY

Employer identification number
221539642

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

- Form 990 or 990-EZ [X] 501(c)(3) (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

- [X] 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 or 990-EZ), 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 the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, 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. Do not 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 is not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules does not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), 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 does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

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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		\$ 508,367.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
2		\$ 1,126,218.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
3		\$ 125,790.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
4		\$ 197,693.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
5		\$ 991,828.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
6		\$ 165,936.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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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
7	----- ----- -----	\$ 350,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
8	----- ----- -----	\$ 522,042.	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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**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) (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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(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
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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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SCHEDULE C (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

OMB No. 1545-0047

2014

Open to Public Inspection

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization is described below. Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. Information about Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and B. Do not complete Part I-C.
Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and C below. Do not complete Part I-B.
Section 527 organizations: Complete Part I-A only.

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-A. Do not complete Part II-B.
Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-B. Do not complete Part II-A.

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 5 (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions) or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 35c (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions), then

- Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations: Complete Part III.

Table with 2 columns: Name of organization (NEW JERSEY AUDUBON SOCIETY) and Employer identification number (221539642)

Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.

- 1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV.
2 Political expenditures \$
3 Volunteer hours

Part I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3).

- 1 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955 \$
2 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955 \$
3 If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year? Yes No
4a Was a correction made? Yes No
b If "Yes," describe in Part IV.

Part I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).

- 1 Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities \$
2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities \$
3 Total exempt function expenditures. Add lines 1 and 2. Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b \$
4 Did the filing organization file Form 1120-POL for this year? Yes No
5 Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which the filing organization made payments.

Table with 5 columns: (a) Name, (b) Address, (c) EIN, (d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds, (e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization.

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990 or 990-EZ.

Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2014

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**Part II-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).**

**A** Check  if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV each affiliated group member's name, address, EIN, expenses, and share of excess lobbying expenditures).

**B** Check  if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply.

<b>Limits on Lobbying Expenditures</b> (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)		(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals
<b>1a</b> Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying) . . . . .		21,948.	
<b>b</b> Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying) . . . . .		20,350.	
<b>c</b> Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b) . . . . .		42,298.	
<b>d</b> Other exempt purpose expenditures . . . . .		5,920,080.	
<b>e</b> Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d) . . . . .		5,962,378.	
<b>f</b> Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table in both columns.		448,119.	
<b>If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is: The lobbying nontaxable amount is:</b>			
Not over \$500,000		20% of the amount on line 1e.	
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000		\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000.	
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000		\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.	
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000		\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000.	
Over \$17,000,000		\$1,000,000.	
<b>g</b> Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f) . . . . .		112,030.	
<b>h</b> Subtract line 1g from line 1a. If zero or less, enter -0- . . . . .		0	0
<b>i</b> Subtract line 1f from line 1c. If zero or less, enter -0- . . . . .		0	0
<b>j</b> If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year? . . . . .			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

**4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)**

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below.

See the separate instructions for lines 2a through 2f.)

<b>Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period</b>					
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(e) Total
<b>2a</b> Lobbying nontaxable amount	430,565.	457,965.	383,422.	448,119.	1,720,071.
<b>b</b> Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column (e))					2,580,107.
<b>c</b> Total lobbying expenditures	29,602.	27,804.	45,057.	42,298.	144,761.
<b>d</b> Grassroots nontaxable amount	107,641.	114,491.	95,856.	112,030.	430,018.
<b>e</b> Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					645,027.
<b>f</b> Grassroots lobbying expenditures	11,570.	6,991.	8,847.	21,948.	49,356.

**Part II-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and has NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).**

For each "Yes," response to lines 1a through 1i below, provide in Part IV a detailed description of the lobbying activity.	(a)		(b)
	Yes	No	Amount
<b>1</b> During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of:			
<b>a</b> Volunteers?			
<b>b</b> Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?			
<b>c</b> Media advertisements?			
<b>d</b> Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?			
<b>e</b> Publications, or published or broadcast statements?			
<b>f</b> Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?			
<b>g</b> Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?			
<b>h</b> Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?			
<b>i</b> Other activities?			
<b>j</b> Total. Add lines 1c through 1i			
<b>2a</b> Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?			
<b>b</b> If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912			
<b>c</b> If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912			
<b>d</b> If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?			

**Part III-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6).**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?	<b>1</b>	
<b>2</b> Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b> Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?	<b>3</b>	

**Part III-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) and if either (a) BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2, are answered "No," OR (b) Part III-A, line 3, is answered "Yes."**

<b>1</b> Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	<b>1</b>	
<b>2</b> Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).		
<b>a</b> Current year	<b>2a</b>	
<b>b</b> Carryover from last year	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b> Total	<b>2c</b>	
<b>3</b> Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b> If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and political expenditure next year?	<b>4</b>	
<b>5</b> Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)	<b>5</b>	

**Part IV Supplemental Information**

Provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1; Part I-B, line 4; Part I-C, line 5; Part II-A (affiliated group list); Part II-A, lines 1 and 2 (see instructions); and Part II-B, line 1. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

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**Part IV** Supplemental Information (continued)

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SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Supplemental Financial Statements

OMB No. 1545-0047

2014

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to 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

NEW JERSEY AUDUBON SOCIETY

Employer identification number

221539642

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include: 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 writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?, 6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?

Part II Conservation Easements.

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

Table with 2 columns: Description, Held at the End of the Tax Year. Rows include: 1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply), 2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year. (Sub-rows 2a-2d), 3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year, 4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located, 5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?, 6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year, 7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year, 8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?, 9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include: 1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items. b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items: (i) Revenue included in 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 treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items: a Revenue included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1, b Assets included in Form 990, Part X.

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

3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):

- a  Public exhibition
- b  Scholarly research
- c  Preservation for future generations
- d  Loan or exchange programs
- e  Other \_\_\_\_\_

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.

5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?  Yes  No

**Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?  Yes  No

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

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

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability?  Yes  No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII.

