

Form

990**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax****2024****Open to Public
Inspection**

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

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Internal Revenue Service

A For the 2024 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2024, and ending , 20	
B Check if applicable: ☐ Address change ☐ Name change ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return/terminated ☐ Amended return ☐ Application pending	C Name of organization CASTLETON RANCH HORSE RESCUE INC Doing business as Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite 28581 OLD RANCH DRIVE City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code VALLEY CENTER, CA 92082
	D Employer identification number 11-3731839
	E Telephone number (760) 913-5606
	G Gross receipts \$ 2,328,238
F Name and address of principal officer: LISA ANN THOMAS Same as C above	
H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? ☐ Yes ☒ No H(b) Are all subordinates included? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "No," attach a list. See instructions H(c) Group exemption number	
I Tax-exempt status: ☒ 501(c)(3) ☐ 501(c) () (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527	
J Website: WWW.CASTLETONRANCHHORSERESCUE.ORG	
K Form of organization: ☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other	
L Year of formation: 2004	
M State of legal domicile: CA	

Part I Summary	
Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: To provide, resuce, rehabilitation, and lifetime sanctuary to those horses who are at risk of needless slaughter, have been the victims of inhumane care and abuse and those who are old/injured and have been abandoned and have nowhere to go.
	2 Check this box ☐ if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.
	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) 3
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) 1
	5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2024 (Part V, line 2a) 2
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) 10
	7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 0
7b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, Part I, line 11 0	
Revenue	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) 1,903,545
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) 0
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) 6,061
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e) 8,597
	12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) 1,918,203
Expenses	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3) 0
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) 0
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10) 316,203
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) 63,283
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) 336,929
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e) 1,654,279
	18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) 2,033,765
19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12 (115,562)	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16) 1,722,914
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) 261,781
	22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20 1,461,133

Part II Signature Block	
Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.	
Sign Here	LISA THOMAS Signature of officer <i>Lisa Thomas</i> Date 09/30/2025
	LISA THOMAS, PRESIDENT Type or print name and title
Paid Preparer Use Only	Preparer's name SHAKER KHAN
	Preparer's signature <i>Shaker Khan</i>
	Date 09-30-2025
	Check ☒ if self-employed PTIN P01769444
Firm's name KHAN & ASSOCIATES, CPA	
Firm's EIN 46-5560543	
Firm's address 318 W 3RD AVE	
Phone no. 858-274-9800	
Escondido CA 92025	

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions ☒ Yes ☐ No
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Part III

Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

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

- 1

Briefly describe the organization's mission:
To provide, resuce, rehabilitation, and lifetime sanctuary to those horses who are at risk of needless slaughter, have been the victims of inhumane care and abuse and those who are old/injured and have been abandoned and have nowhere to go.
- 2

Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.
- 3

Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.
- 4

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

(Code:) (Expenses \$ **1,149,089** including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
Provide rescue, rehabilitation, and lifetime sanctuary for approximately 84 horses as of December 31, 2024. The Helping Hooves Program was established in 2015 to try and reduce the number of horses that end up at an auction and most likely have a bad ending. We have educational programs to assist and educate first time horse owners about basic horse care and management. In addition to this we also have owner assistance programs with regard to financially supporting the castration of colt studs and breeding stallions and to assist financially with dignified euthanasia for those horses who were old and suffering from ill health. Many owners send these horses to auction but our program will hopefully give them an option to treat their horse humanely and with dignity. Sending an old and or injured horse to auction is not the answer.
- 4b

(Code:) (Expenses \$ **403,734** including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
During 2024,public awareness educational materials were published to create awareness of the plight of many horses and the need for the type of service which Castleton Ranch are proud to provide.
- 4c

(Code:) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
- 4d

Other program services (Describe on Schedule O.)
(Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
- 4e

Total program service expenses **1,552,823**

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i>	1 ☒	☐
2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors? See instructions	2 ☒	☐
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i>	3 ☐	☒
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>	4 ☐	☒
5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Rev. Proc. 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>	5 ☐	☒
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i>	6 ☐	☒
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>	7 ☐	☒
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i>	8 ☐	☒
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability; serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>	9 ☐	☒
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in donor-restricted endowments or in quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>	10 ☐	☒
11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X, as applicable.		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI</i>	11a ☒	☐
b Did the organization report an amount for investments - other securities in Part X, line 12, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII</i>	11b ☐	☒
c Did the organization report an amount for investments - program related in Part X, line 13, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i>	11c ☐	☒
d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i>	11d ☐	☒
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>	11e ☐	☒
f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>	11f ☐	☒
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i>	12a ☒	☐
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional</i>	12b ☐	☒
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>	13 ☐	☒
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a ☐	☒
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</i>	14b ☐	☒
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>	15 ☐	☒
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i>	16 ☐	☒
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i> . See instructions	17 ☒	☐
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>	18 ☐	☒
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>	19 ☐	☒
20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>	20a ☐	☒
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	20b ☐	☐
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>	21 ☐	☒

