

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

2018

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

A For the 2018 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2018, and ending , 20

B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	C Name of organization Sustainable Midlands		D Employer identification number 80-0651366
	Number and street (or P.O. box, if mail is not delivered to street address)	Room/suite 209	E Telephone number (803) 470-4302
	City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code Columbia, SC 29201		F Group Exemption Number ▶

G Accounting Method: Cash Accrual Other (specify) ▶

I Website: ▶ sustainablemidlands.org

J Tax-exempt status (check only one) – 501(c)(3) 501(c) () ◀ (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527

K Form of organization: Corporation Trust Association Other

L Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b to line 9 to determine gross receipts. If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets (Part II, column (B)) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ▶ \$ 115,696.

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (see the instructions for Part I)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I

Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	66,703.
	2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
	3 Membership dues and assessments	3	
	4 Investment income	4	
	5a Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
	b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
	c Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	
	6 Gaming and fundraising events:		
	a Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000)	6a	
b Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 13,640. of contributions from fundraising events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the sum of such gross income and contributions exceeds \$15,000)	6b	48,993.	
c Less: direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events	6c	45,013.	
d Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c)	6d	3,980.	
7a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a		
b Less: cost of goods sold	7b		
c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c		
8 Other revenue (describe in Schedule O)	8		
9 Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8 ▶	9	70,683.	
Expenses	10 Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O)	10	43,023.
	11 Benefits paid to or for members	11	
	12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	18,955.
	13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	7,359.
	14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	495.
	15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	24.
	16 Other expenses (describe in Schedule O) See Line 16. Stmt	16	4,549.
17 Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16 ▶	17	74,405.	
Net Assets	18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	-3,722.
	19 Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	6,350.
	20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	20	
	21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20 ▶	21	2,628.

Part II Balance Sheets (see the instructions for Part II)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part II

	(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments	6,376.	22 3,224.
23 Land and buildings		23
24 Other assets (describe in Schedule O)	0.	24 18.
25 Total assets	6,376.	25 3,242.
26 Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O)	26.	26 614.
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	6,350.	27 2,628.

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (see the instructions for Part III)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part III

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? See Schedule O

Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title.

Expenses
(Required for section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations; optional for others.)

28 See Schedule O		
(Grants \$ 0.) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	28a	45,000.
29 See Schedule O		
(Grants \$ 0.) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	29a	89.
30 See Schedule O		
(Grants \$ 0.) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	30a	327.
31 Other program services (describe in Schedule O)		
(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	31a	
32 Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a)	32	45,416.

Part IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees (list each one even if not compensated—see the instructions for Part IV)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part IV

(a) Name and title	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC) (if not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
Jason Craig Executive Director	40.00	17,933.	0.	0.
William Lamb Board Chair	1.00	0.	0.	0.
Jonathan Sears Board Vice-Chair	0.50	0.	0.	0.
Audrey Jones Board Secretary	0.50	0.	0.	0.
William Beers Board Treasurer	0.50	0.	0.	0.
Dr. Tamara M. Warren Board Member	0.25	0.	0.	0.
Benton Wislinski Board Member	0.25	0.	0.	0.
Tyler Moser Board Member	1.50	0.	0.	0.
Rip Sanders Board Member	0.50	0.	0.	0.
Michael Covington Board Member	0.50	0.	0.	0.

Part V Other Information (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirements in the instructions for Part V.) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part V

Table with columns for question number, question text, and Yes/No response boxes. Questions range from 33 to 45b. Includes questions about significant activities, organizational changes, business income, political expenditures, loans, and tax shelter transactions.

	Yes	No
46 Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I	46	x

Part VI Section 501(c)(3) Organizations Only

All section 501(c)(3) organizations must answer questions 47-49b and 52, and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part VI

	Yes	No
47 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	47	x
48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	48	x
49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	49a	x
b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?	49b	

50 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees, and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and title of each employee	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
None				

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000

51 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and business address of each independent contractor	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
None		

d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000

52 Did the organization complete Schedule A? **Note:** All section 501(c)(3) organizations must attach a completed Schedule A **Yes** **No**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here	Signature of officer William Beers, Board Treasurer	Date 04/05/2019
	Type or print name and title	

