

**Application for Recognition of Exemption
 Under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code**

▶ (Use with the June 2006 revision of the Instructions for Form 1023 and the current Notice 1382)

Use the instructions to complete this application and for a definition of all **bold** items. For additional help, call IRS Exempt Organizations Customer Account Services toll-free at 1-877-829-5500. Visit our website at **www.irs.gov** for forms and publications. If the required information and documents are not submitted with payment of the appropriate user fee, the application may be returned to you.

Attach additional sheets to this application if you need more space to answer fully. Put your name and EIN on each sheet and identify each answer by Part and line number. Complete Parts I - XI of Form 1023 and submit only those Schedules (A through H) that apply to you.

Part I Identification of Applicant

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| 1 Full name of organization (exactly as it appears in your organizing document) | | 2 c/o Name (if applicable) | |
| Brave Young Hearts | | Kerry Michael Slaven | |
| 3 Mailing address (Number and street) (see instructions) | Room/Suite | 4 Employer Identification Number (EIN) | |
| 6788 Pierson Court | | 47-3383321 | |
| City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 | | 5 Month the annual accounting period ends (01 - 12) | |
| Arvada, CO 80004-2739 | | 12 | |
| 6 Primary contact (officer, director, trustee, or authorized representative) | | b Phone: 303-518-6420 | |
| a Name: | | c Fax: (optional) | |
| Kerry Michael Slaven - President | | | |
| 7 Are you represented by an authorized representative, such as an attorney or accountant? If "Yes," provide the authorized representative's name, and the name and address of the authorized representative's firm. Include a completed Form 2848, <i>Power of Attorney and Declaration of Representative</i> , with your application if you would like us to communicate with your representative. | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No | |
| 8 Was a person who is not one of your officers, directors, trustees, employees, or an authorized representative listed in line 7, paid, or promised payment, to help plan, manage, or advise you about the structure or activities of your organization, or about your financial or tax matters? If "Yes," provide the person's name, the name and address of the person's firm, the amounts paid or promised to be paid, and describe that person's role. | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No | |
| 9a Organization's website: www.braveyounghearts.net | | | |
| b Organization's email: (optional) Papa.Bear@braveyounghearts.net ; braveyounghearts@gmail.com | | | |
| 10 Certain organizations are not required to file an information return (Form 990 or Form 990-EZ). If you are granted tax-exemption, are you claiming to be excused from filing Form 990 or Form 990-EZ? If "Yes," explain. See the instructions for a description of organizations not required to file Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No | |
| 11 Date incorporated if a corporation, or formed, if other than a corporation. (MM/DD/YYYY) | | 03 / 12 / 2015 | |
| 12 Were you formed under the laws of a foreign country ? If "Yes," state the country. | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No | |

Part II Organizational Structure

You must be a corporation (including a limited liability company), an unincorporated association, or a trust to be tax exempt. (See instructions.) **DO NOT file this form unless you can check "Yes" on lines 1, 2, 3, or 4.**

- 1** Are you a **corporation**? If "Yes," attach a copy of your articles of incorporation showing **certification of filing** with the appropriate state agency. Include copies of any amendments to your articles and be sure they also show state filing certification. **Yes** **No**
- 2** Are you a **limited liability company (LLC)**? If "Yes," attach a copy of your articles of organization showing certification of filing with the appropriate state agency. Also, if you adopted an operating agreement, attach a copy. Include copies of any amendments to your articles and be sure they show state filing certification. Refer to the instructions for circumstances when an LLC should not file its own exemption application. **Yes** **No**
- 3** Are you an **unincorporated association**? If "Yes," attach a copy of your articles of association, constitution, or other similar organizing document that is dated and includes at least two signatures. Include signed and dated copies of any amendments. **Yes** **No**
- 4a** Are you a **trust**? If "Yes," attach a signed and dated copy of your trust agreement. Include signed and dated copies of any amendments. **Yes** **No**
- b** Have you been funded? If "No," explain how you are formed without anything of value placed in trust. **Yes** **No**
- 5** Have you adopted **bylaws**? If "Yes," attach a current copy showing date of adoption. If "No," explain how your officers, directors, or trustees are selected. **Yes** **No**

Part III Required Provisions in Your Organizing Document

The following questions are designed to ensure that when you file this application, your organizing document contains the required provisions to meet the organizational test under section 501(c)(3). Unless you can check the boxes in both lines 1 and 2, your organizing document does not meet the organizational test. **DO NOT file this application until you have amended your organizing document.** Submit your original and amended organizing documents (showing state filing certification if you are a corporation or an LLC) with your application.

- 1** Section 501(c)(3) requires that your organizing document state your exempt purpose(s), such as charitable, religious, educational, and/or scientific purposes. Check the box to confirm that your organizing document meets this requirement. Describe specifically where your organizing document meets this requirement, such as a reference to a particular article or section in your organizing document. Refer to the instructions for exempt purpose language.
- Location of Purpose Clause (Page, Article, and Paragraph): **Brave Young Hearts ByLaws, Page 2, Article 3.0**
- 2a** Section 501(c)(3) requires that upon dissolution of your organization, your remaining assets must be used exclusively for exempt purposes, such as charitable, religious, educational, and/or scientific purposes. Check the box on line 2a to confirm that your organizing document meets this requirement by express provision for the distribution of assets upon dissolution. If you rely on state law for your dissolution provision, do not check the box on line 2a and go to line 2c.
- b** If you checked the box on line 2a, specify the location of your dissolution clause (Page, Article, and Paragraph). Do not complete line 2c if you checked box 2a. **Brave Young Hearts ByLaws, Page 18, Article 14.0**
- c** See the instructions for information about the operation of state law in your particular state. Check this box if you rely on operation of state law for your dissolution provision and indicate the state:

Part IV Narrative Description of Your Activities

Using an attachment, describe your *past*, *present*, and *planned* activities in a narrative. If you believe that you have already provided some of this information in response to other parts of this application, you may summarize that information here and refer to the specific parts of the application for supporting details. You may also attach representative copies of newsletters, brochures, or similar documents for supporting details to this narrative. Remember that if this application is approved, it will be open for public inspection. Therefore, your narrative description of activities should be thorough and accurate. Refer to the instructions for information that must be included in your description.

Part V Compensation and Other Financial Arrangements With Your Officers, Directors, Trustees, Employees, and Independent Contractors

- 1a** List the names, titles, and mailing addresses of all of your officers, directors, and trustees. For each person listed, state their total annual **compensation**, or proposed compensation, for all services to the organization, whether as an officer, employee, or other position. Use actual figures, if available. Enter "none" if no compensation is or will be paid. If additional space is needed, attach a separate sheet. Refer to the instructions for information on what to include as compensation.

| Name | Title | Mailing address | Compensation amount (annual actual or estimated) |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| Kerry Slaven | President/Founder | 6788 Pierson Ct. Arvada, CO 80004 | none |
| Diane Slaven | Secretary | 6788 Pierson Ct. Arvada, CO 80004 | none |
| David Ogard | Vice President | 15373 Uravan St. Brighton, CO 80601 | none |
| Kimberly Russell | Treasurer | PO Box 1524 Conifer, CO 80433 | none |

Part V Compensation and Other Financial Arrangements With Your Officers, Directors, Trustees, Employees, and Independent Contractors (Continued)

b List the names, titles, and mailing addresses of each of your five highest compensated employees who receive or will receive compensation of more than \$50,000 per year. Use the actual figure, if available. Refer to the instructions for information on what to include as compensation. Do not include officers, directors, or trustees listed in line 1a.

| Name | Title | Mailing address | Compensation amount (annual actual or estimated) |
|----------------|-------|-----------------|--|
| Not Applicable | | | none |
| Not Applicable | | | none |
| Not Applicable | | | none |
| Not Applicable | | | none |
| Not Applicable | | | none |

c List the names, names of businesses, and mailing addresses of your five highest compensated **independent contractors** that receive or will receive compensation of more than \$50,000 per year. Use the actual figure, if available. Refer to the instructions for information on what to include as compensation.

| Name | Title | Mailing address | Compensation amount (annual actual or estimated) |
|----------------|-------|-----------------|--|
| Not Applicable | | | none |
| Not Applicable | | | none |
| Not Applicable | | | none |
| Not Applicable | | | none |
| Not Applicable | | | none |

The following "Yes" or "No" questions relate to *past, present, or planned* relationships, transactions, or agreements with your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, and highest compensated independent contractors listed in lines 1a, 1b, and 1c.

2a Are any of your officers, directors, or trustees **related** to each other through **family** or **business relationships**? If "Yes," identify the individuals and explain the relationship. **Yes** **No**

b Do you have a business relationship with any of your officers, directors, or trustees other than through their position as an officer, director, or trustee? If "Yes," identify the individuals and describe the business relationship with each of your officers, directors, or trustees. **Yes** **No**

c Are any of your officers, directors, or trustees related to your highest compensated employees or highest compensated independent contractors listed on lines 1b or 1c through family or business relationships? If "Yes," identify the individuals and explain the relationship. **Yes** **No**

3a For each of your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, and highest compensated independent contractors listed on lines 1a, 1b, or 1c, attach a list showing their name, qualifications, average hours worked, and duties.

b Do any of your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, and highest compensated independent contractors listed on lines 1a, 1b, or 1c receive compensation from any other organizations, whether tax exempt or taxable, that are related to you through **common control**? If "Yes," identify the individuals, explain the relationship between you and the other organization, and describe the compensation arrangement. **Yes** **No**

4 In establishing the compensation for your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, and highest compensated independent contractors listed on lines 1a, 1b, and 1c, the following practices are recommended, although they are not required to obtain exemption. Answer "Yes" to all the practices you use.

a Do you or will the individuals that approve compensation arrangements follow a conflict of interest policy? **Yes** **No**

b Do you or will you approve compensation arrangements in advance of paying compensation? **Yes** **No**

c Do you or will you document in writing the date and terms of approved compensation arrangements? **Yes** **No**

Part V Compensation and Other Financial Arrangements With Your Officers, Directors, Trustees, Employees, and Independent Contractors (Continued)

- d** Do you or will you record in writing the decision made by each individual who decided or voted on compensation arrangements? **Yes** **No**
- e** Do you or will you approve compensation arrangements based on information about compensation paid by **similarly situated** taxable or tax-exempt organizations for similar services, current compensation surveys compiled by independent firms, or actual written offers from similarly situated organizations? Refer to the instructions for Part V, lines 1a, 1b, and 1c, for information on what to include as compensation. **Yes** **No**
- f** Do you or will you record in writing both the information on which you relied to base your decision and its source? **Yes** **No**
- g** If you answered "No" to any item on lines 4a through 4f, describe how you set compensation that is **reasonable** for your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, and highest compensated independent contractors listed in Part V, lines 1a, 1b, and 1c.
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- 5a** Have you adopted a **conflict of interest policy** consistent with the sample conflict of interest policy in Appendix A to the instructions? If "Yes," provide a copy of the policy and explain how the policy has been adopted, such as by resolution of your governing board. If "No," answer lines 5b and 5c. **Yes** **No**
- b** What procedures will you follow to assure that persons who have a conflict of interest will not have influence over you for setting their own compensation?
- c** What procedures will you follow to assure that persons who have a conflict of interest will not have influence over you regarding business deals with themselves?
Note. A conflict of interest policy is recommended though it is not required to obtain exemption. Hospitals, see Schedule C, Section I, line 14.
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- 6a** Do you or will you compensate any of your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, and highest compensated independent contractors listed in lines 1a, 1b, or 1c through **non-fixed payments**, such as discretionary bonuses or revenue-based payments? If "Yes," describe all non-fixed compensation arrangements, including how the amounts are determined, who is eligible for such arrangements, whether you place a limitation on total compensation, and how you determine or will determine that you pay no more than reasonable compensation for services. Refer to the instructions for Part V, lines 1a, 1b, and 1c, for information on what to include as compensation. **Yes** **No**
- b** Do you or will you compensate any of your employees, other than your officers, directors, trustees, or your five highest compensated employees who receive or will receive compensation of more than \$50,000 per year, through non-fixed payments, such as discretionary bonuses or revenue-based payments? If "Yes," describe all non-fixed compensation arrangements, including how the amounts are or will be determined, who is or will be eligible for such arrangements, whether you place or will place a limitation on total compensation, and how you determine or will determine that you pay no more than reasonable compensation for services. Refer to the instructions for Part V, lines 1a, 1b, and 1c, for information on what to include as compensation. **Yes** **No**
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- 7a** Do you or will you purchase any goods, services, or assets from any of your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, or highest compensated independent contractors listed in lines 1a, 1b, or 1c? If "Yes," describe any such purchase that you made or intend to make, from whom you make or will make such purchases, how the terms are or will be negotiated at **arm's length**, and explain how you determine or will determine that you pay no more than **fair market value**. Attach copies of any written contracts or other agreements relating to such purchases. **Yes** **No**
- b** Do you or will you sell any goods, services, or assets to any of your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, or highest compensated independent contractors listed in lines 1a, 1b, or 1c? If "Yes," describe any such sales that you made or intend to make, to whom you make or will make such sales, how the terms are or will be negotiated at arm's length, and explain how you determine or will determine you are or will be paid at least fair market value. Attach copies of any written contracts or other agreements relating to such sales. **Yes** **No**
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- 8a** Do you or will you have any leases, contracts, loans, or other agreements with your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, or highest compensated independent contractors listed in lines 1a, 1b, or 1c? If "Yes," provide the information requested in lines 8b through 8f. **Yes** **No**
- b** Describe any written or oral arrangements that you made or intend to make.
- c** Identify with whom you have or will have such arrangements.
- d** Explain how the terms are or will be negotiated at arm's length.
- e** Explain how you determine you pay no more than fair market value or you are paid at least fair market value.
- f** Attach copies of any signed leases, contracts, loans, or other agreements relating to such arrangements.
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- 9a** Do you or will you have any leases, contracts, loans, or other agreements with any organization in which any of your officers, directors, or trustees are also officers, directors, or trustees, or in which any individual officer, director, or trustee owns more than a 35% interest? If "Yes," provide the information requested in lines 9b through 9f. **Yes** **No**

Part V Compensation and Other Financial Arrangements With Your Officers, Directors, Trustees, Employees, and Independent Contractors (Continued)

- b Describe any written or oral arrangements you made or intend to make.
- c Identify with whom you have or will have such arrangements.
- d Explain how the terms are or will be negotiated at arm's length.
- e Explain how you determine or will determine you pay no more than fair market value or that you are paid at least fair market value.
- f Attach a copy of any signed leases, contracts, loans, or other agreements relating to such arrangements.

