

**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

**2012**

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

**Open to Public Inspection**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

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

**A For the 2012 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2012, and ending , 20**

<b>B</b> Check if applicable <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	<b>C</b> Name of organization PROJECT FOR PUBLIC SPACES, INC. Doing Business As			<b>D</b> Employer identification number 13-2808114	
	Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) 419 LAFAYETTE STREET		Room/suite 7TH FL.	<b>E</b> Telephone number (212) 620-5660	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code NEW YORK, NY 10003				
	<b>F</b> Name and address of principal officer FRED KENT 419 LAFAYETTE STREET, 7TH FL., NEW YORK, NY 10003			<b>G</b> Gross receipts \$ 3,826,413. <b>H(a)</b> Is this a group return for affiliates? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>H(b)</b> Are all affiliates included? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> If "No," attach a list (see instructions)	
<b>I</b> Tax-exempt status <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) ( ) (insert no ) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527		<b>J</b> Website: WWW.PPS.ORG			<b>H(c)</b> Group exemption number
<b>K</b> Form of organization <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other			<b>L</b> Year of formation 1975		<b>M</b> State of legal domicile NY

**Part I Summary**

<b>Activities &amp; Governance</b>	<b>1</b> Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities PPS SPECIALIZES IN THE PLANNING, DESIGN AND MANAGEMENT OF PUBLIC SPACES. ITS MISSION HELPING PEOPLE CREATE AND SUSTAIN PUBLIC SPACES THAT BUILD STRONGER COMMUNITIES.	
	<b>2</b> Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets	
	<b>3</b> Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3 7.
	<b>4</b> Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4 7.
	<b>5</b> Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2012 (Part V, line 2a)	5 29.
	<b>6</b> Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6
	<b>7a</b> Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a 0
<b>7b</b> Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b 0	
<b>Revenue</b>	<b>8</b> Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	764,060. 807,920.
	<b>9</b> Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	2,108,180. 2,986,464.
	<b>10</b> Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	3,982. 3,540.
	<b>11</b> Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	228,463. 28,489.
	<b>12</b> Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	3,104,685. 3,826,413.
<b>Expenses</b>	<b>13</b> Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	0 0
	<b>14</b> Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0 0
	<b>15</b> Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	1,729,711. 1,806,407.
	<b>16a</b> Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	0 0
	<b>b</b> Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)	70,116.
<b>17</b> Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)	1,209,797. 1,889,593.	
<b>18</b> Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2,939,508. 3,696,000.	
<b>19</b> Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12	165,177. 130,413.	
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>20</b> Total assets (Part X, line 16)	1,571,699. 1,685,405.
	<b>21</b> Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	242,238. 223,599.
	<b>22</b> Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	1,329,461. 1,461,806.

**Part II Signature Block**

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

<b>Sign Here</b>	Signature of officer <i>Fred Kent</i>	Date 10/04/13
	Type or print name and title Fred Kent, President	

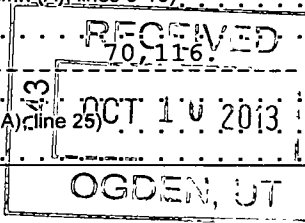
<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name JAMES J. RELLY	Preparer's signature <i>[Signature]</i>	Date SEP 24 2013	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/> PTIN P00183769
	Firm's name CONDON O'MEARA MCGINTY & DONNELLY L		Firm's EIN 13-3628255	
	Firm's address ONE BATTERY PARK PLAZA NEW YORK, NY 10004-2205		Phone no 212-661-7777	

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)  Yes  No

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

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**Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III  Yes  No

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:  
PPS SPECIALIZES IN THE PLANNING, DESIGN AND MANAGEMENT OF PUBLIC SPACES. ITS MISSION HELPING PEOPLE CREATE AND SUSTAIN PUBLIC SPACES THAT BUILD STRONGER COMMUNITIES.

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

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

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

4a (Code \_\_\_\_\_) (Expenses \$ 908,931. including grants of \$ \_\_\_\_\_) (Revenue \$ 1,401,495. )  
BUILDING COMMUNITY THROUGH TRANSPORTATION: ONE TRAINING COURSE;  
EPA BUILDING BLOCKS FOR SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES PROGRAM; LAUNCHED  
LIVABILITY SOLUTIONS WEBSITE, DEVELOPMENT OF FHWA CONTEXT  
SENSITIVE SOLUTIONS WEBSITE TO A CSS CLEARINGHOUSE; PRO WALK-PRO  
BIKE CONFERENCE.