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name Timothy S. VanDenBerg	Preparer's signature	Date 04/05/2019	Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN P01593567
	Firm's name ▶ VanDenBerg Law Firm, LLC	Firm's EIN ▶ 45-4051147		Phone no. (803)250-1832	
	Firm's address ▶ 5111 Trenholm Road Suite 220, Columbia, SC 29206				

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions **Yes** **No**

Additional information from your Form 990-EZ: Short Form Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax

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Line 16: Other Expenses

Continuation Statement

Description	Amount
Billboards	300.
Social Media (Facebook, Instagram)	28.
General Liability Insurance	1,141.
Memberships & Dues	250.
Supplies & Materials	13.
Operating Expenses - Local Food	1,889.
Bank Fees	105.
Subscriptions	54.
Licenses	52.
Online Payment Fee	289.
Print Ads	428.
Total	4,549.

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SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

OMB No. 1545-0047

2018

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

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Name of the organization Sustainable Midlands	Employer identification number 80-0651366
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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 12, check only one box.)

- 1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)**.
- 2 A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)**. (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ).)
- 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 agricultural research organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ix)** operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land-grant college of agriculture (see instructions). Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university:
- 10 An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33¹/₃% 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 33¹/₃% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2)**. (Complete Part III.)
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4)**.
- 12 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2)**. See **section 509(a)(3)**. Check the box in lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g.
 - 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 1–10 above (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)							
Total							

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) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	
13 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						<input type="checkbox"/>

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2018 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	%
15 Public support percentage from 2017 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	%
16a 33 1/3% support test—2018. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<input type="checkbox"/>
b 33 1/3% support test—2017. 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 stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<input type="checkbox"/>
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2018. 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 stop here. 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 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2017. 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 stop here. Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<input type="checkbox"/>
18 Private foundation. 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 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	37,641.	58,758.	104,350.	47,527.	66,703.	314,979.
2 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	59,309.	48,309.	57,393.	72,982.	48,993.	286,986.
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5	96,950.	107,067.	161,743.	120,509.	115,696.	601,965.
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						601,965.

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6	96,950.	107,067.	161,743.	120,509.	115,696.	601,965.
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources	0.	0.	0.	0.		0.
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b	0.	0.	0.	0.		0.
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)	96,950.	107,067.	161,743.	120,509.	115,696.	601,965.
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 <input type="checkbox"/>						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2018 (line 8, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f))	15	100 %
16 Public support percentage from 2017 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	100 %

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2018 (line 10c, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f))	17	0 %
18 Investment income percentage from 2017 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	0 %
19a 33 1/3% support tests—2018. 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 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
b 33 1/3% support tests—2017. 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 <input type="checkbox"/>		
20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions <input type="checkbox"/>		

Part IV Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box in line 12 on Part I. If you checked 12a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked 12b of Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 12c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked 12d 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>		
3b	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>		
3c	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 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.</i>		
4b	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>		
4c	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>		
5b	Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?		
5c	Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?		
6	Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? <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 (as defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).</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 or 990-EZ).</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>		
9b	Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
9c	Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) 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 section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? <i>If "Yes," answer 10b below.</i>		
10b	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
11 Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
a 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?	11a	
b A family member of a person described in (a) above?	11b	
c A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? <i>If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI.</i>	11c	

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 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? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one 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.</i>	1	
2 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? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.</i>	2	

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

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

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

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

Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations

1 Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions).		
a <input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.		
b <input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.		
c <input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see instructions).		
2 Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.		
a 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? <i>If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.</i>	2a	
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? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.</i>	2b	
3 Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer (a) and (b) below.		
a 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? <i>Provide details in Part VI.</i>	3a	
b Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.</i>	3b	

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 (explain in Part VI). **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 Adjusted Net Income (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 Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d		
e Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI):			
2 Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2		
3 Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3		
4 Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 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 Minimum Asset Amount (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 Distributable Amount. 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 Total annual distributions. 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 2018 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-2018	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2018
1 Distributable amount for 2018 from Section C, line 6			
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2018 (reasonable cause required—explain in Part VI). See instructions.			
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2018			
a From 2013			
b From 2014			
c From 2015			
d From 2016			
e From 2017			
f Total of lines 3a through e			
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h Applied to 2018 distributable amount			
i Carryover from 2013 not applied (see instructions)			
j Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
4 Distributions for 2018 from Section D, line 7: \$			
a Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b Applied to 2018 distributable amount			
c Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2018, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI . See instructions.			
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2018. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI . See instructions.			
7 Excess distributions carryover to 2019. Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8 Breakdown of line 7:			
a Excess from 2014			
b Excess from 2015			
c Excess from 2016			
d Excess from 2017			
e Excess from 2018			

