This Seller's Certificate is executed as of the date first set forth above.

SELLER:

DEMOCRACY BUILDERS FUND I, INC., a Delaware nonprofit corporation

By:

Seth Andrew Authorized Signatory January 8, 2021

WRITTEN CONSENT

OF THE

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

OF

DEMOCRACY BUILDERS FUND I, INC.

Dated as of July __, 2020

In conformity with the Delaware General Corporation Law, the undersigned being all of the members of the Board of Directors (the "*Board*") of DEMOCRACY BUILDERS FUND I, INC., a Delaware nonprofit corporation (the "*Corporation*"), hereby consent to and adopt the following resolutions and take the following actions with the same force and effect as if such resolutions had been duly adopted and such actions duly taken at a meeting of the Board duly called and convened for such purpose as of the date first set forth above:

WHEREAS, the Board deems it advisable and in the best interest of the Corporation to consummate the purchase of the real property described on <u>Exhibit A</u> attached hereto (the "*Property*").

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

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RESOLVED, the Board consents to and approves the acquisition of the Property from The Corporation of Marlboro College (d/b/a Marlboro College) (the "Seller") pursuant to the terms and provisions contained in that certain Purchase and Sale Agreement, dated as of May 22, 2020, as amended by First Amendment dated as of June 30, 2020 (the "First Amendment"), between the Corporation, as buyer, and the Seller (as so amended, the "Agreement").

RESOLVED, Seth Andrew, as Executive Director of the Corporation, is hereby authorized and empowered to take such action as is necessary or appropriate to bind the Corporation and effectuate the acquisition of the Property on behalf of the Corporation including the post-closing occupancy arrangement contemplated by the First Amendment, pursuant to the terms and provisions set forth in the Agreement, and to take all actions necessary or appropriate thereto, including the execution of any documents in connection therewith, such as the execution of agreements, affidavits, notices, 1099 IRS reports, and closing statements.

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WITNESS the due execution hereof.

Seth Andrew, Chair

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Stacy Birdsell, Vice Chair

Marcellina Blow Cummings, Member

Jazel Smith, Member

Exhibit A

EXHIBIT A (Legal Description)

The Land referred to in this Commitment is described as follows:

1, 2070 South Road

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Mariboro Collega by Warranty Deed from Sylvia G. Blanchet and Thomas B. Fricke dated March 25, 2013, recorded in Volume 57, Page 177 of the Mariboro Land Records and described as follows:

Commencing at an iron pin located inside a stone wall on the northerty bounds of the right-of-way of State Ald Highway No. 3. also known as South Road, said pin being 25 feet east of the southeast comer of lands now or formerly of Roderick Gander and said pin marking the southwest comer of lands how or formerly of Thure, Janet and Ruth D. Herzberg, thence N 15" 13' E along lands now or formorily of Thure, Ruth D. and Janet K. Hertzberg and through an iron pin a distance of 264.8 feet more or less to another iron pin; therace continuing N 13" 16" E along lends now or formerly of Thure, Ruth D, and Janet K. Nertaberg a distance of 257.9 feet more or less to an iron pin at high water mark on the southerly side or South Pond Brook; thence continuing in a generally northerly direction. along a brook and along lands now or formerly of Thure, Janet and Ruth D. Hentzberg, along lands now or formerly of the Estate of Ellen Damrell, along lands now or formerly of Russell Hertzberg, and along lands now or formerly of Thyta Nelson, formerly Thyta Fuller, to a point marking the northeast corner of the premiaes herein conveyed and the southeast corner of other premises now or formerly or Thyra Nelson as described in a deed from Elizabeth Herizberg and Gustof Herizberg to Thyra Fuller and Arthur Fuller dated November 25, 1944 and recorded in Volume 20, Place 48 and re-recorded in Volume 21, Place 192 of the Martboro Land Records. thence turning end running in a generally southwesterly direction along said other lands now or formerly of Thyra Nelson to a point in the easterly bounds of lands now or formerty of George Richards, which point marks the northwest comer of the premises herein conveyed and the southwest comer of said other lands now or formerly of Thyra Nelson as described in the deed to Thyra Fuller and Arthur Fullier from Elizabeth Hertzberg and Gustof Hertzberg dated November 25, 1944 and recorded in Volume 20, Page 48 and re-recorded in Volume 21, Page 192 of the Marlboro Land Records; thence turning and running in a generally southerly direction along lands now or formerty of George Richards, and tarids now or formerly or Martboro College a distance of 1.189.6 feet more or less to an iron pin set in the ground at the westerly end of a stone wall, which said pin marks a corner of the premises herein conveyed and the northwest comer of other lands now or formerly of Mariboro College, and formerly of John K. and Lorraine A. Mumford as described in a deed from the Estate of Elizabeth Porath Hertzberg to said Mumford dated January 2, 1980 and recorded in Volume 21. Page 214 of the Martboro Land Records, thence turning and running \$ 65" E along said other lands now or formerly or Martboro College and formerly of Mumford a distance of 600 feet more or less to comer in said stone wail; thence continuing in the same direction along lands now or formerty of Mantboro College and Inrough the so-called South Pond Brook a distance of 285 feet more or lass to an iron pipe set in the ground on the west side on an old canal or fiume; thence turning and running S 14° W along lands now or formerly of Mariboro College a distance of 175 feet more or less to a point marking the northeast corner of the premises now or formerly of Roderick Gander, thence continuing in the same direction a distance of 100 fest more or less to an iron pin in the northerty bounds of the right-of way of State Aid Highway #3, also known as South Road, thence turning and running in a generally northeasterly direction a distance of 25 feet more or less along the northerly bounds of the aforesaid highway to the point and place of beginning.

2. 2325 South Road, Marlboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Martboro College by Warranty Deed from Jean Christie Mejia, Trustee under the Margaret and Douglas Christie Inevocalize Turst dated November 13, 2008. Said deed is dated July 12, 2010, recorded in Volume 53, Page 778 of the Martboro Land Records and described as follows:

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EXHIBIT A

Being certain pieces or parcels of land tying or being on the northerty and southerly sides of the highway leading from Mariboro Village to Marboro College also known as the South Road, together with all buildings, structures and improvements thereon, and together with all appurtenances thereof which said parcels are bounded as follows:

PARCEL ONE: Bounded northerty by the highway leading from Mariboro Village to Mariboro College as aforesaid, bounded westerty by a stone wall and lands of The Corporation of Mariboro College; bounded aoutherty by lands now or formerty of C. E. Clark and sort; and bounded easterty by lands now or formerty of Hertzberg, containing approximately five or six acres be the same more or lass.

PARCEL TWO: Bounded westerly by lands of The Corporation of Mariboro College, which line passes through an iron pipe or pin driven in a white birch stump and runs to an iron pipe or pin for a corner, bounded northerly by lands of The Corporation of Mariboro College, which line runs northerly of a large maple tree which now or formerly stood on a cliff above the spring that furnishes water to the dwelling house located on Parcel One hereof, passes through an iron pipe or pin southerly of a large maple tree now or formerly standing just westerly of a small brook and runs to a comer marked by an iron pipe or pin driven in the ground with stones around it next to the wall between lands of one Hertzberg and lands of The Corporation of Mariboro College, bounded easierly by lands now or formerly of Hertzberg; and bounded southerly by the highway leading from Mariboro Village to Mariboro College as aforesaid, containing approximately six acres be the same more of less.

3. 1609 South Road, Mariboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Mariboro College by Warranty Deed from Susan Smith Denny, Richard M. Judd, Elizabeth W. MacArthur and Duncan MacArthur, Thatees of Whittemore Paton Mariboro Trust dated. April 27, 2002, April 28, 2000 and May 4, 2000, recorded in Volume 41, Page 158 and Volume 41, Page 163 of the Mariboro Land Records and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the stone wall bounding the easterly side of South Road in said Mariboro, which point marks the northwest corner of land conveyed to The Corporation of Mariboro College from the Estate of Olive T. MacArthur by Executor's Deed dated 8. September 1971 (Book 22, page 512) and the southwest corner on said highway of the premises hereby converged;

thence running easterly in an angle of 90 degrees to said highway along the northerly line of said former Olive T. MacArthur land 400 feet, more or less, to a point in a stone wall for a comer.

thence turning a right angle and running southerly along said stone wall and the former Olive T. MacArthur east line 150 feet to a point, marking the southeast comer of the aforesaid MacArthur land in the north line of land conveyed to Elizabeth W. MacArthur by warranty deed of the Trustees of the Whittemore Paton Marboro Trust, dated 5 March 1974 (Book 23, page 106);

thence running easterly along a stone wall and the nonth line of the said Elizabeth W. MacAnthur land 845 feet to a point marking the northeast corner of the Elizabeth W. MacAnthur land and the southeast corner of the conveyed premises;

thence turning a 90 degree angle and running northerly in a straight line along remaining lands of the grants: 500 feet, more or less, to a point marking the northeast comer of the parcel hereby conveyed,

thence luming a 90 degree angle and running westerly in a straight line 845 feet, more or test, to the northeast comer of the Red House premises, ac-called, which were conveyed by the Grantor herein to The Corporation of Mariboro College by corrective deed, dated April 1974, recorded in Mariboro Land Records;

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thence turning a right angle and running southerly along sale stone wall and the former Olive T MacArthur sest time 150 fees to a point marking the southeast comer of the aforesaid MacArthur land in the north live of land conveyed to Elizabeth W. MacArthur by warrancy deed of the Trustees of the Whitemore Paton Martboro Trust, dated 5 March 1974 (Book 23, page 106);

thence running easterly along a stone wall and the north line of the said Elizabeth W. MacArthur land 646 feet to a point marking the northeast comer of the Elizabeth W. MacArthur land and the southeast comer of the conveyed premises;

thence turning a 90 degree angle and running northerly in a straight line along remaining lands of the grantur 600 feet, more or less, to a point, marking the northeast corner of the parcel hereby conveyed,

thence turning a 90 degree angle and running westerly in a straight line 846 feet, more or less, to the northeast corner of the Red House premises, so-called, which were conveyed by the Grantor herein to The Corporation of Mariboro College by corrective deed, detext April 1974, recorded in Mariboro Land Records;

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thence running southerly along the easterly line of the Red House premises 200 feet to its southeast corner,

thence turning at a right angle and running along the southerly line of said Red House premises 200 feet to a point marked by an iron pin in the stone wall bounding the easterly side of the highway first above mentioned;

thence running southerly along the aforesaid stone wall and highway 250 feet to the point and place of beginning, containing 12.11 acres, be the same more or less.

