

## Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

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<b>A</b> For the 2023 calendar year, or tax year beginning 04-01, 2023, and ending 03-31, 2024	
<b>B</b> Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	<b>C</b> Name of organization <b>Pennsylvania Trout Inc</b> Doing business as Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite <b>PO Box 5148</b> City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code <b>Bellefonte, PA 16823</b> <b>F</b> Name and address of principal officer:
<b>D</b> Employer identification number <b>23-7188794</b>	
<b>E</b> Telephone number <b>(814) 544-7174</b>	
<b>G</b> Gross receipts \$ <b>852,647</b>	
<b>H(a)</b> Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>H(b)</b> Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. See instructions	
<b>I</b> Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c)( ) (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527	
<b>J</b> Website: <b>www.patROUT.org</b>	
<b>K</b> Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
<b>L</b> Year of formation: <b>1976</b>	
<b>M</b> State of legal domicile: <b>PA</b>	
<b>H(c)</b> Group exemption number <b>2266</b>	

<b>Part I Summary</b>	
<b>Activities &amp; Governance</b>	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <b>To conserve, protect, restore, and sustain Pennsylvania's cold water fisheries especially our wild trout resources.</b>
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.
	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) <b>3</b> <b>13</b>
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) <b>4</b> <b>13</b>
	5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2023 (Part V, line 2a) <b>5</b> <b>0</b>
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) <b>6</b>
	7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 <b>7a</b> <b>12,569</b>
7b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, Part I, line 11 <b>7b</b> <b>0</b>	
<b>Revenue</b>	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) <b>8</b> <b>441,305</b> <b>822,304</b>
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) <b>9</b> <b>0</b>
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) <b>10</b> <b>15,513</b> <b>12,048</b>
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e) <b>11</b> <b>6,805</b> <b>12,569</b>
	12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) <b>12</b> <b>463,623</b> <b>846,921</b>
<b>Expenses</b>	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3) <b>13</b> <b>116,902</b> <b>136,244</b>
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) <b>14</b> <b>0</b>
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10) <b>15</b> <b>104,895</b> <b>88,171</b>
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) <b>16a</b> <b>0</b>
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) <b>11,414</b>
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e) <b>17</b> <b>74,478</b> <b>95,650</b>
	18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) <b>18</b> <b>296,275</b> <b>320,065</b>
19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12 <b>19</b> <b>167,348</b> <b>526,856</b>	
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16) <b>20</b> <b>816,530</b> <b>1,376,474</b>
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) <b>21</b> <b>57,286</b> <b>59,612</b>
	22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20 <b>22</b> <b>759,244</b> <b>1,316,862</b>

<b>Part II Signature Block</b>	
Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.	
<b>Sign Here</b>	<b>Len Lichvar</b> Signature of officer
	<b>Len Lichvar, President</b> Type or print name and title
<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name <b>Megan R Troxell</b>
	Preparer's signature <b>Megan R Troxell</b> Date <b>1/17/25</b>
	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed PTIN <b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>
	Firm's name <b>Troxell &amp; Associates, LLC</b> Firm's EIN <b>814-371-1760</b>
Firm's address <b>2882 Oklahoma-Salem Road</b> Phone no. <b>814-371-1760</b>	
Du Bois PA 15801	

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions ☒ Yes ☐ No  
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**Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments**Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III ☐**1** Briefly describe the organization's mission:

To conserve, protect, restore, and sustain Pennsylvania's cold water fisheries especially our wild trout resources.

**2** Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

**3** Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

**4** Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.**4a** (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 227,235 including grants of \$ 114,445 ) (Revenue \$ )

Cold Water Heritage Program - Provides leadership, coordination, technical assistance, and funding support for the evaluation, conservation, and protection of Pennsylvania's coldwater streams.

**4b** (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 52,246 including grants of \$ 10,940 ) (Revenue \$ )

PA Trout Unlimited - Works to conserve, protect, restore, and sustain PA's coldwater fisheries and their watershed.