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

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

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax ComplianceCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V ☐

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable	1a	0
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included on line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	1b	0
c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued)				Yes	No
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return	2a	2		
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns?	2b		x	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a			x
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation on Schedule O.	3b			
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	4a			x
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country _____ See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).				
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a			x
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b			x
c	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5c			
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?	6a			x
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6b			
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).				
a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7a			x
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b			
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7c			x
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	7d			
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e			x
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f			x
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g			x
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h			x
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8			x
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.				
a	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a			x
b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b			x
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:				
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	10a			
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	10b			
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:				
a	Gross income from members or shareholders	11a			
b	Gross income from other sources. (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)	11b			
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a			
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	12b			
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.				
a	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note: See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.	13a			
b	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans	13b			
c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand	13c			
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a			x
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation on Schedule O	14b			
15	Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or excess parachute payment(s) during the year? If "Yes," see the instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N.	15			x
16	Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income? If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O.	16			x
17	Section 501(c)(21) organizations. Did the trust, or any disqualified or other person, engage in any activities that would result in the imposition of an excise tax under section 4951, 4952, or 4953? If "Yes," complete Form 6069.	17			

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

Section A. Governing Body and Management

			Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year	1a	3	
	If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain on Schedule O.			
b	Enter the number of voting members included on line 1a, above, who are independent	1b	1	
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	2		x
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?	3		x
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	4		x
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?	5		x
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	6		x
7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?	7a		x
b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?	7b		x
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:			
a	The governing body?	8a	x	
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b	x	
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses on Schedule O	9		x

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

		Yes	No
10a	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	10a	x
b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?	10b	
11a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? . . .	11a	x
b	Describe on Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.		
12a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	12a	x
b	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? . .	12b	x
c	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe on Schedule O how this was done	12c	x
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13	x
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	x
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
a	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	15a	x
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization	15b	x
	If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process on Schedule O. See instructions.		
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?	16a	x
b	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	16b	

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed **Statement #17**
- 18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A, if applicable), 990, and 990-T (section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
- ☐ Own website ☒ Another's website ☒ Upon request ☐ Other (explain on Schedule O)
- 19 Describe on Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.
- 20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records.

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Part VII

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

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

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

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See the instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (box 5 of Form W-2, box 6 of Form 1099-MISC, and/or box 1 of Form 1099-NEC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

See the instructions for the order in which to list the persons above.
☐ Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee.

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/ 1099-MISC/ 1099-NEC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/ 1099-MISC/ 1099-NEC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1)LISA ANN THOMAS PRESIDENT	70.00	X		X				117,914	0	0
(2)LISA JESSICA WHITE SECRETARY	70.00	X		X				115,707	0	0
(3)ALEX THOMAS DIRECTOR	40.00	X						0	0	0
(4)										
(5)										
(6)										
(7)										
(8)										
(9)										
(10)										
(11)										
(12)										
(13)										
(14)										

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/ 1099-MISC/ 1099-NEC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/ 1099-MISC/ 1099-NEC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(15)										
(16)										
(17)										
(18)										
(19)										
(20)										
(21)										
(22)										
(23)										
(24)										
(25)										
1b Subtotal								233, 621		
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A										
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								233, 621	0	0

2	Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization			2
3	Did the organization list any former officer, director, trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>		Yes	No
4	For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>			
5	Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>			
		3		x
		4		x
		5		x

Section B. Independent Contractors

1	Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.		
	(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
2	Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization		

Part VIII Statement of RevenueCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII ☐

			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a	Federated campaigns	1a			
	b	Membership dues	1b			
	c	Fundraising events	1c			
	d	Related organizations	1d			
	e	Government grants (contributions) . .	1e			
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	2,312,332		
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f	1g	\$ 98,507		
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f		2,312,332		
Program Service Revenue	2a	Business Code				
	b					
	c					
	d					
	e					
	f	All other program service revenue				
	g	Total. Add lines 2a-2f				
	Other Revenue	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)	8,351		
4		Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds				
5		Royalties	7,555			7,555
6a		Gross rents	6a	(i) Real	(ii) Personal	
b		Less: rental expenses	6b			
c		Rental income or (loss)	6c			
d		Net rental income or (loss)				
7a		Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	7a	(i) Securities	(ii) Other	
b		Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	7b			
c		Gain or (loss)	7c			
d		Net gain or (loss)				
8a		Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	8a			
b		Less: direct expenses	8b			
c		Net income or (loss) from fundraising events				
9a		Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	9a			
b		Less: direct expenses	9b			
c		Net income or (loss) from gaming activities				
10a		Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	10a			
b	Less: cost of goods sold	10b				
c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory					
Miscellaneous Revenue	11a	Business Code				
	b					
	c					
	d	All other revenue				
	e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d				
	12	Total revenue. See instructions	2,328,238	0	0	15,906