4A-2582 South Road, Marlboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Martboro College by Deed of Gift from Walter Hendricks and Flora B. Hendricks dated August 26, 1947, recorded in Volume 20, Page 231 of the Martboro Land Records and described as follows:

Parcel A: Beginning at the northeasterly comer of this parcel A, at a point in the westerly line of the property of the grantee (formerly of Cerretani) and in the southerly line of the highway from Marlboro to Halifax, thence running westerly in the southerly line of the highway to a stone wall which marks the westerly side of the first mowing to the west of the Meadow swamp, thence southerly in the line of the stone wall, and in this line extended to the southerly line of the grantor's property in Marlboro, (being the north line of the Town of Halifax, or the north line of lands formerly of W. B. Warren), thence easterly along the southerly line of the grantor's property to the westerly line of the property of the grantee, thence northerly along this line to the point of beginning, containing approximately 80 acres more or less, together with the building thereon standing at the northeast comer thereof. Being a portion of parcel No. 1 described in deed from Henry N. and Helen R. Hewes, to Walter and Flora B, Hendrcks, dated August 9, 1933, and recorded with Martboro Deeds Book 18, page 91.

Parcel 8: Beginning at the southeasterly comer of this parcel B at a point in the said westerly line of the Grantee's property and in the northerly line of the said highway and thence running wetsterly in the northerly line of the highway to a stake and a stone at the southwest corner of the first field which lies to the west of the old house so-called on the granted piece which stake is somewhat easterly of the northwest corner of aforesaid parcel A, thence running northerly in a straight line to a biazed maple tee and the westerly end of a stone wall which lies approximately westerly from the northwest corner of the Said westerly along the line of the stake and a wire fence to the said westerly line of the Grantee's property at a clump of ash trees and a stake and stone, near the said northwest comer of the college spring house, thence southerly in the said westerly line of the Grantee's property to the point and beginning. Contains approximately seventy (70) acres more or less, together with the dwelling, garage, farm, milk house, shop, old house and any other buildings thereon.

Also any and all rights to the fee of the highway adjacent to said parcels so far as we have such. With full rights to the house and farm, springs and to develope further springs in the upland to the north of parcel B, for the benefit of the granted premises or of the adjacent premises of the Grantee.

Less and excepting 5.1 acres, more or less conveyed to Marlboro School of Music Inc. by Special Warranty Deed of the Corporation of Marlboro College dated January 30, 2013, recorded February 6, 2013 and Volume 57, Page 16 of the Marlboro Land Records as described in survey entitled, "Plat of Boundary Survey - Parcels A and B Belonging to Marlboro College" dated November 2011- May 2012 by Malcolm Moore, PLS and recorded in Slide S-366 of the Marlboro Land Records. 48 - 2582 South Road, Marlboro

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Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Martboro College by Warranty Deed from Fiora B.

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Hendricks, Walter Hendricks, Suvia P. Whittemore and Arthur E. Whittemore dated February 17, 1947, recorded in Volume 20, Page 367 of the Mariboro Land Records and described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the premises herein conveyed; thence in a southerly direction along lands formerly owned by Henry Hewes and now owned by Waitar Hendricks; thence along land of said Hendricks; thence in the same direction along lands of Bryan Warren to the north line of the Town of Halifax; thence easterly upon the said north line of Halifax to Pond Brook, so-called; thence in a norterly direction upon lands of the E.J. Roberts Estate to land owned by R.A. Christie and wife; thence in a norterly direction along the lands of said Christie, to the highway leading from Martboro to Harrisville, so-called, in Halifax, which line is along a stone wall most of the way; thence along said highway a few rods toward the buildings on the premises herein described; thence in a northerly direction on land of R.A. Christie and wife, to an iron pin in the ground; thence in an easterly direction on land of said Christie to land of one Hertzberg; thence in a ortherly direction on land of aid Hertzberg to land of Charles N. Perry, known as the Cummings lot, thence in a westerly and northerly direction on said Cummings lot to land of Arthur E. Whittemore and wife; thence in a westerly direction on said Whittemore's land and of Walter Hendrick to the place of beginning.

4C - 2582 South Road, Mariboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Marlboro College by Warranty Deed from Anthony Cerretani dated October 28, 1961, recorded in Volume 21, Page 327 of the Marlboro Land Records and described as follows:

Parcel No. 1. On the east by land of Christie, on the North by the aforementioned South Road; on the West by lands of the Grantee; and on the South by a brock which flows from South Pond.

Parcel No. 2. A woodlot on the North side of South Road, so-called, and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of said Christie's westerly boundary and the said road, on the north side of said road; thence northerly along said Christie's west boundary and the same line extended five hundred (500) feet to a point, thence westerly along lands of the Grantee to a point in a stone wall which divided premises *al*, the grantee from the premises herein conveyed, which point is five hundred (500) feet from the highway measured along the wall aforesaid; thence southerly along said wall to the roadway, thence easterly on the northerly line of the roadway to the point of beginning.

4D - 2582 South Road, Marlboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Marlboro College by Warranty Deed from John K. Mumford and Lorraine A. Mumford dated September 25, 1969, recorded in Volume 22, Page 352 of the Marlboro Land Records and described as follows: Beginning at the corner of a stonewall at an tron pin set in the ground on the North side of road leading from Mariboro College to Mariboro Town, said corner of Stonewall being the southeast corner of land of R. A. Christie and the southwest corner of land herein conveyed; thence North 10 degrees East along a stone wall about 600 feet and along a barbed wire fence an additional 154 feet, a total distance of 754 feet along land of said Christie to the West end of a stonewall and an iron pin set in the ground; thence South 65 degrees East about 600 feet to a corner in the said stonewall and continuing in the same direction a total distance of 886 feet along other land of Elizabeth Porath Herbberg Estate to an iron pipe set in the ground on the west side of an old canal or fieme, thence South 14 degrees West 275 feet along land of said Herbberg to an iron pipe set in the ground on the West side of said canal or fieme, thence South 14 degrees West 275 feet along land of said Herbberg to an iron pipe set in the ground on the West side of said canal or fieme and on the north side of the aforementioned road; thence along the north side of the said cloud 800 feet in a westerly direction to the place of beginning. Containing ten (10) acres be the same more or less, together with buildings standing thereon. Further granting and

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conveying unto the said Grantees, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors or assigns, flowage rights on other land on said Estate lying northerly of the north line of the property herein conveyed for a certain concrete dam, said dam being located on the above described premises and being further located west of an old canal or fleme as mentioned above. Said flowage rights are not to exceed the area flooded by the water impounded by said dam when the water is at full height in the dam.

The said Grantees, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns shall not increase the height of the dam above mentioned.

4E - 2582 South Road, Mariboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Martboro College by Warranty Deed from Hugo Herman Hertzberg dated February 28, 1978, recorded in Volume 23, Page 32 of the Martboro Land Records and described as follows:

Starting at the bridge at the existing farmhouse, then following the College Road running in an easterly direction to the corner of the Lucler Road and College Road; thence turning southerly along Lucler Road approximately 200 yards, to two feet beyond the first stone wall, at the base of the steep hill on Lucler Road; running in a westerly direction then two feet beyond same wall, running along the direction of the stone wall in a westerly direction, to the old Rider Farm Road. From this point (2 feet beyond stone wall) the line goes to the Falls in the South Pond Brook (this direction is approximately perpendicular to the flow of the stream at the falls); then running in a northerly direction from the Falls in South Pond Brook along the center of the stream to the bridge on College Road, at the existing farmhouse.

4F - 2582 South Road, Mariboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Marlboro College by Warranty Deed from Jonathan Bump, Trustee dated January 28, 1985, recorded in Volume 27, Page 99 of the Marlboro Land Records and described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pipe in the northerly right-of-way limit of Marlboro Town Road No. 3 which points marks the southwesterly corner of the premises herein conveyed;

thence proceeding North 15° 15' East along a stone wall and lands now or formerly of Douglas G. and Margaret W. Christie 537 feet to a wire fence;

thence turning and runnig -North 77* 30' West along lands of said Christie and the wire fence 555 feet, more or less, to an iron pin for a corner,

thence turning and running on other lands of the Corporation of Marlboro College North 16° 53' East 800 feet to a point;

thence turning and running South 77° 30' East 575 feet, more or less, to a point on lands now or formerly of Hertzberg;

thence turning and running southerly on lands of Hertzberg 600 feet, more or less, to a stone wall;

thence turning and running South 77* 30/ East 575 feet, more or less, to a point on lands now or formerly of Hertzberg.

