Form **990** Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

▶ The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

OMB No. 1545-0047

2003

Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2003 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2003, and ending , 20

B Check if applicable:
- ☐ Address change
- ☐ Name change
- ☐ Initial return
- ☐ Final return
- ☐ Amended return
- ☐ Application pending

Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.

C Name of organization: Lake Lanier Association, Inc.

Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address): 615F Oak Street — Room/suite: 100

City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4: Gainesville, GA 30501

D Employer identification number: 58 | 1264797

E Telephone number: (770) 503-7757

F Accounting method: ☑ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) ▶

• Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

H and I are not applicable to section 527 organizations.

H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? ☐ Yes ☑ No

H(b) If "Yes," enter number of affiliates ▶

H(c) Are all affiliates included? ☐ Yes ☐ No (If "No," attach a list. See instructions.)

H(d) Is this a separate return filed by an organization covered by a group ruling? ☐ Yes ☑ No

I Group Exemption Number ▶

G Website: ▶ www.lakelanier.org

J Organization type (check only one) ▶ ☑ 501(c) (3) ◀ (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527

K Check here ▶ ☐ if the organization's gross receipts are normally not more than $25,000. The organization need not file a return with the IRS; but if the organization received a Form 990 Package in the mail, it should file a return without financial data. **Some states require a complete return.**

M Check ▶ ☑ if the organization is **not** required to attach Sch. B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

L Gross receipts: Add lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b to line 12 ▶ 274,316

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See page 18 of the instructions.)

Revenue

1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received:				
a	Direct public support	1a	274,316		
b	Indirect public support	1b			
c	Government contributions (grants)	1c			
d	**Total** (add lines 1a through 1c) (cash $ 274,316 noncash $)			1d	274,316
2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts (from Part VII, line 93)			2	
3	Membership dues and assessments			3	
4	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			4	78
5	Dividends and interest from securities			5	
6a	Gross rents	6a			
b	Less: rental expenses	6b			
c	Net rental income or (loss) (subtract line 6b from line 6a)			6c	
7	Other investment income (describe ▶)			7	

		(A) Securities		(B) Other		
8a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory		8a			
b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses		8b			
c	Gain or (loss) (attach schedule)		8c			
d	Net gain or (loss) (combine line 8c, columns (A) and (B))				8d	

9	Special events and activities (attach schedule). If any amount is from gaming, check here ▶ ☐				
a	Gross revenue (not including $ of contributions reported on line 1a)	9a			
b	Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	9b			
c	Net income or (loss) from special events (subtract line 9b from line 9a)			9c	
10a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	10a			
b	Less: cost of goods sold	10b			
c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (attach schedule) (subtract line 10b from line 10a)			10c	
11	Other revenue (from Part VII, line 103)			11	
12	Total revenue (add lines 1d, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6c, 7, 8d, 9c, 10c, and 11)			12	274,394

Expenses

13	Program services (from line 44, column (B))	13	
14	Management and general (from line 44, column (C))	14	
15	Fundraising (from line 44, column (D))	15	
16	Payments to affiliates (attach schedule)	16	
17	**Total expenses** (add lines 16 and 44, column (A))	17	239,252

Net Assets

18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (subtract line 17 from line 12)	18	35,142
19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 73, column (A))	19	19,473
20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20	
21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year (combine lines 18, 19, and 20)	21	54,615

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Part II Statement of Functional Expenses All organizations must complete column (A). Columns (B), (C), and (D) are required for section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts but optional for others (See page 22 of the instructions.)

Do not include amounts reported on line 6b, 8b, 9b, 10b, or 16 of Part I.		(A) Total	(B) Program services	(C) Management and general	(D) Fundraising
22 Grants and allocations (attach schedule) (cash $ ______ noncash $ ______)	22				
23 Specific assistance to individuals (attach schedule)	23				
24 Benefits paid to or for members (attach schedule)	24				
25 Compensation of officers, directors, etc.	25				
26 Other salaries and wages	26	33,262	8,315	19,957	4,990
27 Pension plan contributions	27				
28 Other employee benefits	28				
29 Payroll taxes	29	2,545	636	1,527	382
30 Professional fundraising fees	30				
31 Accounting fees	31	3,250		3,250	
32 Legal fees	32	135,622	135,622		
33 Supplies	33	18,506	12,032	4,624	1,850
34 Telephone	34	1,520	988	380	152
35 Postage and shipping	35	9,710	6,311	2,428	971
36 Occupancy	36	3,536	2,300	884	352
37 Equipment rental and maintenance	37	221	144	55	22
38 Printing and publications	38	11,252	7,314	2,813	1,125
39 Travel	39	3,376	2,194	844	338
40 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	40	4,190	2,724	1,050	416
41 Interest	41				
42 Depreciation, depletion, etc. (attach schedule)	42	887	577	219	91
43 Other expenses not covered above (itemize): a	43a				
b See Statement 1	43b	11,375	9,910	1,252	213
c	43c				
d	43d				
e	43e				
44 **Total functional expenses** (add lines 22 through 43). *Organizations completing columns (B)-(D), carry these totals to lines 13—15*	44	239,252	189,067	39,283	10,902

