

Form 990

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-0047

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

2007

Open to Public Inspection

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

A For the 2007 calendar year, or tax year beginning 07-01-2007 and ending 06-30-2008

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

C Name of organization: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY. % Vice President & Comptroller. Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite: 2300 Southern Blvd. City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4: Bronx, NY 104601099

D Employer identification number: 13-1740011. E Telephone number: (718) 741-8211. 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? H(b) If "Yes" enter number of affiliates. H(c) Are all affiliates included? H(d) Is this a separate return filed by an organization covered by a group ruling? I Group Exemption Number. M Check if the organization is not required to attach Sch B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

G Web site: www.wcs.org

J Organization type (check only one): 501(c)(3)

K Check here if the organization is not a 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than 25,000

L Gross receipts Add lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b to line 12: 595,431,207

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

Table with columns for Revenue, Expenses, and Net Assets. Rows include Contributions (1-5), Program service revenue (2), Membership dues (3), Interest on savings (4), Dividends (5), Gross rents (6a-6c), Other investment income (7), Gross amount from sales of assets (8a-8d), Special events (9a-9c), Gross sales of inventory (10a-10c), Other revenue (11), Total revenue (12), Program services (13), Management and general (14), Fundraising (15), Payments to affiliates (16), Total expenses (17), Excess or deficit (18), Net assets at beginning (19), Other changes (20), Net assets at end (21).

Part III 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 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
22a Grants paid from donor advised funds (attach Schedule) (cash \$ _____ noncash \$ _____) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	22a 0	0		
22b Other grants and allocations (attach schedule) (cash \$ 10,654,838 noncash \$ 0) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	22b 10,654,838	10,654,838		
23 Specific assistance to individuals (attach schedule)	23 0	0		
24 Benefits paid to or for members (attach schedule)	24 0	0		
25a Compensation of current officers, directors, key employees etc. Listed in Part V-A (attach schedule)	25a 4,489,005	953,766	3,226,276	308,963
b Compensation of former officers, directors, key employees etc. listed in Part V-B (attach schedule)	25b 0	0	0	0
c Compensation and other distributions not included above to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) (attach schedule)	25c 0	0	0	0
26 Salaries and wages of employees not included on lines 25a, b and c	26 63,874,752	53,078,294	7,308,330	3,488,128
27 Pension plan contributions not included on lines 25a, b and c	27 5,073,680	4,321,916	479,685	272,079
28 Employee benefits not included on lines 25a - 27	28 13,514,474	11,853,643	1,248,041	412,790
29 Payroll taxes	29 4,551,493	3,739,637	547,515	264,341
30 Professional fundraising fees	30 184,996	0	0	184,996
31 Accounting fees	31 257,890	40,890	217,000	0
32 Legal fees	32 1,545,318	93,279	1,452,039	0
33 Supplies	33 12,248,435	11,638,770	304,525	305,140
34 Telephone	34 1,550,084	1,331,963	179,499	38,622
35 Postage and shipping	35 1,614,723	712,030	43,131	859,562
36 Occupancy	36 1,366,667	1,366,667	0	0
37 Equipment rental and maintenance	37 5,536,591	5,030,864	454,229	51,498
38 Printing and publications	38 1,508,617	1,099,624	29,322	379,671
39 Travel	39 9,797,430	9,474,597	240,228	82,605
40 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	40 1,262,989	1,126,510	58,687	77,792
41 Interest	41 2,012,287	1,895,699	116,588	0
42 Depreciation, depletion, etc. (attach schedule)	42 13,026,833	11,674,064	1,225,811	126,958
43 Other expenses not covered above (itemize)				
a See Additional Data Table	43a			
b	43b			
c	43c			
d	43d			
e	43e			
f	43f			
g	43g			
44 Total functional expenses. Add lines 22a through 43g (Organizations completing columns (B)-(D), carry these totals to lines 13-15)	44 197,389,730	167,602,730	22,399,658	7,387,342

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 the instructions.)

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.

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? **▶** The Wildlife Conservation Society saves wildlife and wild lands. We do so through careful science, international conservation, education, and the management of the world's largest system of urban wildlife parks, led by the flagship Bronx Zoo. Together these activities change individual attitudes toward nature and help people imagine wildlife and humans living in sustainable interaction on both a local and global scale. WCS is committed to this work because we believe it essential to the integrity of life on Earth.

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 Additional Data Table

(Grants and allocations \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here **▶**

b

(Grants and allocations \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here **▶**

c

(Grants and allocations \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here **▶**

d

(Grants and allocations \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here **▶**

e Other program services (attach schedule)

(Grants and allocations \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here **▶**

f Total of Program Service Expenses (should equal line 44, column (B), Program services) . . . **▶**

167,602,730

Part IV Balance Sheets (See the instructions.)

Note: Where required, attached schedules and amounts within the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only.

				(A)		(B)
				Beginning of year		End of year
Assets	45 Cash—non-interest-bearing			7,738,327	45	8,053,244
	46 Savings and temporary cash investments			14,252,047	46	28,203,048
	47a Accounts receivable	47a	3,913,133			
	b Less allowance for doubtful accounts	47b	0	2,431,309	47c	3,913,133
	48a Pledges receivable	48a	40,172,435			
	b Less allowance for doubtful accounts	48b	0	57,940,017	48c	40,172,435
	49 Grants receivable			53,663,530	49	57,302,089
	50a Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule)			0	50a	0
	b Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(c)(3)(B) (attach schedule)			0	50b	0
	51a Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule)	51a	0			
	b Less allowance for doubtful accounts	51b	0	0	51c	0
	52 Inventories for sale or use			1,395,688	52	1,671,466
	53 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			5,659,293	53	6,900,315
	54a Investments—publicly-traded securities <input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FMV			125,518,003	54a	3,840,190
	b Investments—other securities (attach schedule) <input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FMV			411,007,210	54b	518,022,353
55a Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis	55a	0				
b Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)	55b	0	0	55c	0	
56 Investments—other (attach schedule)			0	56	0	
57a Land, buildings, and equipment basis	57a	383,355,366				
b Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)	57b	163,219,729	189,373,179	57c	220,135,637	
58 Other assets, including program-related investments (describe <input type="checkbox"/> _____)			15,434,128	58	3,368,962	
59 Total assets (must equal line 74) Add lines 45 through 58			884,412,731	59	891,582,872	
Liabilities	60 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			27,060,756	60	30,226,058
	61 Grants payable			0	61	0
	62 Deferred revenue			0	62	0
	63 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule)			0	63	0
	64a Tax-exempt bond liabilities (attach schedule)			66,703,924	64a	66,664,598
	b Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)			0	64b	0
	65 Other liabilities (describe <input type="checkbox"/> _____)			36,183,988	65	35,766,466
66 Total liabilities Add lines 60 through 65			129,948,668	66	132,657,122	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 67 through 69 and lines 73 and 74					
	67 Unrestricted			361,992,813	67	389,923,749
	68 Temporarily restricted			186,784,951	68	162,093,719
	69 Permanently restricted			205,686,299	69	206,908,282
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 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				72	
	73 Total net assets or fund balances Add lines 67 through 69 or lines 70 through 72 (Column (A) must equal line 19 and column (B) must equal line 21)			754,464,063	73	758,925,750
	74 Total liabilities and net assets / fund balances Add lines 66 and 73			884,412,731	74	891,582,872

Part VI Other Information (continued)

Yes No

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?
82b If "Yes," you may indicate the value of these items here
83a Did the organization comply with the public inspection requirements for returns and exemption applications?
83b Did the organization comply with the disclosure requirements relating to quid pro quo contributions?
84a Did the organization solicit any contributions or gifts that were not tax deductible?
84b If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?
85 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations. a Were substantially all dues nondeductible by members?
85b Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?
85c Dues assessments, and similar amounts from members
85d Section 162(e) lobbying and political expenditures
85e Aggregate nondeductible amount of section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices
85f Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (line 85d less 85e)
85g Does the organization elect to pay the section 6033(e) tax on the amount on line 85f?
85h 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?
86 501(c)(7) orgs. Enter a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 12
86b Gross receipts, included on line 12, for public use of club facilities
87 501(c)(12) orgs. Enter a Gross income from members or shareholders
87b Gross income from other sources
88a 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?
88b At any time during the year, did the organization directly or indirectly own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?
89a 501(c)(3) organizations Enter Amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under section 4911, section 4912, section 4955
89b 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?
89c Enter Amount of tax imposed on the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958
89d Enter Amount of tax on line 89c, above, reimbursed by the organization
89e All organizations. At any time during the tax year was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?
89f All organizations. Did the organization acquire direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract?
89g For supporting organizations and sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did the supporting organization, or a fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?
90a List the states with which a copy of this return is filed
90b Number of employees employed in the pay period that includes March 12, 2007
91a The books are in care of Robert Calamo Telephone no (718) 741-8211
Comptrollers Office
2300 Southern Blvd
Bronx, NY ZIP + 4 104601099
91b 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)?