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thence turning and running southerly on lands of Hertzberg 600 feet, more or less, to a stone wall;

thence turning and running along said stone wall and lands of Hertzberg South 68" 30" East 600 feet, more or less, to an iron pipe set at a stone wall corner and continuing South 62" 45" East 288.61 feet to an iron pipe.;

thence turning and running South 14" 39 West 173,35 feet to an iron pipe at other lands of the Corporation of Mariboro College,

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theree South 14" 39' West 333 93 feet to an iron pin in the northerly right-of-way limit of Town Road No, 3;

thence turning and running in sald northerly right-of-way limit the following courses and distances: South 77*12' West 109.33 feet to an iron pin; westerly on a curve to the right having a radius of 376,17 feet and an arc length of 205.28 feet to an iron pin; North 71* 32' West 117.68 feet to the point and place of beginning.

Containing by estimation 18,8 acres, be the same more or less.

4G - 2582 South Road, Mariboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Martboro College by Warranty Deed, from Holbrook R. Davia dated January 14, 1996, recorded in Volume 40, Page 80 of the Martboro Land Records and described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pin to be set on a course along a stone wall marking the boundary of lands of the Corporation of Mariboro Dollege and Holbrook R. Davis located South 15" West approximately 329 feet from a corner atone, with stones around it, set in the stone wall, said corner stone marking the northeast corner of the lands of the Grantor herein and further being described and referred to in a Warranty Deed of Mariboro College dated November 26, 1985 and recorded in Volume 27, Page 356 of the Mariboro Land Records; thence North 79" 45' West through lands of the Grantor herein a distance of 210 feet to an iron pin to be set, thence turning and running south 15" West through the lands of the Grantor herein, a distance of approximately 850 feet to a pin to be set; thence turning and running South 79" 45' East through lands of the Grantor herein a distance of 210 feet to an iron pin to be set; thence turning and running South 79" 45' East through lands of the Grantor herein a distance of 210 feet to an iron pin to be set; thence turning and running North 15" East along lands of the Grantee herein 650 feet to be boint and place of beginning.

Said parcel containing 3.13 acres, more or less.

4H - 2582 South Road, Martboro

Being all and the same lands and promises conveyed to The Corporation of Martboro College by Warranty Deed from Holbrook R. Davis dated January 30, 2012, recorded in Volume 55, Page 562 of the Martboro Land Records and described as follows: Beginning at an iron pin on the Martboro-Halifax Town Line approximately 355 feet on a course 8 75" E from the center of the highway aforesaid leading to Hartsville, said iron pin marking the southwesterly comer of the premises herein conveyed; thence S 75" E along said Town Line approximately 1249 feet to an iron pin, said iron pin marking the southeasterly corner of the premises herein conveyed; thence turning and running northerly approximately 295 feet to a corner of two stores walls; thence along a store wall and a wire fence on a course approximately N 16" E to the southerty end of a stone wall, and continuing on said course along said last mentioned stone wall a total distance of approximately 1859 feet to a corner store, with stores around it, set in said store wall; thence turning and running N 79" 45' W a distance of approximately 1100 feet along lands of the Grantor herein to an iron pin; thence turning and running N 79" 45' W a distance of approximately 1100 feet along lands of the Grantor herein to an iron pin; thence turning and running N 79" 45' W a distance of approximately 1100 feet along lands of the Grantor herein to an iron pin; thence turning and running N 79" 45' W a distance of approximately 1100 feet along lands of the Grantor herein to an iron pin; thence turning and running N 79" 45' W a distance of approximately 1100 feet along a stone wall a distance of approximately 1915.4 feet to an intersecting stone wall for a corner, which wall is at or near a southerty line of the highway aforesaid and which point marks the northeasterty corner of the parcel herein conveyed; thence turning and running in a generally westerly direction along the southerty boundary of said highway approximately 973 feet to an iron pin for a corner, which pin marks the northwest corner of the parcel herein conveyed and the northeast corner of land now of Wainhouse, thence turning and running S 6" 20' W a distance of approximately 573 feet along lands of

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41 - 2482 South Road, Martboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Mariboro College by Tax Collecta's Deed of the Town of Mariboro dated December 14, 2000, recorded in Volume 42, Page 80 of the Mariboro Land Records and described as follows:

Beginning at a comprior stone walls on the northerty side of Town Highway No. 51 leading from Martboro College to Hamis Four. Comers so-called, said point being the southeasterly comer of the premises being conveyed herein and being the southwesterly comer of property of Mariboro College, then running on a course of N 25" 02" E along a stone wall and land of Mariboro College for a distance. of 106.9 feet, more or loss, to a comer or stone walls; then turning and running on a course of N 20" 23' E along land of Matboro College for a distance of 1005.9 feet, more or less, to an iron oin at the end of a stone wall; then turning and tunning on a course of S 84" 111 E partly along a stone wall and along land of Mariboro College for a distance of 635.4 feet, more or less, to a point on the essterty side of a woods road, said point being marked by an iron pin; then turning and running on a course of N 19" 45 E generally along a wire fence and land or Marboro College for a distance of 1271.5 feet, more or less, to an iron pin marking the northweslety corner of land of Martboro College and the southwesterly corner of Parcel No. 4; then running on a course of N 18" 07 E along Parcel No. 4 for a distance of 378.7 feet, more or less, to a point, said point marking the northeasterly corner at Paicel No. I and the southeastarty comer of Parcel No. 2: then turning and running on a course of approximately N 75" W along the southerty line of Parcel No. 2 for a distance of approximately 1400 feet, more or less, to a point in the easterly line of International Paper Co., said point marking the northwesterly comer of Parcel No.1 and the southwesterly comer of Parcel No.2, then turning and running on a course of \$ 16' 41' W along a wire fence and stone wall and land of International Paper Co. for a distance of 2468.3 feet, more or less, to a comer of stone. walls on the northelly side of the aforementioned Town Highway No. 51, said point marking the southwesterly comer of Parcel No. 1; then turning and running easterly along a stone wall and the northerty boundary of Town Highway No. 51 for a distance of 651 feet. mote or less, to the point of beginning. Said parcel to contain 63.1 acres, more or less,

Further granting to the Grantee herein, his heirs and assigns, in common with other persons and their heirs and assigns, a right-of-way over a road leading from the vicinity of the church in the village of Mariboro in a generalty southerly direction, being an old woods road, across Parcels No. 2 and 3 as designated in said survey. Further granting to the Grantee herein, his heirs and assigns, in common with other persons and their heirs and assigns, a right of access and right-of-way leading northerly across lands granted by deed to the Corporation of Mariboro College by Walter and Flora Hendricks, said right of access being described in said deed, dated August 26, 1947, and recorded in Book 20, Pages 231-234 of the Mariboro Land Records. Said right of access granted to the Grantee herein leade Parcel No. 1, as designated by said survey, at reasonable locations as may be agreed upon pursuant to said ast mentioned deed.

Further granting to the Grantee herein, his heirs and assigns, pertain spring and flowage rights as described in said Martboro College deed.

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4J - 2582 South Road, Mariboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Mariboro College by Warranty Deed from George S. Richards dated October 2, 2000, recorded in Volume 42, Page 73 of the Mariboro Land Records and described as follows:

Beginning about 10 feet from the west-end of a stone by a yellow birch tree, and the N.W. corner of land now or formerly of one Heftzberg, thence south along land of said Hertzberg a distance of 30 rods; thence west following a wire fence and lands of Martboro College a distance of 30 rods; thence north along land of said College a distance of 30 rods; thence east along land of one Whittemore a distance of 30 rods to place of beginning. Containing 5 and 5/8 acres more or less.

4K - 2582 South Road, Mariboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Mantooro College by Warranty Deed. from Roderick M. Gender and Isabelle Gender dated May 8, 1996, recorded in Volume 37, Page 345 of the Martooro Land Records and described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pin on the northerly side of the highway aforesaid which marks the southeasterly comer of the premises herein conveyed and which pin is on a westerly line of lands now or formerly of the Estate of Elizabeth Porath Hertzberg, thence on a course North 14* 15* East and following the line of a wire fence a distance of One Hundred (100) feat to a point for a corner, thence turning an angle to the left of Ninety (90*) degrees and running in a general westerly direction a distance of Five Hundred (500) feet to a point for a corner, thence turning an angle to the left of Ninety (90*) degrees and running on a course. South 14* 15* West a distance of approximately Three hundred eighty (380) feet to the northerly line of the highway aforesaid, thence turning and running easterly slong the northerly line of the highway to the place of beginning.

Including in the conveyance herewith to the Granies and his heirs, executors, administration, successors or assigns all flowage rights apputement to the property as described in the Warranty Deed to the Grantor herein from John K. Mumford and Lorraine A. Mumford dated 25 September 1989 and recorded in the Marfboro Land Records, Book 22, Page 352.

5, 1565 South Road, Marlboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Martooro College by Warranty Deed. from The Whitemore Paton Martooro Trust dated April 24, 1975, recorded in Volume 23, Page 112 of the Mariboro Land Records and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest comer of said premises marked by an iron pin in the stone wall located four hundred (400) feet, more or less, northerly along said highway from the northerly line of premises formarly of Katharine H. Palon, now of Wittemore Patien Mariboro Trust, thence running northerly along said highway two hundred (200) feet, more or less, to a corner marked by an iron pin; thence turning at an angle of

9 degrees to said highway and running easterly two hundred (200) feet, more or less to a corner, thence turning at a right angle and running southerly in a line parallel to the highway for two hundred (200) feet, more or less, to a corner, thence turning at a right angle and running westerly two hundred (200) feet, more or less, to the point of beginning. Containing forty thousand (40,000) square feet of land, be the same more or less, together with all buildings standing thereon.