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX ☒**Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.**

	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21 . . .				
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	263,827	237,444	26,383	
6 Compensation not included above to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages				
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions) . .				
9 Other employee benefits	54,169	48,752	5,417	
10 Payroll taxes	20,506	18,455	2,051	
11 Fees for services (nonemployees):				
a Management				
b Legal				
c Accounting				
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17. .	56,980			56,980
f Investment management fees				
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A), amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.) . .				
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses	708		708	
14 Information technology				
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	262,442	259,160	2,626	656
17 Travel				
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	46,323	44,076	1,798	449
23 Insurance	21,753	19,578	2,175	
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (List miscellaneous expenses on line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A), amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a DIRECT MAIL EXPENSE	636,854	311,036	46,974	278,844
b FEED AND SUPPLIES	455,293	455,293		
c VETERINARY	41,425	41,425		
d _____				
e All other expenses _____	144,605	117,604	27,001	
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e. .	2,004,885	1,552,823	115,133	336,929
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here ☒ if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)	693,834	311,036	46,974	335,824

Part X Balance Sheet

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

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year			
Assets	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing	237,644	1	323,577		
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	646,697	2	787,567		
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		3			
	4	Accounts receivable, net		4			
	5	Loans and other receivables from any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons		5			
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)		6			
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7			
	8	Inventories for sale or use	31,481	8	28,647		
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	14,100	9	13,676		
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a	1,424,033			
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation	10b	658,546	792,992	10c	765,487
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities		11			
	12	Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12			
	13	Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13			
	14	Intangible assets		14			
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		15			
16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33)	1,722,914	16	1,918,954			
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	235,769	17	134,468		
	18	Grants payable		18			
	19	Deferred revenue		19			
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20			
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21			
	22	Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons		22			
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23			
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24			
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D	26,012	25			
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	261,781	26	134,468		
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here ☒ and complete lines 27, 28, 32, and 33.						
	27	Net assets without donor restrictions	1,461,133	27	1,784,486		
	28	Net assets with donor restrictions		28			
	Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here ☐ and complete lines 29 through 33.						
	29	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		29			
	30	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		30			
	31	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		31			
	32	Total net assets or fund balances	1,461,133	32	1,784,486		
	33	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	1,722,914	33	1,918,954		

Part XI

Reconciliation of Net Assets

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

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	2,328,238
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	2,004,885
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	323,353
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A))	4	1,461,133
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain on Schedule O)	9	0
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 32, column (B))	10	1,784,486

Part XII

Financial Statements and Reporting

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

	Yes	No
1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: ☐ Cash ☒ Accrual ☐ Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain on Schedule O.		
2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both. ☒ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis	x	
b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both. ☒ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis	x	
c If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain on Schedule O.	x	
3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Uniform Guidance, 2 C.F.R. Part 200, Subpart F?		x
b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits		

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support

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

Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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

OMB No. 1545-0047

2024

Open to Public
Inspection

Name of the organization: CASTLETON RANCH HORSE RESCUE INC
Employer identification number: 11-3731839

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).)
- 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 [X] An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions, subject to certain exceptions; and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See section 509(a)(2). (Complete Part III.)
- 11 [] An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See section 509(a)(4).
- 12 [] An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2). See section 509(a)(3). Check the box on lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g.
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 must generally 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).

Table with 6 columns: (i) Name of supported organization, (ii) EIN, (iii) Type of organization, (iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document?, (v) Amount of monetary support, (vi) Amount of other support. Rows include (A) through (E) and a Total row.