4b (Code \_\_\_\_\_) (Expenses \$ 556,420. including grants of \$ \_\_\_\_\_) (Revenue \$ 912,508. )  
PUBLIC MARKETS AND LOCAL ECONOMIES: COMPLETED FOUR PUBLIC MARKET  
PROJECTS; COMPLETED DETROIT COMMUNITY MARKETS TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE  
PROGRAM; INTERNATIONAL PUBLIC MARKETS CONFERENCE IN CLEVELAND,  
OHIO.

4c (Code \_\_\_\_\_) (Expenses \$ 166,329. including grants of \$ \_\_\_\_\_) (Revenue \$ 258,432. )  
CREATING PUBLIC MULTIUSE DESTINATIONS: 4-GENERAL IN HOUSE  
TRAININGS; 1-OUT OF HOUSE TRAINING; 8-MULTI USE DESTINATIONS  
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROJECTS.

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O )  
(Expenses \$ 828,551. including grants of \$ \_\_\_\_\_) (Revenue \$ 414,029. )

4e Total program service expenses ► 2,460,231.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

Table with 3 columns: Question ID, Yes, No. Rows include questions 1 through 20b regarding organizational requirements and financial reporting.

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)**

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

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part V.

Table with columns for question number, description, and Yes/No checkboxes. Includes questions 1a-14b regarding Form 1096, Form W-2G, Form W-3, Form 990-T, Form 8886-T, Form 8282, Form 8899, Form 1098-C, Form 4966, Form 1041, and Form 720.

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VI. [X]

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body... 1b Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a... 2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship... 3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties... 4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents... 5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets... 6 Did the organization have members or stockholders... 7a Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body... 7b Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body... 8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following: a The governing body? b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body? 9 Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O.

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

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 10a Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates? 10b If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes? 11a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? 11b Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990 12a Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13 12b Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? 12c Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done 13 Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy? 14 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? 15 Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision? 15a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official 15b Other officers or key employees of the organization If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions). 16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year? 16b If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed NEW YORK
18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection Indicate how you made these available Check all that apply
[ ] Own website [ ] Another's website [X] Upon request [ ] Other (explain in Schedule O)
19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year
20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization EILEINA OLONETSKY/PPS, 419 LAFAYETTE STREET, 7TH FL., NEW YORK, NY 10003 (212) 620-5660

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VII

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

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

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any See instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

List persons in the following order individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons

Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) FRED KENT PRESIDENT	35.00	X		X				147,307.	0	4,982.
(2) ANDREW MANSHEL TREASURER	3.00	X		X				0	0	0
(3) RICARDO BYRD BOARD MEMBER	3.00	X						0	0	0
(4) DR. MINNIE FELS JOHNSON BOARD MEMBER	3.00	X						0	0	0
(5) DICK SWETT BOARD MEMBER	3.00	X						0	0	0
(6) JENNIFER VICKERS BOARD MEMBER	3.00	X						0	0	0
(7) VANESSA SEPTEMBER BOARD MEMBER	3.00	X						0	0	0
(8) STEPHEN C. DAVIES SENIOR V.P./SECRETARY	35.00			X				126,497.	0	7,971.
(9) KATHLEEN MADDEN SENIOR V.P.	35.00			X				126,497.	0	7,530.
(10) GARY TOTH DIRECTOR	30.00			X				136,026.	0	0
(11)										
(12)										
(13)										
(14)										