6, 1647 South Road, Martboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Martboro College by Warranty Deed from John W.

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MacArthur, Executor of the Estate of Olive T, MacAnthur dated September 8, 1971, recorded in Volume 22, Page 512 of the Martboro, Land Records and described as follows;

Beginning at the intersection of the easterly line of said highway with the northerly line of lands and premises formerly of Katharine H. Paten and now owned by the Whittemore-Paten Mariboro Turst, thence running easterly along said northerly line of lands formerly of Katharine H. Paten marked by the stone wall to a point marking the southeast corner of lands formerly of Noah Daniels and Margaret Daniels, reference being had to a Warranty Deed from the said Daniels and wife to Arthur E. Whittemore, and wife dated 28 September 1946 and recorded in Mariboro Land Records (New Book 20, Page 211); thence running northerly a distance of 150 feet along lands formerly of said Paten to a point for a corner, thence turning and running wasterly paralel to and 150 feet northerly of the first course herein to the highway aforesaid; thence turning and running westerly paralel to and 150 feet northerly of the first course highway aforesaid; hence turning and running southerly a distance of 150 feet more or less along said highway to the place of beginning.

7. 2912 VT Route 9, Marlboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Martboro College by Warranty Deed. from Peter W. Kane and Shella M. Kane dated August 15, 1989, recorded in Volume 30, Page 256 of the Martboro Land Records and described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pin on the northwesterly side of Route 9 which said pin is opposite from the intersection of the Southerly line of Route 9 with Town Highway. No. 3 and marks the southwesterly comer of premises conveyed by the Grantor to David J. Holzapfel and Michelle S. Holzapfel by Warranty Deed dated 1 November 1983 and recorded in Marboro Land Records. Book 26, Page 157; thence running N 08° 11'W along the westerly line of lands of Holzapfel 1192,0 feet more or less to iron pin marking the northwest corner of the premises of Holzapfel, thence S 29° 25'W 946,4 feet, more or less to an iron pin on the northerly side of Route 9 thence running in a general southeasterly direction along the northerly side of Route 9 a total distance of 843.80 feet more or less to the place of beginning.

8. VT Route 9, Mariboro

Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Martboro College by Warranty Deed from William R. Davisson dated August 3, 1990, recorded in Volume 31, Page 203 of the Martboro Land Records and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of the highway known as Route 9 at an iron pin which marks the southwesterly corner of the tands of the Grantee herein as conveyed in a Warranty Deed from Peter W. Kane and Sheila M. Kane dated 15 August 1989, and recorded in Martboro Land Records. (Book 30, Page 266) and which marks the southeasterly corner of the primises herein conveyed; thence N 29° 25° E 946.4 feet, more or less, to an iron pin marking a corner of premises of Holzapfel; thence running in a general northwesterly direction along lands of Holzapfe 920.6 feet, more or less, to a point on the easterly or southeasterly side of Church Hollow Road; thence running in a general southeasterly direction along the easterly or southeasterly side of Church Hollow Road; 515 feet, more or less, to the northerty side of Church Hollow Road; 515 feet, more or less, to the northerty side of Route 9 which is 915 feet, more or less, from the point of beginning; thence running In a general easterly and southeasterly direction along the time or less, from the point of beginning; thence running In a general easterly and southeasterly direction a distance of 915 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning; thence running In a general easterly and southeasterly direction a distance of 915 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

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Being all and the same lands and premises conveyed to The Corporation of Marboro College by Quit Claim Deed of Flora B. Hendricks, Walter Hendricks, Suvia P. Whittemore and Arthur E. Whittemore dated February 7, 1947, recorded in Volume 24, Page 88

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of the Hailfair Land Records and described as follows

Beginning at the community and owned by the C.E. Thurber Estate upon the north line of said Town of Hallfax, and running eastedy upon said line to land of E.J. Robers Estate, thence continuing east on said Roberts land to a corner; thence south on land of Fred Chase to land of Byran Warren; thence west upon lands of said Warren and lands of C.E. Thurber Estate to a corner; thence north upon lands of seid Warren and lands of the Thurber Estate to the place of beginning. Containing by estimation forty-nine (49) acres, bo the same more or less.

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FINAL RESOLUTION TO BUY MARLBORO COLLEGE CAMPUS JULY 22, 2021

Whereas, the board of Democracy Builders Fund I (DBA, Democracy Builders Fund; FKA Alumni Revolution) is a federally recognized 501c3 non-profit organization incorporated in the state of Delaware with a federal IRS EIN of 46-4897222;

Whereas, it is our mission to expand choice and voice to disenfranchised communities through education, technology, and democracy;

Whereas, traditional higher education is not serving enough low-income and first generation college students with a high-quality academic program that is inclusive, affordable, and flexible;

Be it resolved, that DBF remains committed to building an anti-racist, diverse, and welcoming higher education program for all our students, staff, and families.

Be it further resolved, Democracy Builders Fund I approves the purchase of the Marlboro College campus with the intent of incubating and building a new higher education project as soon as possible.

Approved: 4-0

Seth Andrew: Yay Stacy Birdsell: Yay Marcellina Blow-Cummings: Yay Jazel Smith: Yay

Board Member Affirmation

This Seller's Certificate (this "Certificate"), effective as of January 8, 2021, is delivered in connection with that certain Purchase and Sale Agreement dated as of November 3, 2020, as amended (the "Agreement") by and between TYPE 1 CIVILIZATION ACADEMY INC., an Ontario business corporation ("Purchaser") and DEMOCRACY BUILDERS FUND I, INC., a Delaware nonprofit corporation ("Seller"). All capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the respective meanings ascribed thereto in the Agreement.

As a Board Member I hereby certify to the Office of the Vermont Attorney General the following:

 I have no direct or indirect interest in the proposed sale-leaseback transaction with Purchaser as contemplated by the Agreement and all ancillary documents thereto.

2. I have no direct or indirect interest in Purchaser.

This Seller's Certificate is executed as of the date first set forth above.

BOARD MEMBER:

DEMOCRAC I. INC., BUILDERS F Delaware non ion (YOUR NAME)

Date: January 8, 2021

[Signature Page to Seller's Certificate]

AFFIDAVIT OF CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF DEMOCRACY BUILDERS FUND I, INC. (RE: SALE/LEASEBACK FORMER MARLBORD COLLEGE CAMPUS)

STATE OF VERMONT | } CITY OF MARLBORO |

BFFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Seth Andrew, who, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

- Lam over the age of eighteen (18), and Learnently live in Mariboro. Vermont, J have personal knowledge of the facts recited herein.
- There are four (4) members of the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Democracy Builders Fund I, Inc. (the "Company")
- 3. I am the chairman of the Board.
- 4. On October 5, 2020, the Board ananimously passed a resolution permitting the Company to sign a purchase and sales agreement to sell and lease back ("Transaction") the real property, improvements and certain personal property thereon known as the former Marlbore College Campus ("Property") by corporate resolution, attached hereto as Exhibit A ("October 5th Resolution").
- 5. On November 8, 2020, the Board unanimously passed a resolution to permitting the Company accept the updated purchase and sales agreement in connection with the Transaction, by corporate resolution, attached hereto as Exhibit B ("November 8th Resolution").
- 6. On December 31, 2020, the Board manimumsly passed a resolution to permitting the Company to delay the closing of the Transaction until the Vermont Attorney General has completed its review of the Transaction, by corporate resolution, attached hereto as Exhibit C ("December 31st Resolution")

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Grantor has caused this restrainent to be exercised this / a

DEMOCRACY BUILDERS FUND LINC.

Bill Seth Andrew, President and

Duly Authorized Agent

STATE OF VERMONT COUNTY OF WINDHAM

At Marlborn, in said County, this 12²⁰ day of January 2021, Seth Andrew, President of Democracy Builders Fund I, Inc., personally appeared, and he acknowledged this instrument, by him subscribed, to be his free act and deed

Heffore me,

Forest To Holzafe Vermont Notary Public My Commission Expires, 1/31/2021 My Cremnission Number: 157-0000616

RESOLUTION TO APPROVE CONTINUED NEGOTIATIONS AND UPDATED P&S TO SALE-LEASEBACK THE MARLBORO CAMPUS

Whereas: The campus worked well for our DoF Pilot rotation 1

Whereas: Democracy Builders has been accepted into YCombinator to advance the DoF mission

Whereas: DBF intends to expand the leadership of Chandell Stone and begin to explore second campuses, assuming the sale-leaseback arrangement with T1CA is successful.

Be it Therefore Resolved: DBF Accepts the updated P&S agreement with T1CA (attached) and empowers Seth Andrew with advice from Loeb and Tarrent, Gilles & Richardson to close the transaction before the end of 2020.

Be it Further Resolved: DBF shall accept an additional \$100,000 grant from Revolutionary Education Ventures at an interest rate of WSJ Prime + 0% for a term of one year to continue support of the campus through the transaction closing.