Part VI Your Members and Other Individuals and Organizations That Receive Benefits From You

The following "Yes" or "No" questions relate to goods, services, and funds you provide to individuals and organizations as part of your activities. Your answers should pertain to *past*, *present*, and *planned* activities. (See instructions.)

- 1a In carrying out your exempt purposes, do you provide goods, services, or funds to individuals? If "Yes," describe each program that provides goods, services, or funds to individuals. Yes No
- b In carrying out your exempt purposes, do you provide goods, services, or funds to organizations? If "Yes," describe each program that provides goods, services, or funds to organizations. Yes No
- 2 Do any of your programs limit the provision of goods, services, or funds to a specific individual or group of specific individuals? For example, answer "Yes," if goods, services, or funds are provided only for a particular individual, your members, individuals who work for a particular employer, or graduates of a particular school. If "Yes," explain the limitation and how recipients are selected for each program. Yes No
- 3 Do any individuals who receive goods, services, or funds through your programs have a family or business relationship with any officer, director, trustee, or with any of your highest compensated employees or highest compensated independent contractors listed in Part V, lines 1a, 1b, and 1c? If "Yes," explain how these related individuals are eligible for goods, services, or funds. Yes No

Part VII Your History

The following "Yes" or "No" questions relate to your history. (See instructions.)

- 1 Are you a **successor** to another organization? Answer "Yes," if you have taken or will take over the activities of another organization; you took over 25% or more of the fair market value of the net assets of another organization; or you were established upon the conversion of an organization from for-profit to non-profit status. If "Yes," complete Schedule G. Yes No
- 2 Are you submitting this application more than 27 months after the end of the month in which you were legally formed? If "Yes," complete Schedule E. Yes No

Part VIII Your Specific Activities

The following "Yes" or "No" questions relate to specific activities that you may conduct. Check the appropriate box. Your answers should pertain to *past*, *present*, and *planned* activities. (See instructions.)

- 1 Do you support or oppose candidates in **political campaigns** in any way? If "Yes," explain. Yes No
- 2a Do you attempt to **influence legislation**? If "Yes," explain how you attempt to influence legislation and complete line 2b. If "No," go to line 3a. Yes No
- b Have you made or are you making an **election** to have your legislative activities measured by expenditures by filing Form 5768? If "Yes," attach a copy of the Form 5768 that was already filed or attach a completed Form 5768 that you are filing with this application. If "No," describe whether your attempts to influence legislation are a substantial part of your activities. Include the time and money spent on your attempts to influence legislation as compared to your total activities. Yes No
- 3a Do you or will you operate bingo or **gaming** activities? If "Yes," describe who conducts them, and list all revenue received or expected to be received and expenses paid or expected to be paid in operating these activities. **Revenue and expenses** should be provided for the time periods specified in Part IX, Financial Data. Yes No
- b Do you or will you enter into contracts or other agreements with individuals or organizations to conduct bingo or gaming for you? If "Yes," describe any written or oral arrangements that you made or intend to make, identify with whom you have or will have such arrangements, explain how the terms are or will be negotiated at arm's length, and explain how you determine or will determine you pay no more than fair market value or you will be paid at least fair market value. Attach copies or any written contracts or other agreements relating to such arrangements. Yes No
- c List the states and local jurisdictions, including Indian Reservations, in which you conduct or will conduct gaming or bingo.

Part VIII Your Specific Activities (Continued)

- 4a** Do you or will you undertake **fundraising**? If "Yes," check all the fundraising programs you do or will conduct. (See instructions.) **Yes** **No**
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> mail solicitations | <input type="checkbox"/> phone solicitations |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> email solicitations | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> accept donations on your website |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> personal solicitations | <input type="checkbox"/> receive donations from another organization's website |
| <input type="checkbox"/> vehicle, boat, plane, or similar donations | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> government grant solicitations |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> foundation grant solicitations | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
- Attach a description of each fundraising program.
- b** Do you or will you have written or oral contracts with any individuals or organizations to raise funds for you? If "Yes," describe these activities. Include all revenue and expenses from these activities and state who conducts them. Revenue and expenses should be provided for the time periods specified in Part IX, Financial Data. Also, attach a copy of any contracts or agreements. **Yes** **No**
- c** Do you or will you engage in fundraising activities for other organizations? If "Yes," describe these arrangements. Include a description of the organizations for which you raise funds and attach copies of all contracts or agreements. **Yes** **No**
- d** List all states and local jurisdictions in which you conduct fundraising. For each state or local jurisdiction listed, specify whether you fundraise for your own organization, you fundraise for another organization, or another organization fundraises for you.
- e** Do you or will you maintain separate accounts for any contributor under which the contributor has the right to advise on the use or distribution of funds? Answer "Yes" if the donor may provide advice on the types of investments, distributions from the types of investments, or the distribution from the donor's contribution account. If "Yes," describe this program, including the type of advice that may be provided and submit copies of any written materials provided to donors. **Yes** **No**
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- 5** Are you **affiliated** with a governmental unit? If "Yes," explain. **Yes** **No**
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- 6a** Do you or will you engage in **economic development**? If "Yes," describe your program. **Yes** **No**
- b** Describe in full who benefits from your economic development activities and how the activities promote exempt purposes.
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- 7a** Do or will persons other than your employees or volunteers **develop** your facilities? If "Yes," describe each facility, the role of the developer, and any business or family relationship(s) between the developer and your officers, directors, or trustees. **Yes** **No**
- b** Do or will persons other than your employees or volunteers **manage** your activities or facilities? If "Yes," describe each activity and facility, the role of the manager, and any business or family relationship(s) between the manager and your officers, directors, or trustees. **Yes** **No**
- c** If there is a business or family relationship between any manager or developer and your officers, directors, or trustees, identify the individuals, explain the relationship, describe how contracts are negotiated at arm's length so that you pay no more than fair market value, and submit a copy of any contracts or other agreements.
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- 8** Do you or will you enter into **joint ventures**, including partnerships or **limited liability companies** treated as partnerships, in which you share profits and losses with partners other than section 501(c)(3) organizations? If "Yes," describe the activities of these joint ventures in which you participate. **Yes** **No**
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- 9a** Are you applying for exemption as a childcare organization under section 501(k)? If "Yes," answer lines 9b through 9d. If "No," go to line 10. **Yes** **No**
- b** Do you provide child care so that parents or caretakers of children you care for can be **gainfully employed** (see instructions)? If "No," explain how you qualify as a childcare organization described in section 501(k). **Yes** **No**
- c** Of the children for whom you provide child care, are 85% or more of them cared for by you to enable their parents or caretakers to be gainfully employed (see instructions)? If "No," explain how you qualify as a childcare organization described in section 501(k). **Yes** **No**
- d** Are your services available to the general public? If "No," describe the specific group of people for whom your activities are available. Also, see the instructions and explain how you qualify as a childcare organization described in section 501(k). **Yes** **No**
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- 10** Do you or will you publish, own, or have rights in music, literature, tapes, artworks, choreography, scientific discoveries, or other **intellectual property**? If "Yes," explain. Describe who owns or will own any copyrights, patents, or trademarks, whether fees are or will be charged, how the fees are determined, and how any items are or will be produced, distributed, and marketed. **Yes** **No**

Part VIII Your Specific Activities (Continued)

- 11** Do you or will you accept contributions of: real property; conservation easements; closely held securities; intellectual property such as patents, trademarks, and copyrights; works of music or art; licenses; royalties; automobiles, boats, planes, or other vehicles; or collectibles of any type? If "Yes," describe each type of contribution, any conditions imposed by the donor on the contribution, and any agreements with the donor regarding the contribution. Yes No
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- 12a** Do you or will you operate in a **foreign country** or **countries**? If "Yes," answer lines 12b through 12d. If "No," go to line 13a. Yes No
- b** Name the foreign countries and regions within the countries in which you operate.
- c** Describe your operations in each country and region in which you operate.
- d** Describe how your operations in each country and region further your exempt purposes.
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- 13a** Do you or will you make grants, loans, or other distributions to organization(s)? If "Yes," answer lines 13b through 13g. If "No," go to line 14a. Yes No
- b** Describe how your grants, loans, or other distributions to organizations further your exempt purposes.
- c** Do you have written contracts with each of these organizations? If "Yes," attach a copy of each contract. Yes No
- d** Identify each recipient organization and any **relationship** between you and the recipient organization.
- e** Describe the records you keep with respect to the grants, loans, or other distributions you make.
- f** Describe your selection process, including whether you do any of the following:
- (i)** Do you require an application form? If "Yes," attach a copy of the form. Yes No
- (ii)** Do you require a grant proposal? If "Yes," describe whether the grant proposal specifies your responsibilities and those of the grantee, obligates the grantee to use the grant funds only for the purposes for which the grant was made, provides for periodic written reports concerning the use of grant funds, requires a final written report and an accounting of how grant funds were used, and acknowledges your authority to withhold and/or recover grant funds in case such funds are, or appear to be, misused. Yes No
- g** Describe your procedures for oversight of distributions that assure you the resources are used to further your exempt purposes, including whether you require periodic and final reports on the use of resources.
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- 14a** Do you or will you make grants, loans, or other distributions to foreign organizations? If "Yes," answer lines 14b through 14f. If "No," go to line 15. Yes No
- b** Provide the name of each foreign organization, the country and regions within a country in which each foreign organization operates, and describe any relationship you have with each foreign organization.
- c** Does any foreign organization listed in line 14b accept contributions earmarked for a specific country or specific organization? If "Yes," list all earmarked organizations or countries. Yes No
- d** Do your contributors know that you have ultimate authority to use contributions made to you at your discretion for purposes consistent with your exempt purposes? If "Yes," describe how you relay this information to contributors. Yes No
- e** Do you or will you make pre-grant inquiries about the recipient organization? If "Yes," describe these inquiries, including whether you inquire about the recipient's financial status, its tax-exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code, its ability to accomplish the purpose for which the resources are provided, and other relevant information. Yes No
- f** Do you or will you use any additional procedures to ensure that your distributions to foreign organizations are used in furtherance of your exempt purposes? If "Yes," describe these procedures, including site visits by your employees or compliance checks by impartial experts, to verify that grant funds are being used appropriately. Yes No

Part VIII Your Specific Activities (Continued)

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| 15 | Do you have a close connection with any organizations? If "Yes," explain. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
| 16 | Are you applying for exemption as a cooperative hospital service organization under section 501(e)? If "Yes," explain. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
| 17 | Are you applying for exemption as a cooperative service organization of operating educational organizations under section 501(f)? If "Yes," explain. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
| 18 | Are you applying for exemption as a charitable risk pool under section 501(n)? If "Yes," explain. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 19 | Do you or will you operate a school ? If "Yes," complete Schedule B. Answer "Yes," whether you operate a school as your main function or as a secondary activity. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
| 20 | Is your main function to provide hospital or medical care ? If "Yes," complete Schedule C. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
| 21 | Do you or will you provide low-income housing or housing for the elderly or handicapped ? If "Yes," complete Schedule F. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
| 22 | Do you or will you provide scholarships, fellowships, educational loans, or other educational grants to individuals, including grants for travel, study, or other similar purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule H. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
- Note. Private foundations** may use Schedule H to request advance approval of individual grant procedures.

Part IX Financial Data

For purposes of this schedule, years in existence refer to completed tax years. If in existence 4 or more years, complete the schedule for the most recent 4 tax years. If in existence more than 1 year but less than 4 years, complete the statements for each year in existence and provide projections of your likely revenues and expenses based on a reasonable and good faith estimate of your future finances for a total of 3 years of financial information. If in existence less than 1 year, provide projections of your likely revenues and expenses for the current year and the 2 following years, based on a reasonable and good faith estimate of your future finances for a total of 3 years of financial information. (See instructions.)