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) 2020	(b) 2021	(c) 2022	(d) 2023	(e) 2024	(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.						0

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2020	(b) 2021	(c) 2022	(d) 2023	(e) 2024	(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 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here						☐

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2024 (line 6, column (f), divided by line 11, column (f))	14	%
15 Public support percentage from 2023 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	%
16a 33 1/3% support test - 2024. 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		☐
b 33 1/3% support test - 2023. 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		☐
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2024. 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		☐
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2023. 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		☐
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		☐

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) 2020	(b) 2021	(c) 2022	(d) 2023	(e) 2024	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	1,745,456	2,139,179	2,036,356	1,903,545	2,312,332	10,136,868
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						
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	1,745,456	2,139,179	2,036,356	1,903,545	2,312,332	10,136,868
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	0	0	0	0	0	0
8 Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						10,136,868

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2020	(b) 2021	(c) 2022	(d) 2023	(e) 2024	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6	1,745,456	2,139,179	2,036,356	1,903,545	2,312,332	10,136,868
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources .	43,253	10,424	12,984	14,658	15,906	97,225
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b	43,253	10,424	12,984	14,658	15,906	97,225
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included on line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)	1,788,709	2,149,603	2,049,340	1,918,203	2,328,238	10,234,093
14 First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ☐						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2024 (line 8, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f))	15	99.05 %
16 Public support percentage from 2023 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	99.00 %

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2024 (line 10c, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)) . . .	17	1 %
18 Investment income percentage from 2023 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	1 %

- 19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2024.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ☒
- b 33 1/3% support tests - 2023.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ☐
- 20 Private foundation.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions . . ☐

Part IV Supporting Organizations

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

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

	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 lines 3b and 3c below.</i>		
b Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.</i>		
c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.</i>		
4a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? <i>If "Yes," and if you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer lines 4b and 4c below.</i>		
b Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.</i>		
c Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.</i>		
5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 5b and 5c below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).</i>		
b Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?		
c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?		
6 Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? <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).</i>		
8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described on line 7? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).</i>		
9a Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons, as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
b Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined on 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>		
c Did a disqualified person (as defined on line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? <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 line 10b below.</i>		
b Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? <i>(Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)</i>		

Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)

	Yes	No
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 on lines 11b and 11c below, the governing body of a supported organization?		
b A family member of a person described on line 11a above?		
c A 35% controlled entity of a person described on line 11a or 11b above? If "Yes" to line 11a, 11b, or 11c, provide detail in Part VI .		
11a		
11b		
11c		

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Did the governing body, members of the governing body, officers acting in their official capacity, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees at all times during the tax year? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove officers, directors, or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.		
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? 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.		
1		
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)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).		
1		

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?		
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? If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).		
3 By reason of the relationship described on line 2, above, did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.		
1		
2		
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 ☐ The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.			
b ☐ The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.			
c ☐ The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a governmental entity (see instructions).			
2 Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b 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? 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.			
b Did the activities described on line 2a, above, constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.			
3 Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer lines 3a and 3b 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? If "Yes" or "No," provide details in Part VI .			
b Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.			
2a			
2b			
3a			
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 (<i>explain in detail in Part VI</i>):		
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 0.015 of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5	
6	Multiply line 5 by 0.035.	6	
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 0.85 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	☐ 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	1	
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	2	
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	3	
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	4	
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required - <i>provide details in Part VI</i>)	5	
6	Other distributions (<i>describe in Part VI</i>). See instructions.	6	
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.	7	
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (<i>provide details in Part VI</i>). See instructions.	8	
9	Distributable amount for 2024 from Section C, line 6	9	
10	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount	10	

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2024	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2024
1 Distributable amount for 2024 from Section C, line 6			
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2024 (reasonable cause required - <i>explain in Part VI</i>). See instructions.			
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2024			
a From 2019			
b From 2020			
c From 2021			
d From 2022			
e From 2023			
f Total of lines 3a through 3e			
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h Applied to 2024 distributable amount			
i Carryover from 2019 not applied (see instructions)			
j Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f.			
4 Distributions for 2024 from Section D, line 7: \$			
a Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b Applied to 2024 distributable amount			
c Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4.			
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2024, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI</i> . See instructions.			
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2024. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI</i> . See instructions.			
7 Excess distributions carryover to 2025. Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8 Breakdown of line 7:			
a Excess from 2020			
b Excess from 2021			
c Excess from 2022			
d Excess from 2023			
e Excess from 2024			

Part VI

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

Supplemental Financial Statements
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990,
Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.
Attach to Form 990.
Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

Name of the organization: CASTLETON RANCH HORSE RESCUE INC
Employer identification number: 11-3731839

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

Table with 3 columns: Line number, Description, and Yes/No checkboxes.
Lines 1-4: Aggregate values for donor advised funds and other accounts.
Lines 5-6: Questions about donor advised funds and grant funds.

Part II Conservation Easements
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

Table with 3 columns: Line number, Description, and Yes/No checkboxes.
Lines 1-9: Questions about conservation easements, including purpose, monitoring, and reporting.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

Table with 3 columns: Line number, Description, and Yes/No checkboxes.
Lines 1a-2: Questions about collections of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets.