**Part VIII Statement of Revenue**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VIII

			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
<b>Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts</b>	1a	Federated campaigns . . . . .	1a				
	b	Membership dues . . . . .	1b				
	c	Fundraising events . . . . .	1c				
	d	Related organizations . . . . .	1d				
	e	Government grants (contributions) . . . . .	1e				
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above . . . . .	1f	807,920.			
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$ . . . . .					
	h	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1f . . . . .		807,920.			
<b>Program Service Revenue</b>	2a	PROGRAM FEES	Business Code 900099	2,277,730.	2,277,730.		
	b	WORKSHOPS	900099	38,033.	38,033.		
	c	CONFERENCES	900099	670,701.	670,701.		
	d						
	e						
	f	All other program service revenue . . . . .					
	g	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 2a-2f . . . . .		2,986,464.			
<b>Other Revenue</b>	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) . . . . .		3,540.		3,540.	
	4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds . . . . .		0			
	5	Royalties . . . . .		0			
	6a	Gross rents . . . . .	(i) Real				
			(ii) Personal				
	b	Less rental expenses . . . . .					
	c	Rental income or (loss) . . . . .					
	d	Net rental income or (loss) . . . . .		0			
	7a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities				
			(ii) Other				
	b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses . . . . .					
	c	Gain or (loss) . . . . .					
d	Net gain or (loss) . . . . .		0				
8a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18 . . . . .	a					
b	Less direct expenses . . . . .	b					
c	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events . . . . .			0			
9a	Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19 . . . . .	a					
b	Less direct expenses . . . . .	b					
c	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities . . . . .			0			
10a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances . . . . .	a	22,038.				
b	Less cost of goods sold . . . . .	b					
c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory . . . . .			22,038.			
<b>Miscellaneous Revenue</b>			<b>Business Code</b>				
11a	MISC. INCOME		900099	6,451.	6,451.		
b							
c							
d	All other revenue . . . . .						
e	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 11a-11d . . . . .			6,451.			
12	<b>Total revenue.</b> See instructions . . . . .			3,826,413.	2,992,915.	3,540.	

**Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses**

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part IX

<b>Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.</b>		(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States See Part IV, line 21 . . . . .	0			
2	Grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States See Part IV, line 22 . . . . .	0			
3	Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the United States See Part IV, lines 15 and 16 . . . . .	0			
4	Benefits paid to or for members . . . . .	0			
5	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees . . . . .	556,810.	277,011.	266,118.	13,681.
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) . . . . .	0			
7	Other salaries and wages . . . . .	986,968.	491,012.	471,706.	24,250.
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions) . . . . .	0			
9	Other employee benefits . . . . .	150,988.	75,116.	72,162.	3,710.
10	Payroll taxes . . . . .	111,641.	55,541.	53,357.	2,743.
11	Fees for services (non-employees)				
a	Management . . . . .	0			
b	Legal . . . . .	275.		275.	
c	Accounting . . . . .	12,880.		12,880.	
d	Lobbying . . . . .	0			
e	Professional fundraising services See Part IV, line 17	0			
f	Investment management fees . . . . .	0			
g	Other (if line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O). . . . .	945,976.	910,533.	27,944.	7,499.
12	Advertising and promotion . . . . .	0			
13	Office expenses . . . . .	29,109.	2,935.	25,582.	592.
14	Information technology . . . . .	0			
15	Royalties . . . . .	0			
16	Occupancy . . . . .	312,047.	155,243.	149,138.	7,666.
17	Travel . . . . .	484,099.	447,018.	30,319.	6,762.
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials . . . . .	0			
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings . . . . .	0			
20	Interest . . . . .	0			
21	Payments to affiliates . . . . .	0			
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization . . . . .	19,548.	9,578.	9,383.	587.
23	Insurance . . . . .	14,569.	7,248.	6,963.	358.
24	Other expenses Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O)				
a	FILM & GRAPHICS . . . . .	19,191.	6,224.	11,825.	1,142.
b	BANK FEES . . . . .	6,124.		6,124.	
c	EQUIPMENT RENTAL . . . . .	30,767.	15,306.	14,704.	757.
d	OTHER . . . . .	15,008.	7,466.	7,173.	369.
e	All other expenses . . . . .				
25	<b>Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 1 through 24e	3,696,000.	2,460,231.	1,165,653.	70,116.
26	<b>Joint costs.</b> Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720) . . . . .	0			