Joint Costs. Check ▶ ☐ if you are following SOP 98-2.
Are any joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation reported in (B) Program services? ▶ ☐ Yes ☑ No
If "Yes," enter (i) the aggregate amount of these joint costs $______; (ii) the amount allocated to Program services $______; (iii) the amount allocated to Management and general $______; and (iv) the amount allocated to Fundraising $______

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (See page 25 of the instructions.)

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? ▶ Protecting Lake Sidney Lanier

All organizations must describe their exempt purpose achievements in a clear and concise manner. State the number of clients served, publications issued, etc. Discuss achievements that are not measurable. (Section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must also enter the amount of grants and allocations to others.)

		Program Service Expenses (Required for 501(c)(3) and (4) orgs., and 4947(a)(1) trusts; but optional for others.)
a	See Statement 2 (Grants and allocations $)	154,100
b	See Statement 3 (Grants and allocations $)	11,585
c	See Statement 4 (Grants and allocations $)	3,270
d	See Statement 5 (Grants and allocations $)	20,112
e	Other program services (attach schedule) (Grants and allocations $)	
f	**Total of Program Service Expenses** (should equal line 44, column (B), Program services) ▶	189,067

Part IV **Balance Sheets** (See page 25 of the instructions.)

Note: *Where required, attached schedules and amounts within the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only.*			(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets 45 Cash- non-interest-bearing			18,035	45	52,870
46 Savings and temporary cash investments				46	
47a Accounts receivable	47a				
b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	47b			47c	
48a Pledges receivable	48a				
b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	48b			48c	
49 Grants receivable				49	
50 Receivables from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule)				50	
51a Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule)	51a				
b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	51b			51c	
52 Inventories for sale or use				52	
53 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges				53	
54 Investments- securities (attach schedule) ▶ ☐ Cost ☐ FMV				54	
55a Investments- land, buildings, and equipment: basis	55a				
b Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)	55b			55c	
56 Investments- other (attach schedule)				56	
57a Land, buildings, and equipment: basis	57a	21,445			
b Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule). SEE STMT 6	57b	(19,700)	1,438	57c	1,745
58 Other assets (describe ▶)				58	
59 **Total assets** (add lines 45 through 58) (must equal line 74)			19,473	59	54,615
Liabilities 60 Accounts payable and accrued expenses				60	
61 Grants payable				61	
62 Deferred revenue				62	
63 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule)				63	
64a Tax-exempt bond liabilities (attach schedule)				64a	
b Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)				64b	
65 Other liabilities (describe ▶)				65	
66 **Total liabilities** (add lines 60 through 65)			- 0 -	66	- 0 -
Net Assets or Fund Balances **Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here** ▶ ☐ and complete lines 67 through 69 and lines 73 and 74.					
67 Unrestricted				67	
68 Temporarily restricted				68	
69 Permanently restricted				69	
Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☐ and complete lines 70 through 74.					
70 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds				70	
71 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, and equipment fund				71	
72 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds			19,473	72	54,615
73 **Total net assets or fund balances** (add lines 67 through 69 **or** lines 70 through 72; column (A) **must** equal line 19; column (B) **must** equal line 21)			19,473	73	54,615
74 **Total liabilities and net assets / fund balances** (add lines 66 and 73)			19,473	74	54,615

Form 990 is available for public inspection and, for some people, serves as the primary or sole source of information about a particular organization. How the public perceives an organization in such cases may be determined by the information presented on its return. Therefore, please make sure the return is complete and accurate and fully describes, in Part III, the organization's programs and accomplishments.

Part IV-A Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements with Revenue per Return (See page 27 of the instructions.)