A. Statement of Revenues and Expenses

| | Type of revenue or expense | Current tax year | 3 prior tax years or 2 succeeding tax years | | | (e) Provide Total for (a) through (d) |
|-----------------|---|-------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| | | (a) From 01-01-15 To 12-31-15 | (b) From 01-01-16 To 12-31-16 | (c) From 01-01-17 To 12-31-17 | (d) From 01-01-18 To 12-31-18 | |
| Revenues | 1 Gifts, grants, and contributions received (do not include unusual grants) | 0 | 5000 projected | 10000 projected | 10000 projected | 25000 projected |
| | 2 Membership fees received | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 3 Gross investment income | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 4 Net unrelated business income | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 5 Taxes levied for your benefit | 0 | | | | |
| | 6 Value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit without charge (not including the value of services generally furnished to the public without charge) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 7 Any revenue not otherwise listed above or in lines 9–12 below (attach an itemized list) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 8 Total of lines 1 through 7 | 0 | 5000 projected | 10000 projected | 10000 projected | 25000 projected |
| | 9 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or furnishing of facilities in any activity that is related to your exempt purposes (attach itemized list) | 0 | | | | |
| | 10 Total of lines 8 and 9 | 0 | 5000 projected | 10000 projected | 10000 projected | 25000 projected |
| | 11 Net gain or loss on sale of capital assets (attach schedule and see instructions) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 12 Unusual grants | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 13 Total Revenue Add lines 10 through 12 | 0 | 5000 projected | 10000 projected | 10000 projected | 25000 projected |
| Expenses | 14 Fundraising expenses | 0 | 500 projected | 1000 projected | 1000 projected | |
| | 15 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts paid out (attach an itemized list) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | 16 Disbursements to or for the benefit of members (attach an itemized list) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | 17 Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | 18 Other salaries and wages | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | 19 Interest expense | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | 20 Occupancy (rent, utilities, etc.) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | 21 Depreciation and depletion | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | 22 Professional fees | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | 23 Any expense not otherwise classified, such as program services (attach itemized list) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | 24 Total Expenses Add lines 14 through 23 | 0 | 500 projected | 1000 projected | 1500 projected | |

Part IX Financial Data (Continued)

B. Balance Sheet (for your most recently completed tax year)

Year End:

(Whole dollars)

| Assets | | | |
|------------------------------------|---|------------------------------|--|
| 1 | Cash | 1 | 0 |
| 2 | Accounts receivable, net | 2 | 0 |
| 3 | Inventories | 3 | 0 |
| 4 | Bonds and notes receivable (attach an itemized list) | 4 | 0 |
| 5 | Corporate stocks (attach an itemized list) | 5 | 0 |
| 6 | Loans receivable (attach an itemized list) | 6 | 0 |
| 7 | Other investments (attach an itemized list) | 7 | 0 |
| 8 | Depreciable and depletable assets (attach an itemized list) | 8 | 0 |
| 9 | Land | 9 | 0 |
| 10 | Other assets (attach an itemized list) | 10 | 0 |
| 11 | Total Assets (add lines 1 through 10) | 11 | 0 |
| Liabilities | | | |
| 12 | Accounts payable | 12 | 0 |
| 13 | Contributions, gifts, grants, etc. payable | 13 | 0 |
| 14 | Mortgages and notes payable (attach an itemized list) | 14 | 0 |
| 15 | Other liabilities (attach an itemized list) | 15 | 0 |
| 16 | Total Liabilities (add lines 12 through 15) | 16 | 0 |
| Fund Balances or Net Assets | | | |
| 17 | Total fund balances or net assets | 17 | 0 |
| 18 | Total Liabilities and Fund Balances or Net Assets (add lines 16 and 17) | 18 | 0 |
| 19 | Have there been any substantial changes in your assets or liabilities since the end of the period shown above? If "Yes," explain. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |

Part X Public Charity Status

Part X is designed to classify you as an organization that is either a **private foundation** or a **public charity**. Public charity status is a more favorable tax status than private foundation status. If you are a private foundation, Part X is designed to further determine whether you are a **private operating foundation**. (See instructions.)

- 1a Are you a private foundation? If "Yes," go to line 1b. If "No," go to line 5 and proceed as instructed. If you are unsure, see the instructions. Yes No
- b As a private foundation, section 508(e) requires special provisions in your organizing document in addition to those that apply to all organizations described in section 501(c)(3). Check the box to confirm that your organizing document meets this requirement, whether by express provision or by reliance on operation of state law. Attach a statement that describes specifically where your organizing document meets this requirement, such as a reference to a particular article or section in your organizing document or by operation of state law. See the instructions, including Appendix B, for information about the special provisions that need to be contained in your organizing document. Go to line 2.
- 2 Are you a private operating foundation? To be a private operating foundation you must engage directly in the active conduct of charitable, religious, educational, and similar activities, as opposed to indirectly carrying out these activities by providing grants to individuals or other organizations. If "Yes," go to line 3. If "No," go to the signature section of Part XI. Yes No
- 3 Have you existed for one or more years? If "Yes," attach financial information showing that you are a private operating foundation; go to the signature section of Part XI. If "No," continue to line 4. Yes No
- 4 Have you attached either (1) an affidavit or opinion of counsel, (including a written affidavit or opinion from a certified public accountant or accounting firm with expertise regarding this tax law matter), that sets forth facts concerning your operations and support to demonstrate that you are likely to satisfy the requirements to be classified as a private operating foundation; or (2) a statement describing your proposed operations as a private operating foundation? Yes No
- 5 If you answered "No" to line 1a, indicate the type of public charity status you are requesting by checking one of the choices below. You may check only one box.
The organization is not a private foundation because it is:
 - a 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(i)—a church or a convention or association of churches. Complete and attach Schedule A.
 - b 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)—a **school**. Complete and attach Schedule B.
 - c 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)—a **hospital**, a cooperative hospital service organization, or a medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital. Complete and attach Schedule C.
 - d 509(a)(3)—an organization supporting either one or more organizations described in line 5a through c, f, g, or h or a publicly supported section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organization. Complete and attach Schedule D.

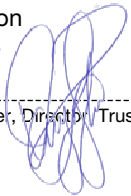
Part X Public Charity Status (Continued)

- e 509(a)(4)—an organization organized and operated exclusively for testing for public safety.
- f 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(iv)—an organization operated for the benefit of a college or university that is owned or operated by a governmental unit.
- g 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)—an organization that receives a substantial part of its financial support in the form of contributions from publicly supported organizations, from a governmental unit, or from the general public.
- h 509(a)(2)—an organization that normally receives not more than one-third of its financial support from gross **investment income** and receives more than one-third of its financial support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions (subject to certain exceptions).
- i A publicly supported organization, but unsure if it is described in 5g or 5h. The organization would like the IRS to decide the correct status.

- 6 If you checked box g, h, or i in question 5 above, you must request either an **advance** or a **definitive ruling** by selecting one of the boxes below. Refer to the instructions to determine which type of ruling you are eligible to receive.
- a **Request for Advance Ruling:** By checking this box and signing the consent, pursuant to section 6501(c)(4) of the Code you request an advance ruling and agree to extend the statute of limitations on the assessment of excise tax under section 4940 of the Code. The tax will apply only if you do not establish public support status at the end of the 5-year advance ruling period. The assessment period will be extended for the 5 advance ruling years to 8 years, 4 months, and 15 days beyond the end of the first year. You have the right to refuse or limit the extension to a mutually agreed-upon period of time or issue(s). Publication 1035, *Extending the Tax Assessment Period*, provides a more detailed explanation of your rights and the consequences of the choices you make. You may obtain Publication 1035 free of charge from the IRS web site at www.irs.gov or by calling toll-free 1-800-829-3676. Signing this consent will not deprive you of any appeal rights to which you would otherwise be entitled. If you decide not to extend the statute of limitations, you are not eligible for an advance ruling.

Consent Fixing Period of Limitations Upon Assessment of Tax Under Section 4940 of the Internal Revenue Code

For Organization



(Signature of Officer, Director, Trustee, or other authorized official)

Kerry Slaven

(Type or print name of signer)

(Date)

Brave Young Hearts President

(Type or print title or authority of signer)

For IRS Use Only

IRS Director, Exempt Organizations

(Date)

- b **Request for Definitive Ruling:** Check this box if you have completed one tax year of at least 8 full months and you are requesting a definitive ruling. To confirm your public support status, answer line 6b(i) if you checked box g in line 5 above. Answer line 6b(ii) if you checked box h in line 5 above. If you checked box i in line 5 above, answer both lines 6b(i) and (ii).
- (i) (a) Enter 2% of line 8, column (e) on Part IX-A. Statement of Revenues and Expenses. _____
 - (b) Attach a list showing the name and amount contributed by each person, company, or organization whose gifts totaled more than the 2% amount. If the answer is "None," check this box.
 - (ii) (a) For each year amounts are included on lines 1, 2, and 9 of Part IX-A. Statement of Revenues and Expenses, attach a list showing the name of and amount received from each **disqualified person**. If the answer is "None," check this box.
 - (b) For each year amounts are included on line 9 of Part IX-A. Statement of Revenues and Expenses, attach a list showing the name of and amount received from each payer, other than a disqualified person, whose payments were more than the larger of (1) 1% of line 10, Part IX-A. Statement of Revenues and Expenses, or (2) \$5,000. If the answer is "None," check this box.

- 7 Did you receive any unusual grants during any of the years shown on Part IX-A. Statement of Revenues and Expenses? If "Yes," attach a list including the name of the contributor, the date and amount of the grant, a brief description of the grant, and explain why it is unusual. Yes No

Part XI User Fee Information

You must include a user fee payment with this application. It will not be processed without your paid user fee. If your average annual gross receipts have exceeded or will exceed \$10,000 annually over a 4-year period, you must submit payment of \$850. If your gross receipts have not exceeded or will not exceed \$10,000 annually over a 4-year period, the required user fee payment is \$400. See instructions for Part XI, for a definition of **gross receipts** over a 4-year period. Your check or money order must be made payable to the United States Treasury. *User fees are subject to change. Check our website at www.irs.gov and type "User Fee" in the keyword box, or call Customer Account Services at 1-877-829-5500 for current information.*

- 1** Have your annual gross receipts averaged or are they expected to average not more than \$10,000? **Yes** **No**
 If "Yes," check the box on line 2 and enclose a user fee payment of \$400 (Subject to change—see above).
 If "No," check the box on line 3 and enclose a user fee payment of \$850 (Subject to change—see above).
- 2** Check the box if you have enclosed the reduced user fee payment of \$400 (Subject to change).
- 3** Check the box if you have enclosed the user fee payment of \$850 (Subject to change).

I declare under the penalties of perjury that I am authorized to sign this application on behalf of the above organization and that I have examined this application, including the accompanying schedules and attachments, and to the best of my knowledge it is true, correct, and complete.

Please Sign Here



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(Signature of Officer, Director, Trustee, or other authorized official)

Kerry Slaven.....
(Type or print name of signer)
Brave Young Hearts President.....
(Type or print title or authority of signer)

.....
(Date)

Reminder: Send the completed Form 1023 Checklist with your filled-in-application.

Schedule A. Churches

| | | | |
|------------|--|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1a | Do you have a written creed, statement of faith, or summary of beliefs? If "Yes," attach copies of relevant documents. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| b | Do you have a form of worship? If "Yes," describe your form of worship. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2a | Do you have a formal code of doctrine and discipline? If "Yes," describe your code of doctrine and discipline. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| b | Do you have a distinct religious history? If "Yes," describe your religious history. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| c | Do you have a literature of your own? If "Yes," describe your literature. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 3 | Describe the organization's religious hierarchy or ecclesiastical government. | | |
| 4a | Do you have regularly scheduled religious services? If "Yes," describe the nature of the services and provide representative copies of relevant literature such as church bulletins. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| b | What is the average attendance at your regularly scheduled religious services? | | |
| 5a | Do you have an established place of worship? If "Yes," refer to the instructions for the information required. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| b | Do you own the property where you have an established place of worship? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 6 | Do you have an established congregation or other regular membership group? If "No," refer to the instructions. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 7 | How many members do you have? | | |
| 8a | Do you have a process by which an individual becomes a member? If "Yes," describe the process and complete lines 8b–8d, below. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| b | If you have members, do your members have voting rights, rights to participate in religious functions, or other rights? If "Yes," describe the rights your members have. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| c | May your members be associated with another denomination or church? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| d | Are all of your members part of the same family ? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 9 | Do you conduct baptisms, weddings, funerals, etc.? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 10 | Do you have a school for the religious instruction of the young? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 11a | Do you have a minister or religious leader? If "Yes," describe this person's role and explain whether the minister or religious leader was ordained, commissioned, or licensed after a prescribed course of study. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| b | Do you have schools for the preparation of your ordained ministers or religious leaders? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 12 | Is your minister or religious leader also one of your officers, directors, or trustees? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 13 | Do you ordain, commission, or license ministers or religious leaders? If "Yes," describe the requirements for ordination, commission, or licensure. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 14 | Are you part of a group of churches with similar beliefs and structures? If "Yes," explain. Include the name of the group of churches. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 15 | Do you issue church charters? If "Yes," describe the requirements for issuing a charter. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 16 | Did you pay a fee for a church charter? If "Yes," attach a copy of the charter. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 17 | Do you have other information you believe should be considered regarding your status as a church? If "Yes," explain. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Schedule B. Schools, Colleges, and Universities

If you operate a school as an activity, complete Schedule B

Section I Operational Information

- 1a** Do you normally have a regularly scheduled curriculum, a regular faculty of qualified teachers, a regularly enrolled student body, and facilities where your educational activities are regularly carried on? If "No," do not complete the remainder of Schedule B. **Yes** **No**
- b** Is the primary function of your school the presentation of formal instruction? If "Yes," describe your school in terms of whether it is an elementary, secondary, college, technical, or other type of school. If "No," do not complete the remainder of Schedule B. **Yes** **No**
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- 2a** Are you a public school because you are operated by a state or subdivision of a state? If "Yes," explain how you are operated by a state or subdivision of a state. Do not complete the remainder of Schedule B. **Yes** **No**
- b** Are you a public school because you are operated wholly or predominantly from government funds or property? If "Yes," explain how you are operated wholly or predominantly from government funds or property. Submit a copy of your funding agreement regarding government funding. Do not complete the remainder of Schedule B. **Yes** **No**
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- 3** In what public school district, county, and state are you located?
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- 4** Were you formed or substantially expanded at the time of public school desegregation in the above school district or county? **Yes** **No**
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- 5** Has a state or federal administrative agency or judicial body ever determined that you are racially discriminatory? If "Yes," explain. **Yes** **No**
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- 6** Has your right to receive financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency ever been revoked or suspended? If "Yes," explain. **Yes** **No**
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- 7** Do you or will you contract with another organization to develop, build, market, or finance your facilities? If "Yes," explain how that entity is selected, explain how the terms of any contracts or other agreements are negotiated at arm's length, and explain how you determine that you will pay no more than fair market value for services. **Yes** **No**
- Note.** Make sure your answer is consistent with the information provided in Part VIII, line 7a.
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- 8** Do you or will you manage your activities or facilities through your own employees or volunteers? If "No," attach a statement describing the activities that will be managed by others, the names of the persons or organizations that manage or will manage your activities or facilities, and how these managers were or will be selected. Also, submit copies of any contracts, proposed contracts, or other agreements regarding the provision of management services for your activities or facilities. Explain how the terms of any contracts or other agreements were or will be negotiated, and explain how you determine you will pay no more than fair market value for services. **Yes** **No**
- Note.** Answer "Yes" if you manage or intend to manage your programs through your own employees or by using volunteers. Answer "No" if you engage or intend to engage a separate organization or independent contractor. Make sure your answer is consistent with the information provided in Part VIII, line 7b.