Approved 4-0 November 8, 2020

Seth Andrew: YAY Stacy Birdsell: YAY Marcellina Blow-Cummings: YAY Jazel Smith: YAY

RESOLUTION TO SIGN INITIAL PURCHASE AND SALES WITH TYPE 1 CIVILIZATION FOR SALE-LEASEBACK OF MARLBORO CAMPUS

Whereas: DBF has general agreement to sell and lease back the campus for \$ \$2.5m cash, +\$2.5m on our balance sheet as debt outstanding, and a \$2.5m in escrowed (pre-paid) rent.

Whereas: At the end of the transaction, DBF will have \$2.5m in cash (before 500k of expenses) 2.5 years of prepaid rent, and a \$2.5m debt note in addition to our lease.

Whereas: DBF would be able to exclusively use most (65%) of buildings on campus for 5+ years at a minimum.

Whereas: We'd likely keep a management contract as the primary tenant to continue our plans for DoF without many changes to staffing.

Be it Therefore Resolved: Democracy builders fund I shall agree to sign an LOI (attached) with Adrian stein to sell and lease back the Marlboro campus. We empower Seth Andrew to finalize minor negotiations on this document and we will review a p&s as soon as counsel from Loeb makes it available.

> Seth: YEA Stacy: YEA Marcy: YAY Jazel: YAY

Approved 4-0 October 5, 2020

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Approved 4-0 October 5, 2020

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE P. O. BOX 2508 CINCINNATI, OH 45201

Date: JAN 10 2018

DEMOCRACY BUILDERS FUND INC C/O SCHULTE ROTH & ZABEL LLP KURT F ROSELL 919 THIRD AVE NEW YORK, NY 10022

Employer Identification Number: 46-4897222 DLN: 17053304330047 Contact Person: JOSEPH LAUX ID# 31077 Contact Telephone Number: (877) 829-5500 Accounting Period Ending: June 30 Public Charity Status: 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) Form 990/990-EZ/990-N Required: Yes Effective Date of Exemption: November 15, 2016 Contribution Deductibility: Yes Addendum Applies: No

Dear Applicant:

We're pleased to tell you we determined you're exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3). Donors can deduct contributions they make to you under IRC Section 170. You're also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under Section 2055, 2106, or 2522. This letter could help resolve questions on your exempt status. Please keep it for your records.

Organizations exempt under IRC Section 501(c)(3) are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined you're a public charity under the IRC Section listed at the top of this letter.

Based on the information you submitted in your application, we approved your request for reinstatement under Revenue Procedure 2014-11. Your effective date of exemption, as listed at the top of this letter, is retroactive to your date of revocation.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that you're required to file Form 990/990-EZ/990-N, our records show you're required to file an annual information return (Form 990 or Form 990-EZ) or electronic notice (Form 990-N, the e-Postcard). If you don't file a required return or notice for three consecutive years, your exempt status will be automatically revoked.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that an addendum applies, the enclosed addendum is an integral part of this letter.

For important information about your responsibilities as a tax-exempt organization, go to www.irs.gov/charities. Enter "4221-PC" in the search bar

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to view Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, which describes your recordkeeping, reporting, and disclosure requirements.

We sent a copy of this letter to your representative as indicated in your power of attorney.

Sincerely,

stephen a. martin

Director, Exempt Organizations Rulings and Agreements

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INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE P. O. BOX 2508 CINCINNATI, OH 45201

Date: IAN 1 0 2018

DEMOCRACY BUILDERS FUND INC 2130 ADAM CLAYTON POWELL JR BLVD NEW YORK, NY 10027 Employer Identification Number: 46-4897222 DLN: 17053304330047 Contact Person: ID# 31077 JOSEPH LAUX Contact Telephone Number: (877) 829-5500 Accounting Period Ending: June 30 Public Charity Status: 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) Form 990/990-EZ/990-N Required: Yes Effective Date of Exemption: November 15, 2016 Contribution Deductibility: Yes Addendum Applies: No

Dear Applicant:

We're pleased to tell you we determined you're exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3). Donors can deduct contributions they make to you under IRC Section 170. You're also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under Section 2055, 2106, or 2522. This letter could help resolve questions on your exempt status. Please keep it for your records.

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If we indicated at the top of this letter that an addendum applies, the enclosed addendum is an integral part of this letter.

For important information about your responsibilities as a tax-exempt organization, go to www.irs.gov/charities. Enter "4221-PC" in the search bar

DEMOCRACY BUILDERS FUND INC

to view Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, which describes your recordkeeping, reporting, and disclosure requirements.

We sent a copy of this letter to your representative as indicated in your power of attorney.

Sincerely,

stephen a. martin

Director, Exempt Organizations Rulings and Agreements

VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF LABOR ATTN: EMPLOYER SERVICES P.O. BOX 488 MONTPELIER, VERMONT 05601-0488 TELEPHONE: 802-828-4344 FAX: 802-828-4248

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COMPLETE BOTH PAGES OF THIS FORM, AND <u>RETURN WITHIN 10 DAYS</u> OR GO TO "EMPLOYER ONLINE SERVICES" AT <u>WWW.LABOR.VERMONT.GOV</u>.

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Sincerely,

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Director, Exempt Organizations Rulings and Agreements



Friday, January 15, 2021

Democracy Builders Fund, Inc. d/b/a Degrees of Freedom 2582 South Road Marlboro, VT 05344

Re: Statement of Financial Position

Dear Mr. Andrew,

Please find attached the unaudited Statement of Financial Position for Democracy Builders Fund, Inc, a 501(c)(3) charity having offices in Marlboro, VT.

Management is responsible for the accompanying Statement of Financial Position of Democracy Builders Fund, Inc., which comprises the Statement of Financial Position as of December 31, 2020 for the year then ended. We did not audit or review the financial statement nor were we required to perform any procedures to verify the accuracy or completeness of the information provided by management. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion, a conclusion, nor provide any form of assurance on these financial statements.

A finalized reconciliation of the fiscal sponsorship of VoteAmerica, Inc, a 501(c)(3) with offices in San Francisco, CA, and an audit of Democracy Builders Fund, Inc. fiscal year ended June 30, 2020 remain outstanding.

Having been personally familiar with the financial transactions of Democracy Builders Fund, Inc since approximately February 1, 2020 and without assurances, I believe that the Statement of Financial Position as reflected reasonably represents the current financial position of Democracy Builders Fund, Inc.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please call me at 314-384-3064.

Sincerely,

Daniel McCarthy, CPA Blue Ledger Group, LLC 231 S. Bemiston Ave, Ste. 850 St. Louis, MO 63105 O: 314-384-3064 E: dmccarthy@blueledgergroup.com

Democracy Builders Fund, Inc Statement of Financial Position (unaudited)

As of December 31, 2020

	Total
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Cash and Cash Equivolents	99,067.28
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Other Current Assets	
SBA Cares Act PPP Grant (Unrealized)	943,365.00
Total Other Current Assets	\$ 943,365.00
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Other Assets	
Campus Land & Buildings	10,400,000.00
Automobiles	104,000.00
Personal Property	275,000.00
Computer Hardware	156,000.00
Total Other Assets	\$ 10,935,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 11,977,432.28
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Operating Loan	450,000.00
Accounts Payable	370,000.00
Total Current Liabilities	\$ 370,000.00
Other Liabilities	
Marlboro Music Festival Liability	1,500,000.00
SBA Cares Act PPP Loan	950,016.00
Total Other Liabilities	\$ 2,450,016.00
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Net Assets	
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Total Net Assets	\$ 9,157,416.28
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$ 11,977,432.28

Friday, Jan 15, 2021 10:22:53 AM GMT-8 - Accrual Basis

Democracy Builders Fund, Inc. EIN: 46-4897222

Form 1023 Application for Recognition of Exemption Under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code

December 18, 2015

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TAB 1

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Form 1023 Checklist

(Revised December 2013)

Application for Recognition of Exemption under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code

Note. Retain a copy of the completed Form 1023 in your permanent records. Refer to the General Instructions regarding Public Inspection of approved applications.

Check each box to finish your application (Form 1023). Send this completed Checklist with your filled-in application. If you have not answered all the items below, your application may be returned to you as incomplete.

- Assemble the application and materials in this order:
 - Form 1023 Checklist
 - · Form 2848, Power of Attorney and Declaration of Representative (if filing)
 - Form 8821, Tax Information Authorization (if filing)
 - Expedite request (if requesting)
 - Application (Form 1023 and Schedules A through H, as required)
 - Articles of organization
 - Amendments to articles of organization in chronological order
 - · Bylaws or other rules of operation and amendments
 - · Documentation of nondiscriminatory policy for schools, as required by Schedule B
 - Form 5768, Election/Revocation of Election by an Eligible Section 501(c)(3) Organization To Make Expenditures To Influence Legislation (if filing)
 - All other attachments, including explanations, financial data, and printed materials or publications. Label each page with name and EIN.
- User fee payment placed in envelope on top of checklist. DO NOT STAPLE or otherwise attach your check or money order to your application. Instead, just place it in the envelope.
- Employer Identification Number (EIN)
- Completed Parts I through XI of the application, including any requested information and any required Schedules A through H.
 - You must provide specific details about your past, present, and planned activities.
 - Generalizations or failure to answer questions in the Form 1023 application will prevent us from recognizing you as tax exempt.
 - Describe your purposes and proposed activities in specific easily understood terms.
 - Financial information should correspond with proposed activities.
- Schedules. Submit only those schedules that apply to you and check either "Yes" or "No" below.