**Part X Balance Sheet**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part X

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
<b>Assets</b>	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing	35,338.	1 177,870.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	724,964.	2 999,783.
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	0	3 0
	4	Accounts receivable, net	600,069.	4 291,153.
	5	Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	5 0
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	6 0
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net	0	7 0
	8	Inventories for sale or use	0	8 0
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	3,592.	9 5,349.
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a 286,026.	
	b	Less accumulated depreciation	10b 224,229.	10c 61,797.
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities	62,530.	11 77,363.
	12	Investments - other securities See Part IV, line 11	0	12 0
	13	Investments - program-related See Part IV, line 11	0	13 0
	14	Intangible assets	0	14 0
	15	Other assets See Part IV, line 11	75,140.	15 72,090.
16	<b>Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	1,571,699.	16 1,685,405.	
<b>Liabilities</b>	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	154,842.	17 100,692.
	18	Grants payable	0	18 0
	19	Deferred revenue	36,104.	19 71,615.
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities	0	20 0
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D	0	21 0
	22	Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	22 0
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	0	23 0
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties	0	24 0
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24) Complete Part X of Schedule D	51,292.	25 51,292.
	26	<b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25	242,238.	26 223,599.
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.			
	27	Unrestricted net assets	1,129,638.	27 1,194,107.
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets	199,823.	28 267,699.
	29	Permanently restricted net assets	0	29 0
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.			
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32
	33	<b>Total net assets or fund balances</b>	1,329,461.	33 1,461,806.
	34	<b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances.</b>	1,571,699.	34 1,685,405.

**Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	3,826,413.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	3,696,000.
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	130,413.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	1,329,461.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	1,932.
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	0
7	Investment expenses	7	0
8	Prior period adjustments	8	0
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	0
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	1,461,806.

**Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII

		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? . . . . . If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		X
2b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? . . . . . If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis	X	
2c	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? . . . . . If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O	X	
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133? . . . . .		X
3b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits		

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

**Public Charity Status and Public Support**

OMB No 1545-0047

**2012**

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

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

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

<b>Name of the organization</b> PROJECT FOR PUBLIC SPACES, INC.	<b>Employer identification number</b> 13-2808114
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**Part I Reason for Public Charity Status** (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box )

- 1  A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)**.
- 2  A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)**. (Attach Schedule E )
- 3  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**.
- 4  A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. Enter the hospital's name, city, and state \_\_\_\_\_
- 5  An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv)**. (Complete Part II )
- 6  A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)**.
- 7  An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II )
- 8  A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II )
- 9  An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3 % of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions - subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3 % of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See **section 509(a)(2)**. (Complete Part III )
- 10  An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety See **section 509(a)(4)**.
- 11  An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2) See **section 509(a)(3)**. Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h  
  - a  Type I    b  Type II    c  Type III-Functionally integrated    d  Type III-Non-functionally integrated
- e  By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2).
- f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box
- g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?  
  - (i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization? 

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		
  - (ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above? .....
  - (iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above? .....
- h Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the U S ?		(vii) Amount of monetary support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
(A)									
(B)									
(C)									
(D)									
(E)									
<b>Total</b>									

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Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support

Table with 7 columns: Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in), (a) 2008, (b) 2009, (c) 2010, (d) 2011, (e) 2012, (f) Total. Rows include: 1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received; 2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit; 3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit; 4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3; 5 The portion of total contributions by each person; 6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.

Section B. Total Support

Table with 7 columns: Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in), (a) 2008, (b) 2009, (c) 2010, (d) 2011, (e) 2012, (f) Total. Rows include: 7 Amounts from line 4; 8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources; 9 Net income from unrelated business activities; 10 Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets; 11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10; 12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc; 13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here.

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

Table with 3 columns: Line number, Description, and Percentage. Rows include: 14 Public support percentage for 2012 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) 31.77%; 15 Public support percentage from 2011 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 43.38%; 16a 33 1/3% support test - 2012; b 33 1/3% support test - 2011; 17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2012; b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2011; 18 Private foundation.

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)**  
 (Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II.  
 If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose . . . . .						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513 . . . . .						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf . . . . .						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge . . . . .						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5 . . . . .						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons . . . . .						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year . . . . .						
c Add lines 7a and 7b . . . . .						
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6) . . . . .						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6 . . . . .						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources . . . . .						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975 . . . . .						
c Add lines 10a and 10b . . . . .						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on . . . . .						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV) . . . . .						
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12) . . . . .						

14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here . . . . .

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

15 Public support percentage for 2012 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) . . . . .	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2011 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 . . . . .	16	%

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

17 Investment income percentage for 2012 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) . . . . .	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2011 Schedule A, Part III, line 17 . . . . .	18	%

19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2012. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶

b 33 1/3% support tests - 2011. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶

20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions ▶

**Part IV** **Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; and Part III, line 12. Also complete this part for any additional information (See instructions).