Section II Establishment of Racially Nondiscriminatory PolicyInformation required by **Revenue Procedure 75-50.**

- 1** Have you adopted a racially nondiscriminatory policy as to students in your organizing document, bylaws, or by resolution of your governing body? If "Yes," state where the policy can be found or supply a copy of the policy. If "No," you must adopt a nondiscriminatory policy as to students before submitting this application. See Publication 557. **Yes** **No**
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- 2** Do your brochures, application forms, advertisements, and catalogues dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships contain a statement of your racially nondiscriminatory policy? **Yes** **No**
- a** If "Yes," attach a representative sample of each document.
- b** If "No," by checking the box to the right you agree that all future printed materials, including website content, will contain the required nondiscriminatory policy statement.
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- 3** Have you published a notice of your nondiscriminatory policy in a newspaper of general circulation that serves all racial segments of the community? (See the instructions for specific requirements.) If "No," explain. **Yes** **No**
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- 4** Does or will the organization (or any department or division within it) discriminate in any way on the basis of race with respect to admissions; use of facilities or exercise of student privileges; faculty or administrative staff; or scholarship or loan programs? If "Yes," for any of the above, explain fully. **Yes** **No**

Schedule C. Hospitals and Medical Research Organizations

Check the box if you are a **hospital**. See the instructions for a definition of the term "hospital," which includes an organization whose principal purpose or function is providing **hospital** or **medical care**. Complete Section I below.

Check the box if you are a **medical research organization** operated in conjunction with a hospital. See the instructions for a definition of the term "medical research organization," which refers to an organization whose principal purpose or function is medical research and which is directly engaged in the continuous active conduct of medical research in conjunction with a hospital. Complete Section II.

Section I Hospitals

- 1a** Are all the doctors in the community eligible for staff privileges? If "No," give the reasons why and explain how the medical staff is selected. **Yes** **No**
- 2a** Do you or will you provide medical services to all individuals in your community who can pay for themselves or have private health insurance? If "No," explain. **Yes** **No**
- b** Do you or will you provide medical services to all individuals in your community who participate in Medicare? If "No," explain. **Yes** **No**
- c** Do you or will you provide medical services to all individuals in your community who participate in Medicaid? If "No," explain. **Yes** **No**
- 3a** Do you or will you require persons covered by Medicare or Medicaid to pay a deposit before receiving services? If "Yes," explain. **Yes** **No**
- b** Does the same deposit requirement, if any, apply to all other patients? If "No," explain. **Yes** **No**
- 4a** Do you or will you maintain a full-time emergency room? If "No," explain why you do not maintain a full-time emergency room. Also, describe any emergency services that you provide. **Yes** **No**
- b** Do you have a policy on providing emergency services to persons without apparent means to pay? If "Yes," provide a copy of the policy. **Yes** **No**
- c** Do you have any arrangements with police, fire, and voluntary ambulance services for the delivery or admission of emergency cases? If "Yes," describe the arrangements, including whether they are written or oral agreements. If written, submit copies of all such agreements. **Yes** **No**
- 5a** Do you provide for a portion of your services and facilities to be used for charity patients? If "Yes," answer 5b through 5e. **Yes** **No**
- b** Explain your policy regarding charity cases, including how you distinguish between charity care and bad debts. Submit a copy of your written policy.
- c** Provide data on your past experience in admitting charity patients, including amounts you expend for treating charity care patients and types of services you provide to charity care patients.
- d** Describe any arrangements you have with federal, state, or local governments or government agencies for paying for the cost of treating charity care patients. Submit copies of any written agreements.
- e** Do you provide services on a sliding fee schedule depending on financial ability to pay? If "Yes," submit your sliding fee schedule. **Yes** **No**
- 6a** Do you or will you carry on a formal program of medical training or medical research? If "Yes," describe such programs, including the type of programs offered, the scope of such programs, and affiliations with other hospitals or medical care providers with which you carry on the medical training or research programs. **Yes** **No**
- b** Do you or will you carry on a formal program of community education? If "Yes," describe such programs, including the type of programs offered, the scope of such programs, and affiliation with other hospitals or medical care providers with which you offer community education programs. **Yes** **No**
- 7** Do you or will you provide office space to physicians carrying on their own medical practices? If "Yes," describe the criteria for who may use the space, explain the means used to determine that you are paid at least fair market value, and submit representative lease agreements. **Yes** **No**
- 8** Is your board of directors comprised of a majority of individuals who are representative of the community you serve? Include a list of each board member's name and business, financial, or professional relationship with the hospital. Also, identify each board member who is representative of the community and describe how that individual is a community representative. **Yes** **No**
- 9** Do you participate in any joint ventures? If "Yes," state your ownership percentage in each joint venture, list your investment in each joint venture, describe the tax status of other participants in each joint venture (including whether they are section 501(c)(3) organizations), describe the activities of each joint venture, describe how you exercise control over the activities of each joint venture, and describe how each joint venture furthers your exempt purposes. Also, submit copies of all agreements. **Yes** **No**

Note. Make sure your answer is consistent with the information provided in Part VIII, line 8.

Schedule C. Hospitals and Medical Research Organizations (Continued)**Section I Hospitals (Continued)**

- 10** Do you or will you manage your activities or facilities through your own employees or volunteers? If "No," attach a statement describing the activities that will be managed by others, the names of the persons or organizations that manage or will manage your activities or facilities, and how these managers were or will be selected. Also, submit copies of any contracts, proposed contracts, or other agreements regarding the provision of management services for your activities or facilities. Explain how the terms of any contracts or other agreements were or will be negotiated, and explain how you determine you will pay no more than fair market value for services. **Yes** **No**
- Note.** Answer "Yes" if you do manage or intend to manage your programs through your own employees or by using volunteers. Answer "No" if you engage or intend to engage a separate organization or independent contractor. Make sure your answer is consistent with the information provided in Part VIII, line 7b.
- 11** Do you or will you offer recruitment incentives to physicians? If "Yes," describe your recruitment incentives and attach copies of all written recruitment incentive policies. **Yes** **No**
- 12** Do you or will you lease equipment, assets, or office space from physicians who have a financial or professional relationship with you? If "Yes," explain how you establish a fair market value for the lease. **Yes** **No**
- 13** Have you purchased medical practices, ambulatory surgery centers, or other business assets from physicians or other persons with whom you have a business relationship, aside from the purchase? If "Yes," submit a copy of each purchase and sales contract and describe how you arrived at fair market value, including copies of appraisals. **Yes** **No**
- 14** Have you adopted a **conflict of interest policy** consistent with the sample health care organization conflict of interest policy in Appendix A of the instructions? If "Yes," submit a copy of the policy and explain how the policy has been adopted, such as by resolution of your governing board. If "No," explain how you will avoid any conflicts of interest in your business dealings. **Yes** **No**

Section II Medical Research Organizations

- 1** Name the hospitals with which you have a relationship and describe the relationship. Attach copies of written agreements with each hospital that demonstrate continuing relationships between you and the hospital(s).
- 2** Attach a schedule describing your present and proposed activities for the direct conduct of medical research; describe the nature of the activities, and the amount of money that has been or will be spent in carrying them out.
- 3** Attach a schedule of assets showing their fair market value and the portion of your assets directly devoted to medical research.

Schedule D. Section 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations

Section I Identifying Information About the Supported Organization(s)

1 State the names, addresses, and EINs of the supported organizations. If additional space is needed, attach a separate sheet.

| Name | Address | EIN |
|------|---------|-----|
| | ----- | |
| | ----- | |

2 Are all supported organizations listed in line 1 public charities under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," go to Section II. If "No," go to line 3. Yes No

3 Do the supported organizations have tax-exempt status under section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6)? Yes No

If "Yes," for each 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organization supported, provide the following financial information:

- Part IX-A. Statement of Revenues and Expenses, lines 1–13 and
- Part X, lines 6b(ii)(a), 6b(ii)(b), and 7.

If "No," attach a statement describing how each organization you support is a public charity under section 509(a)(1) or (2).

Section II Relationship with Supported Organization(s) – Three Tests

To be classified as a supporting organization, an organization must meet one of three relationship tests:

- Test 1: "Operated, supervised, or controlled by" one or more publicly supported organizations, or
- Test 2: "Supervised or controlled in connection with" one or more publicly supported organizations, or
- Test 3: "Operated in connection with" one or more publicly supported organizations.

1 Information to establish the "operated, supervised, or controlled by" relationship (Test 1)
Is a majority of your governing board or officers elected or appointed by the supported organization(s)? Yes No
If "Yes," describe the process by which your governing board is appointed and elected; go to Section III.
If "No," continue to line 2.

2 Information to establish the "supervised or controlled in connection with" relationship (Test 2)
Does a majority of your governing board consist of individuals who also serve on the governing board of the supported organization(s)? If "Yes," describe the process by which your governing board is appointed and elected; go to Section III. If "No," go to line 3. Yes No

3 Information to establish the "operated in connection with" responsiveness test (Test 3)
Are you a trust from which the named supported organization(s) can enforce and compel an accounting under state law? If "Yes," explain whether you advised the supported organization(s) in writing of these rights and provide a copy of the written communication documenting this; go to Section II, line 5. If "No," go to line 4a. Yes No

4 Information to establish the alternative "operated in connection with" responsiveness test (Test 3)

a Do the officers, directors, trustees, or members of the supported organization(s) elect or appoint one or more of your officers, directors, or trustees? If "Yes," explain and provide documentation; go to line 4d, below. If "No," go to line 4b. Yes No

b Do one or more members of the governing body of the supported organization(s) also serve as your officers, directors, or trustees or hold other important offices with respect to you? If "Yes," explain and provide documentation; go to line 4d, below. If "No," go to line 4c. Yes No

c Do your officers, directors, or trustees maintain a close and continuous working relationship with the officers, directors, or trustees of the supported organization(s)? If "Yes," explain and provide documentation. Yes No

d Do the supported organization(s) have a significant voice in your investment policies, in the making and timing of grants, and in otherwise directing the use of your income or assets? If "Yes," explain and provide documentation. Yes No

e Describe and provide copies of written communications documenting how you made the supported organization(s) aware of your supporting activities.

5 Information to establish the "operated in connection with" integral part test (Test 3)
Do you conduct activities that would otherwise be carried out by the supported organization(s)? If "Yes," explain and go to Section III. If "No," continue to line 6a. Yes No

Schedule D. Section 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations (Continued)**Section II Relationship with Supported Organization(s)—Three Tests (Continued)**

- 6** Information to establish the alternative “operated in connection with” integral part test (Test 3)
- a** Do you distribute at least 85% of your annual **net income** to the supported organization(s)? If “Yes,” go to line 6b. (See instructions.) **Yes** **No**
- If “No,” state the percentage of your income that you distribute to each supported organization. Also explain how you ensure that the supported organization(s) are attentive to your operations.
- b** How much do you contribute annually to each supported organization? Attach a schedule.
- c** What is the total annual revenue of each supported organization? If you need additional space, attach a list.
- d** Do you or the supported organization(s) **earmark** your funds for support of a particular program or activity? If “Yes,” explain. **Yes** **No**

- 7a** Does your organizing document specify the supported organization(s) by name? If “Yes,” state the article and paragraph number and go to Section III. If “No,” answer line 7b. **Yes** **No**
- b** Attach a statement describing whether there has been an historic and continuing relationship between you and the supported organization(s).

Section III Organizational Test

- 1a** If you met relationship Test 1 or Test 2 in Section II, your organizing document must specify the supported organization(s) by name, or by naming a similar purpose or charitable class of beneficiaries. If your organizing document complies with this requirement, answer “Yes.” If your organizing document does not comply with this requirement, answer “No,” and see the instructions. **Yes** **No**
- b** If you met relationship Test 3 in Section II, your organizing document must generally specify the supported organization(s) by name. If your organizing document complies with this requirement, answer “Yes,” and go to Section IV. If your organizing document does not comply with this requirement, answer “No,” and see the instructions. **Yes** **No**

Section IV Disqualified Person Test

You do not qualify as a supporting organization if you are **controlled** directly or indirectly by one or more **disqualified persons** (as defined in section 4946) other than **foundation managers** or one or more organizations that you support. Foundation managers who are also disqualified persons for another reason are disqualified persons with respect to you.

- 1a** Do any persons who are disqualified persons with respect to you, (except individuals who are disqualified persons only because they are foundation managers), appoint any of your foundation managers? If “Yes,” (1) describe the process by which disqualified persons appoint any of your foundation managers, (2) provide the names of these disqualified persons and the foundation managers they appoint, and (3) explain how control is vested over your operations (including assets and activities) by persons other than disqualified persons. **Yes** **No**
- b** Do any persons who have a family or business relationship with any disqualified persons with respect to you, (except individuals who are disqualified persons only because they are foundation managers), appoint any of your foundation managers? If “Yes,” (1) describe the process by which individuals with a family or business relationship with disqualified persons appoint any of your foundation managers, (2) provide the names of these disqualified persons, the individuals with a family or business relationship with disqualified persons, and the foundation managers appointed, and (3) explain how control is vested over your operations (including assets and activities) in individuals other than disqualified persons. **Yes** **No**
- c** Do any persons who are disqualified persons, (except individuals who are disqualified persons only because they are foundation managers), have any influence regarding your operations, including your assets or activities? If “Yes,” (1) provide the names of these disqualified persons, (2) explain how influence is exerted over your operations (including assets and activities), and (3) explain how control is vested over your operations (including assets and activities) by individuals other than disqualified persons. **Yes** **No**

Schedule E. Organizations Not Filing Form 1023 Within 27 Months of Formation

Schedule E is intended to determine whether you are eligible for tax exemption under section 501(c)(3) from the postmark date of your application or from your date of incorporation or formation, whichever is earlier. If you are not eligible for tax exemption under section 501(c)(3) from your date of incorporation or formation, Schedule E is also intended to determine whether you are eligible for tax exemption under section 501(c)(4) for the period between your date of incorporation or formation and the postmark date of your application.