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

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	709,880.	672,128.	507,991.	499,759.	2,972,622.
b Contributions		29,708.	159,185.		
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses	-12,359.	82,976.	28,782.	46,377.	329,878.
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs	25,431.	74,932.	23,830.	38,145.	264,026.
f Administrative expenses					2,538,715.
g End of year balance	672,090.	709,880.	672,128.	507,991.	499,759.

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:

- a Board designated or quasi-endowment  2.0000 %
  - b Permanent endowment  98.0000 %
  - c Temporarily restricted endowment  %
- The percentages in lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.

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

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

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

**Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		18,260,929.		18,260,929.
b Buildings		7,410,701.	3,860,150.	3,550,551.
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		1,795,375.	1,684,035.	111,340.
e Other				
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				21,922,820.



**Part VII Investments - Other Securities.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives . . . . .		
(2) Closely-held equity interests . . . . .		
(3) Other _____		
(A) _____		
(B) _____		
(C) _____		
(D) _____		
(E) _____		
(F) _____		
(G) _____		
(H) _____		
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) ▶		

**Part VIII Investments - Program Related.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.) ▶		

**Part IX Other Assets.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.) . . . . . ▶	

**Part X Other Liabilities.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) ▶	

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 FIN 48 (ASC 740). Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII

**Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

<b>1</b>	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements		6,797,547.
<b>2</b>	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:		
<b>a</b>	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	-259,757.	
<b>b</b>	Donated services and use of facilities		
<b>c</b>	Recoveries of prior year grants		
<b>d</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	11,318.	
<b>e</b>	Add lines <b>2a</b> through <b>2d</b>		-248,439.
<b>3</b>	Subtract line <b>2e</b> from line <b>1</b>		7,045,986.
<b>4</b>	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:		
<b>a</b>	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b		
<b>b</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	-17,061.	
<b>c</b>	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b>		-17,061.
<b>5</b>	Total revenue. Add lines <b>3</b> and <b>4c</b> . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)		7,028,925.

**Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

<b>1</b>	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements		6,761,354.
<b>2</b>	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:		
<b>a</b>	Donated services and use of facilities		
<b>b</b>	Prior year adjustments		
<b>c</b>	Other losses		
<b>d</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	11,318.	
<b>e</b>	Add lines <b>2a</b> through <b>2d</b>		11,318.
<b>3</b>	Subtract line <b>2e</b> from line <b>1</b>		6,750,036.
<b>4</b>	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
<b>a</b>	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b		
<b>b</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	-54,200.	
<b>c</b>	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b>		-54,200.
<b>5</b>	Total expenses. Add lines <b>3</b> and <b>4c</b> . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)		6,695,836.

**Part XIII Supplemental Information.**

Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

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**Part XIII** Supplemental Information (continued)

SCHEDULE D, PART II, LINE 5

CONSERVATION EASEMENT MONITORING PROTOCOL IS INTENDED TO AID IN THE CONSERVATION EASEMENT MONITORING PROCESS FOR NEW JERSEY AUDUBON SOCIETY. CONSERVATION EASEMENTS ARE DEFINED AS A VOLUNTARY AGREEMENT BETWEEN NJA AND A LANDOWNER THAT LIMITS THE TYPE OR AMOUNT OF DEVELOPMENT ON THEIR PROPERTY WHILE AT THE SAME TIME ALLOWING THE LANDOWNER TO MAINTAIN PRIVATE OWNERSHIP OF THE LAND. NJA ACCEPTS THE EASEMENT WITH UNDERSTANDING THAT IT MUST ENFORCE THE TERMS OF THE EASEMENT IN PERPETUITY. AFTER THE EASEMENT IS SIGNED, IT IS RECORDED WITH THE COUNTY REGISTER OF DEEDS AND APPLIES TO ALL FUTURE OWNERS OF THE LAND. CONSERVATION EASEMENT MONITORING PROTOCOL INVOLVES A SITE VISIT (MONITORING) AND FOLLOW-UP REPORT. SITE VISITS ARE PERFORMED ANNUALLY BY A NJA REPRESENTATIVE. THE LANDOWNER IS CONTACTED PRIOR TO THE SITE VISIT AND IS INVITED TO PARTICIPATE (HOWEVER PARTICIPATION IS NOT MANDATORY). THE DATE OF EASEMENT MONITORING MAY VARY ANNUALLY (I.E. SEASONALLY) TO MAXIMIZE OPPORTUNITY TO OBSERVE A WIDER VARIETY OF PLANTS AND ANIMALS MAKING USE OF THE EASEMENT. THE EASEMENT MONITORING REPORT IS COMPLETED DURING THE SITE VISIT AND PLACED IN THE PROPERTY FILE. PHOTOS ARE TAKEN AT EACH SITE VISIT AS PART OF THE MONITORING REPORT. A FOLLOW-UP LETTER IS SENT TO THE LANDOWNER HIGHLIGHTING THE RESULTS OF THE SITE VISIT.

SCHEDULE D, PART II, LINE 9

EXPENSES ASSOCIATED WITH ACQUIRING AND MAINTAINING THE EASEMENTS ARE EXPENSED.

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**Part XIII** Supplemental Information (continued)

SCHEDULE D, PART X, LINE 2

NEW JERSEY AUDUBON SOCIETY IS EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAXES UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE. ACCORDINGLY, THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DO NOT REFLECT A PROVISION FOR FEDERAL INCOME TAXES. THERE WERE NO UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS AT AUGUST 31, 2015 AND 2014. THE SOCIETY DID NOT HAVE ANY INCOME TAX RELATED PENALTIES OR INTEREST FOR THE YEARS IN QUESTION.

SCHEDULE D, PART XI AND XII, 2D

IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS OF \$11,318

SCHEDULE D, PART XI, 4B

A CHANGE IN VALUE OF CRT OF \$37,139 LESS A LOSS ON DISPOSAL OF ASSETS OF \$54,200.

SCHEDULE D, PART XII, LINE 4B

LOSS ON DISPOSAL OF ASSETS: -\$54,200.