**4c** (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 24,658 including grants of \$ 10,859 ) (Revenue \$ )

Trout In The Classroom - An interdisciplinary program in which students in grades 3-12 learn about coldwater conservation while raising brook trout from eggs to fingerlings in a classroom aquarium.

**4d** Other program services (Describe on Schedule O.)

(Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

**4e** Total program service expenses 304,139

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules**

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

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

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

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

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

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued)		Yes	No
<b>2a</b>	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return . . . . .	2a	0
<b>b</b>	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? . . . . .	<b>2b</b>	
<b>3a</b>	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? . . . . .	<b>3a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation on Schedule O . . . . .	<b>3b</b>	X
<b>4a</b>	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? . . . . .	<b>4a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country _____ See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).		
<b>5a</b>	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year? . . . . .	<b>5a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? . . . . .	<b>5b</b>	X
<b>c</b>	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T? . . . . .	<b>5c</b>	
<b>6a</b>	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions? . . . . .	<b>6a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible? . . . . .	<b>6b</b>	
<b>7</b>	<b>Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).</b>		
<b>a</b>	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor? . . . . .	<b>7a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided? . . . . .	<b>7b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282? . . . . .	<b>7c</b>	X
<b>d</b>	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year . . . . .	<b>7d</b>	
<b>e</b>	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? . . . . .	<b>7e</b>	X
<b>f</b>	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? . . . . .	<b>7f</b>	X
<b>g</b>	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required? . . . . .	<b>7g</b>	X
<b>h</b>	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C? . . . . .	<b>7h</b>	X
<b>8</b>	<b>Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.</b> Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year? . . . . .	<b>8</b>	X
<b>9</b>	<b>Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.</b>		
<b>a</b>	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966? . . . . .	<b>9a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person? . . . . .	<b>9b</b>	X
<b>10</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(7) organizations.</b> Enter:		
<b>a</b>	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12 . . . . .	<b>10a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities . . . . .	<b>10b</b>	
<b>11</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(12) organizations.</b> Enter:		
<b>a</b>	Gross income from members or shareholders . . . . .	<b>11a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Gross income from other sources. (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.) . . . . .	<b>11b</b>	
<b>12a</b>	<b>Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.</b> Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041? . . . . .	<b>12a</b>	
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year . . . . .	<b>12b</b>	
<b>13</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.</b>		
<b>a</b>	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? . . . . . <b>Note:</b> See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.	<b>13a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans . . . . .	<b>13b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Enter the amount of reserves on hand . . . . .	<b>13c</b>	
<b>14a</b>	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year? . . . . .	<b>14a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation on Schedule O . . . . .	<b>14b</b>	
<b>15</b>	Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or excess parachute payment(s) during the year? . . . . . If "Yes," see the instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N.	<b>15</b>	X
<b>16</b>	Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income? . . . . . If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O.	<b>16</b>	X
<b>17</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(21) organizations.</b> Did the trust, or any disqualified or other person, engage in any activities that would result in the imposition of an excise tax under section 4951, 4952, or 4953? . . . . . If "Yes," complete Form 6069.	<b>17</b>	

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI ☒

**Section A. Governing Body and Management**

	1a	1b	2	3	4	5	6	7a	7b	8a	8b	9	Yes	No
<b>1a</b> Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year . . . . .	13													
If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain on Schedule O.														
<b>b</b> Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent . . . . .		13												
<b>2</b> Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee? . . . . .														X
<b>3</b> Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person? . . . . .														X
<b>4</b> Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed? . . . . .														X
<b>5</b> Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets? . . . . .														X
<b>6</b> Did the organization have members or stockholders? . . . . .													X	
<b>7a</b> Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body? . . . . .													X	
<b>b</b> Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body? . . . . .													X	
<b>8</b> Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:														
<b>a</b> The governing body? . . . . .													X	
<b>b</b> Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body? . . . . .													X	
<b>9</b> Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses on Schedule O . . . . .														X

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

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

**Section C. Disclosure**

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

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**Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors**Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII ☐**Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees****1a** Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

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

See instructions for the order in which to list the persons above.