Schedule A	Yes No 🗹	Schedule E	Yes No 🖌
Schedule B	Yes No_	Schedule F	Yes No 🗹
Schedule C	Yes No_	Schedule G	Yes No_✓
Schedule D	Yes No_	Schedule H	YesNo_

- An exact copy of your complete articles of organization (creating document). Absence of the proper purpose and dissolution clauses is the number one reason for delays in the issuance of determination letters.
 - Location of Purpose Clause from Part III, line 1 (Page, Article and Paragraph Number) Page 1, Article III
 - Location of Dissolution Clause from Part III, line 2b or 2c (Page, Article and Paragraph Number) or by operation of state law <u>Page 3, Article XI</u>
- Signature of an officer, director, trustee, or other official who is authorized to sign the application.
 Signature at Part XI of Form 1023.
- Your name on the application must be the same as your legal name as it appears in your articles of organization.

Send completed Form 1023, user fee payment, and all other required information, to:

Internal Revenue Service P.O. Box 192 Covington, KY 41012-0192

If you are using express mail or a delivery service, send Form 1023, user fee payment, and attachments to:

Internal Revenue Service 201 West Rivercenter Blvd. Attn: Extracting Stop 312 Covington, KY 41011

TAB 2

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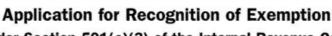
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TAB 3

A new interactive version of Form 1023 is available at <u>StayExempt.irs.gov</u>. It includes prerequisite questions, auto-calculated fields, help buttons and links to relevant information.

Form **1023** (Rev. December 2013) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service



(00) OMB No. 1545-0056

Note: If exempt status is approved, this application will be open for public inspection.

Under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (Use with the June 2006 revision of the Instructions for Form 1023 and the current Notice 1382)

Use the instructions to complete this application and for a definition of all **bold** items. For additional help, call IRS Exempt Organizations Customer Account Services toll-free at 1-877-829-5500. Visit our website at **www.irs.gov** for forms and publications. If the required information and documents are not submitted with payment of the appropriate user fee, the application may be returned to you.

Attach additional sheets to this application if you need more space to answer fully. Put your name and EIN on each sheet and identify each answer by Part and line number. Complete Parts I - XI of Form 1023 and submit only those Schedules (A through H) that apply to you.

Part I Identification of Applicant

1	1 Full name of organization (exactly as it appears in your organizing document)			2 c/o Name (if applicable)					
Den	nocracy Builders Fund, Inc.								
3	Mailing address (Number and street) (see instructions) Ro	om/Suite	Suite 4 Employer Identification Number (EIN)						
213	0 Adam Clayton Powell Jr. Blvd.		4	6-489	7222				
	City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4		5 Month the annual a	accounti	ing pe	riod en	ds (01 -	12)	
New	/ York, NY 10027		06						
6	Primary contact (officer, director, trustee, or authorized representat	tive)							
	a Name: Seth Andrew, Board Chairman		b Phone:	(34	7) 93	1-812	:0		
			c Fax: (optional)						
7	Are you represented by an authorized representative, such as an att provide the authorized representative's name, and the name and ad representative's firm. Include a completed Form 2848, <i>Power of Atto</i> <i>Representative</i> , with your application if you would like us to commun	dress of t	the authorized Declaration of			Yes b 6,	Exhib	No it 1	
8	Was a person who is not one of your officers, directors, trustees, en representative listed in line 7, paid, or promised payment, to help pli- the structure or activities of your organization, or about your financia provide the person's name, the name and address of the person's fi promised to be paid, and describe that person's role.	an, mana I or tax r	ge, or advise you a natters? If "Yes,"	bout		Yes		No	
9a	Organization's website: None								
b	Organization's email: (optional)								
10	Certain organizations are not required to file an information return (F are granted tax-exemption, are you claiming to be excused from filin "Yes," explain. See the instructions for a description of organizations Form 990-EZ.	g Form	990 or Form 990-E2	Z? If		Yes		No	
11	Date incorporated if a corporation, or formed, if other than a corporation	ation. (MM/DD/YYYY)	02 /	20	1	2014		
12	Were you formed under the laws of a foreign country? If "Yes," state the country.					Yes	V	No	
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Part V	Compensation and Other Financial Arrangements With Your Officers, Directors, Trustees,
	Employees, and Independent Contractors (Continued)

b List the names, titles, and mailing addresses of each of your five highest compensated employees who receive or will receive compensation of more than \$50,000 per year. Use the actual figure, if available. Refer to the instructions for information on what to include as compensation. Do not include officers, directors, or trustees listed in line 1a.

Name	Title	Mailing address	Compensation amount (annual actual or estimated)
Princess Lyles	Executive Director	2130 Adam Clayton Powell Jr. Blvd., New York, NY 10027	\$125,000.00

List the names, names of businesses, and mailing addresses of your five highest compensated independent contractors
that receive or will receive compensation of more than \$50,000 per year. Use the actual figure, if available. Refer to the
instructions for information on what to include as compensation.

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The f	ollowing "Yes" or "No" question tors, trustees, highest compens	ns relate to past, present, or plann ated employees, and highest com	ned relationships, transactions, or agreements w apensated independent contractors listed in line:	ith you s 1a, 1	ur office	ers, 1c.	
2a	Are any of your officers, dire relationships? If "Yes," iden	ectors, or trustees related to ea ntify the individuals and explain	ach other through family or business the relationship.		Yes	\square	No
b	through their position as an		ers, directors, or trustees other than "Yes," identify the individuals and describe ors, or trustees.		Yes	Ø	No
c	highest compensated indep		our highest compensated employees or thes 1b or 1c through family or business the relationship.		Yes	Ø	No
3a		contractors listed on lines 1a, 1	pensated employees, and highest 1b, or 1c, attach a list showing their name,	Та	ab 6, I	Exhib	it 4
b	compensated independent o other organizations, whethe control? If "Yes," identify th	contractors listed on lines 1a, 1 r tax exempt or taxable, that a	nsated employees, and highest 1b, or 1c receive compensation from any re related to you through common onship between you and the other		Yes	Ø	No
4	employees, and highest cor	mpensated independent contra mmended, although they are n	rs, trustees, highest compensated ctors listed on lines 1a, 1b, and 1c, the ot required to obtain exemption. Answer				
			ngements follow a conflict of interest policy? a advance of paying compensation?		Yes Yes		No No
			of approved compensation arrangements?	\checkmark	Yes		No