**SCHEDULE F  
(Form 990)**

**Statement of Activities Outside the United States**

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2014**

**Open to Public Inspection**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

- ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 14b, 15, or 16.
- ▶ Attach to Form 990.
- ▶ Information about Schedule F (Form 990) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

Name of the organization

NEW JERSEY AUDUBON SOCIETY

Employer identification number

221539642

**Part I** **General Information on Activities Outside the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 14b.

**1 For grantmakers.** Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of its grants and other assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? . . . . .  Yes  No

**2 For grantmakers.** Describe in Part V the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of its grants and other assistance outside the United States.

**3 Activities per Region.** (The following Part I, line 3 table can be duplicated if additional space is needed.)

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (e.g., fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for and investments in region
(1) SOUTH AMERICA			PROGRAM SERVICES	SHOREBIRD RESEARCH	147,062.
(2) CENTRAL AMERICA/CARIBBEAN			PROGRAM SERVICES	ECO-TOURS	17,047.
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					
(7)					
(8)					
(9)					
(10)					
(11)					
(12)					
(13)					
(14)					
(15)					
(16)					
(17)					
<b>3a</b> Sub-total . . . . .					164,109.
<b>b</b> Total from continuation sheets to Part I . . . . .					
<b>c Totals</b> (add lines 3a and 3b)					164,109.

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**Part II** Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 15, for any recipient who received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1	(a) Name of organization	(b) IRS code section and EIN (if applicable)	(c) Region	(d) Purpose of grant	(e) Amount of cash grant	(f) Manner of cash disbursement	(g) Amount of non-cash assistance	(h) Description of non-cash assistance	(i) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
(1)									
(2)									
(3)									
(4)									
(5)									
(6)									
(7)									
(8)									
(9)									
(10)									
(11)									
(12)									
(13)									
(14)									
(15)									
(16)									

2 Enter total number of recipient organizations listed above that are recognized as charities by the foreign country, recognized as tax-exempt by the IRS, or for which the grantee or counsel has provided a section 501(c)(3) equivalency letter. . . . . ▶

3 Enter total number of other organizations or entities. . . . . ▶

**Part III** Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 16. Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Region	(c) Number of recipients	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Manner of cash disbursement	(f) Amount of non-cash assistance	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
(1)							
(2)							
(3)							
(4)							
(5)							
(6)							
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(12)							
(13)							
(14)							
(15)							
(16)							
(17)							
(18)							

**Part IV Foreign Forms**

- 1 Was the organization a U.S. transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 926, Return by a U.S. Transferor of Property to a Foreign Corporation (see Instructions for Form 926)* . . . . .  Yes  No
  
- 2 Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 3520, Annual Return to Report Transactions with Foreign Trusts and Receipt of Certain Foreign Gifts, and/or Form 3520-A, Annual Information Return of Foreign Trust With a U.S. Owner (see Instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A; do not file with Form 990)* . . . . .  Yes  No
  
- 3 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5471, Information Return of U.S. Persons With Respect To Certain Foreign Corporations (see Instructions for Form 5471)* . . . . .  Yes  No
  
- 4 Was the organization a direct or indirect shareholder of a passive foreign investment company or a qualified electing fund during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8621, Information Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund (see Instructions for Form 8621)* . . . . .  Yes  No
  
- 5 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign partnership during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8865, Return of U.S. Persons With Respect To Certain Foreign Partnerships (see Instructions for Form 8865)* . . . . .  Yes  No
  
- 6 Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see Instructions for Form 5713; do not file with Form 990)* . . . . .  Yes  No



**Part V** **Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide the information required by Part I, line 2 (monitoring of funds); Part I, line 3, column (f) (accounting method; amounts of investments vs. expenditures per region); Part II, line 1 (accounting method); Part III (accounting method); and Part III, column (c) (estimated number of recipients), as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information (see instructions).

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**SCHEDULE M  
(Form 990)**

**Noncash Contributions**

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2014**

**Open To Public  
Inspection**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

- ▶ Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.
- ▶ Attach to Form 990.
- ▶ Information about Schedule M (Form 990) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

Name of the organization

NEW JERSEY AUDUBON SOCIETY

Employer identification number

221539642

**Part I Types of Property**

	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts
1 Art - Works of art . . . . .				
2 Art - Historical treasures . . . . .				
3 Art - Fractional interests . . . . .				
4 Books and publications . . . . .				
5 Clothing and household goods . . . . .				
6 Cars and other vehicles . . . . .				
7 Boats and planes . . . . .				
8 Intellectual property . . . . .				
9 Securities - Publicly traded . . . . .	X	12.	118,943.	FMV
10 Securities - Closely held stock . . . . .				
11 Securities - Partnership, LLC, or trust interests . . . . .				
12 Securities - Miscellaneous . . . . .				
13 Qualified conservation contribution - Historic structures . . . . .				
14 Qualified conservation contribution - Other . . . . .				
15 Real estate - Residential . . . . .				
16 Real estate - Commercial . . . . .				
17 Real estate - Other . . . . .				
18 Collectibles . . . . .				
19 Food inventory . . . . .				
20 Drugs and medical supplies . . . . .				
21 Taxidermy . . . . .				
22 Historical artifacts . . . . .				
23 Scientific specimens . . . . .				
24 Archeological artifacts . . . . .				
25 Other ▶ ( _____ )				
26 Other ▶ ( _____ )				
27 Other ▶ ( _____ )				
28 Other ▶ ( _____ )				

29 Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee Acknowledgement . . . . . **29**

	Yes	No
30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1 through 28, that it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which is not required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period? . . . . .		X
b If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II.		
31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any non-standard contributions? . . . . .	X	
32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash contributions? . . . . .		X
b If "Yes," describe in Part II.		
33 If the organization did not report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II.		

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**Part II** **Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the information required by Part I, lines 30b, 32b, and 33, and whether the organization is reporting in Part I, column (b), the number of contributions, the number of items received, or a combination of both. Also complete this part for any additional information.