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

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

OMB No. 1545-0047

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

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Name of the organization

Employer identification number

Sustainable Midlands

80-0651366

Part I Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 17. Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

- 1** Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.
- a** Mail solicitations
 - b** Internet and email solicitations
 - c** Phone solicitations
 - d** In-person solicitations
 - e** Solicitation of non-government grants
 - f** Solicitation of government grants
 - g** Special fundraising events
- 2a** Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees, or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services? **Yes** **No**
- b** If "Yes," list the 10 highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization.

(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col. (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
		Yes	No			
1						
2						
3						
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Total						

- 3** List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit contributions or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing.

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Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		(a) Event #1 <u>Tasty Tomato</u> (event type)	(b) Event #2 <u>Buy Local</u> (event type)	(c) Other events <u>NONE</u> (total number)	(d) Total events (add col. (a) through col. (c))
Revenue	1 Gross receipts	40,842.	16,909.		57,751.
	2 Less: Contributions	10,967.	1,875.		12,842.
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	29,875.	15,034.		44,909.
Direct Expenses	4 Cash prizes				
	5 Noncash prizes				
	6 Rent/facility costs	5,842.	822.		6,664.
	7 Food and beverages	3,287.			3,287.
	8 Entertainment	12,079.			12,079.
	9 Other direct expenses	15,736.	5,569.		21,305.
	10 Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) ▶				43,335.
11 Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d) ▶				1,574.	

Part III Gaming. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col. (a) through col. (c))
Revenue	1 Gross revenue				
Direct Expenses	2 Cash prizes				
	3 Noncash prizes				
	4 Rent/facility costs				
	5 Other direct expenses				
	6 Volunteer labor	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	7 Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d) ▶				
	8 Net gaming income summary. Subtract line 7 from line 1, column (d) ▶				

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization conducts gaming activities: _____

a Is the organization licensed to conduct gaming activities in each of these states? Yes No

b If "No," explain: _____

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended, or terminated during the tax year? Yes No

b If "Yes," explain: _____

**SCHEDULE O
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Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
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Other: Form 990-EZ, Part III - Primary Exempt Purpose THE MISSION OF

SUSTAINABLE MIDLANDS IS TO ADVOCATE, EDUCATE AND CELEBRATE SOLUTIONS THAT BALANCE
THE NEEDS OF THE COMMUNITY, THE ENVIRONMENT, AND THE ECONOMY.

Other: Form 990-EZ, Part III, Line 28 - First Accomplishment LOCAL FOOD IS
A PROGRAM TO EDUCATE CONSUMERS AND RESTAURANT OWNERS ON THE VALUE OF LOCAL FOOD
AND SUPPORTS FARMERS IN MAKING THE NEEDED CONNECTIONS TO MARKET THEIR FOOD. THIS
YEAR, SUSTAINABLE MIDLANDS RECEIVED A \$45,000 GRANT FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT
OF AGRICULTURE TO PURCHASE TWO REFRIGERATED TRAILERS AND AN ICE-CUBER MACHINE.

SUSTAINABLE MIDLANDS IS A FOUNDING MEMBER OF THE MIDLANDS LOCAL FOOD COLLABORATIVE,
WHICH IS AN ORGANIZATION DEDICATED TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF A ROBUST LOCAL FOOD
SYSTEM BY PROVIDING EDUCATION, TECHNICAL AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND COMMUNITY
ADVOCACY TO PROMOTE SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE, LAND STEWARDSHIP AND EQUITABLE FOOD
ACCESS. THE TASTY TOMATO IS THE MAIN FUNDRAISER FOR THIS PROGRAM.

Other: Form 990-EZ, Part III, Line 29 - Second Accomplishment ROCKY BRANCH WATERSHED
ALLIANCE IS A PROGRAM TO EDUCATE AND INFORM CONCERNED CITIZENS ON THE MANAGEMENT
OF WATER QUALITY AND OTHER NATURAL RESOURCES WITHIN THE ROCKY BRANCH WATERSHED,
WHILE ENCOURAGING COMPLEMENTARY AND ENVIRONMENTALLY RESPONSIBLE DEVELOPMENT OF
ADJACENT LAND.