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-	Compensation and Other Financial Arrangements With Your Officers, Directors, T Employees, and Independent Contractors (Continued)	rustee			
	Do you or will you record in writing the decision made by each individual who decided or voted on compensation arrangements?	☑ Ye	es [ונ	No
	Do you or will you approve compensation arrangements based on information about compensation paid by similarly situated taxable or tax-exempt organizations for similar services, current compensation surveys compiled by independent firms, or actual written offers from similarly situated organizations? Refer to the instructions for Part V, lines 1a, 1b, and 1c, for information on what to include as compensation.	☑ Ye	es [ונ	No
f	Do you or will you record in writing both the information on which you relied to base your decision and its source?	☑ Ye	es []	No
	If you answered "No" to any item on lines 4a through 4f, describe how you set compensation that is reasonable for your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, and highest compensated independent contractors listed in Part V, lines 1a, 1b, and 1c.				
	Have you adopted a conflict of interest policy consistent with the sample conflict of interest policy in Appendix A to the instructions? If "Yes," provide a copy of the policy and explain how the policy has been adopted, such as by resolution of your governing board. If "No," answer lines 5b and 5c.	☑ Ye		100	No
b	Tab 5, Exhil What procedures will you follow to assure that persons who have a conflict of interest will not have influence over you for setting their own compensation?	oit A a	& Tab 6	i, I	Exhib
c	What procedures will you follow to assure that persons who have a conflict of interest will not have influence over you regarding business deals with themselves?				
	Note: A conflict of interest policy is recommended though it is not required to obtain exemption. Hospitals, see Schedule C, Section I, line 14.				
a	Do you or will you compensate any of your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, and highest compensated independent contractors listed in lines 1a, 1b, or 1c through non-fixed payments , such as discretionary bonuses or revenue-based payments? If "Yes," describe all non-fixed compensation arrangements, including how the amounts are determined, who is eligible for such arrangements, whether you place a limitation on total compensation, and how you determine or will determine that you pay no more than reasonable compensation for services. Refer to the instructions for Part V, lines 1a, 1b, and 1c, for information on what to include as compensation.	□ Ye	es 🔽	2	No
0	Do you or will you compensate any of your employees, other than your officers, directors, trustees, or your five highest compensated employees who receive or will receive compensation of more than \$50,000 per year, through non-fixed payments, such as discretionary bonuses or revenue-based payments? If "Yes," describe all non-fixed compensation arrangements, including how the amounts are or will be determined, who is or will be eligible for such arrangements, whether you place or will place a limitation on total compensation, and how you determine or will determine that you pay no more than reasonable compensation for services. Refer to the instructions for Part V, lines 1a, 1b, and 1c, for information on what to include as compensation.	□ Ye	es 🖌	2	No
a	Do you or will you purchase any goods, services, or assets from any of your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, or highest compensated independent contractors listed in lines 1a, 1b, or 1c? If "Yes," describe any such purchase that you made or intend to make, from whom you make or will make such purchases, how the terms are or will be negotiated at arm's length , and explain how you determine or will determine that you pay no more than fair market value . Attach copies of any written contracts or other agreements relating to such purchases.	□ Ye	es	2	No
b	Do you or will you sell any goods, services, or assets to any of your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, or highest compensated independent contractors listed in lines 1a, 1b, or 1c? If "Yes," describe any such sales that you made or intend to make, to whom you make or will make such sales, how the terms are or will be negotiated at arm's length, and explain how you determine or will determine you are or will be paid at least fair market value. Attach copies of any written contracts or other agreements relating to such sales.	□ Ye	es 🗹	2	No
a	Do you or will you have any leases, contracts, loans, or other agreements with your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, or highest compensated independent contractors listed in lines 1a, 1b, or 1c? If "Yes," provide the information requested in lines 8b through 8f.	□ Y	es	2	No
b	Describe any written or oral arrangements that you made or intend to make.				
	Identify with whom you have or will have such arrangements.				
	Explain how the terms are or will be negotiated at arm's length.				
	Explain how you determine you pay no more than fair market value or you are paid at least fair market value. Attach copies of any signed leases, contracts, loans, or other agreements relating to such arrangements.				
a	Do you or will you have any leases, contracts, loans, or other agreements with any organization in which any of your officers, directors, or trustees are also officers, directors, or trustees, or in which any individual officer, director, or trustee owns more than a 35% interest? If "Yes," provide the information requested in lines 9b through 9f.	□ Y	es	7	No
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Par	t V Compensation and Other Financial Arrangements With Your Officers, Directors Employees, and Independent Contractors (Continued)	Trus	tees,		
b	Describe any written or oral arrangements you made or intend to make.				1
	Identify with whom you have or will have such arrangements.				
	Explain how the terms are or will be negotiated at arm's length.				
e	Explain how you determine or will determine you pay no more than fair market value or that you are paid at least fair market value.				
f	Attach a copy of any signed leases, contracts, loans, or other agreements relating to such arrangements.				
Pa	t VI Your Members and Other Individuals and Organizations That Receive Benefits	From	You		
	following "Yes" or "No" questions relate to goods, services, and funds you provide to individuals and our activities. Your answers should pertain to <i>past, present,</i> and <i>planned</i> activities. (See instructions.)		zations Fab 6,		
1a	In carrying out your exempt purposes, do you provide goods, services, or funds to individuals? If "Yes," describe each program that provides goods, services, or funds to individuals.		Yes		No
b	In carrying out your exempt purposes, do you provide goods, services, or funds to organizations? If "Yes," describe each program that provides goods, services, or funds to organizations.		Yes		No
2	Do any of your programs limit the provision of goods, services, or funds to a specific individual or group of specific individuals? For example, answer "Yes," if goods, services, or funds are provided only for a particular individual, your members, individuals who work for a particular employer, or graduates of a particular school. If "Yes," explain the limitation and how recipients are selected for each program.		Yes	V	No
3	Do any individuals who receive goods, services, or funds through your programs have a family or business relationship with any officer, director, trustee, or with any of your highest compensated employees or highest compensated independent contractors listed in Part V, lines 1a, 1b, and 1c? If "Yes," explain how these related individuals are eligible for goods, services, or funds.		Yes	V	No
	rt VII Your History				
	following "Yes" or "No" questions relate to your history. (See instructions.)				
1	Are you a successor to another organization? Answer "Yes," if you have taken or will take over the activities of another organization; you took over 25% or more of the fair market value of the net assets of another organization; or you were established upon the conversion of an organization from for-profit to non-profit status. If "Yes," complete Schedule G.		Yes	Μ2	No
2	Are you submitting this application more than 27 months after the end of the month in which you were legally formed? If "Yes," complete Schedule E.		Yes	V	No
Pa	rt VIII Your Specific Activities				
	following "Yes" or "No" questions relate to specific activities that you may conduct. Check the appropries should pertain to past, present, and planned activities. (See instructions.)	oriate t	oox. Yo	bur	
1	Do you support or oppose candidates in political campaigns in any way? If "Yes," explain.		Yes	\checkmark	No
2a	Do you attempt to influence legislation? If "Yes," explain how you attempt to influence legislation and complete line 2b. If "No," go to line 3a.		Yes		No
b	Have you made or are you making an election to have your legislative activities measured by expenditures by filing Form 5768? If "Yes," attach a copy of the Form 5768 that was already filed or attach a completed Form 5768 that you are filing with this application. If "No," describe whether you attempts to influence legislation are a substantial part of your activities. Include the time and money spent on your attempts to influence legislation as compared to your total activities.	r —	Yes		No
3a	Do you or will you operate bingo or gaming activities? If "Yes," describe who conducts them, and list all revenue received or expected to be received and expenses paid or expected to be paid in operating these activities. Revenue and expenses should be provided for the time periods specified in Part IX, Financial Data.		Yes	Z	No
b	Do you or will you enter into contracts or other agreements with individuals or organizations to conduct bingo or gaming for you? If "Yes," describe any written or oral arrangements that you made or intend to make, identify with whom you have or will have such arrangements, explain how the terms are or will be negotiated at arm's length, and explain how you determine or will determine you pay no more than fair market value or you will be paid at least fair market value. Attach copies or any written contracts or other agreements relating to such arrangements.		Yes		No
0	 List the states and local jurisdictions, including Indian Reservations, in which you conduct or will conduct gaming or bingo. 				
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Par	rt VIII Your Specific Activities (Continued)				
4a	Do you or will you undertake fundraising ? If "Yes," check all the fundra conduct. (See instructions.)	ising programs you do	o or will	V Yes	🗌 No
	mail solicitations phone solicitati	ons			
	email solicitations Z accept donation	ns on your website			
	personal solicitations	ns from another organ	nization's	website	\$3.
	vehicle, boat, plane, or similar donations government gra	ant solicitations			
	foundation grant solicitations			Tab 6,	Exhibit 6
	Attach a description of each fundraising program.				
ь	Do you or will you have written or oral contracts with any individuals or for you? If "Yes," describe these activities. Include all revenue and exper and state who conducts them. Revenue and expenses should be provid specified in Part IX, Financial Data. Also, attach a copy of any contracts	nses from these activi led for the time period	ties	☐ Yes	🗹 No
c	Do you or will you engage in fundraising activities for other organization arrangements. Include a description of the organizations for which you n of all contracts or agreements.	s? If "Yes," describe t raise funds and attach	hese copies	☐ Yes	🗹 No
d	List all states and local jurisdictions in which you conduct fundraising. F jurisdiction listed, specify whether you fundraise for your own organizatio organization, or another organization fundraises for you.		another	Tab 6,	Exhibit 6
e	Do you or will you maintain separate accounts for any contributor under the right to advise on the use or distribution of funds? Answer "Yes" if t on the types of investments, distributions from the types of investments donor's contribution account. If "Yes," describe this program, including be provided and submit copies of any written materials provided to don	the donor may provide a, or the distribution fro the type of advice that	advice	🗌 Yes	☑ No
5	Are you affiliated with a governmental unit? If "Yes," explain.			Yes	No No
6a	Do you or will you engage in economic development? If "Yes," descrit	be your program.		Yes	No No
	Describe in full who benefits from your economic development activities promote exempt purposes.		S		
7a	Do or will persons other than your employees or volunteers develop yo each facility, the role of the developer, and any business or family relativ developer and your officers, directors, or trustees.			🗌 Yes	🗹 No
b	Do or will persons other than your employees or volunteers manage yo "Yes," describe each activity and facility, the role of the manager, and a relationship(s) between the manager and your officers, directors, or trus	any business or family	s? If	🗌 Yes	☑ No
c	If there is a business or family relationship between any manager or deviderectors, or trustees, identify the individuals, explain the relationship, dinegotiated at arm's length so that you pay no more than fair market val contracts or other agreements.	escribe how contracts	are		
8	Do you or will you enter into joint ventures , including partnerships or li treated as partnerships, in which you share profits and losses with part 501(c)(3) organizations? If "Yes," describe the activities of these joint ve participate.	ners other than section	nies n	☐ Yes	⊠ No
9a	Are you applying for exemption as a childcare organization under section lines 9b through 9d. If "No," go to line 10.	on 501(k)? If "Yes," an	swer	Yes	No No
b	Do you provide child care so that parents or caretakers of children you employed (see instructions)? If "No," explain how you qualify as a child in section 501(k).			🗌 Yes	🗆 No
c	Of the children for whom you provide child care, are 85% or more of th enable their parents or caretakers to be gainfully employed (see instruct you qualify as a childcare organization described in section 501(k).			☐ Yes	🗆 No
d	Are your services available to the general public? If "No," describe the s whom your activities are available. Also, see the instructions and explain childcare organization described in section 501(k).			🗌 Yes	🗌 No
10				V Yes	🗌 No
	scientific discoveries, or other intellectual property? If "Yes," explain. own any copyrights, patents, or trademarks, whether fees are or will be determined, and how any items are or will be produced, distributed, an	charged, how the fee		Tab 6,	Exhibit 6