Part VI Other Information (continued)

	Yes	No
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the United States? 91c	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>

If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶ See Additional Data Table

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 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 Education revenues & publications fees		0		0	1,813,109
b Admission fees		0		0	23,156,304
c Transportation & deaccession fees		0		0	2,094,549
d Group sales		0		0	2,651,768
e Exhibit revenues		0		0	1,226,239
f Medicare/Medicaid payments					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies		0		0	11,435,749
94 Membership dues and assessments		0		0	10,233,977
95 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments		0	14	1,256,920	0
96 Dividends and interest from securities		0	14	21,486,707	0
97 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate					
a debt-financed property					
b non 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		0	18	36,598,830	0
101 Net income or (loss) from special events		0		0	1,113,110
102 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory	453220	561,562	3	5,836,222	0
103 Other revenue a Sponsorships, licensing & royalties		0	15	2,683,349	0
b other miscellaneous revenue		0		0	1,136,736
c advertising fees	541800	79,224		0	0
d					
e					
104 Subtotal (add columns (B), (D), and (E))		640,786		67,862,028	54,861,541
105 Total (add line 104, columns (B), (D), and (E))					123,364,355

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

Part VIII Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes (See 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)
▼	See Additional Data Table

Part IX Information Regarding Taxable Subsidiaries and Disregarded Entities (See 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
	%			
	%			
	%			
	%			

Part X Information Regarding Transfers Associated with Personal Benefit Contracts (See 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).

Part XI Information Regarding Transfers To and From Controlled Entities *Complete only if the organization is a controlling organization as defined in section 512(b)(13)*

				Yes	No
106 Did the reporting organization make any transfers to a controlled entity as defined in section 512(b)(13) of the Code? If "Yes," complete the schedule below for each controlled entity					
	(A) Name and address of each controlled entity	(B) Employer Identification Number	(C) Description of transfer	(D) Amount of transfer	
a					
b					
c					
Totals					

				Yes	No
107 Did the reporting organization receive any transfers from a controlled entity as defined in section 512(b)(13) of the Code? If "Yes," complete the schedule below for each controlled entity					
	(A) Name and address of each controlled entity	(B) Employer Identification Number	(C) Description of transfer	(D) Amount of transfer	
a					
b					
c					
Totals					

		Yes	No
108 Did the organization have a binding written contract in effect on August 17, 2006 covering the interests, rents, royalties and annuities described in question 107 above?			

Please Sign Here	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.	
	Signature of officer _____ Robert Calamo Vice President & Comptroller Type or print name and title	2008-12-31 Date

Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature _____	Date _____	Check if self-employed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Preparer's SSN or PTIN (See Gen Inst W)
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 _____			EIN _____
				Phone no _____

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990EZ)

Organization Exempt Under Section 501(c)(3)

(Except Private Foundation) and Section 501(e), 501(f), 501(k), 501(n), or 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

2007

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

Employer identification number

13-1740011

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
Alan Rabinowitz 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Retiree-Scientist 40	333,571	81,950	0
Miriam Benitez 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	VP-Retiree 40	325,886	55,473	0
Paula Loring Simon 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Vice President 40	242,715	43,460	0
Robert Moskovitz 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Vice President 40	228,145	33,509	0
John Gwynne 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Vice President 40	177,042	28,635	0
Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000	368			

Part II-A Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Independent Contractors for Professional Services
(See page 2 of the instructions. List each one (whether individual 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
Goldstone Hinz Architects PC 104 E 40th Street New York, NY 100161838	Architectural Services	521,502
Beaconfire Consulting Inc 2300 Clarendon Blvd Suite 1100 Arlington, VA 22201	Web site Consulting Services	366,713
Patterson Belknap Webb Tyler LLP 1133 Avenue of the Americas New York, NY 10036	Legal Services	647,706
The Boston Consulting Group Inc PO Box 75200 Chicago, IL 606755200	Professional Consulting Fees	1,100,000
Palm Coast Data LLC 11 Commerce Boulevard Palm Coast, FL 321647961	Membership Fulfillment Services	394,023
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services	35	

Part II-B Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Independent Contractors for Other Services
(List each contractor who performed services other than professional services, whether individual or firms. If there are none, enter "None". See page 2 for instructions.)

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
Richtner Ratner 1370 Broadway New York, NY 10018	General Contractor	19,382,646
The Pike Company 1 Circle St Rochester, NY 14607	Construction Management	2,285,263
RL Gen Co Inc 904 Nepperhan Avenue Yonkers, NY 10635	General Contractor	2,227,833
A Ottavino Corporation 80-60 Pitkin Avenue Ozone Park, NY 11417	Contractor-Fountain Restoration	1,067,724
FGI Corporation 1901 Amethyst Avenue Bronx, NY 10462	General Contractor	5,223,176
Total number of other contractors receiving over \$50,000 for other services	45	

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

Yes No

<p>1 During the year, has the organization attempted to influence national, state, or local legislation, include 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 ▶ <u>\$ 424,194</u> (Must equal amounts on line 38, Part VI-A, or line 1 of Part VI-B)</p> <p>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</p>	1	Yes	
<p>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.)</p> <p>a Sale, exchange, or leasing property?</p>	2a		No
<p>b Lending of money or other extension of credit?</p>	2b		No
<p>c Furnishing of goods, services, or facilities?</p>	2c		No
<p>d Payment of compensation (or payment or reimbursement of expenses if more than \$1,000)?</p>	2d	Yes	
<p>e Transfer of any part of its income or assets?</p>	2e		No
<p>3a Did the organization make grants for scholarships, fellowships, student loans, etc ? (If "Yes," attach an explanation of how the organization determines that recipients qualify to receive payments)</p>	3a	Yes	
<p>b Did the organization have a section 403(b) annuity plan for its employees?</p>	3b	Yes	
<p>c Did the organization receive or hold an easement for conservation purposes, including easements to preserve open space, the environment , historic land areas or structures? If "Yes" attach a detailed statement</p>	3c		No
<p>d Did the organization provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services?</p>	3d		No
<p>4a Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," complete lines 4b through 4g If "No," complete lines 4f and 4g</p>	4a	Yes	
<p>b Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?</p>	4b		No
<p>c Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?</p>	4c		No
<p>d Enter the total number of donor advised funds owned at the end of the tax year ▶ _____</p>			
<p>e Enter the aggregate value of assets held in all donor advised funds owned at the end of the tax year ▶ _____</p>			
<p>f Enter the total number of separate funds or accounts owned at the end of the tax year (excluding donor advised funds included on line 4d) where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts ▶ <u>0</u></p>			
<p>g Enter the aggregate value of assets held in all funds or accounts included on line 4f at the end of the tax year ▶ <u>0</u></p>			

Part IV Reason for Non-Private Foundation Status (See pages 4 through 7 of the instructions.)

I certify that 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 33 1/3%** 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 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) (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 otherwise meets the requirements of section 509(a)(3) Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization
 Type I Type II Type III - Functionally Integrated Type III - Other

Provide the following information about the supported organizations. (see page 7 of the instructions.)

(a) Name(s) of supported organization(s)	(b) Employer identification number	(c) Type of organization (described in lines 5 through 12 above or IRC section)	(d) Is the supported organization listed in the supporting organization's governing documents?		(e) Amount of support?
			Yes	No	
Total					

- 14 An organization organized and operated to test for public safety Section 509(a)(4) (See page 7 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) 2006	(b) 2005	(c) 2004	(d) 2003	(e) Total
15 Gifts, grants, and contributions received (Do not include unusual grants See line 28)	114,807,455	104,127,393	104,160,309	102,928,144	426,023,301
16 Membership fees received	9,683,652	8,252,805	8,161,473	8,245,838	34,343,768
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	29,952,469	37,238,487	29,675,882	26,284,836	123,151,674
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	18,764,944	17,444,012	17,220,210	18,327,692	71,756,858
19 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 18	223,246	0	0	0	223,246
20 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to it or expended on its behalf	0	0	0	0	0
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	0	0	0	0	0
22 Other income Attach a schedule Do not include gain or (loss) from sale of capital assets	0	0	0	0	0
23 Total of lines 15 through 22	173,431,766	167,062,697	159,217,874	155,786,510	655,498,847
24 Line 23 minus line 17	143,479,297	129,824,210	129,541,992	129,501,674	532,347,173
25 Enter 1% of line 23	1,734,318	1,670,627	1,592,179	1,557,865	
26 Organizations described on lines 10 or 11:					
a Enter 2% of amount in column (e), line 24					26a 10,646,943
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 2002 through 2005 exceeded the amount shown in line 26a Do not file this list with your return. Enter the total of all these excess amounts					26b 58,951,282
c Total support for section 509(a)(1) test Enter line 24, column (e)					26c 532,347,173
d Add Amounts from column (e) for lines	18 71,756,858	19 223,246			
	22	26 b 58,951,282			26d 130,931,386
e Public support (line 26c minus line 26d total)					26e 401,415,787
f Public support percentage (line 26e (numerator) divided by line 26c (denominator))					26f 75.4 %
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 (2006) _____ (2005) _____ (2004) _____ (2003) _____					
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 11b, 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 (2006) _____ (2005) _____ (2004) _____ (2003) _____					
c Add Amounts from column (e) for lines	15 _____	16 _____			
	17 _____	20 _____	21 _____		
d Add Line 27a total _____ and line 27b total _____					27c _____
e Public support (line 27c total minus line 27d total)					27d _____
f Total support for section 509(a)(2) test Enter amount from line 23, column (e)					27e _____
g Public support percentage (line 27e (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))					27f _____
h Investment income percentage (line 18, column (e) (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))					27g _____
28 Unusual Grants: For an organization described in line 10, 11, or 12 that received any unusual grants during 2002 through 2005, 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					27h _____