N/A

a Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements . . ▶ a

b Amounts included on line a but not on line 12, Form 990:

(1) Net unrealized gains on investments . . $

(2) Donated services and use of facilities $

(3) Recoveries of prior year grants . . . $

(4) Other (specify): $

Add amounts on lines (1) through (4) ▶ b

c Line a minus line b. . . . . . . ▶ c

d Amounts included on line 12, Form 990 but not on line a:

(1) Investment expenses not included on line 6b, Form 990 . . . $

(2) Other (specify): $

Add amounts on lines (1) and (2) ▶ d

e Total revenue per line 12, Form 990 (line c plus line d) . . . . . . ▶ e

Part IV-B Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements with Expenses per Return

N/A

a Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements . . ▶ a

b Amounts included on line a but not on line 17, Form 990:

(1) Donated services and use of facilities $

(2) Prior year adjustments reported on line 20, Form 990 . . . . $

(3) Losses reported on line 20, Form 990 . $

(4) Other (specify): $

Add amounts on lines (1) through (4) ▶ b

c Line a minus line b . . . . . . ▶ c

d Amounts included on line 17, Form 990 but not on line a:

(1) Investment expenses not included on line 6b, Form 990. . . $

(2) Other (specify): $

Add amounts on lines (1) and (2) ▶ d

e Total expenses per line 17, Form 990 (line c plus line d) . . . . . ▶ e

Part V List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees (List each one even if not compensated; see page 27 of the instructions.)

(A) Name and address	(B) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(C) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-.)	(D) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(E) Expense account and other allowances
Vicki Barnhorst 1430 Rose Garden Road, Cape Coral, FL 33914	Exec. Director/40 hrs	33,262	0	0
Jacqueline A. Joseph 6239 Woodlake Drive, Buford, GA 30519	President/35 hrs	0	0	0
Val Perry 4725 Kims Point, Cumming, GA 30041	1st V Pres/25 hrs	0	0	0
Barkley Geib 2066 Pinetree Drive, Buford, GA 30518	2nd V Pres/10 hrs	0	0	0
Roger J. Bauer 5815 Cherokee Trace, Cumming, GA 30041	Secretary/10 hrs	0	0	0
Paul M. Flood 4775 Fowler Drive, Cumming, GA 30041	Treasurer/15 hrs	0	0	0
Jaime Baray 4740 Fowler Trail, Cumming, GA 30041	5 hrs	0	0	0
Gordon Brand 120 Poplar Trail, Dawsonville, GA 30534	6 hrs	0	0	0
Karen Brown 1980 Elm Tree Terrace, Buford, GA 30518	5 hrs	0	0	0
See Statement 7				

75 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee receive aggregate compensation of more than $100,000 from your organization and all related organizations, of which more than $10,000 was provided by the related organizations? ▶ ☐ Yes ☑ No

If "Yes," attach schedule- see page 28 of the instructions.

Part VI Other Information (See page 28 of the instructions.)

			Yes	No
76	Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of each activity	76		✔
77	Were any changes made in the organizing or governing documents but not reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes.	77		✔
78a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of $1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?	78a		✔
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year? N/A	78b		
79	Was there a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach a statement	79		✔
80a	Is the organization related (other than by association with a statewide or nationwide organization) through common membership, governing bodies, trustees, officers, etc., to any other exempt or nonexempt organization?	80a		
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the organization ▶ .... and check whether it is ☐ exempt or ☐ nonexempt.			
81a	Enter direct and indirect political expenditures. See line 81 instructions — 81a			
b	Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	81b		✔
82a	Did the organization receive donated services or the use of materials, equipment, or facilities at no charge or at substantially less than fair rental value?	82a		✔
b	If "Yes," you may indicate the value of these items here. Do not include this amount as revenue in Part I or as an expense in Part II. (See instructions in Part III.) — 82b			
83a	Did the organization comply with the public inspection requirements for returns and exemption applications?	83a	✔	
b	Did the organization comply with the disclosure requirements relating to quid pro quo contributions? N/A	83b		
84a	Did the organization solicit any contributions or gifts that were not tax deductible?	84a		✔
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible? N/A	84b		
85	*501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations.* a Were substantially all dues nondeductible by members? N/A	85a		
b	Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of $2,000 or less? N/A	85b		
	If "Yes" was answered to either 85a or 85b, **do not** complete 85c through 85h below unless the organization received a waiver for proxy tax owed for the prior year.			
c	Dues, assessments, and similar amounts from members — 85c			
d	Section 162(e) lobbying and political expenditures — 85d			
e	Aggregate nondeductible amount of section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices — 85e			
f	Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (line 85d less 85e) — 85f			
g	Does the organization elect to pay the section 6033(e) tax on the amount on line 85f? N/A	85g		
h	If section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices were sent, does the organization agree to add the amount on line 85f to its reasonable estimate of dues allocable to nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures for the following tax year? N/A	85h		
86	*501(c)(7) orgs.* Enter: a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 12 — 86a			
b	Gross receipts, included on line 12, for public use of club facilities — 86b			
87	*501(c)(12) orgs.* Enter: a Gross income from members or shareholders — 87a			
b	Gross income from other sources. (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.) — 87b			
88	At any time during the year, did the organization own a 50% or greater interest in a taxable corporation or partnership, or an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? If "Yes," complete Part IX	88		✔
89a	*501(c)(3) organizations.* Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ▶ -0- ; section 4912 ▶ -0- ; section 4955 ▶ -0-			
b	*501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) orgs.* Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or did it become aware of an excess benefit transaction from a prior year? If "Yes," attach a statement explaining each transaction.	89b		✔

c Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958. ▶ - 0 -

d Enter: Amount of tax on line 89c, above, reimbursed by the organization. ▶ - 0 -