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/ 1099-MISC/ 1099-NEC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/ 1099-MISC/ 1099-NEC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) Rick Nyles Regional VP	3.00			X				0	0	0
(2) Jimmy O'Connor Regional VP	3.00			X				0	0	0
(3) Kelly Williams Council VP	3.00			X				0	0	0
(4) Bryan Mathie Regional VP	3.00			X				0	0	0
(5) Russ Collins NLC Rep	3.00			X				0	0	0
(6) Dean Druckenmiller Regional VP	3.00			X				0	0	0
(7) Len Lichvar President	20.00			X				0	0	0
(8) Erick Lewis Secretary	20.00			X				0	0	0
(9) Todd Burns Regional VP	3.00			X				0	0	0
(10) Gary Parzanese Regional VP	3.00			X				0	0	0
(11) Greg Malaska Past Council Chair	3.00			X				0	0	0
(12) Ari Capotis Regional VP	3.00			X				0	0	0
(13) Russell Thrall Treasurer	30.00			X				0	0	0
(14)										

**Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees** (continued)

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

**2** Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization 0

**3** Did the organization list any **former** officer, director, trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual

	Yes	No
<b>3</b>		<b>x</b>
<b>4</b>		<b>x</b>
<b>5</b>		<b>x</b>

**4** For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual

**5** Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person

**Section B. Independent Contractors**

**1** Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
<b>2</b> Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization		



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

				(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514
<b>Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts</b>	<b>1a</b>	Federated campaigns . . . . .	<b>1a</b>				
	<b>b</b>	Membership dues . . . . .	<b>1b</b>				
	<b>c</b>	Fundraising events . . . . .	<b>1c</b>				
	<b>d</b>	Related organizations . . . . .	<b>1d</b>				
	<b>e</b>	Government grants (contributions) . .	<b>1e</b>	713,413			
	<b>f</b>	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	<b>1f</b>	108,891			
	<b>g</b>	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f . . . . .	<b>1g</b>	\$			
	<b>h</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1f . . . . .		822,304			
<b>Program Service Revenue</b>				Business Code			
	<b>2a</b>						
	<b>b</b>						
	<b>c</b>						
	<b>d</b>						
	<b>e</b>						
	<b>f</b>	All other program service revenue . . . . .					
	<b>g</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 2a-2f . . . . .					
<b>Other Revenue</b>	<b>3</b>	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) . . . . .		12,048			12,048
	<b>4</b>	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds . . . . .					
	<b>5</b>	Royalties . . . . .					
	<b>6a</b>	Gross rents . . . . .	<b>6a</b>	(i) Real	(ii) Personal		
	<b>b</b>	Less: rental expenses . . . . .	<b>6b</b>				
	<b>c</b>	Rental income or (loss) . . . . .	<b>6c</b>				
	<b>d</b>	Net rental income or (loss) . . . . .					
	<b>7a</b>	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory . . . . .	<b>7a</b>	(i) Securities	(ii) Other		
	<b>b</b>	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses . . . . .	<b>7b</b>				
	<b>c</b>	Gain or (loss) . . . . .	<b>7c</b>				
	<b>d</b>	Net gain or (loss) . . . . .					
	<b>8a</b>	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18 . . . . .	<b>8a</b>				
	<b>b</b>	Less: direct expenses . . . . .	<b>8b</b>				
	<b>c</b>	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events . . . . .					
	<b>9a</b>	Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19 . . . . .	<b>9a</b>				
	<b>b</b>	Less: direct expenses . . . . .	<b>9b</b>				
	<b>c</b>	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities . . . . .					
	<b>10a</b>	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances . . . . .	<b>10a</b>	18,295			
<b>b</b>	Less: cost of goods sold . . . . .	<b>10b</b>	5,726				
<b>c</b>	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory . . . . .		12,569		12,569		
<b>Miscellaneous Revenue</b>				Business Code			
	<b>11a</b>						
	<b>b</b>						
	<b>c</b>						
	<b>d</b>	All other revenue . . . . .					
	<b>e</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 11a-11d . . . . .					
<b>12</b>	<b>Total revenue.</b> See instructions . . . . .			846,921	0	12,569	12,048

**Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses**

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

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

☒**Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.**

	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
<b>1</b> Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21 . . .	<b>136,244</b>	<b>136,244</b>		
<b>2</b> Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22 . . . . .				
<b>3</b> Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16 . . . . .				
<b>4</b> Benefits paid to or for members . . . . .				
<b>5</b> Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees . . . . .				
<b>6</b> Compensation not included above to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) . . . . .				
<b>7</b> Other salaries and wages . . . . .	<b>68,479</b>	<b>68,479</b>		
<b>8</b> Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions) . .				
<b>9</b> Other employee benefits . . . . .	<b>14,453</b>	<b>14,453</b>		
<b>10</b> Payroll taxes . . . . .	<b>5,239</b>	<b>5,239</b>		
<b>11</b> Fees for services (nonemployees):				
<b>a</b> Management . . . . .				
<b>b</b> Legal . . . . .				
<b>c</b> Accounting . . . . .	<b>9,845</b>	<b>9,345</b>	<b>500</b>	
<b>d</b> Lobbying . . . . .				
<b>e</b> Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17 . .				
<b>f</b> Investment management fees . . . . .				
<b>g</b> Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A), amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.) . .				
<b>12</b> Advertising and promotion . . . . .				
<b>13</b> Office expenses . . . . .				
<b>14</b> Information technology . . . . .				
<b>15</b> Royalties . . . . .				
<b>16</b> Occupancy . . . . .				
<b>17</b> Travel . . . . .	<b>29,020</b>	<b>26,945</b>	<b>1,851</b>	<b>224</b>
<b>18</b> Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials . . . . .				
<b>19</b> Conferences, conventions, and meetings . . . . .				
<b>20</b> Interest . . . . .				
<b>21</b> Payments to affiliates . . . . .				
<b>22</b> Depreciation, depletion, and amortization . . . . .				
<b>23</b> Insurance . . . . .				
<b>24</b> Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses on line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A), amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
<b>a</b> <u>Registration fees</u> . . . . .	<b>125</b>		<b>25</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>b</b> <u>Printing/Publications</u> . . . . .	<b>5,046</b>	<b>1,507</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>3,233</b>
<b>c</b> <u>Website</u> . . . . .	<b>3,757</b>	<b>2,916</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>211</b>
<b>d</b> <u>Facilities/Equipment</u> . . . . .	<b>8,999</b>	<b>8,999</b>		
<b>e</b> All other expenses . . . . .	<b>38,858</b>	<b>30,012</b>	<b>1,200</b>	<b>7,646</b>
<b>25</b> <b>Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 1 through 24e . .	<b>320,065</b>	<b>304,139</b>	<b>4,512</b>	<b>11,414</b>
<b>26</b> <b>Joint costs.</b> Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720) . . . . .				

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

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
<b>Assets</b>	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing	616,396	1	381,461
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments		2	752,165
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4 Accounts receivable, net		4	
	5 Loans and other receivables from any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons		5	
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		9	
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	10b	10c	
	11 Investments - publicly traded securities	200,134	11	242,848
	12 Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13 Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14 Intangible assets		14	
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		15	
16 <b>Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33)	816,530	16	1,376,474	
<b>Liabilities</b>	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	57,286	17	59,612
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue		19	
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22 Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons		22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24	
	25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D		25	
	26 <b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25	57,286	26	59,612
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27, 28, 32, and 33.</b>			
	27 Net assets without donor restrictions	454,708	27	557,945
	28 Net assets with donor restrictions	304,536	28	758,917
	<b>Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 29 through 33.</b>			
	29 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		29	
	30 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		30	
	31 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		31	
	32 <b>Total net assets or fund balances</b>	759,244	32	1,316,862
	33 <b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b>	816,530	33	1,376,474

**Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets**Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI ☐

<b>1</b>	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	<b>1</b>	846,921
<b>2</b>	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	<b>2</b>	320,065
<b>3</b>	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	<b>3</b>	526,856
<b>4</b>	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A))	<b>4</b>	759,244
<b>5</b>	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	<b>5</b>	30,762
<b>6</b>	Donated services and use of facilities	<b>6</b>	
<b>7</b>	Investment expenses	<b>7</b>	
<b>8</b>	Prior period adjustments	<b>8</b>	
<b>9</b>	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain on Schedule O)	<b>9</b>	0
<b>10</b>	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 32, column (B))	<b>10</b>	1,316,862

**Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting**Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII ☐

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

Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return  
(and proxy tax under section 6033(e))

OMB No. 1545-0047

2023

For calendar year 2023 or other tax year beginning 04-01, 2023, and ending 03-31, 2024

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue ServiceGo to [www.irs.gov/Form990T](https://www.irs.gov/Form990T) for instructions and the latest information.  
Do not enter SSN numbers on this form as it may be made public if your organization is a 501(c)(3).Open to Public Inspection  
for 501(c)(3)  
Organizations Only

A <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if address changed.	Print or Type	Name of organization ( <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if name changed and see instructions ) <b>Pennsylvania Trout Inc</b>	D Employer identification number <b>23-7188794</b>
B Exempt under section <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 408(e) <input type="checkbox"/> 220(e) <input type="checkbox"/> 408A <input type="checkbox"/> 530(a) <input type="checkbox"/> 529(a) <input type="checkbox"/> 529A		Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. <b>PO Box 5148</b>	E Group exemption number (see instructions) <b>2266</b>
		City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code <b>Bellefonte, PA 16823</b>	F <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if an amended return.
		C Book value of all assets at end of year <b>1,376,474</b>	
G Check organization type <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) corporation <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) trust <input type="checkbox"/> 401(a) trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other trust <input type="checkbox"/> State college/university <input type="checkbox"/> 6417 (d)(1)(A) Applicable entity			
H Check if filing only to claim <input type="checkbox"/> Credit from Form 8941 <input type="checkbox"/> Refund shown on Form 2439 <input type="checkbox"/> Elective payment amount from Form 3800			
I Check if a 501(c)(3) organization filing a consolidated return with a 501(c)(2) titleholding corporation <input type="checkbox"/>			
J Enter the number of attached Schedules A (Form 990-T) <b>1</b>			
K During the tax year, was the corporation a subsidiary in an affiliated group or a parent-subsidiary controlled group? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," enter the name and identifying number of the parent corporation			
L The books are in care of <b>Russell Thrall PO Box 5148 Bellefont PA 16823</b> Telephone number <b>(814) 544-7174</b>			

**Part I Total Unrelated Business Taxable Income**

1	Total of unrelated business taxable income computed from all unrelated trades or businesses (see instructions)	1	913
2	Reserved	2	
3	Add lines 1 and 2	3	913
4	Charitable contributions (see instructions for limitation rules)	4	
5	Total unrelated business taxable income before net operating losses. Subtract line 4 from line 3	5	913
6	Deduction for net operating loss. See instructions	6	
7	Total of unrelated business taxable income before specific deduction and section 199A deduction. Subtract line 6 from line 5	7	913
8	Specific deduction (generally \$1,000, but see instructions for exceptions)	8	1,000
9	Trusts. Section 199A deduction. See instructions	9	
10	Total deductions. Add lines 8 and 9	10	1,000
11	Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line 10 from line 7. If line 10 is greater than line 7, enter zero	11	0