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)

		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?		
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?		
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) 		
32	Does the organization maintain the following		
a	Records indicating the racial composition of the student body, faculty, and administrative staff?		
b	Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on racially nondiscriminatory basis?		
c	Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?		
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) 		
33	Does the organization discriminate by race in any way with respect to		
a	Students' rights or privileges?		
b	Admissions policies?		
c	Employment of faculty or administrative staff?		
d	Scholarships or other financial assistance?		
e	Educational policies?		
f	Use of facilities?		
g	Athletic programs?		
h	Other extracurricular activities? If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain (If you need more space, attach a separate statement) 		
34a	Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency?		
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		
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		

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)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)		106,048
37	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)		318,146
38	Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 36 and 37)	0	424,194
39	Other exempt purpose expenditures		189,684,243
40	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 38 and 39)	0	190,108,437
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 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	0	1,000,000
42	Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 41)	0	250,000
43	Subtract line 42 from line 36 Enter -0- if line 42 is more than line 36	0	0
44	Subtract line 41 from line 38 Enter -0- if line 41 is more than line 38	0	0

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)

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period				
	(a) 2007	(b) 2006	(c) 2005	(d) 2004	(e) Total
45 Lobbying nontaxable amount	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	4,000,000
46 Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 45(e))					6,000,000
47 Total lobbying expenditures	424,194	327,825	355,835	289,527	1,319,539
48 Grassroots nontaxable amount	250,000	250,000	250,000	250,000	1,000,000
49 Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 48(e))					1,500,000
50 Grassroots lobbying expenditures	106,048	81,956	88,959	72,382	329,885

Part VI-B Lobbying Activity by Nonelecting Public Charities

(For reporting only by organizations that did not complete Part VI-A) (See page 11 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

- 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**.)

Yes	No	Amount

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

TY 2007 Reasonable Cause Explanation

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Explanation:

Additional Data

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

EIN: 13-1740011

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY


Form 990, Part II, Line 43 - Other expenses not covered above (itemize):

<i>Do not include amounts reported on line 6b, 8b, 9b, 10b, or 16 of Part I.</i>		(A) Total	(B) Program services	(C) Management and general	(D) Fundraising
a purchased services	43a	8,400,472	7,545,020	596,989	258,463
b Advertising	43b	2,848,512	0	2,845,512	3,000
c insurance	43c	3,316,162	3,278,577	27,447	10,138
d Currency/transaction loss	43d	59,608	59,608	0	0
e membership dues & subscriptions	43e	634,573	365,427	213,215	55,931
f collection food & forage	43f	1,626,405	1,626,405	0	0
g temp, stipends & honoraria	43g	12,926,693	12,667,975	258,718	0
h Professional fees and services	43h	4,288,842	3,543,251	745,591	0
i heat light & power	43i	6,747,697	6,747,697	0	0
j Collection accessions	43j	420,555	420,555	0	0
k bank fees & credit card processing	43k	200,019	0	156,789	43,230
l miscellaneous/other	43l	1,849,090	1,261,164	424,491	163,435

Form 990, Part III - Program Service Accomplishments:

<p>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.)</p>	<p>Program Service Expenses (Required for 501(c)(3) and (4) orgs., and 4947(a)(1) trusts; but optional for others.)</p>
<p>Zoological Park & Aquarium Programs The New York Aquarium (Attendance 746,526) In April NYA opened its new Aquatic Animal Health Center This 15,000 square foot medical research facility will provide examination and surgical rooms designed to treat all 11,656 specimens of 798 species and subspecies in the aquariums collection, from tiny fish to giant walruses The health center also includes a pharmacy, a storage area for biological specimens, a decontamination room and a kitchen for preparing the animals foods There is also a 30 foot diameter pool that can accommodate sharks, turtles, dolphins, and small whales A clinical laboratory offers equipment for henatology, microscopy and water quality analysis (746526 New York Aquarium attendance)</p> <p>(Grants and allocations \$ 0) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>14,526,828</p>
<p>Zoological Park & Aquarium Programs Central Park Zoo (attendance 1,001,225), Prospect Park Zoo (attendance 262,021) Queens Zoo (attendance 212,278) Continuing its quest to build a world-class animal park in the middle of Manhattan, the Wildlife Conservation Society broke ground this year for a new snow leopard exhibit at the Central Park Zoo Having exhibited the western hemisphere's first snow leopards in 1903, WCS will draw on its extensive research and experience in this species' conservation The big cats' native Central Asian evergreen forest environment will be replicated in the new exhibit (1475524 Attendance)</p> <p>(Grants and allocations \$ 0) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>17,859,927</p>
<p>Wildlife Preservation & Protection Programs, Gener GLOBAL INITIATIVES WCS's global conservation program has over 1,500 international, national and local conservationists and scientists in more than 600 programs in over 60 countries and the marine realm The Global Conservation program uses a core set of strategies to effect conservation of wildlife and wild lands (1) establishing and strengthening protected areas, (2) conducting scientific research on threatened and endangered species, (3) Strengthening the capacity of national governmental agencies and non-governmental organizations to protect parks and reserves and the animals within them, (4) Training local and expatriate conservation professionals through research and fellowship programs and small grants, (5) working with local communities to develop conservation strategies and management plans for their natural resources Here are some examples of our work in 2008 For over 13 years, the WCS field staff have worked with the government of Madagascar to establish protected areas such as the Makira Conservation Site and the Msaola National Park They have conducted freshwater fish surveys to identify endangered endemic species They have helped develop sustainable income sources and land management practices to directly involve local communities in the benefits of conservation A struggling local population, seeking to make a living out of the land that surrounds them, have already cleared much of Madagascar's native forest for rice farming, taking the wood for fuel and construction Each year, another 386 square miles of forest disappear And the destruction of Madagascar's forests endangers far more than the vast collection of wildlife and small human population of the island Scientists estimate that deforestation, particularly in tropical regions, produces 20 percent of the world's annual carbon emissions The Wildlife Conservation Society seeks to stem this tide by preserving wild land in places like Madagascar In June, 2008, in Madagascar's capital city Antananarivo, a major step was taken toward this goal The president of Madagascar signed an agreement with the WCS-established Makira Carbon Company to sell carbon offset credits produced by the Makira forest Under this agreement, nine million tons of carbon offsets created by the preservation of this forest will go on the market to fund the forest's continued protection The Makira Carbon Agreement reflects the Wildlife Conservation Society's longstanding commitment to protecting wildlife and wild land in Madagascar The WCS Sea and Sky Initiative promotes sustainable management of the Patagonian Large Marine Ecosystem, and identifies priority areas for wildlife conservation One such area is the Burdwood Bank, a 694 square mile coral-rich region off the southern coast of Argentina that serves as a vital feeding ground for albatross, penguins, and sea lions, and a breeding ground for the southern blue whiting and Fuegian sardine WCS scientists in Cambodia continue to see the result from a conservation project established in 2001 Working together with the Ministry of Environment of the Royal Government of Cambodia, WCS engages former hunters and egg collectors in the vital task of protecting endangered waterbirds in the Tonle Sap region Demonstrating the value of sustainable livelihoods for local communities, the group of reformed hunters have overseen significant increases in threatened species such as the Oriental Darter and the Painted Stork The WCS group in Cambodia won the United Nation Development Program's 2008 Equatorial Prize for the Tmatboey Community Protected Area Committee Developing ecotourism to protect critically-endangered bird species in the area, the group generated revenue to reinvest in water and sanitation, roads, and schools In an effort to keep the public informed about current conservation issues, the WCS Institute publishes State of the Wild A Global Portrait of Wildlife, Wildlands, and Oceans Published in partnership with Island Press, State of the Wild features essays on emerging issues and new solutions to conservation, as well as a catalogue of current research and rulings 2008 marks the second edition of this biennial publication Its theme of "One World One Health" highlights the interconnectedness of wildlife health, ecosystem health, human health, and the health of domestic animals and the importance of integrated approaches to these issues GLOBAL HEALTH WCS's global health programs solve conservation challenges by conducting health investigations and creating training programs and guidelines to reduce disease transmission between wildlife, humans and domestic animals WCS is a pioneer in global wildlife surveillance and detection of emerging diseases at home and abroad For example, as wild birds undertake their yearly migration, severe weather patterns caused by climate change bring them to land in new areas, mixing in among domestic birds Some of these travelers carry the deadly avian influenza, and their newfound acquaintance with domestic birds could help the disease spread into human populations GAINS, the Global Avian Influenza Network for Surveillance, tracks wild birds to monitor the deadly spread of bird flu GAINS collects information to better understand these virus strains and their transmission With extensive networks in place to catch and release wild birds, partners in the GAINS program collect and analyze biological samples In the last year, GAINS has sampled 444 migratory shorebirds from 19 different species in Indonesia, free-ranging migratory birds and tree-sparrows in the Ben Tree province of Vietnam, wild waterbirds in 33 markets across Vietnam, and birds from 13 Cambodian provinces Combining tens of thousands of such samples with bird census data from more than 105 million bird observations as well as migration routes, GAINS maps the location of influenza outbreaks and assesses how they spread It is one of the only global disease surveillance projects to focus on the movement of disease between wild and domestic animals as well as people (600 project sites worldwide)</p> <p>(Grants and allocations \$ 9,016,459) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>72,388,302</p>
<p>Environmental & Sustainable Design, General/Other Lower Bronx River Habitat Conservation (15 project sites) WCS's partnership with the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration continued work alongside biologists, citizens groups and several regional organizations to restore the habitat of the living marine life along the Bronx River This cooperative agreement was instrumental in purchasing South Brother Island, an uninhabited seven acre island, in the East River and deeding it to the City of New York Parks Department for protection and preservation The island provides a safe place in the middle of one of the world's busiest harbors for over 1,000 heron, egret, cormorant, and gull families During the last five years this program has provided grants to over 23 local organizations funding numerous projects restoring the Bronx River Wildlife Conservation Magazine with a circulation of over 100,000 this magazine is an important source of conservation news to WCS members and other zoos throughout the world Its articles highlight WCS's global conservation efforts bringing its mission to its members and other concerned citizens of the world (100000 circulation)</p> <p>(Grants and allocations \$ 1,557,371) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>3,344,117</p>
<p>Zoological Park & Aquarium Programs Attendance at our BRONX ZOO 2,046,528, As one of the nations leading scientific and cultural institutions, the Wildlife Conservation Society makes headlines with its fieldwork throughout the world, as well as its engagement on conservation issues at home in New York City Here are some of our biggest stories from 2008 Madagascar! On June 19th, the Bronx zoo opened the gates of its historic Lion House to reveal a new world Inside the 1903 Beaux Arts building, an arid forest of spiny trees sprawls alongside a rainforest, complete with its own waterfall and rainfall Ring-tailed and red-ruffed lemurs frolic in these forests, while a 13 5-foot, 800 pound crocodile bides his time in a limestone tsingy cave nearby 150 animals, representing nearly 30 different species, populate the Bronx zoo's Madagascar! exhibit (This census count does not include the 150,000 Madagascar hissing cockroaches burrowing around in the hull of a glass-enclosed baobab tree) Live foliage creates a series of extraordinarily realistic environments so the iguanas, mongoose, and fossas can feel at home This 20,000 square foot exhibit also reflects the 1 6 million acres of wild land in Madagascar that the Wildlife Conservation Society has helped protect for more than 20 years Bronx Zoo Renaissance The opening of Madagascar! in the Lion House marked one of the final stages of the Bronx Zoo Renaissance This project seeks to preserve the historic legacy of the institution while attending to the animal welfare needs and conservation values of a 21st century institution In addition to providing an environment more hospitable to its inhabitants than the cages of years past, the renovated Lion House also holds the distinction of being the first "green" landmark building Lit chiefly by dynamic skylights and heated with the help of geothermal wells, the building design offers a 57% savings in energy consumption The Lion House stands as a part of Astor Court, the most intact collection of Beaux Arts buildings in New York Landmarked in 2000, the buildings and formal gardens form the historical heart of the Bronx Zoo and connect visitors with the zoo's birth at the turn of the last century On September 14, the zoo unveiled its newly restored Italian fountain Donated by William Rockefeller in 1902, the fountain's stone dolphins, swans, and mermaids were cleaned and repaired, and a new plumbing system was installed to recycle the water With the addition of new period street lamps and historic paving patterns, this completes the restoration of Astor Court EDUCATIONAL INITIATIVES The extensive education program of the WCS brings its mission into the schools, engaging new generations of conservationists 2008 marked the first full year of the Urban Assembly School for Wildlife Conservation A partnership between the Wildlife Conservation Society and the Urban Assembly, this New York City public school uses the Bronx Zoo to bring to the academic curriculum to life Currently based at middle school building IS 135, the School for Wildlife Conservation holds regular lessons at the Bronx zoo To learn about wetlands, students at the school met face-to-face with an American alligator and visited the mangrove forests of JungleWorld Conservation education begins with teachers, and not every child is lucky enough to attend school at the zoo The Wildlife Conservation Society provided teacher-training workshops this year for twelve hundred teachers from all over the country, and supplied training and curriculum materials to teachers in Canada and Puerto Rico WCS has also just launched a new 3-year program to train pre-service teachers at Historically Black Colleges and Universities in Conservation Science and Education (2046528 attendance)</p> <p>(Grants and allocations \$ 81,008) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>59,483,556</p>

Form 990, Part V-A - Current Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees:

(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 plans	(E) Expense account and other allowances
John G Hoare  2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Vice President 40	500,840	198,473	0
Ward W Woods 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Chairman 5	0	0	0
Andrew H Tisch 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Secretary 4	0	0	0
Frederick W Beinecke 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 3	0	0	0
William E Flaherty 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 3	0	0	0
Bradley L Goldberg 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 3	0	0	0
Mrs Leonard N Stern 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Vice Chair 4	0	0	0
Sarah Gillman 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Vice President 40	172,773	28,141	0
John N Irwin III 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Treasurer 4	0	0	0
Eleanor Briggs 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0




Form 990, Part V-A - Current Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees:

(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 plans	(E) Expense account and other allowances
Gilbert Butler 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
C Diane Christensen 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Jonathan L Cohen 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 3	0	0	0
Katherine L Dolan 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Katherina OttoBernstein 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Walter C Sedgwick 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
David T Schiff 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Chairman Emeritus 4	0	0	0
Edith Mc Bean 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Vice Chair 4	0	0	0
Paul A Gould 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 2	0	0	0
Jonathan D Green 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 2	0	0	0





Form 990, Part V-A - Current Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees:

(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 plans	(E) Expense account and other allowances
Judith Hamilton 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Brian J Heidtke 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 3	0	0	0
John B Hess 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Robert Wood Johnson IV 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Anita L Keefe 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Elyssa Kellerman 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
James M Large Jr 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Eugene McGrath 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 3	0	0	0
Ambrose K Monell 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Mrs George K Moss 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 3	0	0	0

Form 990, Part V-A - Current Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees:

(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 plans	(E) Expense account and other allowances
Ralph da Costa Nunez 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Patricia Calabrese  2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Executive Vice President 40	331,735	91,810	0
John Calvelli  2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Senior Vice President 40	342,742	64,033	15,000
Howard Phipps Jr 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Julian H Robertson Jr 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 2	0	0	0
Daniel K Thorne 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 2	0	0	0
Ann Unterberg 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 2	0	0	0
Barbara Hrbek Zucker 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Maria Masciotti  2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Senior Vice President 40	285,676	23,287	0
Robert Calamo 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Vice President 40	202,164	31,113	0

Form 990, Part V-A - Current Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees:

(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 plans	(E) Expense account and other allowances
Caroline N Sidnam 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Michael H Steinhardt 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Sarah Hobel 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Senior Vice President 40	144,937	16,026	0
William B McKeown  2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Senior Vice President 40	298,112	48,493	0
Virginia Schwerin 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Robert Cook  2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Senior Vice President 40	298,878	50,078	15,000
H Merritt Paulson III 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Trustee 1	0	0	0
Steven E Sanderson  2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Exec Director/CEO 40	503,927	212,714	221,558
John Robinson  2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 104601099	Executive Vice President 40	329,929	98,918	0

Form 990, Part VI, Line 91b - If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country:

Country

BR

ZA

FJ

IV

NI

TZ

MG

UG

AO

AR

BM

CB

CO

CF

GB

GT

LA

MA

PP

PE

TH

IN

NU

RW

CH

BL

AF

BH

CM

CG

ID

MY

RS

KE

SU

Form 990, Part VI, Line 91c - If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country:**Country**

AO

CM

CA

CH

CO

IN

PE

TZ

SU

UK

ZA

BH

EC

FJ

GT

LA

MA

NI

PP

BL

CG

TH

IV

BM

ID

MY

CB

CD

CI

GB

RS

RW

UG

AR

CF

KE

NU

AF

Form 990, Part VI, Line 90a - List the states with which a copy of this return is filed:

List the states with which a copy of this return is filed	FL, IN, KS, MS, MO, OR, TN, TX, WA, WV, AL, AK, AR, CA, CO, GA, HI, ID, IL, MD, MA, MI, MN, MT, NH, NM, NY, OH, OK, PA, SC, SD, UT, VA, WI, WY, KY, LA, ME, NJ, ND, RI, AZ, CT
---	--

Form 990, Part VIII - Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes:

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).
103 b	Miscellaneous program related income
93 d	User fees for educational programs and fees related to loans of collection
94	Fees for members exhibit passes and conservation newsletters
101	On-site fundraising events highlighting work of organization
93 a	User fees to partially offset facilities costs
93 c	Transportation fees and incidental costs for loans of the collection
93 b	User fees from school and other groups
93 g	Grants from other organizations and agencies
93 e	Admission to exhibit buildings used to offset facilities costs

TY 2007 Cash Grants Paid Schedule

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
educational	Allwin Jesudasan	N6 Harmonour Homescapes Chennai Tamil Nadu, India 600056 IN	1,226	grantee
research grant	Cary Institute Ecosystems Studies	PO Box AB Millbrook, NY 125450129	10,002	research grantee
grantee	Jedediah Brodie	1134 Taylor Street Missoula, MT 59802	3,000	individual grantee
research organization	The Prairie Enthusiasts	222 Hamilton Ste 1 Madison, WI 53703	160,000	grantee
community organization	Conservation Trading Centre	PO Box530225 Ludanzi Lusaka, Zambia 10101 ZA	173,661	conservation grantee
organization	Yayasan Lestari	Jl Babe Palar No 25 Tanjung Batu Wanea Manado, Indonesia 95117 ID	40,043	sub grantee
conservation organization	Trout Unlimited	1300 N 17th Street Suite 500 Arlington, VA 22209	72,000	grantee
research organization	Indian Ocean Research Conservation Association IORCA	High Street Lewes East Sussex, Great Britain UK	73,856	organization grantee

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
research fellow	Dr Fernanda Michalski	Instituto Pro Carnivores Av Horacio Neto 1030 casa 10 Atibaia Sao Paolo, Brazil 12945-010 BR	17,950	fellowship recipient
scholarship recipient	Santiago Espinosa	110 Newins Ziegler Hall University of Florida Gainesville, FL 326110430	21,102	scholarship recipient
research fellow	Emiliano Donadio	University of Wyoming 110 E University Avenue Laramie, WY 82071	15,000	fellowship grantee
research organization	Headwaters Economics	PO Box 7059 Bozeman, MT 59771	15,000	grantee organization
fellowhip grantee	Museo Tridentino Di Scienze Naturali	Sezione di Limnologia e Alongia Via Calepina 14 Trento, Italy 38100 IT	15,000	grantee organization
Kaplan Award Recipient	Peter Feinsinger	5315 E Copeland Lane Flagstaff, AZ 86004	44,000	grantee
research organization	Tanzania Bird Atlas Project	PO Box 1605 Iringa, Tanzania TZ	63,545	research grant
research fellow recipient	Typhenn Brichieri Colombi	University of Calgary 2500 University Drive NW Calgary AB, Canada T2N 1N4 CA	13,960	fellowship recipient

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
research grantee	Muhammad Iqbal	KPB SOS Jalan Tanjung api api km9 Palembang South Sumatra, Indonesia 30152 ID	13,398	research grantee
community organization	Eastern Province Farmers Cooperative	CO Care International Chipata Eastern, Zambia 10101 ZA	13,136	community grantee
communitiy organization	Ujamaa Community Resource Trust	PO Box 15111 Arusha, Tanzania TZ	31,695	organization grantee
educational	University of Vermont Michael Masozera Dr Robert Costanza	340 Waterman Building Burlington, VT 05405	23,000	scholarship
conservation organization	Southern Applachian Highlands Conservation Society	PO Box 30 2701 A Route 305 West Clarsville, NY 14788	20,780	grantee
research organization	Fundacion Patagonia Natural	MA Zar 760 Puerto Madryn Chubut, Argentina AR	61,530	grantee organization
educational	University of Massachusetts c o Theresa Girardi Office of Grant and Contract Administration	70 Butterfield Terrace Amherst, MA 01003	20,178	scholarship aid
organization	National University of Rwanda	Southern Province Ngoma, Rwanda RW	15,055	program support

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
research fellow	Leonardo De Carvalho Oliveria	University of Maryland 7501 Wisconsin Avenue College Park, MD 20742	15,000	fellowship recipient
research organization	IBONGA	BP148 Gamba, Gabon GB	14,400	organization support
organization	Hunchun Nationality Nature Reserve	123 Zhanqian East Street Hunchun Jilin, China 133300 CH	33,461	organization grantee
educational	University of New Hampshire	Sea Grant Communications Kingman Farm Durham, NH 03824	140,390	scholarship aid
conservation organization	National Aviary in Pittsburgh	Allegheny Commons West Pittsburgh, PA 15212	62,175	grantee
scholarship aid	Columbia University	SIPA 420 West 118th Street New York, NY 10027	71,166	scholarship recipients
grant recipient	Manomet Inc	81 Stage Point Rd PO Box 1770 Manomet, MA 02345	233,856	grantee
educational	University of Cape Town	University of Capetown Rondebosh, South Africa 7701 SF	219,443	grantee

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
organization	Institute Jane Goodall	4245 North Fairfax Drive Suite 600 Arlington, VA 22203	34,100	organizational grantee
conservation organization	Sociedade Civil Mammiraua	Universidade Federal Do Para Caixa Postal 8600 Belem Para, Brazil 66050-110 BR	324,483	grantee organization
organization	Western Governors	1600 Broadway Suite 1700 Denver, CO 80202	55,291	grantee
conservation organization	Vermont Natural Resources Council	9 Bailey Avenue Montpelier, VT 05602	51,200	grantee
conservation organization	Sociedad Peruana de Derecho	Prolongacion Arenales No 437 San Isidro Lima, Peru PE	139,272	sub grantee
educational	University of California Los Angeles Thomas Dietsch Principle Investigator	La Kretsz Hall Suite 300 Los Angeles, CA 90095	21,600	grantee
educational	University of Maine School of Marine Sciences	Darling marine Center 193 Clarks Cove Road Walpole, ME 04573	15,570	scholarship aid
educational	University of Washington	POBox 3981 Seattle, WA 981243981	12,800	scholarship aid

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
conservation organization	Fun Para La Con Y El Uso Sus De Los Hum Wetlands International South America	25 de Mayo 758 101 Buenos Aires, Argentina 1002 AR	12,375	field vet grantee
research fellow	Tristan Dickerson	Kwa Zulu Natal, South Africa SF	23,000	field vet grantee
Kaplan grant recipient	Omar Antonio Figueroa	2917 SW 13th Street Apt 84 Gainesville, FL 32608	16,685	Kaplan grantee
conservation organization	Jilin Wildlife Protection Institute	114 Peoples Street Nanguan District Changchun Jilin, China CH	10,616	educational aid
educational organization	Human Elephant Conflict	University of Botswana Shorobe Road Maun, Botswana BC	11,485	fellowship recipient
organization	Federacion Indigena De La Nacionalidad	VIA A QUITO KM 3 5 La Libertad Lago Agrio, Ecuador EC	59,597	organizational support
grantee	Varun Swamy	1058 West Club Blvd Durham, NC 27701	20,000	fellowship grantee
Conservation Organization	Tropical Research and Development Center	1607 V B Cross 17th Main BSK 1 Stage Bangalore Karnataka, India 560050 IN	55,000	organization support

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
grantee	Uugananbadrakh Oyunkhishig	National University of Mongolia PO Box 377 Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia 210646 MG	10,000	grantee
research organization	Cornell Group LTD	60 Market Square PO Box 1906 Belize City, Belize BH	15,343	field vet program
educational	East China Normal	3663 North Zhongshan Road Shanghai, China 2000062 CH	9,926	research fellowship grant
research organization	Blue Venture	52 Av Road London, England N6 5DR UK	9,480	subgrantee
fellowship grant	LSM Operation Wallacea Trust	University of Hull Cottingham Road Hull, UK HU6 7RX UK	8,000	fellowship grantee
organization	ASF	BP 7248 Libreville, Gabon GB	7,345	grantee organization
research grantee	Mircea Gabriel Hildago Mihart	Cp 86035 CF Tabasco 2000 Tabasco, Mexico MX	7,000	grantee
organization	World Wide Fund for Nature Beijing Office	Room 1609 Wen Hua Gong Beijing Working Peoples Culture Pal Beijing, China 10006 CH	49,400	grantee organization