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

- 3** Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that make significant use of its collection items (check all that apply).
- a** ☐ Public exhibition **d** ☐ Loan or exchange program
- b** ☐ Scholarly research **e** ☐ Other _____
- c** ☐ Preservation for future generations
- 4** Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.
- 5** During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

- 1a** Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian, or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table.
- | | Amount |
|--|-----------|
| c Beginning balance | 1c |
| d Additions during the year | 1d |
| e Distributions during the year | 1e |
| f Ending balance | 1f |
- 2a** Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII ☐

Part V Endowment Funds

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance					
b Contributions					
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance					

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

- a** Board designated or quasi-endowment _____ %
- b** Permanent endowment _____ %
- c** Term endowment _____ %

The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.

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

- (i) Unrelated organizations?
- (ii) Related organizations?

	Yes	No
3a(i)		
3a(ii)		
3b		

- b** If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?

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

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		287,277		287,277
b Buildings		857,531	314,984	542,547
c Leasehold improvements			87,649	(87,649)
d Equipment		279,225	255,913	23,312
e Other				
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, line 10c, column (B))				765,487

Part VII Investments - Other Securities

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

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

Part VIII Investments - Program Related

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

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

Part IX Other Assets

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

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

Part X Other Liabilities

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

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

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FASB ASC 740. Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII ☐

Part XIII

Supplemental Information (continued)

Name of the organization: CASTLETON RANCH HORSE RESCUE INC
Employer identification number: 11-3731839

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 [X] Mail solicitations e [X] Solicitation of nongovernment grants
b [X] Internet and email solicitations f [] Solicitation of government grants
c [] Phone solicitations g [] Special fundraising events
d [] In-person solicitations
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? [X] 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.

Table with 6 columns: (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. Includes data for 1FRS 1420 SPRING HILL RD McLean, VA 22102, COUNSEL, with gross receipts of 1,388,698 and amounts paid of 56,980 and 1,331,718.

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.
Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Connecticut, Colorado, Georgia, Florida, Hawaii, Virginia
Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan
Mississippi, Missouri, New Hampshire, Illinois, Kansas, Kentucky, North Dakota, Ohio
Oregon, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee, Utah

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	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events
		(event type)	(event type)	(total number)	(add col. (a) through col. (c))
Revenue	1 Gross receipts				
	2 Less: Contributions				
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)				
Direct Expenses	4 Cash prizes				
	5 Noncash prizes				
	6 Rent/facility costs				
	7 Food and beverages				
	8 Entertainment				
	9 Other direct expenses				
	10 Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)				
11 Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d)					

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	☐ Yes _____ % ☐ No	☐ Yes _____ % ☐ No	☐ Yes _____ % ☐ 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 M
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Noncash Contributions

Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 29 or 30.
Attach to Form 990.
Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

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Name of the organization: CASTLETON RANCH HORSE RESCUE INC
Employer identification number: 11-3731839

Part I Types of Property

	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts
1 Art - Works of art				
2 Art - Historical treasures				
3 Art - Fractional interests				
4 Books and publications				
5 Clothing and household goods				
6 Cars and other vehicles				
7 Boats and planes				
8 Intellectual property				
9 Securities - Publicly traded				
10 Securities - Closely held stock				
11 Securities - Partnership, LLC, or trust interests				
12 Securities - Miscellaneous				
13 Qualified conservation contribution - Historic structures				
14 Qualified conservation contribution - Other				
15 Real estate - Residential				
16 Real estate - Commercial				
17 Real estate - Other				
18 Collectibles				
19 Food inventory				
20 Drugs and medical supplies				
21 Taxidermy				
22 Historical artifacts				
23 Scientific specimens				
24 Archeological artifacts				
25 Other (BUSINESS PROMOT)	X	3	97,900	MARKET VALUE
26 Other ()				
27 Other ()				
28 Other ()				

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

	Yes	No
30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported on Part I, lines 1 through 28, that it must hold for at least 3 years from the date of the initial contribution, and which isn't required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period?	30a	
b If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II.		
31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any nonstandard contributions?	31	
32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash contributions?	32a	
b If "Yes," describe in Part II.		
33 If the organization didn't report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II.		

**SCHEDULE O
(Form 990)**

(Rev. December 2024)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ**Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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

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Name of the organization

CASTLETON RANCH HORSE RESCUE INC

Employer identification number

11-3731839**01. Form 990 governing body review (Part VI, line 11)**

The form 990 is prepared by a third party and each member of the board receives a copy.
The board will review said 990 prior to filing with the IRS.

02. Conflict of interest policy compliance (Part VI, line 12c)

The conflict of interest policy applies to all Directors, Officers, and employees of the organization. Directors and Officers shall sign an annual statement indicating that they have received, read, and agree to comply with the conflict of interest policy. In the even a potential conflict is identified the board will discuss the nature of the conflict, any action taken to determine whether a conflict of interest was present, and any restrictions imposed on such conflict.