Other: Form 990-EZ, Part III, Line 30 - Third Accomplishment OTHER PROGRAM
ACCOMPLISHMENTS.

Pt I, Line 10:

Description: Support Local Food program initiative

Class of activity: Local Food

Grantee's name: USC Foodshare

Grantee's address: 2016 Harden Street Columbia SC 29208

Name of the organization Sustainable Midlands	Employer identification number 80-0651366
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Grantee's relationship: Program partner

Amount given: \$3,023

Description of property: 10-amp Ice Cuber, Item #MANUY0310A

Date of gift: 01/02/2018

Book value: \$3,023

How book value determined: Catalog price

FMV: \$3,023

How FMV determined: Comparable sales

Description: Support Local Food program initiative

Class of activity: Local Food

Grantee's name: Senn Brothers

Grantee's address: 327 Wholesale Lane West Columbia SC 29172

Grantee's relationship: Program partner

Amount given: \$20,000

Description of property: 2011 Utility Carrier Reefer, serial #1UYVS2533NBM162815

Date of gift: 01/02/2018

Book value: \$20,000

How book value determined: Seller's balance sheet

FMV: \$20,000

How FMV determined: Comparable sales

Description: Support Local Food program initiative

Class of activity: Local Food

Grantee's name: Senn Brothers

Grantee's address: 327 Wholesale Lane West Columbia SC 29172

Grantee's relationship: Program partner

Amount given: \$20,000

Description of property: 2011 Utility Carrier Reefer, serial #1UYVS2535FM230733VS2RA

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

Sustainable Midlands

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Date of gift: 01/02/2018

Book value: \$20,000

How book value determined: Seller's balance sheet

FMV: \$20,000

How FMV determined: Comparable sales

Pt I, Line 16:

Description: Billboards \$300

Description: Social Media (Facebook, Instagram) \$28

Description: General Liability Insurance \$1,141

Description: Memberships & Dues \$250

Description: Supplies & Materials \$13

Description: Operating Expenses - Local Food \$1,889

Description: Bank Fees \$105

Description: Subscriptions \$54

Description: Licenses \$52

Description: Online Payment Fee \$289

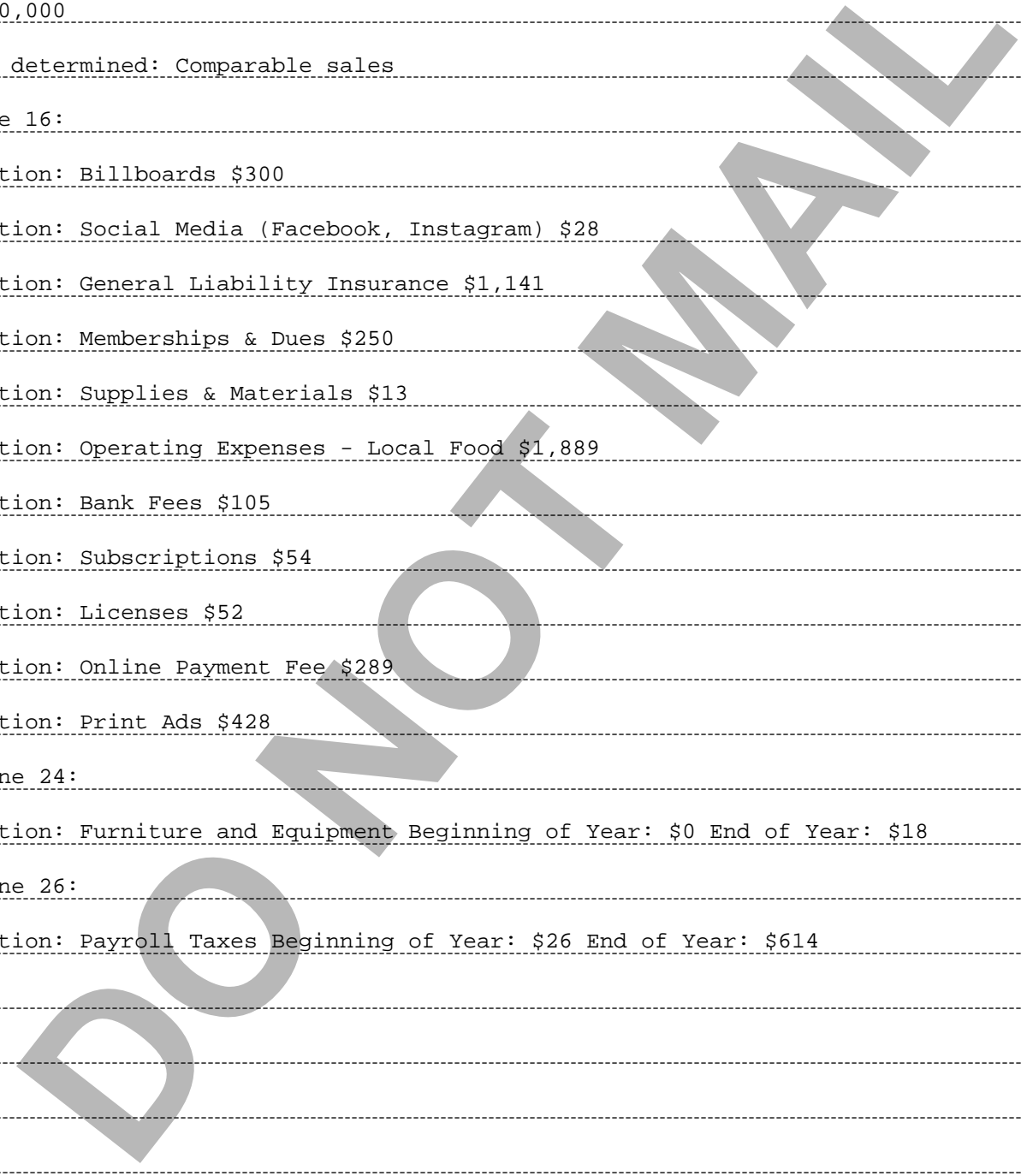
Description: Print Ads \$428

Pt II, Line 24:

Description: Furniture and Equipment Beginning of Year: \$0 End of Year: \$18

Pt II, Line 26:

Description: Payroll Taxes Beginning of Year: \$26 End of Year: \$614



IRS e-file Signature Authorization for an Exempt Organization

For calendar year 2018, or fiscal year beginning _____, 2018, and ending _____, 20_____

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Name of exempt organization Sustainable Midlands	Employer identification number 80-0651366
Name and title of officer William Beers, Board Treasurer	

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 one line in Part I.

1a Form 990 check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1b _____
2a Form 990-EZ check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990-EZ, line 9)	2b <u>70,683.</u>
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, line 3c)	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 2018 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 VanDenBerg Law Firm, LLC to enter my PIN

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 as my signature
ERO firm name Enter five numbers, but do not enter all zeros

on the organization's tax year 2018 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 2018 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 ▶ 05/10/2019

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 2018 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 ▶ 05/10/2019

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Name of exempt organization <u>Sustainable Midlands</u>	Employer identification number <u>80-0651366</u>
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Name and title of officer <u>William Beers, Board Treasurer</u>	
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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 one line in Part I.

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Officer's PIN: check one box only

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Officer's signature ▶ _____ Date ▶ 04/05/2019

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Additional information from your 2018 Federal Exempt Tax Return

Form 990-EZ: Short Form Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax

Line 16: Other Expenses (3)

Line 16, Amount

Itemization Statement

Description	Amount
CGL Policy	1,249.
Adjustment for Office Supply Return	-108.
Total	1,141.

Form 990-EZ: Short Form Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax

Line 1

Itemization Statement

Description	Amount
Grant Income (USDA)	45,000.
Board Member Contributions	800.
Donations	4,578.
Membership Dues	785.
Event Sponsorship (See Line 6b)	13,640.
Volunteer Coordination (5-Points)	1,900.
Total	66,703.

Form 990-EZ: Short Form Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax

Ln 6b, Amt's on Line 1a

Itemization Statement

Description	Amount
Sustainable Holiday Celebration	2,350.
Tasty Tomato Festival	13,750.
Wine For Water	1,000.
Event Admission Tickets	-3,460.
Total	13,640.