**Part II Tax Computation**

1	Organizations taxable as corporations. Multiply Part I, line 11 by 21% (0.21)	1	0
2	Trusts taxable at trust rates. See instructions for tax computation. Income tax on the amount on Part I, line 11 from: <input type="checkbox"/> Tax rate schedule or <input type="checkbox"/> Schedule D (Form 1041)	2	
3	Proxy tax. See instructions	3	
4	Other tax amounts. See instructions	4	
5	Alternative minimum tax	5	
6	Tax on noncompliant facility income. See instructions	6	
7	Total. Add lines 3 through 6 to line 1 or 2, whichever applies	7	

**Part III Tax and Payments**

1a	Foreign tax credit (corporations attach Form 1118; trusts attach Form 1116)	1a		1e	
b	Other credits (see instructions)	1b			
c	General business credit. Attach Form 3800 (see instructions)	1c			
d	Credit for prior year minimum tax (attach Form 8801 or 8827)	1d			
e	Total credits. Add lines 1a through 1d			1e	
2	Subtract line 1e from Part II, line 7			2	
3a	Amount due from Form 4255	3a		3f	
b	Amount due from Form 8611	3b			
c	Amount due from Form 8697	3c			
d	Amount due from Form 8866	3d			
e	Other amounts due (see instructions)	3e			
f	Total amounts due. Add lines 3a through 3e			3f	
4	Total tax. Add lines 2 and 3 (see instructions). <input type="checkbox"/> Check if includes tax previously deferred under section 1294. Enter tax amount here			4	
5	Current net 965 tax liability paid from Form 965-A, Part II, column (k)			5	

**Part III Tax and Payments** (continued)

<b>6a</b>	Payments: Preceding year's overpayment credited to the current year . . . . .	<b>6a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Current year's estimated tax payments. Check if section 643(g) election applies . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>6b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Tax deposited with Form 8868 . . . . .	<b>6c</b>	
<b>d</b>	Foreign organizations: Tax paid or withheld at source (see instructions) . . . . .	<b>6d</b>	
<b>e</b>	Backup withholding (see instructions) . . . . .	<b>6e</b>	
<b>f</b>	Credit for small employer health insurance premiums (attach Form 8941) . . . . .	<b>6f</b>	
<b>g</b>	Elective payment election amount from Form 3800 . . . . .	<b>6g</b>	
<b>h</b>	Payment from Form 2439 . . . . .	<b>6h</b>	
<b>i</b>	Credit from Form 4136 . . . . .	<b>6i</b>	
<b>j</b>	Other (see instructions) . . . . .	<b>6j</b>	
<b>7</b>	<b>Total payments.</b> Add lines 6a through 6j . . . . .	<b>7</b>	
<b>8</b>	Estimated tax penalty (see instructions). Check if Form 2220 is attached . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>8</b>	
<b>9</b>	<b>Tax due.</b> If line 7 is smaller than the total of lines 4, 5, and 8, enter amount owed . . . . .	<b>9</b>	
<b>10</b>	<b>Overpayment.</b> If line 7 is larger than the total of lines 4, 5, and 8, enter amount overpaid . . . . .	<b>10</b>	
<b>11</b>	Enter the amount of line 10 you want: <b>Credited to 2024 estimated tax</b> <b>Refunded</b>	<b>11</b>	

**Part IV Statements Regarding Certain Activities and Other Information** (see instructions)

<b>1</b>	At any time during the 2023 calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account (bank, securities, or other) in a foreign country? If "Yes," the organization may have to file FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country here	Yes	No
<b>2</b>	During the tax year, did the organization receive a distribution from, or was it the grantor of, or transferor to, a foreign trust? If "Yes," see instructions for other forms the organization may have to file.		X
<b>3</b>	Enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year . . . . . \$		
<b>4</b>	Enter available pre-2018 NOL carryovers here \$ . Do not include any post-2017 NOL carryover shown on Schedule A (Form 990-T). Don't reduce the NOL carryover shown here by any deduction reported on Part I, line 6.		
<b>5</b>	Post-2017 NOL carryovers. Enter the Business Activity Code and available post-2017 NOL carryovers. Don't reduce the amounts shown below by any NOL claimed on any Schedule A, Part II, line 17 for the tax year. See instructions.		
	Business Activity Code	Available post-2017 NOL carryover	
		\$	
		\$	
		\$	
		\$	
<b>6a</b>	Reserved for future use . . . . .		
<b>b</b>	Reserved for future use . . . . .		