Periodic reviews may be conducted for areas where possible conflict of interest could arise.

03. CEO, executive director, top management comp (Part VI, line 15a)

The CEO will have a salary which has been determined using data from industry sources, comparable organizations across the country and also within California. These salaries shall be competitive and appropriate.

The board shall review annually, the performance of the CEO and make appropriate decision upon salary at this annual review.

04. Other officer or key employee compensation (Part VI, line 15b)

Any other compensated officer will have a salary which has been determined using data from industry sources, comparable organizations across the country and also within California. These salaries shall be competitive and appropriate.

The board shall review annually, the performance of salaried officers and make appropriate decision upon salary at this annual review.

05. Governing documents, etc, available to public (Part VI, line 19)

The organization makes it's governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available upon request and on our website.

06. List of other expenses (Part IX, line 24e)

PROGRAM SERVICES - OTHER EXPENSES :

AUTOMOTIVE \$4,252

BUSINESS PROMOTION \$97,501

OUTSIDE SERVICES \$1,140

FARRIER \$11,480

TELEPHONE \$3,031

MISCELLAENOUS \$200

MANAGEMENT AND GENERAL - OTHER EXPENSES :

TAXES AND LICENSES \$3,486

CREDIT CARD AND BANK FEES \$1,210

LEGAL & ACCOUNTING \$22,305

Name of the organization	Employer identification number
CASTLETON RANCH HORSE RESCUE INC	11-3731839

07. General explanation attachment

Form 990, Part III, Line 1 - Organization Mission

Castleton Ranch Horse Rescue Inc. will provide resuce, rehabilitation, and lifetime sanctuary to those horses who are at risk of needless slaughter, who are old and or injured and have been abandoned with nowhere to go.

All rescued horses will receive the very best of care and management throughout the remaining years of their life.

Through our educational and assistance programs, Castleton Ranch will reach out both within and out-with our community to make the public aware of the plight of many horses and the need for the specialist care which Castleton Ranch are very proud to provide.

The following documents are available on our website:

- Mission Statement
- Conflict of Interest policy
- Audited financial statements
- IRS 990 Return
- Document Retention and Destruction Policy
- Whistle Blower Policy
- Tax Exempt Determination Letter
- Gift Acceptance Policy

Depreciation and Amortization

(Including Information on Listed Property)

Attach to your tax return.

Go to www.irs.gov/Form4562 for instructions and the latest information.

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Attachment
Sequence No. 179

Name(s) shown on return	Business or activity to which this form relates	Identifying number
CASTLETON RANCH HORSE RESCUE INC	FORM 990PF - 1	11-3731839

Part I Election To Expense Certain Property Under Section 179**Note:** If you have any listed property, complete Part V before you complete Part I.

1	Maximum amount (see instructions)	1	
2	Total cost of section 179 property placed in service (see instructions)	2	
3	Threshold cost of section 179 property before reduction in limitation (see instructions)	3	
4	Reduction in limitation. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-	4	
5	Dollar limitation for tax year. Subtract line 4 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0-. If married filing separately, see instructions	5	
6	(a) Description of property	(b) Cost (business use only)	(c) Elected cost
7	Listed property. Enter the amount from line 29	7	
8	Total elected cost of section 179 property. Add amounts in column (c), lines 6 and 7	8	
9	Tentative deduction. Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8	9	
10	Carryover of disallowed deduction from line 13 of your 2023 Form 4562	10	
11	Business income limitation. Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5. See instructions	11	
12	Section 179 expense deduction. Add lines 9 and 10, but don't enter more than line 11	12	
13	Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2025. Add lines 9 and 10, less line 12	13	

Note: Don't use Part II or Part III below for listed property. Instead, use Part V.**Part II Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation (Don't include listed property. See instructions.)**

14	Special depreciation allowance for qualified property (other than listed property) placed in service during the tax year. See instructions.	14	
15	Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election	15	
16	Other depreciation (including ACRS)	16	45,698

Part III MACRS Depreciation (Don't include listed property. See instructions.)**Section A**

17	MACRS deductions for assets placed in service in tax years beginning before 2024	17	
18	If you are electing to group any assets placed in service during the tax year into one or more general asset accounts, check here ☐		

Section B - Assets Placed in Service During 2024 Tax Year Using the General Depreciation System

(a) Classification of property	(b) Month and year placed in service	(c) Basis for depreciation (business/investment use only-see instructions)	(d) Recovery period	(e) Convention	(f) Method	(g) Depreciation deduction
19a 3-year property						
b 5-year property		4,018	5	MQ	SL	502
c 7-year property						
d 10-year property						
e 15-year property		14,800	15	MQ	SL	123
f 20-year property						
g 25-year property			25 yrs.		S/L	
h Residential rental property			27.5 yrs.	MM	S/L	
i Nonresidential real property			39 yrs.	MM	S/L	
				MM	S/L	

Section C - Assets Placed in Service During 2024 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System

20a Class life					S/L	
b 12-year			12 yrs.		S/L	
c 30-year			30 yrs.	MM	S/L	
d 40-year			40 yrs.	MM	S/L	

Part IV Summary (See instructions.)