ATTACHMENT 1

## SCHEDULE A, PART II - OTHER INCOME

DESCRIPTION	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	TOTAL
OTHER INCOME	22,913.	25,565.	11,570.	206,125.	6,451.	272,624.
<b>TOTALS</b>	<u>22,913.</u>	<u>25,565.</u>	<u>11,570.</u>	<u>206,125.</u>	<u>6,451.</u>	<u>272,624.</u>

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Supplemental Financial Statements

OMB No 1545-0047

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.

Attach to Form 990. See separate instructions.

Name of the organization

PROJECT FOR PUBLIC SPACES, INC.

Employer identification number

13-2808114

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

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include Total number at end of year, Aggregate contributions, Aggregate grants, Aggregate value, and questions about donor advisement.

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

Table for Conservation Easements. Includes questions about purpose of easements, acreage, and monitoring. Includes a sub-table for 'Held at the End of the Tax Year' with rows 2a, 2b, 2c, 2d.

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

Table for Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Includes questions about reporting requirements and amounts for revenues and assets.

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

3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)

- a  Public exhibition
- b  Scholarly research
- c  Preservation for future generations
- d  Loan or exchange programs
- e  Other \_\_\_\_\_

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.

5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?  Yes  No

**Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?  Yes  No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table.

	Amount
c Beginning balance	1c
d Additions during the year	1d
e Distributions during the year	1e
f Ending balance	1f

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?  Yes  No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII.  Yes  No

**Part V Endowment Funds.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	199,823.	66,552.	101,841.	110,059.	114,874.
b Contributions	775,000.	725,000.	359,000.	349,600.	150,609.
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs	707,124.	591,729.	394,289.	357,818.	155,424.
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance	267,699.	199,823.	66,552.	101,841.	110,059.

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

- a Board designated or quasi-endowment  %
  - b Permanent endowment  %
  - c Temporarily restricted endowment  100.0000 %
- The percentages in lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%

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

- (i) unrelated organizations
- (ii) related organizations

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

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

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

**Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.** See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings				
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		286,026.	224,229.	61,797.
e Other				
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c)).				61,797.

**Part VII Investments - Other Securities.** See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

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

**Part VIII Investments - Program Related.** See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment type	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
(10)		
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13)		

**Part IX Other Assets.** See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
(10)	
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 15)	

**Part X Other Liabilities.** See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2) ACCRUED SALARIES	51,292.
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
(10)	
(11)	
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25)	51,292.

2. FIN 48 (ASC 740) Footnote In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740) Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII.



**Part XIII** Supplemental Information (continued)

## ENDOWMENT FUNDS

## PART V - LINE 4

THE TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED ASSETS ARE FUNDS THAT PPS RECEIVES IN ADVANCE TO USE FOR WORK THAT WILL BE DONE IN THE FUTURE. USUALLY, PPS RESTRICTS FUNDS FOR CONTRACTED PROJECTS THAT ARE FUNDED BY GOVERNMENT, FOUNDATIONS, AND GRANTS.

## OTHER LIABILITIES

## PART X - LINE 2

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2012, NO AMOUNTS HAVE BEEN RECOGNIZED FOR ANY UNCERTAIN INCOME TAX POSITIONS. PPS'S TAX RETURNS FOR THE YEAR 2009 AND FORWARD ARE SUBJECT TO THE USUAL REVIEW BY THE APPROPRIATE TAXING AUTHORITIES.

**SCHEDULE J  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Compensation Information**

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 23.

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Name of the organization

PROJECT FOR PUBLIC SPACES, INC.

Employer identification number

13-2808114

**Part I Questions Regarding Compensation**

**1a** Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments | <input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account            | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef) |

**b** If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain

**2** Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all officers, directors, trustees, and the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?

**3** Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee              | <input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant | <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee |

**4** During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization

- a** Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?
- b** Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?
- c** Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?
- If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.