**Part V Supplemental Information**

Provide any additional information. See instructions.

**Sign Here**

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

**President**

Signature of officer

Date

Title

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instructions)? ☒ Yes ☐ No**Paid Preparer Use Only**

Print/Type preparer's name

Megan R Troxell

Preparer's signature

Date

Check ☐ if self-employed

PTIN

XXXXXXXXXX

Firm's name

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Firm's EIN

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**SCHEDULE A  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Public Charity Status and Public Support**

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

Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for instructions and the latest information.

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2023**

**Open to Public  
Inspection**

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

Pennsylvania Trout Inc

23-7188794

**Part I Reason for Public Charity Status.** (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 12, check only one box.)

- 1 ☐ A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)**.
- 2 ☐ A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)**. (Attach Schedule E (Form 990).)
- 3 ☐ A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**.
- 4 ☐ A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 ☐ An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 6 ☐ A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)**.
- 7 ☐ An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 8 ☐ A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 9 ☐ An agricultural research organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ix)** operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land-grant college of agriculture (see instructions). Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university: \_\_\_\_\_
- 10 ☒ An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions, subject to certain exceptions; and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2)**. (Complete Part III.)
- 11 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4)**.
- 12 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2)**. See **section 509(a)(3)**. Check the box on lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g.
- a ☐ **Type I.** A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.**
- b ☐ **Type II.** A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.**
- c ☐ **Type III functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.**
- d ☐ **Type III non-functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.**
- e ☐ Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.

f Enter the number of supported organizations

g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-10 above (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document?		(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
			Yes	No		
(A)						
(B)						
(C)						
(D)						
(E)						
Total						



**Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2019	(b) 2020	(c) 2021	(d) 2022	(e) 2023	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") . . . . .						
<b>2</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf . . . . .						
<b>3</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge . . . . .						
<b>4 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3 . . . . .						
<b>5</b> The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f) . . . . .						
<b>6 Public support.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4 . . . . .						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2019	(b) 2020	(c) 2021	(d) 2022	(e) 2023	(f) Total
<b>7</b> Amounts from line 4 . . . . .						
<b>8</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources . . . . .						
<b>9</b> Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on . . . . .						
<b>10</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.) . . . . .						
<b>11 Total support.</b> Add lines 7 through 10 . . . . .						
<b>12</b> Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) . . . . .					<b>12</b>	
<b>13 First 5 years.</b> If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . . . . .						<input type="checkbox"/>

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

<b>14</b> Public support percentage for 2023 (line 6, column (f), divided by line 11, column (f)) . . . . .	<b>14</b>	%
<b>15</b> Public support percentage from 2022 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 . . . . .	<b>15</b>	%
<b>16a 33 1/3% support test - 2023.</b> If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . .		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>b 33 1/3% support test - 2022.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . .		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2023.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . .		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2022.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . .		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>18 Private foundation.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions . . . . .		<input type="checkbox"/>

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II.  
If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2019	(b) 2020	(c) 2021	(d) 2022	(e) 2023	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	242,418	193,031	296,165	441,305	822,303	1,995,222
<b>2</b> Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose . . . . .						
<b>3</b> Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
<b>4</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf . . . . .						
<b>5</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge . . . . .						
<b>6 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5 . . . . .	242,418	193,031	296,165	441,305	822,303	1,995,222
<b>7a</b> Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons . .						
<b>b</b> Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
<b>c</b> Add lines 7a and 7b . . . . .						
<b>8 Public support.</b> (Subtract line 7c from line 6.) . . . . .						1,995,222