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FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 6

THE SOCIETY HAS AN ESTIMATED 20,000 MEMBERS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7A

THE SOCIETY HAS MEMBERS WHO MAY ELECT ONE OR MORE MEMBERS OF THE  
GOVERNING BODY.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7B

THE DECISIONS OF THE GOVERNING BODY ARE SUBJECT TO APPROVAL BY MEMBERS OF  
THE ORGANIZATION BY A TWO-THIRDS VOTE OF THE MEMBERS PRESENT AND VOTING  
AT THE SOCIETY'S ANNUAL OR BUSINESS MEETING.

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

THE FORM 990 WAS PREPARED BY THE OUTSIDE AUDIT FIRM THAT HAS EXPERIENCE  
IN THE PREPARATION OF THE FORM AND WAS REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY THE  
EXECUTIVE AND FINANCE COMMITTEES AND THEN PROVIDED TO THE FULL BOARD OF  
DIRECTORS.

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

EACH MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IS REQUIRED TO SIGN AN ANNUAL  
DISCLOSURE REPORT REGARDING ANY CONFLICTS OF INTEREST AND RISKS OF FRAUD  
WITHIN THE ORGANIZATION.

FORM 990, LINE VI, SECTION B, LINE 15

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS REVIEWS AND APPROVES

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THE COMPENSATION OF THE PRESIDENT & CEO OF THE SOCIETY ANNUALLY. KEY ELEMENTS OF THE PROCESS INCLUDE USE OF BENCHMARKING TO DETERMINE COMPARABLE COMPENSATION AND TO FACILITATE A PROCESS WHERE PERSONS WITH CONFLICT OF INTEREST WITH RESPECT TO THE COMPENSATION AGREEMENT ARE EXCLUDED FROM THE PROCESS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19

THE SOCIETY DOES NOT MAKE PUBLIC ITS BY-LAWS WHICH ARE ITS GOVERNING DOCUMENTS. THE SOCIETY EVALUATES THE BY-LAWS ON A REGULAR BASIS AND AMENDS THEM AS CIRCUMSTANCES CHANGE. WHEN AN AMENDMENT IS RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, NOTICE IS GIVEN TO THE MEMBERS THAT A PROPOSED AMENDMENT WILL BE CONSIDERED AT THE ANNUAL OR BUSINESS MEETING OF THE SOCIETY AND THE TEXT OF SUCH PROPOSED AMENDMENT WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE IN ADVANCE OF THE MEETING UPON REQUEST.

THE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND THE FORM 990 ARE MADE AVAILABLE ON THE ORGANIZATION'S WEBSITE.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4A, 4B, & 4C

STEWARDSHIP

ONE OF THE MOST EXCITING PROJECTS IN RECENT NJ AUDUBON HISTORY IS THE QUAIL RESTORATION INITIATIVE. THIS AMBITIOUS ENDEAVOR TO RESTORE NORTHERN BOBWHITE TO NEW JERSEY BECAME REAL WHEN WE RELEASED 80 WILD NORTHERN BOBWHITE, CAPTURED AND TRANS-LOCATED FROM GEORGIA, ONTO THE PINE ISLAND CRANBERRY PROPERTY IN THE HEART OF THE PINELANDS. THE FIRST YEAR'S

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RESULTS WERE IMPRESSIVE WITH 14 CONFIRMED NESTS AND 66 HATCHED CHICKS. THIS WAS THE FIRST CONFIRMED NESTING AND HATCHING OF NORTHERN BOBWHITE IN THE NJ PINELANDS SINCE THE 1980S! THE PROJECT HAS JUST BEGUN AS WE WILL BE CONDUCTING TWO MORE RELEASES OVER THE COMING YEARS, AND TRACKING AND DOCUMENTING THE QUAIL'S SURVIVAL AND HABITAT USE.

WE JOINED WITH MORE THAN FIFTY OTHER NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS ON THE DELAWARE RIVER WATERSHED INITIATIVE, A BOLD ENDEAVOR SPEARHEADED BY THE WILLIAM PENN FOUNDATION TO PROTECT AND RESTORE WATER QUALITY ACROSS A 13,500 SQUARE MILE AREA. WE LEAD EFFORTS TO ENGAGE FARMERS AND LANDOWNERS IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES THAT SAFEGUARD WATERWAYS, REDUCE WATER USE, AND IMPROVE WILDLIFE HABITAT. WE ARE WORKING IN TWO DISTINCT REGIONS OF THE STATE, THE HIGHLANDS REGION AND THE AREA OVERLAPPING THE KIRKWOOD-COHANSEY AQUIFER (LARGELY SOUTHERN NJ). IN THE HIGHLANDS REGION WE HAVE SUPPORTED THE INSTALLATION OF COVER CROPS ON MORE THAN 400 ACRES OF FARMLAND, WORKED ON 23 ACRES OF WETLAND RESTORATION, 30 ACRES OF GRASSLAND RESTORATION, AND MORE THAN THREE MILES OF RIPARIAN RESTORATION. IN THE KIRKWOOD-COHANSEY REGION WE LAUNCHED A SMALL GRANTS PROGRAM TO FUND CONSERVATION PRACTICES AND HAVE FUNDED PROJECTS COVERING CLOSE TO 1,000 ACRES. THIS MEANS SUPPORTING THE USE OF COVER CROPS, IRRIGATION EFFICIENCY IMPROVEMENTS, INSTALLATION OF GRASSED WATERWAYS AND RIPARIAN BUFFERS.