90a List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ▶ GA

b Number of employees employed in the pay period that includes March 12, 2003 (See instructions.) 90b 1

91 The books are in care of ▶ Lake Lanier Association, Inc. Telephone no. ▶ (770) 503-7757
Located at ▶ 615F Oak Street, Suite 100, Gainesville, GA ZIP + 4 ▶ 30501

92 *Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990 in lieu of* ***Form 1041***—Check here ▶ ☐
and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶ 92

Part VII Analysis of Income-Producing Activities (See page 33 of the instructions.)

Note: *Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.*

	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(E) Related or exempt function income
	(A) Business code	(B) Amount	(C) Exclusion code	(D) Amount	
93 Program service revenue:					
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
f Medicare/Medicaid payments					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
94 Membership dues and assessments					
95 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			14	78	
96 Dividends and interest from securities					
97 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:					
a debt-financed property					
b not debt-financed property					
98 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
99 Other investment income					
100 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory					
101 Net income or (loss) from special events					
102 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
103 Other revenue: a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
104 Subtotal (add columns (B), (D), and (E))		-0-		78	-0-

105 **Total** (add line 104, columns (B), (D), and (E)) ▶ 78

Note: *Line 105 plus line 1d, Part I, should equal the amount on line 12, Part I.*

Part VIII Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes (See page 34 of the instructions.)

Line No. ▼	Explain how each activity for which income is reported in column (E) of Part VII contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the organization's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes).
N/A	

Part IX Information Regarding Taxable Subsidiaries and Disregarded Entities (See page 34 of the instructions.)

(A) Name, address, and EIN of corporation, partnership, or disregarded entity	(B) Percentage of ownership interest	(C) Nature of activities	(D) Total income	(E) End-of-year assets
N/A	%			
	%			
	%			
	%			

Part X Information Regarding Transfers Associated with Personal Benefit Contracts (See page 34 of the instructions.)

(a) Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? ☐ Yes ☑ No

(b) Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Note: *If "Yes" to (b), file Form 8870 and Form 4720 (see instructions).*

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.

Please Sign ▶ 081504

Date

[redacted] resident

[redacted] Date | Check if self-employed ▶ ☐ | Preparer's SSN or PTIN (See Gen. Inst. W)

[redacted]

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Organization Exempt Under Section 501(c)(3)

(Except Private Foundation) and Section 501(e), 501(f), 501(k), 501(n), or Section 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust

Supplementary Information—(See separate instructions.)

► **MUST be completed by the above organizations and attached to their Form 990 or 990-EZ**

OMB No. 1545-0047

2003

Name of the organization: Lake Lanier Association, Inc.

Employer identification number: 58 1264797

Part I **Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Employees Other Than Officers, Directors, and Trustees**
(See page 1 of the instructions. List each one. If there are none, enter "None.")

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than $50,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
None				
Total number of other employees paid over $50,000 . . . . ►				

Part II **Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Independent Contractors for Professional Services**
(See page 2 of the instructions. List each one (whether individuals or firms). If there are none, enter "None.")

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

Part III Statements About Activities (See page 2 of the instructions.)

			Yes	No
1	During the year, has the organization attempted to influence national, state, or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum? If "Yes," enter the total expenses paid or incurred in connection with the lobbying activities ▶ $ ________ (Must equal amounts on line 38, Part VI-A, or line i of Part VI-B.)	1		✔
	Organizations that made an election under section 501(h) by filing Form 5768 must complete Part VI-A. Other organizations checking "Yes" must complete Part VI-B AND attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities.			
2	During the year, has the organization, either directly or indirectly, engaged in any of the following acts with any substantial contributors, trustees, directors, officers, creators, key employees, or members of their families, or with any taxable organization with which any such person is affiliated as an officer, director, trustee, majority owner, or principal beneficiary? *(If the answer to any question is "Yes," attach a detailed statement explaining the transactions.)*			
a	Sale, exchange, or leasing of property?	2a		✔
b	Lending of money or other extension of credit?	2b		✔
c	Furnishing of goods, services, or facilities?	2c		✔
d	Payment of compensation (or payment or reimbursement of expenses if more than $1,000)?	2d		✔
e	Transfer of any part of its income or assets?	2e		✔
3a	Do you make grants for scholarships, fellowships, student loans, etc.? (If "Yes," attach an explanation of how you determine that recipients qualify to receive payments.)	3a		✔
b	Do you have a section 403(b) annuity plan for your employees?	3b		✔
4	Did you maintain any separate account for participating donors where donors have the right to provide advice on the use or distribution of funds?	4		✔

Part IV Reason for Non-Private Foundation Status (See pages 3 through 6 of the instructions.)