21	Listed property. Enter amount from line 28	21	
22	Total. Add amounts from line 12, lines 14 through 17, lines 19 and 20 in column (g), and line 21. Enter here and on the appropriate lines of your return. Partnerships and S corporations - see instructions	22	46,323
23	For assets shown above and placed in service during the current year, enter the portion of the basis attributable to section 263A costs	23	

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see separate instructions.

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Form 990, Part VI, Section C, line 17**Statement #017**

**States where a copy of this Form 990
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Alabama	Pennsylvania
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Arizona	South Carolina
California	Tennessee
Colorado	Utah
Connecticut	Virginia
District of Columbia	Washington
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Georgia	West Virginia
Hawaii	
Illinois	
Kansas	
Kentucky	
Louisiana	
Massachusetts	
Maryland	
Maine	
Michigan	
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Overflow Statement

Description	Amount
AUTOMOTIVE	\$ 4,252
BUSINESS PROMOTION	97,501
OUTSIDE SERVICES	1,140
FARRIER	11,480
TELEPHONE	3,031
MISCELLANEOUS	200
Total: \$	<u>117,604</u>

Overflow Statement

Description	Amount
TAXES AND LICENSES	\$ 3,486
CREDIT CARD AND BANK FEES	1,210
LEGAL AND ACCOUNTING	22,305
Total: \$	<u>27,001</u>

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1	DODGE RAM 3500	04-18-2008	46,717		100.00			46,717	5		0	46,717		46,717	
2	DODGE 1500	12-05-2008	17,953		100.00			17,953	5		0	17,953		17,953	
3	VLY CTR - BARN	11-19-2010	18,973		100.00			18,973	25	SL MM	4	9,930	759	10,689	
4	VLY CTR - GARAGE/APT	11-19-2010	26,878		100.00			26,878	25	SL MM	4	14,065	1,075	15,140	
5	VLY CTR - APT/STALLS/	11-19-2010	37,946		100.00			37,946	25	SL MM	4	19,860	1,518	21,378	
6	VLY CTR - BLDG APT RE	12-31-2012	16,039		100.00			16,039	15	SL MQ	6.667	11,759	1,069	12,828	
7	VLY CTR - BUILDINGS	11-03-2014	387,695		100.00			387,695	25	SL MM	4	141,510	15,508	157,018	
8	VLY CTR - APPLIANCE	12-31-2012	505		100.00			505	7		0	505		505	
9	VLY CTR - APPLIANCE	12-31-2012	527		100.00			527	7		0	527		527	
10	LAND IMPROVEMENTS - A	05-15-2008	6,820		100.00			6,820	15		0	6,820		6,820	
11	VLY CTR - PADDOCK	12-03-2010	3,260		100.00			3,260	7		0	3,260		3,260	
12	VLY CTR - FENCE	11-19-2010	10,119		100.00			10,119	15	SL MQ	6.667	8,831	675	9,506	
13	VLY CTR - CORRALS/PAD	11-19-2010	25,297		100.00			25,297	15	SL MQ	6.667	22,059	1,686	23,745	
14	VLY CTR - LANDSCAPE/T	11-19-2010	15,811		100.00			15,811	15	SL MQ	6.667	13,790	1,054	14,844	
15	VLY CTR PADDOCK 64 x	01-18-2011	3,000		100.00			3,000	7		0	3,000		3,000	
16	VLY CTR PADDOCK 56 x	01-27-2011	3,750		100.00			3,750	7		0	3,750		3,750	
17	VLY CTR PADDOCK 48 x	03-19-2011	2,550		100.00			2,550	7		0	2,550		2,550	
18	VLY CTR PADDOCK 48 x	03-23-2011	2,200		100.00			2,200	7		0	2,200		2,200	
19	VLY CTR PADDOCK	03-26-2011	2,300		100.00			2,300	7		0	2,300		2,300	
20	VLY CTR - CORRAL	02-03-2011	4,710		100.00			4,710	7		0	4,710		4,710	
21	VLY CTR - PADDOCK	03-16-2011	3,144		100.00			3,144	7		0	3,144		3,144	
22	VLY CTR - PADDOCK	07-23-2011	5,500		100.00			5,500	7		0	5,500		5,500	
23	VLY CTR - PADDOCK IRR	07-27-2011	1,400		100.00			1,400	7		0	1,400		1,400	
24	VLY CTR - PADDOCK	08-06-2011	1,850		100.00			1,850	7		0	1,850		1,850	
25	VLY CTR - PADDOCK	08-31-2011	2,200		100.00			2,200	7		0	2,200		2,200	
26	VLY CTR - PADDOCK	09-17-2011	2,720		100.00			2,720	7		0	2,720		2,720	
27	VLY CTR - PADDOCK	10-01-2011	2,450		100.00			2,450	7		0	2,450		2,450	
28	VLY CTR - PADDOCK	12-10-2010	2,300		100.00			2,300	7		0	2,300		2,300	
29	VLY CTR LAND	11-19-2010	94,864	94,864	100.00			0	0		0				
30	VLY CTR LAND	11-03-2014	192,413	192,413	100.00			0	0		0				