WE ENTERED INTO A PARTNERSHIP WITH THE NEW JERSEY INVASIVE SPECIES STRIKE TEAM TO RAISE AWARENESS ABOUT THE IMPACT INVASIVE SPECIES HAVE ON NATIVE

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SYSTEMS AND TO DIRECTLY ERADICATE INVASIVE SPECIES POPULATIONS THROUGHOUT THE STATE. CONSEQUENTLY, WE'VE ENGAGED NEW PARTNERS IN THE ERADICATION OF INVASIVE PLANTS AT HIGH PRIORITY FOREST SITES, HELD MORE THAN 10 OUTREACH EVENTS INVOLVING MORE THAN 800 INDIVIDUALS, TRAINED NUMEROUS PARTNERS AND PRIVATE LANDOWNERS IN INVASIVE SPECIES ERADIATION TECHNIQUES AND DIRECTLY ERADICATED OVER 230 INVASIVE PLANT POPULATIONS, MANY OF WHICH ARE NEWLY EMERGING SPECIES THAT POSE SIGNIFICANT RISK TO NATIVE PLANTS AND WILDLIFE.

OUR FOREST STEWARDSHIP AND RESTORATION WORK CONTINUES TO DIRECTLY CREATE, IMPROVE AND RESTORE HABITAT FOR NUMEROUS BIRDS AND OTHER WILDLIFE, WHILE ALSO IMPROVING FOREST HEALTH. ACROSS NEW JERSEY WE DEVELOPED OR IMPLEMENTED MORE THAN 20 FOREST STEWARDSHIP PLANS THAT COVER MORE THAN 20,000 ACRES. THE WORK HAS INVOLVED CREATING SMALL PATCHES OF HABITAT FOR GOLDEN-WINGED WARBLERS AND OTHER YOUNG FOREST SPECIES IN NORTHWESTERN NJ, CREATING HABITAT FOR RED-HEADED WOODPECKERS IN NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN NJ, RESTORING AREAS DAMAGED BY THE HEMLOCK WOOLY ADELGID AT THE JANET VAN GELDER WILDLIFE SANCTUARY, AND CREATING HABITAT, WHILE REDUCING WILDFIRE RISK, AT THE HOVNANIAN SANCTUARY IN OCEAN COUNTY.

POLICY & ADVOCACY

AT THE STATE LEVEL, THERE WERE A NUMBER OF SUCCESSFUL POLICY ACTIONS DURING THE YEAR. ONE OF THE MOST SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS WAS THE ADVANCEMENT OF STATE LEGISLATION AND THE ULTIMATE PASSAGE OF A PUBLIC

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QUESTION ESTABLISHING A PERMANENT FUNDING SOURCE FOR THE PRESERVATION AND STEWARDSHIP OF OPEN SPACE AND PARKS. WE COORDINATED A ROBUST STATE-WIDE CONSERVATION FUNDING BALLOT MEASURE WHICH PASSED WITH 65% VOTER SUPPORT IN NOVEMBER 2014 AND WILL PROVIDE \$2 BILLION IN FUNDING OVER THE NEXT 20 YEARS FOR ACQUISITION OF OPEN SPACE AND STEWARDSHIP OF PRESERVED LANDS AND PARKS. THIS WILL PROVIDE SIGNIFICANT PROTECTION FOR VALUABLE HABITAT AS WELL AS PROTECTING WATER, AND CLEAN, SAFE PLACES FOR OUR CHILDREN TO PLAY. ADDITIONALLY, WE FOCUSED EFFORTS ON ENSURING HEALTHY SUSTAINABLE FORESTS BY ADVANCING FOREST STEWARDSHIP AND SUSTAINABLE HEALTHY FORESTS INITIATIVES INCLUDING THE PRESCRIBED BURNING ACT AND THE NJ HEALTHY FORESTS ACT. FINALLY, WITH A GOAL TO REDUCE INVASIVE SPECIES IN NJ (WHICH GREATLY DAMAGE OUR PUBLIC AND PRIVATE LANDS) AS WELL AS PROMOTE NATIVE SPECIES AND POLLINATORS, WE WORKED TO DEVELOP AND INTRODUCE LEGISLATION TO REDUCE OR PROHIBIT INVASIVE SPECIES, PROMOTE NATIVE SPECIES, PROTECT NATIVE POLLINATORS AND GROW BACKYARD HABITAT.

AT THE FEDERAL LEVEL, WE WORKED IN COALITION WITH ORGANIZATIONS FROM FOUR OTHER STATES TO PARTNERS IN APPLYING FOR AND SECURING \$13.5 MILLION IN REGIONAL CONSERVATION PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM FUNDING FROM THE NATURAL RESOURCE CONSERVATION SERVICE FOR THE DELAWARE RIVER WATERSHED. WE ALSO WORKED TO ADVANCE THE DELAWARE RIVER BASIN CONSERVATION ACT TO ENCOURAGE COORDINATION, RAISE AWARENESS AND BRING MORE RESOURCES TO THIS VALUABLE WATERSHED. WE CONTINUED EFFORTS TO SUPPORT THE LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND, FOUGHT AGAINST DAMAGING CLEAN WATER ACT RIDERS, SECURED CONTINUED FUNDING FOR NJ UNDER THE STATE AND TRIBAL WILDLIFE



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GRANT PROGRAM AND ADVOCATED FOR, SECURED AND CELEBRATED THE FEDERAL PROTECTION OF THE RED KNOT UNDER THE ENDANGERED SPECIES ACT.

EDUCATION:

NEW JERSEY AUDUBON DIRECTLY REACHES 18,759 CHILDREN AND 22,762 ADULTS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR BY CONDUCTING 2,173 PROGRAMS. THESE PROGRAMS ARE CONDUCTED BY THE ORGANIZATION'S PROFESSIONAL STAFF AT SIX NATURE CENTERS, AS WELL AS TRAINED VOLUNTEERS. IN ADDITION, CLOSE TO 40,000 PEOPLE VISITED OUR CENTERS AND WALKED OUR TRAILS.

DURING THE YEAR WE SAW SIGNIFICANT GROWTH IN OUR URBAN EDUCATION PROGRAMS IN JERSEY CITY, NEWARK, NEW BRUNSWICK, MORRISTOWN AND LINDEN BY WORKING WITH SCHOOLS, AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS AND OTHER YOUTH-SERVING ORGANIZATIONS.