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
organization	Institute of Tropical Forest Conservation	PO Box 44 Kabale, Uganda UG	20,000	subgrantee
research fellow	Pia Sethi	Lodhi Road New Delhi, India 110003 IN	19,210	fellowship recipient
educational	University of Missouri at St Louis	Patrick Osborne Dept of Biology 1 University Blvd St Louis, MO 63121	16,003	scholarship aid
research fellow	Florence Gardipee	2365 Woodcock Drive Missoula, MT 59808	13,500	research fellow recipient
conservation organization	Environmental Protection in the Carribean	200 Dr Martin Luther King Jr Blvd Riviera Beach, FL 33404	38,803	research grantee
community organization	My Village	51 F Street 265 Phnom Penh, Cambodia CB	11,612	grantee organization
educational	University of Minnesota	200 Hodson Hall St Paul, MN 55108	20,162	fellowship recipients
conservation organization	Tibet Forest Department	25 Linko North Road Lhasa Tibet, China 850000 CH	9,887	conservation support

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
fellowship grants	OMYC	Apoyo OMYC Sal Julio Flores Peten, Guatemala GT	24,292	grantee
research fellow	Paul Higginbottom	26 Bethel Brighouse, UK HD6 IJP UK	7,000	fellowship grantee
research fellow	Deniz Mengulluoglu	Turklye Is Bankası Ankara, Turkey TU	6,900	fellowship grantee
organization	FUNDESNAF	Prolongacion Cordero No 127 La Paz, Bolivia BL	6,517	organization grantee
research grantee	Herbert Tushabe	Makerere University Kampala, Uganda UG	10,222	grantee
research fellow	Derek Pomeroy	Makerere University Kampala, Uganda UG	15,420	subgrantee
research organization	Ecoborealis	Box 39 Site 2 RR1 Milarville Alberta, Canada TOL IKO CA	9,000	grantee organization
organization	International Institute for Sustainable Development	161 Portage Avenue East Winnipeg Manitoba R BOY, Canada CA	17,000	grantee

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
research grantee	Dr Rurik List	Instituto de Ecologia UNIAM Mexico DF, Mexico MX	10,010	grantee
organization	National Centre for Biological Sciences	GKVK Bellary Road Bangalore Karamtala, India 560065 IN	6,023	research grantee
organization	Protomac	BP 2104 Libreville, Gabon GB	10,600	grantee
educational	Trust for Environmental Education	Plot No 40 Door No 11 3rd East Street Chennai Tamilndau, India 600041 IN	4,938	research grantee
organization	UBC FCH	Av Amendariz No 445 Distrito de Miraflores Lima, Peru PE	17,180	grantee organization
research organization	ALTA	Apt 114 Bldg 7 Radio Str Vladivostok, Russia 690041 RS	10,000	research grantee
conservation organization	National Ecological Center of Ukraine	Kominterna Street 1 Kiev, Ukraine 01032 UP	31,465	subgrantee
organization	Fundacion COFAN	M Cardenal N74 1530 Quito, Ecuador EC	7,500	organizational support

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
organization	Fundacion Altropico	Muros N27 211 Y Gonzales Quito, Ecuador EC	11,760	organization support
Kaplan scholar	Guy Balme	PO Box 70533 Bryanston Johannesburg Gauteng, South Africa 2021 SF	15,600	Kaplan award recipient
organization	CRDT Cambodia Rural Development Team	No 695 Street 2 Kratie Town PO Box 2539 Phnom Penh, Cambodia CB	35,098	organization grantee
educational	University of Idaho	Student Financial Aid Services PO Box 444291 Moscow, ID 838444291	15,000	Grduate fellowship program
scholarships	Pantera Fund Award to Seredkin	Bldg 14a Hasan Lane Arseniev, Russia 692338 RS	25,613	fellowship awards
research grantee	Jose Fernando Gonzalez Maya	600 oeste de Hypermas Bosques de Altermira Casa 51 Heredia, Costa Rica CS	7,000	grantee
conservation organization	Uganda Wildlife Authority	PO Box 3530 Kampala Kampala, Uganda UG	13,932	subgrantee
organization	Khmer Institute for Peace and Development	Peah Vinear Town Peah, Cambodia CB	9,319	grantee organization

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
grant recipient	Aparajita Datta	Nature Conservation Foundation 3076 5 4th Cross Gokulan Park Mysore Karnataka, India 570002 IN	20,000	grantee
research fellow	Esteban Payan	Call 93B 9 61 Bogota, Columbia CO	16,000	grantee
fellowship recipient	Raman Kumar	Centre for Wildlife Studies 36 Curzon Road Uttaranchal, India IN	11,447	grantee
organization	Sam Veasna Center	Wat Bo Village Salakamreuk Commune Siem Reap, Cambodia CB	10,270	grantee organization
educational	University of Florida	2015 SW 16th Ave PO Box 100126 Gainesville, FL 326100126	15,000	scholarship aid
conservation organization	Yellowstone to Yukon Conservation Initiative	222 E Main Street Suite 201 Bozeman, MT 59715	9,000	grantee organization
scholarship recipient	Claire Bracebridge	26 Bethel Brighouse, UK HD6 IJP UK	6,577	scholarship recipient
educational	Makerere University Institute of Environment and N	Makerere University Kampala, Uganda UG	26,460	subgrantee

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
educational research various organizations	Research Fellowships	2300 Southern Blvd Bronx, NY 10460	599,715	research fellowships and scholarships
organization	Fundacion Amigos del Madrid	San Buenaventura Av 16 de julio zona norte La Paz, Bolivia BL	9,068	grantee organization
organization	Gabon Environment	BP 2104 Libreville, Gabon GB	9,246	grantee organization
foundation	Conservation Training Resource Center	Seameo Biotrpo Jalan Tajur Km6 Bogor West Java, Indonesia ID	33,368	grantee organization
conservation organization	Friends of Ruaha Society	PO Box 692 Iringa, Tanzania TZ	10,000	conservation grantee
research grantee	Fabio Rohe	Rua Alaides Alves Rocha 58 Barrio Manaus, Brazil 69083 BR	10,990	research grantee
Charitable organization	Agriculture Technology Service Association	07 Street 466 Phenom Penh, Cambodia 12101 CB	35,950	grantee organization
organizational support	ASOCIACION DE MUJERES WAORANI DE LA AMAZONIA ECUATORIANA	ATAHUALPA Y GENERAL VILLAMIL Puyo, Ecuador EC160150 EC	31,677	grantee organization

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
educational	Adirondack Community Trust Bricknells Thrush Hispaniola Conservation Fund	2284 Saranac Avenue Lake Placid, NY 12946	1,000	grantee
community grant	African College for Communtiy Based Natural Resource Management	PO Box 82 Chilange Zambia Mfuwe, Zambia 99999 ZA	140	grantee organization
educational	Anne C Axel	237 N Clemens Ave Lansing, MI 48912	13,000	scholarship recipient
organization	Arcos Core Group	5 Speke Road PO Box 7111 Kabalagala Kampala, Uganda UG	167,718	organization subgrantee
support grant	Associacao Piagacu	Rua Marupes 85 Acariguara Manaus, Brazil AM 69055-400 BR	210,000	grantee
grantee	Benoit De Thoisy	23 Avenue Pasteur Cayenne Cedex, French Guiana F97335 FG	5,200	grantee
grantee organization	Bridging the Gap	435 Westport Rd Kansas City, MO 64111	49,360	grantee organization
grantee	Bureau Veritas Gabon	Banque Bicig BP2241 Libreville, Gabon GB	14,400	grantee organization

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
research grant	CavuCalm Air Visibility Unlimited	PO Box 1788 Jackson Hole, WY 83001	25,000	grantee
grant	Centro de Accion Legal	Ambiental y Social De Guatemala 7a Avenida 7 30 Zona 9 Guatemala City, Guatemala CP01009 GT	25,000	grantee
fellowship	Mario Boza	Frente al Hotel Le Bergerac Los Yoses San Pedro San Jose, Costa Rica CR50 CS	12,000	fellowship grantee
grant award	Chanthavy Vongkhamheng	Box 110430 University of Florida Gainsville, FL 32611	600	scholarship award
scholarship	Charles Curtin	PO Box 418 North Haven, ME 04853	7,000	scholarship aid
organization support	Charles Darwin Foundation	1 Biscayne Tower Suite 3200 Miami, FL 33131	12,664	organization support
research organization	Comite Velondriaka	Andavadoaka Befandefa, Madagascar MA	2,211	subgrantee
subgrantee organization	World Wildlife Fund	1250 24th Street NW Washington, DC 200371175	836,818	subgrantee organization

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
grant ee organization	Nature Conservancy	821 SE 14th Avenue Portland, OR 97214	155,508	grantee
scholarship grantee	Brett Benz	University of Kansas 1345 Jayhawk Blvd Lawrence, KS 66045	20,955	scholarship grant
conservation subgrantee NOAA	Bronx River Alliance	One Bronx River Parkway Bronx, NY 10462	8,750	subgrantee
scholarship grant	Alonso Jaramillo	Av9 de Octubre El Coca, Ecuador EC220354 EC	300	organizational support
charitable	American Museum of Natural History	Central Park West at 79th Street New York, NY 10024	30,000	grantee organization
Grantee	APPALACHIAN MOUNTAIN CLUB	5 Joy Street Boston, MA 02108	60,000	grantee organization
organization support	BIOTA	Av Las Retamas entre calles 35 y 3 La Paz, Bolivia BL	2,000	grantee
research organization	CIPTA	Localidad de Tumpasa Provincia Abel La Paz, Bolivia BL	1,167	research grantee