* Item is included in UBIA
for Section 199A calculations.
See "UBIA" in lower right corner.

Depreciation Detail Listing

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31	4 HORSE TRAILER	04-30-2008	15,894		100.00			15,894	15		0	15,894		15,894	
32	TRAILER HITCH	04-30-2008	602		100.00			602	7		0	602		602	
33	TRAILER RAMP	11-30-2008	1,019		100.00			1,019	7		0	1,019		1,019	
34	USED GOLF CART E2 GO	01-28-2011	4,350		100.00			4,350	5		0	4,350		4,350	
35	USED GOLF CART - EZ P	08-02-2011	4,446		100.00			4,446	5		0	4,446		4,446	
36	USED 2006 HORSE TRAIL	01-18-2011	4,000		100.00			4,000	15	SL HY	6.667	3,448	267	3,715	
37	VLY CTR - PRESSURE TA	05-05-2011	4,000		100.00			4,000	7		0	4,000		4,000	
38	GREENHOUSE	01-30-2013	2,835		100.00			2,835	7		0	2,835		2,835	
39	RIDE ALONG MOWER	04-08-2014	2,267		100.00			2,267	7		0	2,267		2,267	
40	SOLAR SYSTEM	08-12-2015	82,903		100.00			82,903	5		0	82,903		82,903	
41	GOLF CART	06-24-2016	1,835		100.00			1,835	5		0	1,835		1,835	
42	GOLF CART	10-03-2016	5,940		100.00			5,940	5		0	5,940		5,940	
43	VLY CTR RESIDENCE	11-03-2014	221,349		100.00			221,349	25	SL MM	4	81,162	8,854	90,016	
44	HORSE SHELTER	03-14-2016	4,752		100.00			4,752	7		0	4,752		4,752	
45	HORSE SHELTER ROOF AN	03-16-2016	616		100.00			616	7		0	616		616	
46	TRACTOR	02-09-2017	19,711		100.00			19,711	7	SL HY	14.286	18,304	1,407	19,711	
47	ROUNDPEN	04-17-2018	1,417		100.00			1,417	7	SL HY	14.286	1,111	202	1,313	
48	GOLF CART - EZGO 4 PA	01-03-2020	3,888		100.00			3,888	5	SL HY	20	2,723	778	3,501	
49	IMPROVEMENTS	03-29-2021	7,413		100.00			7,413	15	SL HY	6.667	1,235	494	1,729	
50	GOLF CART	08-22-2022	7,187		100.00			7,187	5	SL MQ	20	1,976	1,437	3,413	
51	CORRAL PANELS	09-15-2022	7,983		100.00			7,983	7	SL MQ	14.286	1,568	1,140	2,708	
52	SHELTERS 8*12	09-15-2022	6,287		100.00			6,287	7	SL MQ	14.286	1,235	898	2,133	
53	MERCEDES GLC 300	11-21-2022	30,517		100.00			30,517	5	SL MQ	20	6,866	6,103	12,969	
54	CORRAL PANELS	07-30-2022	4,844		100.00			4,844	7	SL MQ	14.286	952	692	1,644	
55	CORRAL PANELS	09-21-2022	576		100.00			576	7	SL MQ	14.286	113	82	195	
56	MOWER	04-08-2024	4,018		100.00			4,018	5	SL MQ	12.5		502	502	
57	NEW FRONT GATE	10-10-2024	14,800		100.00			14,800	15	SL MQ	.833		123	123	
Totals			1,407,340					1,120,063				609,812	46,323	656,135	

Land Amount
Net Depreciable Cost

1,407,340

CY 179 and CY Bonus
TOTAL CY Depr including 179/bonus

46,323

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