OUR TEAM ALSO GREW THE STATEWIDE YOUTH BIRDING PROGRAM TO ENCOURAGE YOUNG PEOPLE TO LEARN ABOUT CONSERVATION THROUGH BIRDS AND BIRD WATCHING.

OUR CENTER-BASED PROGRAM SLATE IS DIVERSE AND TAILORED TO THE INDIVIDUAL SITE. PROGRAMS CONSISTED OF PRE-K INTRODUCTIONS TO NATURE THROUGH THE SEASONS TO COMMUNITY-PROGRAMMING THAT BUILD CONNECTIONS WITH INDIVIDUALS AND LOCAL GROUPS LIKE THE JERSEY CAPE MILITARY SPOUSES CLUB. WE MEET WITH SCOUT GROUPS AND ENGAGE SCOUTS IN STEWARDSHIP PROJECTS AT THE CENTERS. WE ENCOURAGE FAMILY GROUPS TO HELP MONITOR BLUEBIRD BOXES. WE HOLD PROGRAMS AND SALES TO ENCOURAGE THE USE OF NATIVE PLANTS IN INDIVIDUAL AND COMMUNITY GARDENS.

DURING SUMMER 2015, OUR STATEWIDE TEAM CONDUCTED THREE WEEKLONG TEACHER SUMMER INSTITUTES TO PROVIDE K-12 TEACHERS WITH BACKGROUND IN ECOLOGY,

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ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE, SUSTAINABILITY AND EDUCATIONAL PEDAGOGY THAT HELPS MEET STATE AND FEDERAL LEARNING STANDARDS. STAFF PARTICIPATED IN NUMEROUS ANNUAL EDUCATION CONVENTIONS AND CONFERENCES BY CONDUCTING WORKSHOPS. WORKING CLOSELY WITH STATE AND NATIONAL PARTNERS, NEW JERSEY AUDUBON CONTINUES TO WORK ON HIGH-PROFILE PROJECTS LOOKING AT COASTAL COMMUNITY RESILIENCY AND HOW TO TEACH ABOUT THIS TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.

OVER 27,000 PEOPLE VISITED THE NEW JERSEY AUDUBON MIGRATION WATCHES DURING THE YEAR. THESE SITES PROVIDE PEOPLE WITH ACCESS TO WILDLIFE MIGRATION PHENOMENA (HAWK MIGRATION, SONGBIRD MIGRATION, BUTTERFLY MIGRATION) AND ALSO OPPORTUNITIES TO LEARN MORE ABOUT HOW THEY CAN HELP THESE SPECIES.

WHILE MOST OF OUR PROGRAMS REVOLVE AROUND NEW JERSEY'S HABITATS, ANIMALS, PLANTS AND NATURAL PHENOMENA, NEW JERSEY AUDUBON IS WELL-REPRESENTED ON AN INTERNATIONAL LEVEL. NEW JERSEY AUDUBON'S CAPE MAY BIRD OBSERVATORY (CMBO) PARTICIPATED IN THE FIRST EVER INTERNATIONAL BIRD OBSERVATORY CONFERENCE IN FALSTERBO, SWEDEN. CMBO ALSO PARTICIPATED IN AN ENRAM (EUROPEAN NETWORK FOR THE RADAR SURVEILLANCE OF ANIMAL MOVEMENT) MEETING IN THE HULA VALLEY, ISRAEL, WHERE STAFF SHARED HOW US RADAR CAN BE USED TO VISUALIZE BIRD MIGRATION, QUANTIFY STOPOVER HABITAT OF MIGRATING BIRDS, AND CONNECT A BROAD AUDIENCE TO THE CONSERVATION NEEDS OF MIGRANTS. THE ECO-SCHOOLS USA IN NEW JERSEY PROGRAM, A PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN NEW JERSEY AUDUBON AND NATIONAL WILDLIFE FEDERATION WORKED COLLABORATIVELY WITH THE EPA TAIWAN TO CONNECT SCHOOLS IN NEW JERSEY WITH SCHOOLS IN TAIWAN WITH A COMMON GOAL OF BUILDING PARTNERSHIPS IN SCHOOL

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SUSTAINABILITY ACTIONS.

RESEARCH

FUNDED BY A \$1.28 MILLION GRANT THROUGH THE NATIONAL FISH AND WILDLIFE FOUNDATION, NJ AUDUBON LED STONE HARBOR RESTORATION EFFORTS, IMPROVING CRITICAL HABITAT FOR ENDANGERED BEACH NESTING AND MIGRATORY SHOREBIRDS WHILE PROTECTING NEIGHBORING COMMUNITIES FROM STORM SURGES. AFTER MONTHS OF PLANNING, HUGE EARTH MOVERS REPLENISHED SAND ON ERODED BEACHES AT STONE HARBOR POINT TO RAISE THE NESTING GROUNDS FOR FEDERALLY THREATENED PIPING PLOVERS AND STATE ENDANGERED BLACK SKIMMERS AND LEAST TERNS--JUST IN TIME FOR SPRING MIGRATION AND BREEDING SEASON. WE CREATED 25 ACRES OF ELEVATED HABITAT THEREBY REDUCING THE POTENTIAL FOR FLOODING OF NESTS OF THE BEACH NESTING BIRDS, AND PROVIDING ROOSTING AREAS FOR MIGRATORY SHOREBIRDS. A RESILIENCY DUNE THAT PROVIDES STORM PROTECTION FOR THE RESIDENTS OF THE BOROUGH OF STONE HARBOR LIVING NEAR STONE HARBOR POINT WAS ALSO CREATED. THROUGH MONITORING WE CONTINUE TO ASSESS AND EVALUATE THE SUCCESS OF THIS PROJECT, INCLUDING THE RESPONSE OF BEACH-NESTING BIRDS AND MIGRATORY SHOREBIRDS TO THE HABITAT RESTORATION. WE ARE ALSO CONDUCTING BENTHIC INVERTEBRATE SURVEYS TO EVALUATE HOW OUR INTERTIDAL SAND HARVESTING APPROACH TO BEACH RESTORATION AFFECTED THESE INVERTEBRATE COMMUNITIES. FINALLY, WE IMPLEMENTED PREDATOR AND HUMAN-INDUCED DISTURBANCE CONTROL PROGRAMS, AND AN EDUCATION/OUTREACH PROGRAM AT THE PROJECT SITE.