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Par	t VIII Your Specific Activities (Continued)				
11	Do you or will you accept contributions of: real property; conservation easements; closely held securities; intellectual property such as patents, trademarks, and copyrights; works of music or art; licenses; royalties; automobiles, boats, planes, or other vehicles; or collectibles of any type? If "Yes," describe each type of contribution, any conditions imposed by the donor on the contribution, and any agreements with the donor regarding the contribution.	□ Y	'es		No
12a	Do you or will you operate in a foreign country or countries? If "Yes," answer lines 12b through 12d. If "No," go to line 13a.	□ Y	es		No
b	Name the foreign countries and regions within the countries in which you operate.				
	Describe your operations in each country and region in which you operate.				
d	Describe how your operations in each country and region further your exempt purposes.				
13a	Do you or will you make grants, loans, or other distributions to organization(s)? If "Yes," answer lines 13b through 13g. If "No," go to line 14a.	5 🗆 Y	es	\square	No
b	Describe how your grants, loans, or other distributions to organizations further your exempt purposes.				
C	Do you have written contracts with each of these organizations? If "Yes," attach a copy of each contract.		es		No
d	Identify each recipient organization and any relationship between you and the recipient organization				
	Describe the records you keep with respect to the grants, loans, or other distributions you make.				
f	Describe your selection process, including whether you do any of the following:				
	(i) Do you require an application form? If "Yes," attach a copy of the form.	□ Y	es		No
0	(ii) Do you require a grant proposal? If "Yes," describe whether the grant proposal specifies your responsibilities and those of the grantee, obligates the grantee to use the grant funds only for the purposes for which the grant was made, provides for periodic written reports concerning the use of grant funds, requires a final written report and an accounting of how grant funds were used, and acknowledges your authority to withhold and/or recover grant funds in case such funds are, or appear to be, misused.))	es		No
g	Describe your procedures for oversight of distributions that assure you the resources are used to further your exempt purposes, including whether you require periodic and final reports on the use of resources.				
14a	Do you or will you make grants, loans, or other distributions to foreign organizations? If "Yes," answer lines 14b through 14f. If "No," go to line 15.	□ Y	es	Z	No
b	Provide the name of each foreign organization, the country and regions within a country in which each foreign organization operates, and describe any relationship you have with each foreign organization.				
c	Does any foreign organization listed in line 14b accept contributions earmarked for a specific country or specific organization? If "Yes," list all earmarked organizations or countries.	/ 🗆 Y	es		No
d	Do your contributors know that you have ultimate authority to use contributions made to you at your discretion for purposes consistent with your exempt purposes? If "Yes," describe how you relay this information to contributors.	□ Y	es		No
e	Do you or will you make pre-grant inquiries about the recipient organization? If "Yes," describe these inquiries, including whether you inquire about the recipient's financial status, its tax-exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code, its ability to accomplish the purpose for which the resources are provided, and other relevant information.	• 🗆 Y	es		No
f	Do you or will you use any additional procedures to ensure that your distributions to foreign organizations are used in furtherance of your exempt purposes? If "Yes," describe these procedures, including site visits by your employees or compliance checks by impartial experts, to verify that gran funds are being used appropriately.	□ ¥	es		No

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15	Do you have a close connection with any organizations? If "Yes," explain. Tab 6, Exhibit 6	V Yes	No No
16	Are you applying for exemption as a cooperative hospital service organization under section 501(e)? If "Yes," explain.	🗌 Yes	🛛 No
17	Are you applying for exemption as a cooperative service organization of operating educational organizations under section 501(f)? If "Yes," explain.	🗌 Yes	🗹 No
18	Are you applying for exemption as a charitable risk pool under section 501(n)? If "Yes," explain.	□ Yes	No No
19	Do you or will you operate a school ? If "Yes," complete Schedule B. Answer "Yes," whether you operate a school as your main function or as a secondary activity.	🗌 Yes	🗹 No
20	Is your main function to provide hospital or medical care? If "Yes," complete Schedule C.	Yes	No No
21	Do you or will you provide low-income housing or housing for the elderly or handicapped? If "Yes," complete Schedule F.	🗌 Yes	🗹 No
22	Do you or will you provide scholarships, fellowships, educational loans, or other educational grants to individuals, including grants for travel, study, or other similar purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule H.	🗌 Yes	☑ No

Note: Private foundations may use Schedule H to request advance approval of individual grant procedures.

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Part IX Financial Data

For purposes of this schedule, years in existence refer to completed tax years. If in existence 4 or more years, complete the schedule for the most recent 4 tax years. If in existence more than 1 year but less than 4 years, complete the statements for each year in existence and provide projections of your likely revenues and expenses based on a reasonable and good faith estimate of your future finances for a total of 3 years of financial information. If in existence less than 1 year, provide projections of your likely revenues and the 2 following years, based on a reasonable and good faith estimate of your future finances for a total of 3 years of financial information. (See instructions.)

			And a second s	of Revenues and	The second s	Tab 6, Exhibit 7
	-	Type of revenue or expense	Current tax year	and the second se	years or 2 succeedin	
			(a) From To		(c) From To	(a) there are to b
	1	Gifts, grants, and contributions received (do not include unusual grants)				
	2	Membership fees received				
Revenues	3	Gross investment income				
	4	Net unrelated business income				
	5	Taxes levied for your benefit				
	6	Value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit without charge (not including the value of services generally furnished to the public without charge)				
Rev	7	Any revenue not otherwise listed above or in lines 9-12 below (attach an itemized list)				
	8	Total of lines 1 through 7				
	9	Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or furnishing of facilities in any activity that is related to your exempt purposes (attach itemized list)				
	10	Total of lines 8 and 9				
	11	Net gain or loss on sale of capital assets (attach schedule and see instructions)				
	12	Unusual grants				
	13	Total Revenue Add lines 10 through 12				
	14	Fundraising expenses				
	15	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts paid out (attach an itemized list)				
	16	Disbursements to or for the benefit of members (attach an itemized list)				
Expenses	17	Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees				
en	18	Other salaries and wages				
Exp	19	Interest expense				
-	20	Occupancy (rent, utilities, etc.)				
	21	Depreciation and depletion				
	22	Professional fees				
	23	Any expense not otherwise classified, such as program services (attach itemized list)				
	24	Total Expenses Add lines 14 through 23				

Par	IX Financial Data (Continued)		I ap	8&1	ab 6,	Exhibit 7
	B. Balance Sheet (for your most recently completed tax year)				Year En	d:
	Assets				(Who	e dollars)
	Cash			1		
2	Accounts receivable, net			2		
3	Inventories	× ×		3		
4	Bonds and notes receivable (attach an itemized list)			4		
5	Corporate stocks (attach an itemized list)			5		
6	Loans receivable (attach an itemized list)		• •	6		
7	Other investments (attach an itemized list)			8		
8 9	Depreciable and depletable assets (attach an itemized list)			9		
10	Land		• •	10		
11	Total Assets (add lines 1 through 10)		• •	11		
		• •	• •	1		
12	Accounts payable			12		
13	Contributions, gifts, grants, etc. payable			13		
14	Mortgages and notes payable (attach an itemized list)			14		
15	Other liabilities (attach an itemized list)			15		
16	Total Liabilities (add lines 12 through 15)			16		
	Fund Balances or Net Assets					
17	Total fund balances or net assets			17		
18	Total Liabilities and Fund Balances or Net Assets (add lines 16 and 17) .			18		
19	Have there been any substantial changes in your assets or liabilities since the end of shown above? If "Yes," explain.	the p	eriod	L] Yes	V No
Dar	t X Public Charity Status					
Part is a i dete	X is designed to classify you as an organization that is either a private foundation or a more favorable tax status than private foundation status. If you are a private foundation, mine whether you are a private operating foundation . (See instructions.)	, Part 3	X is de	signed	to furt	ner
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	t X Public Charity Status (Continued)	
e f	509(a)(4)—an organization organized and operated exclusively for testing for public safety. 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(iv)—an organization operated for the benefit of a college or university that is owned or operated by a governmental unit.	
g	509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)—an organization that receives a substantial part of its financial support in the form of contributions from publicly supported organizations, from a governmental unit, or from the general public.	\square
h	509(a)(2)—an organization that normally receives not more than one-third of its financial support from gross investment income and receives more than one-third of its financial support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions (subject to certain exceptions).	
i	A publicly supported organization, but unsure if it is described in 5g or 5h. The organization would like the IRS to decide the correct status.	
6	If you checked box g, h, or i in question 5 above, you must request either an advance or a definitive ruling by selecting one of the boxes below. Refer to the instructions to determine which type of ruling you are eligible to receive.	
а	Request for Advance Ruling: By checking this box and signing the consent, pursuant to section 6501(c)(4) of the Code you request an advance ruling and agree to extend the statute of limitations on the assessment of excise tax under section 4940 of the Code. The tax will apply only if you do not establish public support status at the end of the 5-year advance ruling period. The assessment period will be extended for the 5 advance ruling years to 8 years, 4 months, and 15 days beyond the end of the first year. You have the right to refuse or limit the extension to a mutually agreed-upon period of time or issue(s). Publication 1035, <i>Extending the Tax Assessment Period</i> , provides a more detailed explanation of your rights and the consequences of the choices you make. You may obtain Publication 1035 free of charge from the IRS web site at <i>www.irs.gov</i> or by calling toll-free 1-800-829-3676. Signing this consent will not deprive you of any appeal rights to which you would otherwise be entitled. If you decide not to extend the statute of limitations, you are not eligible for an advance ruling.	
	For Organization (Signature of Officer, Director, Trustee, or other authorized official) (Type or print name of signer) (Date) (Type or print title or authority of signer)	
	For IRS Use Only	
	IRS Director, Exempt Organizations (Date)	
b	Request for Definitive Ruling: Check this box if you have completed one tax year of at least 8 full months and you are requesting a definitive ruling. To confirm your public support status, answer line 6b(i) if you checked box g in line 5 above. Answer line 6b(ii) if you checked box h in line 5 above. If you checked box i in line 5 above, answer both lines 6b(i) and (ii).	
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Reminder: Send the completed Form 1023 Checklist with your filled-in-application. Form 1023 (Rev. 12-2013)