- 1** Are you a church, association of churches, or integrated auxiliary of a church? If "Yes," complete Schedule A and stop here. Do not complete the remainder of Schedule E. **Yes** **No**
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- 2a** Are you a public charity with annual **gross receipts** that are normally \$5,000 or less? If "Yes," stop here. Answer "No" if you are a private foundation, regardless of your gross receipts. **Yes** **No**
- b** If your gross receipts were normally more than \$5,000, are you filing this application within 90 days from the end of the tax year in which your gross receipts were normally more than \$5,000? If "Yes," stop here. **Yes** **No**
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- 3a** Were you included as a subordinate in a group exemption application or letter? If "No," go to line 4. **Yes** **No**
- b** If you were included as a subordinate in a group exemption letter, are you filing this application within 27 months from the date you were notified by the organization holding the group exemption letter or the Internal Revenue Service that you cease to be covered by the group exemption letter? If "Yes," stop here. **Yes** **No**
- c** If you were included as a subordinate in a timely filed group exemption request that was denied, are you filing this application within 27 months from the postmark date of the Internal Revenue Service final adverse ruling letter? If "Yes," stop here. **Yes** **No**
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- 4** Were you created on or before October 9, 1969? If "Yes," stop here. Do not complete the remainder of this schedule. **Yes** **No**
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- 5** If you answered "No" to lines 1 through 4, we cannot recognize you as tax exempt from your date of formation unless you qualify for an extension of time to apply for exemption. Do you wish to request an extension of time to apply to be recognized as exempt from the date you were formed? If "Yes," attach a statement explaining why you did not file this application within the 27-month period. Do not answer lines 6, 7, or 8. If "No," go to line 6a. **Yes** **No**
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- 6a** If you answered "No" to line 5, you can only be exempt under section 501(c)(3) from the postmark date of this application. Therefore, do you want us to treat this application as a request for tax exemption from the postmark date? If "Yes," you are eligible for an advance ruling. Complete Part X, line 6a. If "No," you will be treated as a private foundation. **Yes** **No**
- Note.** Be sure your ruling eligibility agrees with your answer to Part X, line 6.
- b** Do you anticipate significant changes in your sources of support in the future? If "Yes," complete line 7 below. **Yes** **No**

Schedule E. Organizations Not Filing Form 1023 Within 27 Months of Formation (Continued)

- 7** Complete this item only if you answered "Yes" to line 6b. Include projected revenue for the first two full years following the current tax year.

| Type of Revenue | Projected revenue for 2 years following current tax year | | |
|--|--|----------------------------|-----------|
| | (a) From _____ To _____ | (b) From _____ To _____ | (c) Total |
| 1 Gifts, grants, and contributions received (do not include unusual grants) | | | |
| 2 Membership fees received | | | |
| 3 Gross investment income | | | |
| 4 Net unrelated business income | | | |
| 5 Taxes levied for your benefit | | | |
| 6 Value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit without charge (not including the value of services generally furnished to the public without charge) | | | |
| 7 Any revenue not otherwise listed above or in lines 9–12 below (attach an itemized list) | | | |
| 8 Total of lines 1 through 7 | | | |
| 9 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold, or services performed, or furnishing of facilities in any activity that is related to your exempt purposes (attach itemized list) | | | |
| 10 Total of lines 8 and 9 | | | |
| 11 Net gain or loss on sale of capital assets (attach an itemized list) | | | |
| 12 Unusual grants | | | |
| 13 Total revenue. Add lines 10 through 12 | | | |

- 8** According to your answers, you are only eligible for tax exemption under section 501(c)(3) from the postmark date of your application. However, you may be eligible for tax exemption under section 501(c)(4) from your date of formation to the postmark date of the Form 1023. Tax exemption under section 501(c)(4) allows exemption from federal income tax, but generally not deductibility of contributions under Code section 170. Check the box at right if you want us to treat this as a request for exemption under 501(c)(4) from your date of formation to the postmark date. ▶

Attach a completed Page 1 of Form 1024, Application for Recognition of Exemption Under Section 501(a), to this application.

Schedule F. Homes for the Elderly or Handicapped and Low-Income Housing**Section I General Information About Your Housing**

- 1** Describe the type of housing you provide.
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- 2** Provide copies of any application forms you use for admission.
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- 3** Explain how the public is made aware of your facility.
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- 4a** Provide a description of each facility.
- b** What is the total number of residents each facility can accommodate?
- c** What is your current number of residents in each facility?
- d** Describe each facility in terms of whether residents rent or purchase housing from you.
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- 5** Attach a sample copy of your residency or homeownership contract or agreement.
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- 6** Do you participate in any joint ventures? If "Yes," state your ownership percentage in each joint venture, list your investment in each joint venture, describe the tax status of other participants in each joint venture (including whether they are section 501(c)(3) organizations), describe the activities of each joint venture, describe how you exercise control over the activities of each joint venture, and describe how each joint venture furthers your exempt purposes. Also, submit copies of all joint venture agreements. **Yes** **No**
- Note.** Make sure your answer is consistent with the information provided in Part VIII, line 8.
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- 7** Do you or will you contract with another organization to develop, build, market, or finance your housing? If "Yes," explain how that entity is selected, explain how the terms of any contract(s) are negotiated at arm's length, and explain how you determine you will pay no more than fair market value for services. **Yes** **No**
- Note.** Make sure your answer is consistent with the information provided in Part VIII, line 7a.
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- 8** Do you or will you manage your activities or facilities through your own employees or volunteers? If "No," attach a statement describing the activities that will be managed by others, the names of the persons or organizations that manage or will manage your activities or facilities, and how these managers were or will be selected. Also, submit copies of any contracts, proposed contracts, or other agreements regarding the provision of management services for your activities or facilities. Explain how the terms of any contracts or other agreements were or will be negotiated, and explain how you determine you will pay no more than fair market value for services. **Yes** **No**
- Note.** Answer "Yes" if you do manage or intend to manage your programs through your own employees or by using volunteers. Answer "No" if you engage or intend to engage a separate organization or independent contractor. Make sure your answer is consistent with the information provided in Part VIII, line 7b.
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- 9** Do you participate in any government housing programs? If "Yes," describe these programs. **Yes** **No**
- 10a** Do you own the facility? If "No," describe any enforceable rights you possess to purchase the facility in the future; go to line 10c. If "Yes," answer line 10b. **Yes** **No**
- b** How did you acquire the facility? For example, did you develop it yourself, purchase a project, etc. Attach all contracts, transfer agreements, or other documents connected with the acquisition of the facility.
- c** Do you lease the facility or the land on which it is located? If "Yes," describe the parties to the lease(s) and provide copies of all leases. **Yes** **No**

Schedule F. Homes for the Elderly or Handicapped and Low-Income Housing (Continued)**Section II Homes for the Elderly or Handicapped**

- 1 a** Do you provide housing for the elderly? If "Yes," describe who qualifies for your housing in terms of age, infirmity, or other criteria and explain how you select persons for your housing. **Yes** **No**
- b** Do you provide housing for the handicapped? If "Yes," describe who qualifies for your housing in terms of disability, income levels, or other criteria and explain how you select persons for your housing. **Yes** **No**
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- 2 a** Do you charge an entrance or founder's fee? If "Yes," describe what this charge covers, whether it is a one-time fee, how the fee is determined, whether it is payable in a lump sum or on an installment basis, whether it is refundable, and the circumstances, if any, under which it may be waived. **Yes** **No**
- b** Do you charge periodic fees or maintenance charges? If "Yes," describe what these charges cover and how they are determined. **Yes** **No**
- c** Is your housing affordable to a significant segment of the elderly or handicapped persons in the community? Identify your **community**. Also, if "Yes," explain how you determine your housing is affordable. **Yes** **No**
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- 3 a** Do you have an established policy concerning residents who become unable to pay their regular charges? If "Yes," describe your established policy. **Yes** **No**
- b** Do you have any arrangements with government welfare agencies or others to absorb all or part of the cost of maintaining residents who become unable to pay their regular charges? If "Yes," describe these arrangements. **Yes** **No**
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- 4** Do you have arrangements for the healthcare needs of your residents? If "Yes," describe these arrangements. **Yes** **No**
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- 5** Are your facilities designed to meet the physical, emotional, recreational, social, religious, and/or other similar needs of the elderly or handicapped? If "Yes," describe these design features. **Yes** **No**

Section III Low-Income Housing

- 1** Do you provide low-income housing? If "Yes," describe who qualifies for your housing in terms of income levels or other criteria, and describe how you select persons for your housing. **Yes** **No**
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- 2** In addition to rent or mortgage payments, do residents pay periodic fees or maintenance charges? If "Yes," describe what these charges cover and how they are determined. **Yes** **No**
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- 3 a** Is your housing affordable to low income residents? If "Yes," describe how your housing is made affordable to low-income residents. **Yes** **No**
- Note.** Revenue Procedure 96-32, 1996-1 C.B. 717, provides guidelines for providing low-income housing that will be treated as charitable. (At least 75% of the units are occupied by low-income tenants or 40% are occupied by tenants earning not more than 120% of the very low-income levels for the area.)
- b** Do you impose any restrictions to make sure that your housing remains affordable to low-income residents? If "Yes," describe these restrictions. **Yes** **No**
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- 4** Do you provide social services to residents? If "Yes," describe these services. **Yes** **No**

Schedule G. Successors to Other Organizations

1a Are you a **successor** to a **for-profit organization**? If "Yes," explain the relationship with the **predecessor** organization that resulted in your creation and complete line 1b. **Yes** **No**

b Explain why you took over the activities or assets of a for-profit organization or converted from for-profit to nonprofit status.

2a Are you a successor to an organization other than a for-profit organization? Answer "Yes" if you have taken or will take over the activities of another organization; or you have taken or will take over 25% or more of the fair market value of the net assets of another organization. If "Yes," explain the relationship with the other organization that resulted in your creation. **Yes** **No**

b Provide the tax status of the predecessor organization.

c Did you or did an organization to which you are a successor previously apply for tax exemption under section 501(c)(3) or any other section of the Code? If "Yes," explain how the application was resolved. **Yes** **No**

d Was your prior tax exemption or the tax exemption of an organization to which you are a successor revoked or suspended? If "Yes," explain. Include a description of the corrections you made to re-establish tax exemption. **Yes** **No**

e Explain why you took over the activities or assets of another organization.

3 Provide the name, last address, and EIN of the predecessor organization and describe its activities.

Name: _____ **EIN:** _____

Address: _____

4 List the owners, partners, principal stockholders, officers, and governing board members of the predecessor organization. Attach a separate sheet if additional space is needed.

| Name | Address | Share/Interest (If a for-profit) |
|------|---------|----------------------------------|
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5 Do or will any of the persons listed in line 4, maintain a working relationship with you? If "Yes," describe the relationship in detail and include copies of any agreements with any of these persons or with any for-profit organizations in which these persons own more than a 35% interest. **Yes** **No**

6a Were any assets transferred, whether by gift or sale, from the predecessor organization to you? If "Yes," provide a list of assets, indicate the value of each asset, explain how the value was determined, and attach an appraisal, if available. For each asset listed, also explain if the transfer was by gift, sale, or combination thereof. **Yes** **No**

b Were any restrictions placed on the use or sale of the assets? If "Yes," explain the restrictions. **Yes** **No**

c Provide a copy of the agreement(s) of sale or transfer.

7 Were any debts or liabilities transferred from the predecessor for-profit organization to you? If "Yes," provide a list of the debts or liabilities that were transferred to you, indicating the amount of each, how the amount was determined, and the name of the person to whom the debt or liability is owed. **Yes** **No**

8 Will you lease or rent any property or equipment previously owned or used by the predecessor for-profit organization, or from persons listed in line 4, or from for-profit organizations in which these persons own more than a 35% interest? If "Yes," submit a copy of the lease or rental agreement(s). Indicate how the lease or rental value of the property or equipment was determined. **Yes** **No**

9 Will you lease or rent property or equipment to persons listed in line 4, or to for-profit organizations in which these persons own more than a 35% interest? If "Yes," attach a list of the property or equipment, provide a copy of the lease or rental agreement(s), and indicate how the lease or rental value of the property or equipment was determined. **Yes** **No**

Schedule H. Organizations Providing Scholarships, Fellowships, Educational Loans, or Other Educational Grants to Individuals and Private Foundations Requesting Advance Approval of Individual Grant Procedures**Section I** *Names of individual recipients are not required to be listed in Schedule H.***Public charities and private foundations complete lines 1a through 7 of this section. See the instructions to Part X if you are not sure whether you are a public charity or a private foundation.**

- 1 a** Describe the types of educational grants you provide to individuals, such as scholarships, fellowships, loans, etc.
- b** Describe the purpose and amount of your scholarships, fellowships, and other educational grants and loans that you award.
- c** If you award educational loans, explain the terms of the loans (interest rate, length, forgiveness, etc.).
- d** Specify how your program is publicized.
- e** Provide copies of any solicitation or announcement materials.
- f** Provide a sample copy of the application used.
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- 2** Do you maintain case histories showing recipients of your scholarships, fellowships, educational loans, or other educational grants, including names, addresses, purposes of awards, amount of each grant, manner of selection, and relationship (if any) to officers, trustees, or donors of funds to you? If "No," refer to the instructions. **Yes** **No**
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- 3** Describe the specific criteria you use to determine who is eligible for your program. (For example, eligibility selection criteria could consist of graduating high school students from a particular high school who will attend college, writers of scholarly works about American history, etc.)
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- 4 a** Describe the specific criteria you use to select recipients. (For example, specific selection criteria could consist of prior academic performance, financial need, etc.)
- b** Describe how you determine the number of grants that will be made annually.
- c** Describe how you determine the amount of each of your grants.
- d** Describe any requirement or condition that you impose on recipients to obtain, maintain, or qualify for renewal of a grant. (For example, specific requirements or conditions could consist of attendance at a four-year college, maintaining a certain grade point average, teaching in public school after graduation from college, etc.)
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- 5** Describe your procedures for supervising the scholarships, fellowships, educational loans, or other educational grants. Describe whether you obtain reports and grade transcripts from recipients, or you pay grants directly to a school under an arrangement whereby the school will apply the grant funds only for enrolled students who are in good standing. Also, describe your procedures for taking action if the terms of the award are violated.
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- 6** Who is on the selection committee for the awards made under your program, including names of current committee members, criteria for committee membership, and the method of replacing committee members?
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- 7** Are relatives of members of the selection committee, or of your officers, directors, or **substantial contributors** eligible for awards made under your program? If "Yes," what measures are taken to ensure unbiased selections? **Yes** **No**
- Note.** If you are a private foundation, you are not permitted to provide educational grants to **disqualified persons**. Disqualified persons include your substantial contributors and foundation managers and certain family members of disqualified persons.