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (Please check only **ONE** applicable box.)

5 ☐ A church, convention of churches, or association of churches. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).

6 ☐ A school. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Also complete Part V.)

7 ☐ A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).

8 ☐ A Federal, state, or local government or governmental unit. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).

9 ☐ A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). **Enter the hospital's name, city, and state** ▶ ----------

10 ☐ An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)

11a ☐ An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)

11b ☐ A community trust. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)

12 ☑ An organization that normally receives: **(1) more than 33⅓%** of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its charitable, etc., functions—subject to certain exceptions, and **(2) no more than 33⅓%** 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). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)

13 ☐ An organization that is not controlled by any disqualified persons (other than foundation managers) and supports organizations described in: **(1)** lines 5 through 12 above; or **(2)** section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6), if they meet the test of section 509(a)(2). (See section 509(a)(3).)

Provide the following information about the supported organizations. (See page 5 of the instructions.)

(a) Name(s) of supported organization(s)	(b) Line number from above

14 ☐ An organization organized and operated to test for public safety. Section 509(a)(4). (See page 6 of the instructions.)

Part IV-A Support Schedule (Complete only if you checked a box on line 10, 11, or 12.) *Use cash method of accounting.*

Note: *You may use the worksheet in the instructions for converting from the accrual to the cash method of accounting.*

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2002	(b) 2001	(c) 2000	(d) 1999	(e) Total
15 Gifts, grants, and contributions received. (Do not include unusual grants. See line 28.)	202,805	108,157	53,691	24,769	389,422
16 Membership fees received	70,543	61,425	58,396	50,599	240,963
17 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or furnishing of facilities in any activity that is related to the organization's charitable, etc., purpose	890			203	1,093
18 Gross income from interest, dividends, amounts received from payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), rents, royalties, and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975	78	179	423	314	994
19 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 18					
20 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to it or expended on its behalf					
21 The value of services or facilities furnished to the organization by a governmental unit without charge. Do not include the value of services or facilities generally furnished to the public without charge					
22 Other income. Attach a schedule. Do not include gain or (loss) from sale of capital assets					
23 Total of lines 15 through 22	274,316	169,761	112,510	75,885	632,472
24 Line 23 minus line 17	273,426	169,761	112,510	75,682	631,379
25 Enter 1% of line 23	2,734	1,698	1,125	759	

26 **Organizations described on lines 10 or 11:** a Enter 2% of amount in column (e), line 24 ► 26a

b Prepare a list for your records to show the name of and amount contributed by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) whose total gifts for 1999 through 2002 exceeded the amount shown in line 26a. **Do not file this list with your return.** Enter the total of all these excess amounts ► 26b

c Total support for section 509(a)(1) test: Enter line 24, column (e) ► 26c

d Add: Amounts from column (e) for lines: 18 ______ 19 ______ 22 ______ 26b ______ ► 26d

e Public support (line 26c minus line 26d total) ► 26e

f **Public support percentage (line 26e (numerator) divided by line 26c (denominator))** ► 26f %

27 **Organizations described on line 12:** a For amounts included in lines 15, 16, and 17 that were received from a "disqualified person," prepare a list for your records to show the name of, and total amounts received in each year from, each "disqualified person." **Do not file this list with your return.** Enter the sum of such amounts for each year:

(2002) .... (2001) .... (2000) .... (1999) ....

b For any amount included in line 17 that was received from each person (other than "disqualified persons"), prepare a list for your records to show the name of, and amount received for each year, that was more than the larger of (1) the amount on line 25 for the year or (2) $5,000. (Include in the list organizations described in lines 5 through 11, as well as individuals.) **Do not file this list with your return.** After computing the difference between the amount received and the larger amount described in (1) or (2), enter the sum of these differences (the excess amounts) for each year:

(2002) .... (2001) .... (2000) .... (1999) ....

c Add: Amounts from column (e) for lines: 15 389,422 16 240,963 17 1,093 20 ______ 21 ______ ► 27c 631,478

d Add: Line 27a total ______ and line 27b total ______ ► 27d

e Public support (line 27c total minus line 27d total) ► 27e 631,478

f Total support for section 509(a)(2) test: Enter amount from line 23, column (e) ► 27f 632,472

g **Public support percentage (line 27e (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))** ► 27g 99.8428 %

h **Investment income percentage (line 18, column (e) (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))** ► 27h .1572 %

28 **Unusual Grants:** For an organization described in line 10, 11, or 12 that received any unusual grants during 1999 through 2002, prepare a list for your records to show, for each year, the name of the contributor, the date and amount of the grant, and a brief description of the nature of the grant. **Do not file this list with your return.** Do not include these grants in line 15.