Form 990-EZ: Short Form Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax

Line 6b

Itemization Statement

Description	Amount
Arts & Crafts Fees	3,412.
Beverage Sales	8,905.
City Hospitality Tax	10,000.
Commercial Vendor Fees	600.
County Hospitality Tax	7,000.
Day of Tickets	8,190.
Food Vendor Fees	1,140.
Merchandise/Gift/Auction	1,288.
Pre-Sale Tickets	4,774.
Sponsorship Tickets	3,460.

Form 990-EZ: Short Form Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax**Line 6b****Itemization Statement**

Description	Amount
Accounts Receivable	224.
Total	48,993.

Form 990-EZ: Short Form Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax**Line 6c****Itemization Statement**

Description	Amount
Band Backline - Tasty Tomato	100.
Bands - Tasty Tomato	7,282.
Beverages - Tasty Tomato	3,287.
Children's Area - Tasty Tomato	712.
City Services - Tasty Tomato	280.
Contract Services - Tasty Tomato	4,250.
Contract Services - Wine for Water	1,421.
CPD/Event Security - Tasty Tomato	718.
Event Insurance - Buy Local	176.
Event Insurance - Tasty Tomato	436.
Event Licenses & Fees - Buy Local	56.
Event Licenses & Fees - Tasty Tomato	34.
Event Licenses & Fees - Wine for Water	12.
Event Supplies - Buy Local	485.
Event Supplies - Tasty Tomato	626.
Event Supplies - Wine for Water	96.
Merchandise - Wine for Water	150.
Porta-Potties - Tasty Tomato	754.
Production/Staging/Sound - Tasty Tomato	4,697.
Rentals - Buy Local	822.
Rentals - Tasty Tomato	5,842.
Support Staff - Buy Local	3,063.
Volunteer Expenses - Tasty Tomato	1,990.
Event Design - Tasty Tomato	1,645.
Event Social Media - Tasty Tomato	900.
Event Marketing Casual Labor - Tasty Tomato	100.
Event Print Ads - Buy Local	600.
Event Print Ads - Tasty Tomato	1,725.
Event Promotional Printing - Tasty Tomato	1,236.
Event Website - Tasty Tomato	330.
Marketing Support - Buy Local	1,178.
Online Payment Fee - Buy Local	10.
Total	45,013.

Form 990-EZ: Short Form Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax**Line 12****Itemization Statement**

Description	Amount
Jason Craig, Executive Director	17,333.
Payroll Taxes	1,622.
Total	18,955.

Form 990-EZ: Short Form Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax**Line 13****Itemization Statement**

Description	Amount
Ask Accountant	1,348.
Payroll Company	100.
Helen Austin, Interim ED	544.
Accounting Fees - Org Ops (137.50 + 1,740)	1,878.
Marketing Support - General Ed Program	27.
Marketing Support - Org Ops	1,571.
Marketing Support - Watershed Mgmt Program	89.
Volunteer Expense - Org Ops	260.
Contract Services - Local Food	1,542.
Total	7,359.

Form 990-EZ: Short Form Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax**Line 14****Itemization Statement**

Description	Amount
Rent	375.
Internet	120.
Total	495.

Form 990-EZ: Short Form Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax**Line 15****Itemization Statement**

Description	Amount
Postage	24.
Total	24.

Form 990-EZ: Short Form Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax**Line 22, Column (B)****Itemization Statement**

Description	Amount
First Citizens Checking	3,224.
Total	3,224.

Schedule G: Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities**Event 1 entertainment****Itemization Statement**

Description	Amount
Band Backline	100.

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Description	Amount
Bands	7,282.
Production/Staging/Sound	4,697.
Total	12,079.

Schedule G: Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities**Event 1 Other Direct Exp.****Itemization Statement**

Description	Amount
Children's Area	712.
City Services	280.
Contract Services	4,250.
CPD/Event Security	718.
Event Insurance	436.
Event Licenses & Fees	34.
Event Supplies	626.
Porta-Potties	754.
Volunteer Expense	1,990.
Design	1,645.
Facebook/Instagram	900.
Marketing Casual Labor	100.
Print Ads	1,725.
Promotional Printing	1,236.
Website	330.
Total	15,736.

Schedule G: Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities**Event 2 Other Direct Exp.****Itemization Statement**

Description	Amount
Event Insurance	176.
Event Licenses & Fees	56.
Event Supplies	485.
Support Staff	3,063.
Print Ads	600.
Marketing Support	1,178.
Online Payment Fee	11.
Total	5,569.