Section II **Private foundations complete lines 1a through 4f of this section. Public charities do not complete this section.**

- 1 a** If we determine that you are a private foundation, do you want this application to be considered as a request for advance approval of grant making procedures? **Yes** **No** **N/A**
- b** For which section(s) do you wish to be considered?
- 4945(g)(1)—Scholarship or fellowship grant to an individual for study at an educational institution
 - 4945(g)(3)—Other grants, including loans, to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes, to enhance a particular skill of the grantee or to produce a specific product
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- 2** Do you represent that you will (1) arrange to receive and review grantee reports annually and upon completion of the purpose for which the grant was awarded, (2) investigate diversions of funds from their intended purposes, and (3) take all reasonable and appropriate steps to recover diverted funds, ensure other grant funds held by a grantee are used for their intended purposes, and withhold further payments to grantees until you obtain grantees' assurances that future diversions will not occur and that grantees will take extraordinary precautions to prevent future diversions from occurring? **Yes** **No**
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- 3** Do you represent that you will maintain all records relating to individual grants, including information obtained to evaluate grantees, identify whether a grantee is a disqualified person, establish the amount and purpose of each grant, and establish that you undertook the supervision and investigation of grants described in line 2? **Yes** **No**

Schedule H. Organizations Providing Scholarships, Fellowships, Educational Loans, or Other Educational Grants to Individuals and Private Foundations Requesting Advance Approval of Individual Grant Procedures (Continued)**Section II Private foundations complete lines 1a through 4f of this section. Public charities do not complete this section. (Continued)**

- 4a** Do you or will you award scholarships, fellowships, and educational loans to attend an educational institution based on the status of an individual being an *employee of a particular employer*? If "Yes," complete lines 4b through 4f. **Yes** **No**
- b** Will you comply with the seven conditions and either the percentage tests or facts and circumstances test for scholarships, fellowships, and educational loans to attend an educational institution as set forth in Revenue Procedures 76-47, 1976-2 C.B. 670, and 80-39, 1980-2 C.B. 772, which apply to inducement, selection committee, eligibility requirements, objective basis of selection, employment, course of study, and other objectives? (See lines 4c, 4d, and 4e, regarding the percentage tests.) **Yes** **No**
- c** Do you or will you provide scholarships, fellowships, or educational loans to attend an educational institution to employees of a particular employer? **Yes** **No** **N/A**
 If "Yes," will you award grants to 10% or fewer of the eligible applicants who were actually considered by the selection committee in selecting recipients of grants in that year as provided by Revenue Procedures 76-47 and 80-39? **Yes** **No**
- d** Do you provide scholarships, fellowships, or educational loans to attend an educational institution to children of employees of a particular employer? **Yes** **No** **N/A**
 If "Yes," will you award grants to 25% or fewer of the eligible applicants who were actually considered by the selection committee in selecting recipients of grants in that year as provided by Revenue Procedures 76-47 and 80-39? If "No," go to line 4e. **Yes** **No**
- e** If you provide scholarships, fellowships, or educational loans to attend an educational institution to children of employees of a particular employer, will you award grants to 10% or fewer of the number of employees' children who can be shown to be eligible for grants (whether or not they submitted an application) in that year, as provided by Revenue Procedures 76-47 and 80-39? **Yes** **No** **N/A**
 If "Yes," describe how you will determine who can be shown to be eligible for grants without submitting an application, such as by obtaining written statements or other information about the expectations of employees' children to attend an educational institution. If "No," go to line 4f.
Note. Statistical or sampling techniques are not acceptable. See Revenue Procedure 85-51, 1985-2 C.B. 717, for additional information.
- f** If you provide scholarships, fellowships, or educational loans to attend an educational institution to *children of employees of a particular employer* without regard to either the 25% limitation described in line 4d, or the 10% limitation described in line 4e, will you award grants based on facts and circumstances that demonstrate that the grants will not be considered compensation for past, present, or future services or otherwise provide a significant benefit to the particular employer? If "Yes," describe the facts and circumstances that you believe will demonstrate that the grants are neither compensatory nor a significant benefit to the particular employer. In your explanation, describe why you cannot satisfy either the 25% test described in line 4d or the 10% test described in line 4e. **Yes** **No**

Form 1023 Checklist

(Revised December 2013)

Application for Recognition of Exemption under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code

Note. Retain a copy of the completed Form 1023 in your permanent records. Refer to the General Instructions regarding Public Inspection of approved applications.

Check each box to finish your application (Form 1023). Send this completed Checklist with your filled-in application. If you have not answered all the items below, your application may be returned to you as incomplete.

- Assemble the application and materials in this order:
- Form 1023 Checklist
 - Form 2848, *Power of Attorney and Declaration of Representative* (if filing)
 - Form 8821, *Tax Information Authorization* (if filing)
 - Expedite request (if requesting)
 - Application (Form 1023 and Schedules A through H, as required)
 - Articles of organization
 - Amendments to articles of organization in chronological order
 - Bylaws or other rules of operation and amendments
 - Documentation of nondiscriminatory policy for schools, as required by Schedule B
 - Form 5768, *Election/Revocation of Election by an Eligible Section 501(c)(3) Organization To Make Expenditures To Influence Legislation* (if filing)
 - All other attachments, including explanations, financial data, and printed materials or publications. Label each page with name and EIN.
- User fee payment placed in envelope on top of checklist. DO NOT STAPLE or otherwise attach your check or money order to your application. Instead, just place it in the envelope.
- Employer Identification Number (EIN)
- Completed Parts I through XI of the application, including any requested information and any required Schedules A through H.
- You must provide specific details about your past, present, and planned activities.
 - Generalizations or failure to answer questions in the Form 1023 application will prevent us from recognizing you as tax exempt.
 - Describe your purposes and proposed activities in specific easily understood terms.
 - Financial information should correspond with proposed activities.
- Schedules. Submit only those schedules that apply to you and check either "Yes" or "No" below.
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| Schedule A | Yes | ___ | No | ___ | Schedule E | Yes | ___ | No | ___ |
| Schedule B | Yes | ___ | No | ___ | Schedule F | Yes | ___ | No | ___ |
| Schedule C | Yes | ___ | No | ___ | Schedule G | Yes | ___ | No | ___ |
| Schedule D | Yes | ___ | No | ___ | Schedule H | Yes | ___ | No | ___ |

- An exact copy of your complete articles of organization (creating document). Absence of the proper purpose and dissolution clauses is the number one reason for delays in the issuance of determination letters.
 - Location of Purpose Clause from Part III, line 1 (Page, Article and Paragraph Number) _____
 - Location of Dissolution Clause from Part III, line 2b or 2c (Page, Article and Paragraph Number) or by operation of state law _____
- Signature of an officer, director, trustee, or other official who is authorized to sign the application.
 - Signature at Part XI of Form 1023.
- Your name on the application must be the same as your legal name as it appears in your articles of organization.

Send completed Form 1023, user fee payment, and all other required information, to:

Internal Revenue Service
P.O. Box 192
Covington, KY 41012-0192

If you are using express mail or a delivery service, send Form 1023, user fee payment, and attachments to:

Internal Revenue Service
201 West Rivercenter Blvd.
Attn: Extracting Stop 312
Covington, KY 41011



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Brave Young Hearts Organizing Document

Entity Name: Brave Young Hearts

501(c)(3) Tax Exempt Purpose: Brave Young Hearts is organized exclusively for charitable/philanthropic purposes, and is irrevocably dedicated to, and operated exclusively for the purpose of granting adventures (for relief to all children between ages 5 and 18, with terminal or life-threatening illnesses).....to provide a chance at normal, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Principal Office Street/Mailing Address:

6788 Pierson Ct.
Arvada, CO 80004

Registered Agent Name: Kerry Michael Slaven

Registered Agent Street/Mailing Address:

6788 Pierson Ct.
Arvada, CO 80004

Statement Regarding Registered Agent Consent: The registered agent has consented to being appointed as the registered agent for Brave Young Hearts.

Name and Mailing Address of the Person Forming the Corporation:

Kerry Michael Slaven, 6788 Pierson Ct., Arvada, CO 80004

Management: Brave Young Hearts will be managed by its Officers and Board Members.

Statement Regarding Members: Brave Young Hearts, as of 10-November-2015, has at least one member, with 6 actual members.

Members are:

Kerry Slaven – President, 6788 Pierson Ct., Arvada, CO 80004

David Ogard – Vice President, 15373 Uravan St., Brighton, CO 80601

Kimberly Russell – Treasurer, PO Box 1524, Conifer, CO 80433

Diane Slaven – Secretary, 6788 Pierson Ct., Arvada, CO 80004

Keith Gardner – Board Member, 8563 W. 84th Circle, Arvada, CO 80005

Curt Robinson – Board Member, 11629 Apache Trail, Conifer, CO 80433

Individual Causing Delivery: Pursuant to Colorado Revised Statutes § 7-90-301.5, the individual (Kerry Michael Slaven, 6788 Pierson Ct., Arvada, CO 80004) causing the document to be filed is responsible for complying with the applicable statutes.

Organization - Brave Young Hearts is organized exclusively for charitable/philanthropic purposes (and is irrevocably dedicated to, and operated exclusively for the purpose of granting adventures (for relief to all children between ages 5 and 18, with terminal or life-threatening illnesses).....to provide a chance at normal), including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

No part of the net earnings of Brave Young Hearts shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in the purpose clause hereof.

No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by any organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Dissolution - Upon the dissolution of the organization (Brave Young Hearts), assets shall be distributed for one (1) or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction in the county in which the principal office of the organization is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

The organization to receive the assets of Brave Young Hearts hereunder shall be selected by the discretion of a majority of the managing body of Brave Young Hearts and if its members cannot so agree, then the recipient organization shall be selected pursuant to a verified petition in equity filed in a court of proper jurisdiction Brave Young Hearts by one (1) or more of its managing body which verified petition shall contain such statements as reasonably indicate the applicability of this section. The court upon a finding that this section is applicable shall select the qualifying organization or organizations to receive the assets to be distributed, giving preference if practicable to organizations located within the State of Colorado.

In the event that the Court shall find that this section is applicable but that there is no qualifying organization known to it which has a charitable purpose, which, at least generally, includes a purpose similar to this corporation, then the court shall direct the distribution of its assets lawfully available for distribution to the Secretary of State of the State of Colorado to be added to the general fund.

Brave Young Hearts Bylaws Page 18, Article 14.0, contain a 501(c)(3) asset dedication clause. **“14.0 DISSOLUTION/Distribution of Assets. Upon the dissolution of this Corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision of payment, of all debts and liabilities of this Corporation shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and shall be distributed to, provided that they are exempt, Give Kids The World, Inc. EIN: 59-2654440, Principal Place of Business: 210 S. Bass Road, Kissimmee, FL 34746, Contact: Pamela Landwirth Tel: 407-396-1114. Such distribution shall be made in accordance with all applicable provisions of the laws of the state of Colorado and the state of Florida”.**



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Part III Continuation Sheet – Brave Young Hearts

Part III - Brave Young Hearts Organizing Document

Entity Name: Brave Young Hearts

501(c)(3) Tax Exempt Purpose: Brave Young Hearts is organized exclusively for charitable/philanthropic purposes, and is irrevocably dedicated to, and operated exclusively for the purpose of granting adventures (for relief to all children between ages 5 and 18, with terminal or life-threatening illnesses).....to provide a chance at normal, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Principal Office Street/Mailing Address:

6788 Pierson Ct.
Arvada, CO 80004

Registered Agent Name: Kerry Michael Slaven

Registered Agent Street/Mailing Address:

6788 Pierson Ct.
Arvada, CO 80004

Statement Regarding Registered Agent Consent: The registered agent has consented to being appointed as the registered agent for Brave Young Hearts.

Name and Mailing Address of the Person Forming the Corporation:

Kerry Michael Slaven, 6788 Pierson Ct., Arvada, CO 80004

Management: Brave Young Hearts will be managed by its Officers and Board Members.

Statement Regarding Members: Brave Young Hearts, as of 30-November-2015, has at least one member, with 6 actual members.