Part V Private School Questionnaire (See page 7 of the instructions.)
(To be completed ONLY by schools that checked the box on line 6 in Part IV) N/A

			Yes	No
29	Does the organization have a racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students by statement in its charter, bylaws, other governing instrument, or in a resolution of its governing body?	29		
30	Does the organization include a statement of its racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students in all its brochures, catalogues, and other written communications with the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?	30		
31	Has the organization publicized its racially nondiscriminatory policy through newspaper or broadcast media during the period of solicitation for students, or during the registration period if it has no solicitation program, in a way that makes the policy known to all parts of the general community it serves? If "Yes," please describe; if "No," please explain. (If you need more space, attach a separate statement.)	31		
32	Does the organization maintain the following:			
a	Records indicating the racial composition of the student body, faculty, and administrative staff?	32a		
b	Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on a racially nondiscriminatory basis?	32b		
c	Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?	32c		
d	Copies of all material used by the organization or on its behalf to solicit contributions? If you answered "No" to any of the above, please explain. (If you need more space, attach a separate statement.)	32d		
33	Does the organization discriminate by race in any way with respect to:			
a	Students' rights or privileges?	33a		
b	Admissions policies?	33b		
c	Employment of faculty or administrative staff?	33c		
d	Scholarships or other financial assistance?	33d		
e	Educational policies?	33e		
f	Use of facilities?	33f		
g	Athletic programs?	33g		
h	Other extracurricular activities? If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain. (If you need more space, attach a separate statement.)	33h		
34a	Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency?	34a		
b	Has the organization's right to such aid ever been revoked or suspended? If you answered "Yes" to either 34a or b, please explain using an attached statement.	34b		
35	Does the organization certify that it has complied with the applicable requirements of sections 4.01 through 4.05 of Rev. Proc. 75-50, 1975-2 C.B. 587, covering racial nondiscrimination? If "No," attach an explanation	35		

Part VI-A **Lobbying Expenditures by Electing Public Charities** (See page 9 of the instructions.)
(To be completed **ONLY** by an eligible organization that filed Form 5768) N/A

Check ▶ a ☐ if the organization belongs to an affiliated group. Check ▶ b ☐ if you checked "a" and "limited control" provisions apply.

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)		(a) Affiliated group totals	(b) To be completed for ALL electing organizations
36 Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grassroots lobbying)	36		
37 Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)	37		
38 Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 36 and 37)	38		
39 Other exempt purpose expenditures	39		
40 Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 38 and 39)	40		
41 Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table—			
If the amount on line 40 is— / **The lobbying nontaxable amount is—**			
Not over $500,000 .. 20% of the amount on line 40			
Over $500,000 but not over $1,000,000 .. $100,000 plus 15% of the excess over $500,000			
Over $1,000,000 but not over $1,500,000 .. $175,000 plus 10% of the excess over $1,000,000	41		
Over $1,500,000 but not over $17,000,000 .. $225,000 plus 5% of the excess over $1,500,000			
Over $17,000,000 .. $1,000,000			
42 Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 41)	42		
43 Subtract line 42 from line 36. Enter -0- if line 42 is more than line 36	43		
44 Subtract line 41 from line 38. Enter -0- if line 41 is more than line 38	44		

Caution: *If there is an amount on either line 43 or line 44, you must file Form 4720.*

4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the instructions for lines 45 through 50 on page 11 of the instructions.)

	Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period				
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2003	(b) 2002	(c) 2001	(d) 2000	(e) Total
45 Lobbying nontaxable amount					
46 Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 45(e))					
47 Total lobbying expenditures					
48 Grassroots nontaxable amount					
49 Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 48(e))					
50 Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

Part VI-B **Lobbying Activity by Nonelecting Public Charities** N/A
(For reporting only by organizations that did not complete Part VI-A) (See page 12 of the instructions.)

During the year, did the organization attempt to influence national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of:	Yes	No	Amount
a Volunteers			
b Paid staff or management (Include compensation in expenses reported on lines c through h.)			
c Media advertisements			
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public			
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements			
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes			
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body			
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any other means			
i Total lobbying expenditures (Add lines c through h.)			

If "Yes" to any of the above, also attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities.

Part VII **Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations** (See page 12 of the instructions.)