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WE CONTINUE THE INTENSIVE MIGRATION MONITORING OF SEMIPALMATED SANDPIPERS THROUGH BANDING AT DELAWARE BAY AND IN THE WINTERING GROUNDS IN SOUTH AMERICA, AND OUR WORK WITH PARTNERS IN SOUTH AMERICA TO REDUCE HARVEST OF SHOREBIRDS. DELAWARE BAY IS A CRITICAL STOPOVER FOR SHOREBIRDS TO REST, FEED AND FATTEN UP DURING NORTHBOUND MIGRATION TO THE ARCTIC BREEDING GROUNDS. THOUSANDS OF BIRDS HAVE BEEN BANDED, MORE THAN 2000 IN 2015 ALONE. TO ADEQUATELY ADDRESS THE CONSERVATION NEEDS OF THESE SHOREBIRDS, THE PROJECT HAS EXPANDED INTERNATIONALLY TO INCLUDE NOT ONLY THE DELAWARE BAY, BUT ALSO WINTERING AND MIGRATION STAGING AREAS ALONG THE NORTHEAST COAST OF SOUTH AMERICA, SPECIFICALLY FRENCH GUIANA, SURINAME AND NORTHEASTERN BRAZIL. WE ARE ALSO WORKING WITH MANOMET CENTER FOR CONSERVATION SCIENCE AND THE ARCTIC SHOREBIRD DEMOGRAPHIC NETWORK (ASDN) TO BETTER UNDERSTAND LINKS BETWEEN BREEDING POPULATIONS IN THE ARCTIC AND SUBARCTIC AND MIGRATION AND WINTERING POPULATIONS.

A NEW ERA OF TECHNOLOGY HAS BEEN ADDED TO THE NJ AUDUBON'S HARBOR HERONS FORAGING SURVEYS. FOR THE PAST SEVERAL YEARS, DEDICATED CITIZEN SCIENCE VOLUNTEERS HAVE SPENT HUNDREDS OF HOURS COLLECTING DATA ON HARBOR HERON FORAGING LOCATIONS IN NYC AND NJ. IN 2015 WE EMPLOYED EMERGING TRANSMITTER TECHNOLOGIES TO MONITOR AND TRACK POST BREEDING AND WINTER SITE USE BY GREAT EGRETS IN COLLABORATION WITH WATERBIRD SCIENTISTS AT LENOIR-RHYNE UNIVERSITY AND FRIENDS UNIVERSITY. IN JUNE 2015, TWO ADULT GREAT EGRETS WERE CAPTURED AT WOLF'S POND, STATEN ISLAND, AND FITTED WITH SOLAR POWERED GPS/GSM TRANSMITTERS. THE TWO BIRDS, CLARENCE AND EDWARD, WERE 'ADOPTED' BY THE CITIZEN SCIENTISTS AND LOCAL CLASSROOMS ON STATEN

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ISLAND TEXT US INFORMATION ABOUT THEIR LOCATION 3 TIMES/DAY. THE PUBLIC CAN FOLLOW THEIR MOVEMENTS AND SEE THE DATA ON MOVEBANK.ORG. WE WATCHED THEM SPEND A LOT OF TIME ON STATEN ISLAND, JAMAICA BAY, AND DELAWARE BAY DURING THE POST BREEDING SEASON, AND IN NOVEMBER THEY BOTH MIGRATED CLOSE TO CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA, SEPARATELY BUT ENDING UP ONLY ABOUT 50 MILES FROM EACH OTHER.

THROUGH OUR COSTAL IMPOUNDMENT CLIMATE RESILIENCY WORK, A COLLABORATIVE PROJECT WITH SEVERAL PARTNERS, WE PRODUCED A GIS CATALOG OF 165 COASTAL IMPOUNDMENTS FROM VIRGINIA TO MAINE. THIS INCLUDES INFORMATION ABOUT OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT AND ECOLOGICAL RESOURCES AS WELL AS PRELIMINARY LIDAR-BASED VULNERABILITY ANALYSIS. WE DEFINED 'COASTAL IMPOUNDMENTS' AS IMPOUNDED (USUALLY DIKED) AREAS ADJACENT TO TIDAL WATERS, WITHIN WHICH WATER LEVELS ARE (OR HAVE BEEN) ACTIVELY MANAGED TO BENEFIT WILDLIFE. IMPOUNDMENTS HAVE BEEN AND CONTINUE TO BE OF GREAT IMPORTANCE FOR THE ECOLOGICAL RESOURCES THAT THEY SUSTAIN. THESE INCLUDE POPULATIONS OF BREEDING, WINTERING AND MIGRATING BIRDS. IN FACT, SOME OF THE MOST POPULAR BIRDING SPOTS IN THE STATE AND THE REGION ARE IMPOUNDMENTS (FORSYTHE, HEISLERVILLE, KINGSLAND, JAMAICA BAY, BOMBAY HOOK, PARKER RIVER). COASTAL IMPOUNDMENTS MAY ALSO BE THE FIRST LINE OF DEFENSE FOR ADJACENT COMMUNITIES AGAINST THE IMPACTS OF STORMS, TIDAL SURGES AND RISING SEA LEVELS. WE ARE EXPLORING THE SOCIETAL AND ECOLOGICAL IMPORTANCE OF THESE SITES WITH THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS FOR SAFEGUARDING COASTAL IMPOUNDMENTS IN AN ERA OF CHANGING CLIMATE.