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
conservation organization	National Wildlife Refuge Association	1901 Pennsylvania Ave NW Washington, DC 20036	120,000	grantee organization
grantee organization	Buddahism for Progressive Society	Pharakhich village Prah Vihear Province, Cambodia CB	13,266	organization grant
organizational support	COCODE Uaxactun	Desembolso No 2 Flores Peten Petapa, Guatemala 01006 GT	2,152	organization support
subgrantee NOAA	Lex Terrae LTD	331 Madison Avenue New York, NY 10017	1,485,000	NOAA subgrantee organization
conservation organization	WWF South Pacific Program	11 Ma afu Street Suva, Fiji FJ	201,084	subgrantee organization
conservation organization	Straight Talk Foundation	Plot 4 Acacia Avenue Kololo Kampala, Uganda UG	93,000	sub grantee recipient
organization	Playa Lakes Joint Venture	103 East Simpson Street Lafayette, CO 80026	74,040	grantee
conesevation organization	Pact Inc	1200 18th Street NW Suite 350 Washington, DC 20036	342,761	subgrantee

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
conservation organization	Wetlands International Australia	PO Box 4573 Giles St Kingston ACT 2604 Canberra, Australia AS	126,009	subgrantee
educational	University of Wisconsin	21 North Park Street Madison, WI 537151218	106,410	scholarship aid
organization	Enterprise Works Vita	1825 Connecticut Ave NW Suite 630 Washington, DC 20009	150,260	grantee organization
conservation organization	Puma Fundacion Protection	Calle 15 de Calacoto Edificio Ketal Pizo 3 La Paz, Bolivia BL	47,305	sub grantee
conservation organization	Southeast Watershed Forum	1 Vantage Way Suite D 105 Nashville, TN 37228	46,636	grantee
research organization	Tall Timbers Research	13093 Henry Beadel Road Tallahassee, FL 32312	42,900	grantee organization
organization	Forest Trends	1050 Potomoc Street NW Washington, DC 20007	65,616	grantee
fellowship recipient	Laura L B Graham	University of Palanglca Raya Jl Yos Sudarso Central Kalimantan, Indonesia ID	20,000	fellowship receipt

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
educational	Alejandra Maria Laina Agudelo	Av 2A Oeste Cali, Columbia CO	700	grantee
Kaplan grantee	Claudia Wultsch	106 Cheatham Hall Blacksburg, VA 24061	23,595	scholarship grantee
research	National Wildlife Federation	1400 16th Street NW Suite 501 Washington, DC 20036	160,000	subgrantee
research organization	Amazon Conservation Association	1300 Connecticut Avenue NW Washington, DC 20036	139,790	sub-grantee
educational	University of Kansas	900 Massachusetts Avenue Lawrence, KS 66044	170,102	grantee
scholarship	Andres Link	340 Avenue of the Americas New York, NY 10001	18,045	grantee
scholarship aid	Augustin Martinez	Curso de Capacitacion Santa Cruz, Bolivia 304 BL	600	scholarship recipient
grantee	Andres Posino	Curso de Capacitacion Santa Teresita Santa Cruz, Bolivia 304 BL	500	grantee

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
scientific	Adventures Sans Frontieres	BP 7248 Libreville, Gabon GB	22,884	Organizational support
educational grant	University of Illinois Board of Trustees	1200 West Harrison Street Chicago, IL 606077161	11,760	scholarship aid
conservation organization	Wetlands International	PO Box 471 6700 AL Wageningen, The Netherlands NL	330,475	grantee organization
educational	UC Regents UCLA	300 La Kretz Hall 619 Charles Young Drive South Los Angeles, CA 90095	115,279	scholarship aid
organization	Technoserve Inc	49 Day Street Norwalk, CT 06852	123,668	grantee
organization	Tanzania Natural Resource Forum	PO Box 15605 Arusha, Tanzania TZ	58,000	organization grantee
organization	Federacion De Centros AWA Del Ecuador	Avda Fray Vacas Galindo 2 87 Mariano Acosta Ibarra, Ecuador EC	116,178	organizational support
educational	Texas AM Research Dept of Vet Pathobiology	400 harvey Mitchell Pkwy South TAMU 4467 College Station, TX 77845	50,625	educational grantee

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
educational	University of Kent at Canterbury	Kent CT2 7NZ Canterbury, UK UK	32,156	scholarship aid
conservation organization	Euoropean Bison Friends Society	Warsaw University Dept of animal Ge Ciszewskiego 8 Warszawa, Poland PL-02-786 PL	29,000	grantee organization
research organization	Sonoran Institute	201 S Wallace Suite B3C Bozeman, MT 59715	60,000	grantee organization
community organization	Phipps Community Development Corporation	902 Broadway New York, NY 10010	54,631	NOAA subgrantee recipient
grant recipient	Laurence G Frank	c o Citibank 111 Wall Street New York, NY 10022	52,850	grantee
organization	Defenders of Wildlife	1303 J Street Suite 270 Sacramento, CA 95814	52,000	grantee
conservation organization	Wildlife Clubs of Uganda	Luongo Showgrounds Kampala, Uganda UG	50,436	subgrantee
scientific	Tibet Academy of Agriculture and Animal Sciences	No 130 Jinzhu Xilu Lhasa Tar, PR China 850002 CH	87,973	grantee

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
organization	NACIONALIDAD WAORANI DEL ECUADOR NAWE	Severo Vargas Y Tungurahua Puyo, Ecuador EC	52,750	grantee
research organization	Imager Software Consulting	2932 Wellington Circle Tallahassee, FL 323096891	38,203	grantee
grantee	Sathyanarayana S	Edembere House Montepaduva Post Mangalore District Karnataka, India 574153 IN	26,825	grantee
organization	ODER Prot Berger	Antananarivo Sofia, Madagascar MA	22,041	fellowship recipient
organization	Farmer Livelihood Development FLD	93 Street 141 Phnom Penh, Cambodia 12101 CB	39,939	grantee organization
educational research organization	University of Georgia Research Foundation UGARF	609 Boyd Athens, GA 306027411	27,191	foundation support
fellowship recipient	Linet Cynthia Watson	State University of New York College of Environmental Science Syracuse, NY 13210	16,430	fellowship recipient
educational	Institute of Zoology Chinese Academy	Datunlu Beijing, China 100101 CH	31,215	educational aid

Class of Activity	Recipient's name	Address	Amount	Relationship
scholarship	Alejandra Munoz	Torres del Paine 7371 Las Condes Santiago, Chile 7XX CI	2,857	SCHOLARSHIP

TY 2007 Compensation Explanation

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Person Name	Explanation
John G Hoare	Vice President and Comptroller until 7/07-Compensation Column(C)includes earned leave time and severance payments Benefits Column (D) include pension, life insurance, healthcare and other benefits accrued as of July 2 2007
Patricia Calabrese	Executive Vice President & CFO - Benefits Column (D) comprised of life insurance, dental, healthcare and pension benefits also included is the estimated accrued present value of a non qualified benefit plan payable December 31, 2009 Payment is subject to the achievement of certain service requirements provided individual is employed by the Wildlife Conservation Society on this date or certain other limited circumstances
John Calvelli	Senior Vice President Public Affairs- Benefits Column (D) comprised of life insurance, dental, healthcare and pension also included is the estimated accrued present values of non qualified benefits payable December 31, 2009 and December 31, 2017 Payments are subject to the achievement of certain service requirements provided individual is employed by Wildlife Conservation Society on these dates or certain other limited circumstances
Maria Masciotti	Senior VP Development- Compensation includes severance, earned vacation and value of non qualified benefit plan as of June 2008, which was disclosed in previous year's 990 as an accrued benefit
William B McKeown	Senior Vice President & General Counsel-Compensation Column (C)includes payment of benefits from a non qualified benefit plan payable as of December 31, 2007, which was previously disclosed on prior year's 990 as an accrued benefit Benefits Column (D)comprised of life insurance, dental, healthcare, pension, also includes the estimated accrued present value of a non qualified benefit plan payable December 31, 2010 Payment is subject to the achievement of certain service requirements provided individual is employed by Wildlife Conservation Society on this date or certain other limited circumstances
Robert Cook	Senior Vice President & General Director, Zoos & Aquarium- Benefits Column (D)comprised of life insurance, dental, healthcare, pension, also includes the estimated present values of non-qualified benefit plan payables at December 31 2011 and June 30 2015 Payments are subject to the achievement of certain service requirements provided individual is employed by Wildlife Conservation Society on these dates or certain other limited circumstances