**Only section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete lines 5-9.**

**5** For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:

- a** The organization?
- b** Any related organization?
- If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III

**6** For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:

- a** The organization?
- b** Any related organization?
- If "Yes" to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III

**7** For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III

**8** Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III

**9** If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?

	Yes	No
<b>1b</b>		
<b>2</b>		
<b>4a</b>		X
<b>4b</b>		X
<b>4c</b>		X
<b>5a</b>		X
<b>5b</b>		X
<b>6a</b>		X
<b>6b</b>		X
<b>7</b>		X
<b>8</b>		X
<b>9</b>		

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Schedule J (Form 990) 2012

**Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees.** Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported in Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII

**Note.** The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual

(A) Name and Title	(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported as deferred in prior Form 990
	(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
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1 PRESIDENT							
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**Part III Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

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

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

OMB No 1545-0047

**2012**

**Open to Public  
Inspection**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on  
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.  
▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

Name of the organization

PROJECT FOR PUBLIC SPACES, INC.

Employer identification number

13-2808114

STATEMENT OF PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS

PART III - LINE 4D

OTHER PROGRAMS:

-ARCHITECTURE OF PLACE

-DOWNTOWNS

-CIVIC CENTERS

-PARKS

-PLAZAS & SQUARES

-WATERFRONTS.

GOVERNANCE, MANAGEMENT, AND DISCLOSURE

PART VI, SECTION A. - QUESTION 6

THE PROJECT FOR PUBLIC SPACES, INC. WAS INCORPORATED AS A MEMBERSHIP  
ORGANIZATION.

GOVERNANCE, MANAGEMENT, AND DISCLOSURE

PART VI, SECTION B. - QUESTION 11B

THE FORM 990 IS REVIEWED BY THE CHAIR AND TREASURER PRIOR TO FILING.

GOVERNANCE, MANAGEMENT, AND DISCLOSURE

PART VI, SECTION B. - QUESTION 12C

THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY IS REVIEWED ANNUALLY AT THE BOARD  
MEETING.

GOVERNANCE, MANAGEMENT, AND DISCLOSURE

Name of the organization

PROJECT FOR PUBLIC SPACES, INC.

Employer identification number

13-2808114

PART VI, SECTION B. - QUESTIONS 15A & 15B

PERFORM COMPARISON OF SALARIES FROM OTHER SIMILAR ORGANIZATIONS WHEN  
DETERMINING COMPENSATION.

GOVERNANCE, MANAGEMENT, AND DISCLOSURE

PART VI, SECTION C. - QUESTION 19

THE ORGANIZATION MAKES ITS GOVERNING DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST  
POLICY, AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.

## Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

OMB No 1545-1709

▶ **File a separate application for each return.**

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

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

**Electronic filing (e-file).** You can electronically file Form 8868 if you need a 3-month automatic extension of time to file (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T), or an additional (not automatic) 3-month extension of time. You can electronically file Form 8868 to request an extension of time to file any of the forms listed in Part I or Part II with the exception of Form 8870, Information Return for Transfers Associated With Certain Personal Benefit Contracts, which must be sent to the IRS in paper format (see instructions). For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit [www.irs.gov/efile](http://www.irs.gov/efile) and click on *e-file for Charities & Nonprofits*

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

A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension - check this box and complete Part I only

All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns. Enter filer's identifying number, see instructions

<b>Type or print</b> <small>File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.</small>	Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions	Employer identification number (EIN) or
	PROJECT FOR PUBLIC SPACES, INC.	13-2808114
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P O box, see instructions	Social security number (SSN)
	419 LAFAYETTE STREET	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions	
	NEW YORK, NY 10003	

Enter the Return code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return)  0  1

Application Is For	Return Code	Application Is For	Return Code
Form 990 or Form 990-EZ	01	Form 990-T (corporation)	07
Form 990-BL	02	Form 1041-A	08
Form 4720- (individual)	03	Form 4720	09
Form 990-PF	04	Form 5227	10
Form 990-T (sec 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	05	Form 6069	11
Form 990-T (trust other than above)	06	Form 8870	12

• The books are in the care of ▶ ELEINA OLONETSKY/PPS,

Telephone No ▶ 212 620-5660 FAX No ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

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

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until 08/15, 2013, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for  
 ▶  calendar year 2012 or  
 ▶  tax year beginning \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, and ending \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

2 If the tax year entered in line 1 is for less than 12 months, check reason  Initial return  Final return  
 Change in accounting period

3a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions	<b>3a</b> \$
b If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit	<b>3b</b> \$
c <b>Balance due.</b> Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	<b>3c</b> \$

**Caution.** If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions

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