Members are:

Kerry Slaven – President, 6788 Pierson Ct., Arvada, CO 80004

David Ogard – Vice President, 15373 Uravan St., Brighton, CO 80601

Kimberly Russell – Treasurer, PO Box 1524, Conifer, CO 80433

Diane Slaven – Secretary, 6788 Pierson Ct., Arvada, CO 80004

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Part III: 1 - Brave Young Hearts is organized exclusively for charitable/philanthropic purposes (and is irrevocably dedicated to, and operated exclusively for the purpose of granting adventures (for relief to all children between ages 5 and 18, with terminal or life-threatening illnesses).....to provide a chance at normal), including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

No part of the net earnings of Brave Young Hearts shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in the purpose clause hereof.

No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by any organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Part III: 2(a) - Upon termination or dissolution of Brave Young Hearts, any assets

lawfully available for distribution shall be distributed to one (1) or more qualifying organizations described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or described in any corresponding provision of any successor statute) which organization or organizations have a charitable purpose which, at least generally, includes a purpose similar to the terminating or dissolving corporation.

The organization to receive the assets of Brave Young Hearts hereunder shall be selected by the discretion of a majority of the managing body of Brave Young Hearts and if its members cannot so agree, then the recipient organization shall be selected pursuant to a verified petition in equity filed in a court of proper jurisdiction Brave Young Hearts by one (1) or more of its managing body which verified petition shall contain such statements as reasonably indicate the applicability of this section. The court upon a finding that this section is applicable shall select the qualifying organization or organizations to receive the assets to be distributed, giving preference if practicable to organizations located within the State of Colorado.

In the event that the court shall find that this section is applicable but that there is no qualifying organization known to it which has a charitable purpose, which, at least generally, includes a purpose similar to this corporation, then the court shall direct the distribution of its assets lawfully available for distribution to the Secretary of State of the State of Colorado to be added to the general fund.

Part III: 2(b) - Brave Young Hearts articles, Page 18, Article 14.0, contain a 501(c)(3) asset dedication clause. “14.0 DISSOLUTION/Distribution of Assets. Upon the dissolution of this Corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision of payment, of all debts and liabilities of this Corporation shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and shall be distributed to Give Kids The World, Inc. EIN: 59-2654440, Principal Place of Business: 210 S. Bass Road, Kissimmee, FL 34746, Contact: Pamela Landwirth Tel: 407-396-1114. Such distribution shall be made in accordance with all applicable provisions of the laws of the state of Colorado and the state of Florida”.



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Part IV Continuation Sheet – Brave Young Hearts

Part IV - Narrative Description of Your Activities

Have you ever dreamed of taking a trip to somewhere really special?
You plan and dream, and dream and plan...and as the day draws near for your vacation,
your excitement and anticipation makes you feel like you're going to burst!!!
Then...it happens...it's everything you ever hoped it would be!!!

The roller coaster effect...
once you start the ride, you anticipate that first really big hill...and then.....
You're off in a swoosh!!!!
Excitement abounds!!!!
As soon as the ride is over, you want to do that again!!

So it is with children that are enduring the fight against terminal or life-threatening
diseases!!!!!!

Maybe, just maybe...they dream and plan and plan and dream of doing something
special!!!!!!

The roller coaster effect for these kiddos!!!!

Thus the need to grant an adventure.....a chance at normal!!!!!!!!!!

While Brave Young Hearts is still in the organizational phase, and as yet, **has not provided** an adventure for a kiddo with a terminal or life-threatening illness, **either past or present**....it is our goal, our vision, our mission! Once we have achieved 501(c)(3) status, we will begin to pursue donations.

Brave Young Hearts does not desire to specialize in any one kind of an adventure, but rather let the child decide what adventure they dream of.....our **planned activities** would be to provide an individual adventure such as a concert, theater, camping, fishing, hunting, horseback riding, go-karts, Disneyland....whatever the child with the illness desires for their chance at normal!!!

As long as the child's physician and parents or legal guardian approve in writing of the adventure, and state what physical limits may apply, and any special medical instructions, Brave Young Hearts will strive to make the individual adventure come to fruition!

All adventures that will be provided by Brave Young Hearts will only be accomplished within the continental United States, as needed. However, Colorado will be our first choice for adventures, and then if that doesn't work we will look elsewhere within the U.S.

Once a child has decided on an adventure (e.g. horseback riding), Brave Young Hearts will only work with licensed and insured providers such as a Dude Ranch in this case. Then, based on the family's timing and schedule the adventure will be booked for what the family decides is an appropriate length of time. Since Brave Young Hearts wants this to be a chance at normal and a memorable experience, we would try to have the child and at least one parent or guardian have the adventure at no cost to the family to include lodging accommodations, all meals, gratuities, and possibly some spending money, in addition to any and all related travel expenses.

Brave Young Hearts holds the opinion that providing a chance at normal, away from hospitals and treatments, and that we are irrevocably dedicated to offering an adventure for a child with a terminal or life-threatening illness furthers our exempt purposes in the interest of community/nonprofit charity/philanthropic purposes.

All Officers and Board Members of Brave Young Hearts are volunteers. Their time is completely donated. The percentage of time dedicated to make an adventure happen will be different for each adventure that is requested based on the variables of what needs to be coordinated. All Officers and Board Members work regular jobs, which requires their first allegiance regarding time. Ostensibly, whatever percentage of our personal time that is required will be focused on getting the adventure(s) lined up. Unfortunately, Brave Young Hearts has not provided an adventure yet, so there are no matrices available regarding time spent on an adventure.

Brave Young Hearts will be funded exclusively through charitable donations.



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Part V Continuation Sheet – Brave Young Hearts

Part V - Compensation and Other Financial Arrangements With Your Officers, Directors, Trustees, Employees, and Independent Contractors

1a - List the names, titles, and mailing addresses of all of your officers, directors, and trustees. For each person listed, state their total annual **compensation**, or proposed compensation, for all services to the organization, whether as an officer, employee, or other position. Use actual figures, if available. Enter “none” if no compensation is or will be paid. If additional space is needed, attach a separate sheet. Refer to the instructions for information on what to include as compensation.

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Title</u> | <u>Mailing address</u> | <u>Compensation amount (annual actual or estimated)</u> |
|-----------------|--------------|---|---|
| Keith Gardner | Board Member | 8563 W. 84 th Circle Arvada, CO 80005 | none |
| Curtis Robinson | Board Member | 11629 Apache Trail Conifer, CO 80433 | none |

Part V: 2a - Are any of your officers, directors, or trustees **related** to each other through **family** or **business relationships**? If “Yes,” identify the individuals and explain the relationship.

Explanation:

Kerry Slaven and Diane Slaven are married.
Diane Slaven and David Ogard are sister and brother.
Kerry Slaven and David Ogard are brother-in-laws.

Part V: 3a - For each of your officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, and highest compensated independent contractors listed on lines 1a, 1b, or 1c, attach a list showing their name, qualifications, average hours worked, and duties.

See Article 5.1 “Qualifications” of the bylaws attached to this application. The Directors shall be legal adults, at least eighteen years of age. Any Director must agree to a background check.

Kerry Slaven/Brave Young Hearts President: Is a legal adult, at least eighteen years of age. Served 9 years as the Journey Coordinator with Joseph’s Journey. Joseph’s Journey provides outdoor Journeys for children with terminal or life-threatening illnesses. Kerry resigned from Joseph’s Journey in March of 2015 with a desire to create Brave Young Hearts.

www.josephsjourney.org

The President shall, subject to the direction and supervision of the Board, be the chief executive officer of the Corporation and shall have general and active control of its affairs and business and general supervision of its officers and agents. The President shall perform all duties commonly incident to this office and shall perform such other duties as the Board may from time to time designate, including: Solicit and encourage in-kind and monetary contributions for the use and benefit of Brave Young Hearts; Sponsor fundraising events for the benefit of Brave Young Hearts; Apply for grants and funds; Provide advice concerning the acceptance or refusal of bequests, gifts, or donations and management of the same; Act as a service and advocacy body for Brave Young Hearts; Create committees, subcommittees, and advisory committees to assist the Corporation, as the Board deems necessary; Adopt policies and procedures to carry out the operations of Brave Young Hearts. Average hours: 20 hours p/week

David Ogard/Brave Young Hearts Vice President: Is a legal adult, at least eighteen years of age. Has helped to sponsor an annual youth hunt with the Narrows Duck Club. He also is an integral volunteer/coordinator for the annual “Shoot for Alex” (<https://www.facebook.com/Shoot-for-Alex-203279496374046/?fref=ts>) to raise money to help offset the financial burden of hospitals and treatment for families of children with Cancer.

The Vice President shall assist the President and shall perform such duties as may be assigned to him/her by the President or by the Board. In the absence of the President, the Vice President shall have the powers and perform the duties of the President, including: Solicit and encourage in-kind and monetary contributions for the use and benefit of Brave Young Hearts; Sponsor fundraising events for the benefit of Brave Young Hearts; Apply for grants and funds; Provide advice concerning the acceptance or refusal of bequests, gifts, or donations and management of the same; Act as a service and advocacy body for Brave Young Hearts; Create committees, subcommittees, and advisory committees to assist the Corporation, as the Board deems necessary; Adopt policies and procedures to carry out the operations of Brave Young Hearts. Average hours: 10 hours p/week

Diane Slaven/Brave Young Hearts Secretary: Is a legal adult, at least eighteen years of age. Along with Kerry Slaven have taken their annual 2 week vacation to volunteer as Papa Bear and Mama Bear at Give Kids The World in Kissimmee, Florida for 10 years after the passing of their first granddaughter, Bethany at age 4 ½ from brain tumors in 2005. Bethany got to go to Give Kids The World (a fantasy village for families of children with terminal or life-threatening illnesses) as part of her “Wish Trip” through Make-A-Wish.

www.gktw.org

www.bethanyslife.org

The Secretary shall prepare, distribute and maintain accurate minutes of the meetings of the Corporation and its Board and of any committees of the Board and shall prepare and maintain all corporate records and other information required to be kept by the Corporation; shall bear the responsibility of authenticating the Corporation’s records; shall ensure that all notices are duly given in accordance with the provisions of these bylaws; shall be custodian of the records and of the seal of the Corporation and shall attest the affixing of the seal of the Corporation when authorized by the Board; and shall perform such additional duties as are incident to such office and as may be assigned to such person by the Board or the President, including: Solicit and encourage in-kind and monetary contributions for the use and benefit of Brave Young Hearts; Sponsor fundraising events for the benefit of Brave Young Hearts; Apply for grants and funds; Provide advice concerning the acceptance or refusal of bequests, gifts, or donations and management of the same; Act as a service and advocacy body for Brave Young Hearts; Create committees, subcommittees, and advisory committees to assist the Corporation, as the Board deems necessary; Adopt policies and procedures to carry out the operations of Brave Young Hearts. Average hours: 10 hours p/week

Kimberly Russell/Brave Young Hearts Treasurer: Is a legal adult, at least eighteen years of age. Has numerous years of experience helping non-profit organizations with coordination their fund raising events and related advertising. She also has been a part of PeaceWorks Inc., and the Mountain Peace Shelter which inspires healing, hope and harmony within families and communities affected by relationship violence in Park County and mountain Jefferson County, CO.

The Treasurer shall be the principal financial officer of the Corporation and shall have the care and custody of all funds, securities, evidences and indebtedness, and other personal property of the Corporation and shall deposit the same in accordance with the instruction of the Board. The Treasurer shall perform all duties incident to the office of Treasurer and, upon request of the Board, shall make such reports to it as may be required at any time. The Treasurer, if required by the Board, shall be bonded at the expense of the Corporation in such sums and with such sureties as shall be satisfactory to the Board, such bond to be conditioned upon the faithful performance of his/her duties and for the restoration to the Corporation of all books, papers, vouchers, money, and other property of whatever kind in his/her possession or under his/her control belonging to the Corporation. The Treasurer shall have such other powers and perform

such other duties as from time to time may be prescribed by the Board or the President, including: Sponsor fundraising events for the benefit of Brave Young Hearts; Apply for grants and funds; Provide advice concerning the acceptance or refusal of bequests, gifts, or donations and management of the same; Act as a service and advocacy body for Brave Young Hearts; Create committees, subcommittees, and advisory committees to assist the Corporation, as the Board deems necessary; Adopt policies and procedures to carry out the operations of Brave Young Hearts. The Treasurer shall also be the principal accounting officer of the Corporation. The Treasurer shall prescribe and maintain the methods and systems of accounting to be followed, keep complete books and records of account, prepare and file all local, state, and federal tax returns, prescribe and maintain an adequate system of internal audit, and prepare and furnish to the President and the Board statements of account showing the financial position of the Corporation and the results of its operations at such times as may be requested by the Board, but no less frequently than annually. Average hours: 10 hours p/week

Keith Gardner/Brave Young Hearts Board Member: Is a legal adult, at least eighteen years of age. Has helped to sponsor an annual youth hunt with the Narrows Duck Club. He also is an integral volunteer for the annual “Shoot for Alex” (<https://www.facebook.com/Shoot-for-Alex-203279496374046/?fref=ts>) to raise money to help offset the financial burden of hospitals and treatment for families of children with Cancer.

Duties include: Sponsor fundraising events for the benefit of Brave Young Hearts; Apply for grants and funds; Provide advice concerning the acceptance or refusal of bequests, gifts, or donations and management of the same; Act as a service and advocacy body for Brave Young Hearts; Create committees, subcommittees, and advisory committees to assist the Corporation, as the Board deems necessary; Adopt policies and procedures to carry out the operations of Brave Young Hearts. Average hours: 10 hours p/week.

Curtis Robinson/Brave Young Hearts Board Member: Is a legal adult, at least eighteen years of age. Has been a part of PeaceWorks Inc., and the Mountain Peace Shelter which inspires healing, hope and harmony within families and communities affected by relationship violence in Park County and mountain Jefferson County, CO.

Duties include: Sponsor fundraising events for the benefit of Brave Young Hearts; Apply for grants and funds; Provide advice concerning the acceptance or refusal of bequests, gifts, or donations and management of the same; Act as a service and advocacy body for Brave Young Hearts; Create committees, subcommittees, and advisory committees to assist the Corporation, as the Board deems necessary; Adopt policies and procedures to carry out the operations of Brave Young Hearts. Average hours: 10 hours p/week.