51 Did the reporting organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?

		Yes	No
a Transfers from the reporting organization to a noncharitable exempt organization of:			
(i) Cash	51a(i)		✔
(ii) Other assets	a(ii)		✔
b Other transactions:			
(i) Sales or exchanges of assets with a noncharitable exempt organization	b(i)		✔
(ii) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization	b(ii)		✔
(iii) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets	b(iii)		✔
(iv) Reimbursement arrangements	b(iv)		✔
(v) Loans or loan guarantees	b(v)		✔
(vi) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations	b(vi)		✔
c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees	c		✔

d If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column (b) should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting organization. If the organization received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column (d) the value of the goods, other assets, or services received:

(a) Line no.	(b) Amount involved	(c) Name of noncharitable exempt organization	(d) Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements
N/A			

52a Is the organization directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? ▶ ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," complete the following schedule:

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship
N/A		

Form **4562**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Depreciation and Amortization
(Including Information on Listed Property)

▶ See separate instructions. ▶ Attach to your tax return.

OMB No. 1545-0172

2003

Attachment Sequence No. 67

Name(s) shown on return	Business or activity to which this form relates	Identifying number
Lake Lanier Association, Inc.	Indirect Depreciation	58-1264797

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 page 2 of the instructions for a higher limit for certain businesses	1	$100,000
2	Total cost of section 179 property placed in service (see page 2 of the instructions)	2	
3	Threshold cost of section 179 property before reduction in limitation	3	$400,000
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 page 2 of the instructions	5	

	(a) Description of property	(b) Cost (business use only)	(c) Elected cost
6			

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 2002 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 do not enter more than line 11	12	
13	Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2004. Add lines 9 and 10, less line 12 ▶	13	

Note: *Do not use Part II or Part III below for listed property. Instead, use Part V.*

Part II Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation (**Do not** include listed property.)

14	Special depreciation allowance for qualified property (other than listed property) placed in service during the tax year (see page 3 of the instructions)	14	
15	Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election (see page 4 of the instructions)	15	
16	Other depreciation (including ACRS) (see page 4 of the instructions)	16	

Part III MACRS Depreciation (**Do not** include listed property.) (See page 4 of the instructions.)

Section A

17	MACRS deductions for assets placed in service in tax years beginning before 2003	17	765
18	If you are electing under section 168(i)(4) 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 2003 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		1340	5.0	HY	200DB	268
c 7-year property						
d 10-year property						
e 15-year property						
f 20-year property						
g 25-year property			25 yrs.		S/L	
h Residential rental property			27.5 yrs.	MM	S/L	
			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 2003 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System

(a) Classification of property	(b) Month and year placed in service	(c) Basis for depreciation	(d) Recovery period	(e) Convention	(f) Method	(g) Depreciation deduction
20a Class life					S/L	
b 12-year			12 yrs.		S/L	
c 40-year			40 yrs.	MM	S/L	

Part IV Summary (see page 6 of the 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 instr.	22	1,033
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	

Federal Statements

Statement 1 - Form 990, Part II, Line 43 - Other Functional Expenses

Description	Total Expenses	Program Services	Mgmt & General	Fund-Raising
Expenses				
Environmental Testing	970	970		
Environmental Cleanup	1,780	1,780		
Member/Volunteer Promotions	5,776	5,776		
Dues & Subscriptions	179	116	45	18
Meals & Entertainment	942	612	236	94
Miscellaneous	26	16	7	3
Permits & Licenses	360	234	90	36
Contract Labor - 1099	719		719	
Bank Charges	623	405	156	62
Total	$11,375	$9,910	$1,252	$213

Statement 2 - Form 990, Part III, Line a - Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Georgia's Gwinnett County has a waste water allocation "request for permit" pending before Georgia's Environmental Protection Division (EPD). The county proposed dumping an additional 40 million gallons of treated sewage per day into Lake Lanier. To protect water quality, the Lake Lanier Association (LLA) retained the services of attorneys and professional engineers to evaluate the water quality standards set by the EPD and to assist in the battle against this threat to Lake Lanier. As a result of these actions and the efforts of LLA members, the EPD revised its standards to include the improvements recommended and changed certain parameters to protect Lake Lanier. This effort has now moved to legal battles against the county's efforts to get approval through other methods. After the Administrative Law Judge ruled in the EPD/Gwinnett's favor, LLA initiated efforts and fundraising to appeal this decision in late 2002. This effort continued into 2003.

Statement 3 - Form 990, Part III, Line b - Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

For the fifteenth consecutive year, LLA planned a lake-wide clean up day called "Shore Sweep". This event typically involves 1,000 volunteers who collect an average of 20 tons of trash, household refuse, styrofoam and other debris from the lake and its shores. Another organization wished to combine efforts for a joint clean up, and the LLA withdrew from the planning due to the commercial aspects of this group and instead concentrated its efforts on planning the event for Spring 2003.