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NEW JERSEY AUDUBON PARTNERED WITH THE NEW JERSEY ENDANGERED AND NONGAME SPECIES PROGRAM AND CONSERVE WILDLIFE FOUNDATION TO IMPLEMENT A STATEWIDE SURVEY FOR BLACK RAIL DURING THE 2015 FIELD SEASON. POPULATIONS OF THE EASTERN BLACK RAIL HAVE DECLINED SIGNIFICANTLY IN RECENT YEARS, YET LITTLE IS KNOWN ABOUT THIS SECRETIVE MARSH BIRD. SPECIFIC GOALS OF THE PROJECT ARE TO DOCUMENT THE CURRENT GEOGRAPHICAL RANGE OF BLACK RAIL IN NEW JERSEY; TO ASSESS POPULATION CHANGES SINCE THE LAST SURVEY WAS CONDUCTED IN THE 1980S; AND TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF RANGEWIDE STATUS ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT PLANS. WE HELD TWO TRAINING WORKSHOPS FOR CITIZEN SCIENCE VOLUNTEERS, AND A TEAM OF OVER 40 CITIZEN SCIENTISTS PARTICIPATED IN THE SURVEY. OBSERVERS CONDUCTED STANDARDIZED PLAYBACK SURVEYS AT THEIR ASSIGNED SURVEY POINTS, AND REPEATED THE SURVEY THREE TIMES DURING THE BREEDING SEASON, BETWEEN MAY 15TH AND JULY 15TH. WE PLAN TO EXPAND GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE IN 2016, AND REPEAT SURVEYS AT SELECTED POINTS TO DETERMINE INTER-ANNUAL VARIABILITY.

NEW JERSEY AUDUBON CONTINUE TO ASSESS THE RESPONSE OF WILDLIFE SPECIES TO ROUTINE MAINTENANCE ACTIVITIES ON PSEG TRANSMISSION LINE CORRIDORS IN THE HIGHLANDS. THE GOAL OF THIS PROJECT IS TO DEVELOP MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS THAT MEET SAFETY AND REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS FOR POWERLINE RIGHTS-OF-WAY, WHILE ALSO PROVIDING HABITAT FOR EARLY SUCCESSIONAL SPECIES OF CONSERVATION CONCERN. IN 2015, WE COMPLETED THE FIFTH YEAR OF BIRD, REPTILE, AMPHIBIAN, AND HABITAT SURVEYS ALONG SELECTED SPANS. WE ALSO WORKED CLOSELY WITH PSEG AND THE NJ ENDANGERED AND NONGAME SPECIES PROGRAM TO DEVELOP SPAN-SPECIFIC MAINTENANCE PLANS

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FOR AREAS THAT PROVIDE CRITICAL HABITAT FOR BREEDING GOLDEN-WINGED WARBLER POPULATIONS. INITIAL IMPLEMENTATION OF THESE TREATMENTS WILL BEGIN DURING THE WINTER OF 2015/2016, AND WE WILL BEGIN TO ASSESS RESPONSE OF GOLDEN-WINGED WARBLER AND OTHER WILDLIFE SPECIES DURING THE 2016 FIELD SEASON.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1

FOUNDED IN 1897 AND ONE OF THE OLDEST INDEPENDENT AUDUBON SOCIETIES, NEW JERSEY AUDUBON HAS NO CONNECTION WITH THE NATIONAL AUDUBON SOCIETY. NEW JERSEY AUDUBON FOSTERS ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS AND A CONSERVATION ETHIC AMONG NEW JERSEY'S CITIZENS; PROTECTS NEW JERSEY'S BIRDS, MAMMALS, OTHER ANIMALS AND PLANTS, ESPECIALLY ENDANGERED AND THREATENED SPECIES; AND PROMOTES PRESERVATION OF NEW JERSEY'S VALUABLE NATURAL HABITATS.

ATTACHMENT 1

990, PART VII- COMPENSATION OF THE FIVE HIGHEST PAID IND. CONTRACTORS

<u>NAME AND ADDRESS</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES</u>	<u>COMPENSATION</u>
H4 ENTERPRISES, LLC 411 COURT HOUSE SOUTH DENNIS RD CAPE MAY, NJ 08210	CONTRACT SERVICES	483,291.
LJ NILES ASSOCIATES 516 FARNSWORTH AVE BORDENTOWN, NJ 08505	CONTRACT SERVICES	115,282.
MASTER DESIGN STUDIO, INC. 32531 N. SCOTTSDALE ROAD SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85266	CONTRACT SERVICES	195,613.

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ATTACHMENT 2

FORM 990, PART VIII - INVESTMENT INCOME

DESCRIPTION	(A) TOTAL REVENUE	(B) RELATED OR EXEMPT REVENUE	(C) UNRELATED BUSINESS REV.	(D) EXCLUDED REVENUE
INTEREST AND DIVIDEND INCOME	91,432.			91,432.
TOTALS	<u>91,432.</u>			<u>91,432.</u>

ATTACHMENT 3

FORM 990, PART VIII - GROSS SALES AND COST OF GOODS SOLD

GROSS SALES LESS RETURNS AND ALLOWANCES	1,049,996.
INVENTORY AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	521,942.
PURCHASES	830,682.
SALARIES AND WAGES	
OTHER COSTS	
SUBTOTAL	<u>1,352,624.</u>
MINUS ENDING INVENTORY	546,703.
COST OF GOODS SOLD	<u>805,921.</u>

ATTACHMENT 4

FORM 990, PART IX - OTHER FEES

DESCRIPTION	(A) TOTAL FEES	(B) PROGRAM SERVICE EXP.	(C) MANAGEMENT AND GENERAL	(D) FUNDRAISING EXPENSES
CONTRACT & OTHER FEES	1,550,983.	1,423,204.	53,220.	74,559.
TOTALS	<u>1,550,983.</u>	<u>1,423,204.</u>	<u>53,220.</u>	<u>74,559.</u>





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FORM 990, PART X - DEFERRED REVENUE

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ENDING BOOK VALUE</u>
REFUNDABLE ADVANCES	145,086.
PROGRAM FEES	53,931.
TOTALS	<u>199,017.</u>