Part V: 4a – This organization has adopted conflict of interest policy that controls the approval of salaries to directors, officers, and other “disqualified persons” as defined in Section 4958 of the Internal Revenue Code. See Articles 8.0, 8.1, 8.2, 8.3, 8.4, 8.5 of

the bylaws attached to this application. Also, Articles 3.1 and 3.2 of this organization's bylaws applies additional conflict of interest requirements on the board and compensation committee when approving compensation arrangements.

Part V: 4b – Article 16.4 of this organization's bylaws requires the approval of compensation of directors, officers, and any “disqualified person” as defined in Section 4958 of the Internal Revenue Code in advance after full disclosure of the surrounding facts and approval by disinterested members of the governing board or committee and prior to entering into the compensation agreement or arrangement. Further, Article 16.4 of this organization's bylaws requires specific approval for compensation arrangements prior to the first payment of compensation under such arrangements.

Part V: 4c – Article 8.5 of the organization's bylaws, which are attached to this application, require the taking of written minutes of meetings at which compensation paid to any director, officer, or other “disqualified person” as defined in Section 4958 of the Internal Revenue Code, are approved. The minutes must include the date and the terms of approved compensation arrangements. Further, and specifically with respect to the approval by the board or compensation committee of compensation arrangements, Article 8.5 of the organization's bylaws requires the recordation of the date and terms of compensation arrangements as well as other specific information concerning the basis for the approval of compensation arrangements.

Part V: 4d - Article 8.6 the organization's bylaws requires the written recordation of the approval of compensation and other financial arrangements between this organization and a director, officer, employee, contractor, and any other "disqualified person" as defined in Section 4958 of the Internal Revenue Code, including the names of the persons who vote on the arrangement and their votes. Further, and specifically with respect to the approval by the board or compensation committee of compensation arrangements, Article 8.6(d)(7), of the organization's bylaws requires the recordation of the board or committee who were present during discussion of the approval of compensation arrangements, those who voted on it, and the votes cast by each board or committee member

Part V: 4e - Article 8.6, of the organization's bylaws requires that the board or compensation committee considering the approval of a compensation arrangement obtain compensation levels paid by similarly situated organizations, both taxable and tax-exempt, for functionally comparable positions; the availability of similar services in the geographic area of this organization; current compensation surveys compiled by independent firms; and actual written offers from similar institutions competing for the services of the person who is the subject of the compensation arrangement. This article also provides that it is sufficient for these purposes to rely on compensation data obtained from three comparable organizations in the same or similar communities for similar services if this organization's three-years' average gross receipts are less than \$1 million (as allowed by IRS Regulation 53.4958-6)

Part V: 4f – Article 8.6(d)(1) – (7), of the organization's bylaws requires that the written minutes of the board or compensation committee meeting at which a compensation arrangement was discussed and approved include the terms of compensation and the basis for its approval. This bylaw provision includes a list of specific information that must be included in the required written minutes.

Part V: 5a - The board of directors of this organization has adopted bylaws that contain a conflicts of interest policy. The policy is set out in Article 8.0 of the attached bylaws. This policy is based on the sample conflict of interest policy contained in Appendix A of the official instructions to IRS Form 1023. This organization has added additional requirements in Article 8.6, of its bylaws for the approval of compensation arrangements that are based on the additional requirements contained in IRS Regulation Section 53.4958-6 to help ensure that all compensation arrangements are made by disinterested members of the organization's board or a duly constituted compensation committee of the board and are fair, reasonable, and in furtherance of the tax-exempt purposes of this organization.

Part V: 6a – Brave Young Hearts will NOT compensate any of the officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, and highest compensated independent contractors listed in lines 1a, 1b, or 1c through non-fixed payments, such as bonuses, discretionary bonuses or revenue-based payments, or any amounts based the organization's revenues (such as a salary kicker or bonus computed as a percentage of annual contributions received by this nonprofit).

Part V: 6b – Brave Young Hearts will NOT compensate any employees, officers, directors, trustees, nor will any employees, officers, directors, or trustees, receive compensation of more than \$50,000 per year, through non-fixed payments, such as discretionary bonuses, revenue-based payments, or private inurement.

Part V: 7a – Brave Young Hearts will NOT purchase goods, services, or assets from its directors, officers, highly paid employees, or highly paid contractors (those listed in this Part V, lines 1(a)-1(c)).

Part V: 7b – Brave Young Hearts will NOT sell goods, services, or assets to its directors, officers, highly paid employees, or highly paid contractors (those listed in this Part V, lines 1(a)-1(c)).

Part V: 8a – Brave Young Hearts will NOT have any leases, contracts, loans, or other agreements with its officers, directors, trustees, highest compensated employees, or highest compensated independent contractors (those listed in this Part V, lines 1(a)-1(c)).

Part V: 9a – Brave Young Hearts will NOT have any leases, contracts, loans, or other agreements with any organization in which any of its officers, directors, or trustees are also officers, directors, or trustees, or in which any individual officer, director, or trustee owns more than a 35% interest.



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Part VI Continuation Sheet – Brave Young Hearts

Part VI - Members and Other Individuals and Organizations That Receive Benefits From Brave Young Hearts

Part VI: 1a – In carrying out its exempt purposes, Brave Young Hearts plans to implement programs that provide goods, services, or funds to individuals, (children between the ages of 5 – 18 with terminal or life-threatening illness). These services will in the form of an adventure that the child would like to do, at no cost to the child or the family.

Brave Young Hearts does not desire to specialize in any one kind of an adventure, but rather let the child decide what adventure they dream of.....our planned activities would be to provide an individual adventure such as a concert, theater, camping, fishing, hunting, horseback riding, go-karts, Disneyland....whatever the child with the illness desires for their chance at normal!!!

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All adventures that will be provided by Brave Young Hearts will only be accomplished within the continental United States, as needed. However, Colorado will be our first choice for adventures, and then if that doesn't work we will look elsewhere within the U.S.

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Brave Young Hearts holds the opinion that providing a chance at normal, away from hospitals and treatments, and that we are irrevocably dedicated to offering an adventure for a child with a terminal or life-threatening illness furthers our exempt purposes in the interest of community/nonprofit charity/philanthropic purposes.

Adventures granted by Brave Young Hearts will be funded exclusively through charitable donations.

All children between the ages of 5 and 18 with terminal or life-threatening illnesses will have access to Brave Young Hearts goods or services, without respect to race, color, sex, religion, national origin, or persons with terminal or life-threatening disabilities.

Part VI: 2 – Brave Young Hearts will limit benefits, services, or funds to a specific individual or group of individuals as stated in the answer to **Part VI: 1a** above, which is children between the ages of 5 and 18 with terminal or life-threatening illnesses, and related to the exempt purposes of this nonprofit group. The limitation and how recipients are selected for each adventure will be solely based on a physician’s approval of a child’s adventure, and a vote by Brave Young Hearts members.

Part VI: 3 – Brave Young Hearts, as a nonprofit, is NOT set up primarily or directly to provide to any individuals who have a family or business relationship with any officer, director, trustee, or with any of its highest compensated employees or highest compensated independent contractors listed in Part V, lines 1a, 1b, and 1c, and will NOT receive goods, services, or funds through its programs,



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Part VII Continuation Sheet – Brave Young Hearts

Part VII - Brave Young Hearts History

Part VII: 1 – Brave Young Hearts is NOT a successor to any another organization, and have NOT taken NOR will take over the activities of another organization. Brave Young Hearts has NOT/WILL NOT take over 25% or more of the fair market value of the net assets of any another organization. Brave Young Hearts was NOT established upon the conversion of an organization from for-profit to non-profit status.

Part VII: 2 – Brave Young Hearts IS submitting this application within the 27 months allowed after the end of the month in which it was legally formed, 12-March-2015.



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Part VIII Continuation Sheet – Brave Young Hearts

Part VIII - Brave Young Hearts Specific Activities

Part VIII: 1 – Brave Young Hearts HAS NOT/DOES NOT/WILL NOT participate in any political campaign, in any past, present, and/or planned activities.

Brave Young Hearts HAS NOT/DOES NOT/WILL NOT promote or oppose the candidacy of any individual for public office, in any past, present, and/or planned activities.

Part VIII: 2(a) - Brave Young Hearts HAS NOT/DOES NOT/WILL NOT attempt to influence legislation, directly contact or urge the public to contact members of a legislative body for the purpose of proposing, supporting, or opposing legislation, or to advocate the adoption or rejection of legislation, in any past, present, and/or planned activities.

Part VIII: 3(a) - Brave Young Hearts HAS NOT/DOES NOT/WILL NOT operate any bingo or any gaming activities (such as pull-tabs, raffles, keno, split-the-pot, and other games of chance) in any past, present, and/or planned activities.

Part VIII: 3(b) - Brave Young Hearts HAS NOT/DOES NOT/WILL NOT enter into contracts or other agreements with any individuals or any organizations to conduct bingo or gaming on its behalf, in any past, present, and/or planned activities.

Part VIII: 4(a) – Once 501(c)(3) public charity status has been achieved, Brave Young Hearts will undertake fundraising activities to fund Adventures for children with terminal or life threatening illnesses, including:

Mail solicitations, Email solicitations, Personal solicitations, Foundation grant solicitations, Donations through the Brave Young Hearts website, Publicizing and conducting fund-raising campaigns, Conducting fund-raising events, and through Government grant solicitations.

All fundraising and fundraising events will be conducted by non-paid volunteers and Brave Young Hearts board members (volunteer labor).

Mail solicitations: Brave Young Hearts will be sending fundraising letters to businesses and individuals at least annually to request that they donate funds to support Brave Young Hearts or to be cordially invited to attend our annual fundraising banquet and auction.

Email solicitations: Brave Young Hearts will be utilizing internet solicitation methods, including but not limited to email, social media contacts and other mediums.

Personal solicitations: Brave Young Hearts will be fundraising by approaching a broad spectrum of entities and individuals in person to share the mission of Brave Young Hearts and seek public support.

Foundation grant solicitations: Brave Young Hearts will be applying for private or public foundation grants. We have no current arrangement for this method at this time.

Website donations: Brave Young Hearts will accept donations on our website, once 501(c)(3) public charity status has been achieved. This function will be accessible through a “donate” tab on the website of the corporation (www.braveyounghearts.net). The payments will be processed by PayPal, Inc. and will be directed to the corporation’s bank account. We have no current arrangement for this method at this time.

Fund-raising campaigns/events: At times Brave Young Hearts will be holding small-scale fundraising events. The work performed for such events shall be “Volunteer Labor” and without compensation. The material used for such events shall only come from the gifts or contributed products. Volunteer charity disc golf event would be an example.

Government grant solicitation: Brave Young Hearts will be applying for government grants. We have no current arrangement for this method at this time.

Part VIII: 4(b) – Brave Young Hearts will NOT have any written or oral contracts with any individuals or organizations to raise funds for Brave Young Hearts.

Part VIII: 4(c) – Brave Young Hearts WILL NOT fundraise for any specific organization and Brave Young Hearts is not organized solely to contribute or fund-raise for any specific entity. However, at the discretion of the board of directors we may at times, choose to contribute to other 501 (c)(3) organizations which share a similar mission and only if the contributions further our exempt status. (Please see the Narrative of our Activities for more information regarding how we contribute to other organizations.)

Part VIII: 4(e) – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT anticipate soliciting contributions where the donor has the right to advise how to use or distribute the funds.

Part VIII: 5 – Brave Young Hearts is NOT affiliated with any governmental unit.

Part VIII: 6 – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT/WILL NOT engage in economic development of any kind.

Part VIII: 7(a) – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT/WILL NOT develop facilities. Brave Young Hearts will operate only out of the personal residence of Kerry and Diane Slaven.

Part VIII: 7(a) – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT/WILL NOT manage facilities. Brave Young Hearts will operate only out of the personal residence of Kerry and Diane Slaven. Brave Young Hearts WILL NOT use anyone other than volunteers to manage activities.

Part VIII: 8 – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT/WILL NOT engage in any joint ventures, including: partnerships or limited liability companies treated as partnerships.

Part VIII: 9(a) – Brave Young Hearts WILL NOT apply for exemption as a childcare organization under section 501(k).

Part VIII: 10 – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT/WILL NOT publish, own, or have rights in music, literature, tapes, artworks, choreography, scientific discoveries, or any other intellectual property.

Part VIII: 11 – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT/WILL NOT accept contributions of: real property; conservation easements; closely held securities; intellectual property such as patents, trademarks, and copyrights; works of music or art; licenses; royalties; automobiles, boats, planes, or other vehicles; or collectibles of any type.

Part VIII: 12(a) – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT/WILL NOT operate in a foreign country or countries.

Part VIII: 13(a) – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT/WILL NOT make grants, loans, or other distributions to any other organization(s).

Part VIII: 14(a) – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT/WILL NOT make grants, loans, or other distributions to any foreign organization(s).

Part VIII: 15 – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT have a close connection with any organizations.

Part VIII: 16 – Brave Young Hearts IS NOT applying for exemption as a cooperative hospital service organization under section 501(e).

Part VIII: 17 – Brave Young Hearts IS NOT applying for exemption as a cooperative service organization of operating educational organizations under section 501(f).

Part VIII: 18 – Brave Young Hearts IS NOT applying for exemption as a charitable risk pool under section 501(n).

Part VIII: 19 – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT/WILL NOT operate any school.

Part VIII: 20 – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT/WILL NOT provide any hospital or medical care, or any function thereof.

Part VIII: 21 – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT/WILL NOT provide low-income housing or housing for the elderly or handicapped.

Part VIII: 22 – Brave Young Hearts DOES NOT/WILL NOT provide scholarships, fellowships, educational loans, or other educational grants to individuals, including grants for travel, study, or other similar purposes.