Statement 4 - Form 990, Part III, Line c - Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

LLA sponsors a water testing program called "Adopt a Lake". Volunteer members of the association regularly take water samples from the lake and submit them to an independent laboratory for testing. The data is then used to monitor the water quality of the lake and is placed on the association's Lake Watch Report on the website. Volunteers undergo a certification process in conjunction with Gainesville College. The volunteers are divided into three lake zones based upon the lake hydrology (riverine, interzone and lacustine). Each zone has a volunteer manager and co-manager who coordinate the participants' efforts, data input, back up testing and taking samples to the lab.

Statement 5 - Form 990, Part III, Line e - Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Lake Lanier Association, Inc.'s (LLA) general purpose is to improve and maintain Lake Sidney Lanier and its environs by assembling and distributing information of interest and benefit to all property owners on the lake, marine-related businesses, boaters and the general public and to pursue maintaining the quality of the lake as a residential and recreational facility. The specific exempt purpose achievements included:

1. Advocated environmentally sound basinwide management plan for Lake Sidney Lanier and monitored proposals by federal, state, and/or local governments regarding water withdrawls and discharges into the lake, including both direct and recycled.

2. Monitored and improved compliance with Georgia's soil erosion and sedimentation control program to reduce the volume of sediment impacting Lake Sidney Lanier, in compliance with the implementation of the 1994 admendments to the State Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Act (SB 608).

3. Monitored and identified point and non-point source discharges to ensure compliance with applicable local, state, and federal laws. Including water testing in conjunction with local colleges and universities.

4. Through newsletters, press releases, website, membership meetings and advocacy programs, promoted and enhanced public awareness of the significant natural, social and economic values of Lake Sidney Lanier and functioned as a clearing house for information, to educate all interested and responsible parties in improved stewardship of the lake. LLA promoted volunteer citizen action to monitor, educate and advocate for improved protection of Lake Sidney Lanier.

Statement 6 - Form 990, Part IV, Line 57 - Land, Buildings, and Equipment

Description	Beginning of Year	Accum Deprec	End of Year	Accum Deprec
Furniture & Fixtures	772		772	
Office Equipment	19,333		20,673	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation		(18,667)		(19,700)
	$20,105	($18,667)	$21,445	($19,700)

Federal Statements

Statement 7 - Form 990, Part V - List of Officers, Directors, Trustees and Key Employees

Name	Title	Address Average Hours	Compensation	Benefits	Expenses
Chris Dekle		3225 Lanier Beach South Road, Cumming, GA 5			
Pam Keene		6147 Saddlehorse Drive, Flowery Branch, GA 5			
David Pritchett		4840 Chesterfield Court, Suwanee, GA 5			
Charlie Rittenhouse		2978 Moorings Parkway, Snellville, GA 15			

Form **8868** (December 2000) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

▶ File a separate application for each return.

OMB No 1545-1709

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension, complete only Part I** and check this box . . . . ▶ ☑
- If you are filing for an **Additional (not automatic) 3-Month Extension, complete only Part II** (on page 2 of this form).

Note: ***Do not complete Part II unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.***

Part I **Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time**—Only submit original (no copies needed)

Note: *Form 990-T corporations requesting an automatic 6-month extension—check this box and complete Part I only* . . . ▶ ☐

All other corporations (including Form 990-C filers) must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns. Partnerships, REMICs and trusts must use Form 8736 to request an extension of time to file Form 1065, 1066, or 1041.

Type or print	Name of Exempt Organization **Lake Lanier Association, Inc.**	Employer identification number **58 : 1264797**
File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. **615F Oak Street, Suite 100**	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. **Gainesville, GA 30501**	

Check type of return to be filed (file a separate application for each return):

☑ Form 990	☐ Form 990-T (corporation)	☐ Form 4720
☐ Form 990-BL	☐ Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	☐ Form 5227
☐ Form 990-EZ	☐ Form 990-T (trust other than above)	☐ Form 6069
☐ Form 990-PF	☐ Form 1041-A	☐ Form 8870

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

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6-month, for **990-T corporation**) extension of time until August 17 , 20 04, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:

▶ ☑ calendar year 20 03 or

▶ ☐ tax year beginning .... , 20.... and ending .... , 20....

2 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason: ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return ☐ Change in accounting period

3a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions . . . . $

b If this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit . . . . $

c **Balance Due.** Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions . . . . $

Signature and Verification

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form.

Signature ▶ Vera V. Barhost   Title ▶ Executive Director   Date ▶ 5/15/04