Person Name	Explanation
Steven E Sanderson	Benefits Column (D) comprised of life insurance, dental, healthcare benefits, pension benefits, and also included is the estimated accrued present value of a non qualified benefit plan payable June 30, 2009 Payment is subject to the achievement of certain service requirements provided individual is employed by Wildlife Conservation Society on this date or certain other limited circumstances Column (E) includes the estimated value of housing provided as a condition of employment and for the convenience of Wildlife Conservation Society, and related tax payments
John Robinson	Executive Vice President Conservation & Science- Benefits Column (D) comprised of life insurance, dental, healthcare, pension also included is the estimated accrued present values of non qualified benefits plan payable December 31, 2009 and December 31, 2014 Payments are subject to the achievement of certain service requirements provided individual is employed by Wildlife Conservation Society on these dates or certain other limited circumstances

TY 2007 Depreciation and Depletion Schedule

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Asset	Amount
leasehold improvements	11,782,873
equipment & furniture & fixtures	1,243,960

TY 2007 Gain/Loss from Sale of Public Securities Schedule**Name:** WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY**EIN:** 13-1740011**Software ID:** 07000149**Software Version:** v1.00**Gross Sales Price:** 380,787,576**Basis:** 344,188,746**Sales Expenses:** 0**Total (net):** 36,598,830

TY 2007 Investments - Securities Schedule

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Description	Book Value	Cost/FMV
multi-asset class incl. other alternative investments	329,129,242	F
Alternative investments	188,893,111	F

TY 2007 Land etc. Schedule

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Category/Item	Cost/Other Basis	Accumulated Depreciation	Book Value
Construction in progress	56,893,606	0	56,893,606
land	651,268	0	651,268
Buildings and exhibits	308,708,753	151,402,875	157,305,878
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	17,101,739	11,816,854	5,284,885

TY 2007 Other Assets Schedule

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Description	Beginning of Year Amount	End of Year Amount
funds held by bond trustee	13,362,170	1,410,565
amounts held in trust by others	2,071,958	1,958,397

TY 2007 Other Changes in Net Assets Schedule

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Description	Amount
change in post retirement benefit costs as per SFAS 158	2,408,277
current years net unrealized gains on securities	598,294
adjustment of unrealized gains recognized in prior years against the current years realized gains	-36,598,830

TY 2007 Other Expenses Included Schedule

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Description	Amount
Cost of Goods Sold	15,071,043

TY 2007 Other Liabilities Schedule

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Description	Beginning of Year Amount	End of Year Amount
Post retirement benefit obligation	33,442,948	32,966,147
Annuity Liability	2,741,040	2,800,319

TY 2007 Other Revenues Included Schedule

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Description	Amount
Cost of goods sold	15,071,043

**TY 2007 Other Revenues
Not Included Schedule****Name:** WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY**EIN:** 13-1740011**Software ID:** 07000149**Software Version:** v1.00

Description	Amount
unrealized gain on investments	-598,294
realized gain on investments from prior years	36,598,830

TY 2007 Sales Of Inventory Schedule

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Category	Gross Sales	Cost of Goods Sold	Net (Gross Sales Minus Cost of Goods Sold)
Gross sales of inventory	21,468,827	15,071,043	6,397,784

TY 2007 Special Events Schedule

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Event Name	Gross Receipts	Contributions	Gross Revenue	Direct Expense	Net Income (Loss)
Conservation Council	174,017	1,570	172,447	96,747	75,700
Explorer's Party	202,211	6,770	195,441	68,521	126,920
Aquarium Events	132,075	24,170	107,905	50,476	57,429
Miscellaneous events	26,683	10,000	16,683	8,539	8,144
Social Gala	1,601,002	252,626	1,348,376	503,459	844,917

TY 2007 Tax-Exempt Bond Liabilities Schedule

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Item No.	1
Name of Issue	The Trust for Cultural Resources
Purpose	finance capital improvements
Amount Outstanding	66664598
Unexpended Bond Proceeds	1410565
Third Party Use	
Space Percentage	
Maturity Date	
Repayment Terms	
Interest Rate	
Security	

TY 2007 Employee Compensation Explanation**Name:** WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY**EIN:** 13-1740011**Software ID:** 07000149**Software Version:** v1.00

Employee	Explanation
Alan Rabinowitz	Compensation includes earned leave time.
Miriam Benitez	Compensation Column (C) includes severance, annual leave and earned time as of termination date.

TY 2007 Scholarship Award Statement

Name: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

EIN: 13-1740011

Software ID: 07000149

Software Version: v1.00

Statement: Research Fellowship program-offers one year grants of up to \$25,000. for research expenses to scientists selected annually from a pool of applicants seeking to conduct applied conservation research in Africa, Asia, Latin America and North America(for Native American and First Nation applicants only). The RFP has two annual deadlines for applications (Mar & Sept). All proposals are initially reviewed for eligibility and quality by WCS staff. Short listed applications are sent to expert reviewers within and outside of WCS for comment on the scientific and conservation value of the applications, and the potential capacity building value for the applicant. Final decisions are made by a committee composed of WCS Regional Asst Directors, the WCS Training and Capacity Building Program Director and the Director of WCS Institute. Graduate Scholarship Program awards Scholarships of up to \$42,000. to cover fees, living expenses and other expenses related to graduate studies anywhere in the world. Applicants from Africa, Asia, Latin America, and North America(Native American and First Nation applicants only) are nominated by WCS field staff, based on their knowledge of the capacity building needs in the country and nominees potential as a conservation leader. The final selection of scholars is made by an independent committee of New York based WCS staff, using a set of agreed criteria. The selection committee is made up of WCS Regional Program Directors, the Director of WCS Training & Capacity Building Program and one other (annually rotating) senior WCS staff person.

*** 990 Online Filers: Please fax completed and signed form to 866-699-3916

Form **8453-EO**

Exempt Organization Declaration and Signature for Electronic Filing

OMB No. 1545-1879

For calendar year 2007, or tax year beginning 7/1/2007 and ending 6/30/2008

2007

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

For use with Forms 990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, 1120-POL, and 8868
▶ See instructions on back.

Name of exempt organization

Employer identification number

WILDLIFE CONSERVATION SOCIETY

13 | 1740011

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

Check the box for the return for which you are using this Form 8453-EO and enter the applicable amount from the return if any. If you check the box on line 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, or 5a below and the amount on that line for the return for which you are filing this form was blank, then leave line 1b, 2b, 3b, 4b, or 5b, whichever is applicable, blank (that is, do not enter -0-). But, if you entered -0- on the return, then enter -0- on the applicable line below. Do not complete more than 1 line in Part I.

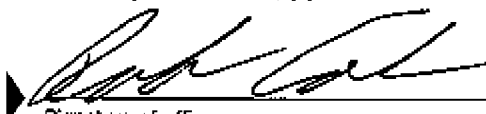
1a Form 990 check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990, line 12)	1b	\$235,443,676
2a Form 990-EZ check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990-EZ, line 9)	2b	
3a Form 1120-POL check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total tax (Form 1120-POL, line 22)	3b	
4a Form 990-PF check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Tax based on investment income (Form 990-PF, Part VI, line 5)	4b	
5a Form 8868 check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Balance due (Form 8868, line 3c)	5b	

Part II Declaration of Officer

6 I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an ACH electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) entry to the financial institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of the organization's federal taxes owed on this return, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account. To revoke a payment, I must contact the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent at 1-888-353-4537 no later than 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial institutions involved in the processing of the electronic payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and resolve issues related to the payment.

If a copy of this return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I certify that I executed the electronic disclosure consent contained within this return allowing disclosure by the IRS of this Form 990/990-EZ/990-PF (as specifically identified in Part I above) to the selected state agency(ies).

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I am an officer of the above named organization and that I have examined a copy of the organization's 2007 electronic return and accompanying schedules and statements and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I further declare that the amount in Part I above is the amount shown on the copy of the organization's electronic return. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send the organization's return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS (a) an acknowledgement of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, (b) an indication of any refund offset, (c) the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and (d) the date of any refund.

Sign Here ▶  4/3/09 ▶ **Robert Galamo, Vice President & Compt**
Signature of officer Date Title

Part III Declaration of Electronic Return Originator (ERO) and Paid Preparer (see instructions)

I declare that I have reviewed the above organization's return and that the entries on Form 8453-EO are complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. If I am only a collector, I am not responsible for reviewing the return and only declare that this form accurately reflects the data on the return. The organization officer will have signed this form before I submit the return. I will give the officer a copy of all forms and information to be filed with the IRS, and have followed all other requirements in Publication 4206, Information for Authorized IRS e-file Providers of Exempt Organization Filings. If I am also the Paid Preparer, under penalties of perjury I declare that I have examined the above organization's return and accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. This Paid Preparer declaration is based on all information of which I have any knowledge.

ERO's Use Only	ERO's signature ▶	Date	Check if also paid preparer <input type="checkbox"/>	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	ERO's SSN or PTIN
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP code ▶				EIN : Phone no. ()

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined the above return and accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer is based on all information of which the preparer has any knowledge.

Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature ▶	Date	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	Preparer's SSN or PTIN
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP code ▶			EIN : Phone no. ()