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2019	(b) 2020	(c) 2021	(d) 2022	(e) 2023	(f) Total
<b>9</b> Amounts from line 6 . . . . .	242,418	193,031	296,165	441,305	822,303	1,995,222
<b>10a</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources .	14,141	10,055	17,093	15,513	12,048	68,850
<b>b</b> Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975 . . . . .						
<b>c</b> Add lines 10a and 10b . . . . .	14,141	10,055	17,093	15,513	12,048	68,850
<b>11</b> Net income from unrelated business activities not included on line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
<b>12</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.) . . . . .						
<b>13 Total support.</b> (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.) . . . . .	256,559	203,086	313,258	456,818	834,351	2,064,072
<b>14 First 5 years.</b> If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>						

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

<b>15</b> Public support percentage for 2023 (line 8, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)) . . . . .	<b>15</b>	96.66 %
<b>16</b> Public support percentage from 2022 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 . . . . .	<b>16</b>	95.80 %

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

<b>17</b> Investment income percentage for <b>2023</b> (line 10c, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)) . . .	<b>17</b>	3.00 %
<b>18</b> Investment income percentage from <b>2022</b> Schedule A, Part III, line 17 . . . . .	<b>18</b>	4.00 %

- 19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2023.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ☒
- b 33 1/3% support tests - 2022.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . . ☐
- 20 Private foundation.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions . . ☐

**Part IV Supporting Organizations**

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

**Section A. All Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If "No," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.		
<b>2</b> Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).		
<b>3a</b> Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer lines 3b and 3c below.		
<b>b</b> Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> when and how the organization made the determination.		
<b>c</b> Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.		
<b>4a</b> Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes," and if you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer lines 4b and 4c below.		
<b>b</b> Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.		
<b>c</b> Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.		
<b>5a</b> Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer lines 5b and 5c below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> , including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).		
<b>b</b> <b>Type I or Type II only.</b> Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?		
<b>c</b> <b>Substitutions only.</b> Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?		
<b>6</b> Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> .		
<b>7</b> Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (as defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).		
<b>8</b> Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described on line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).		
<b>9a</b> Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons, as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> .		
<b>b</b> Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined on line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> .		
<b>c</b> Did a disqualified person (as defined on line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> .		
<b>10a</b> Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? If "Yes," answer line 10b below.		
<b>b</b> Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)		

**Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)**

	Yes	No
<b>11</b> Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
<b>a</b> A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described on lines 11b and 11c below, the governing body of a supported organization?	<b>11a</b>	
<b>b</b> A family member of a person described on line 11a above?	<b>11b</b>	
<b>c</b> A 35% controlled entity of a person described on 11a or 11b above? If "Yes" to line 11a, 11b, or 11c, provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> .	<b>11c</b>	

**Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Did the governing body, members of the governing body, officers acting in their official capacity, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees at all times during the tax year? If "No," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove officers, directors, or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.	<b>1</b>	
<b>2</b> Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.	<b>2</b>	

**Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).	<b>1</b>	

**Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?	<b>1</b>	
<b>2</b> Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in <b>Part VI</b> how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b> By reason of the relationship described in line 2, above, did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.	<b>3</b>	

**Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations**

<b>1</b> Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions).			
<b>a</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete <b>line 2</b> below.			
<b>b</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete <b>line 3</b> below.			
<b>c</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in <b>Part VI</b> how you supported a government entity (see instructions).			
<b>2</b> <b>Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b below.</b>			
<b>a</b> Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in <b>Part VI</b> identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.	<b>2a</b>		
<b>b</b> Did the activities described on line 2a, above, constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.	<b>2b</b>		
<b>3</b> <b>Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer lines 3a and 3b below.</b>			
<b>a</b> Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? If "Yes" or "No," provide details in <b>Part VI</b> .	<b>3a</b>		
<b>b</b> Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> the role played by the organization in this regard.	<b>3b</b>		

**Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations**

- 1 ☐ Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970 (*explain in Part VI*). See instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Net short-term capital gain	1	
2	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2	
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3	
4	Add lines 1 through 3.	4	
5	Depreciation and depletion	5	
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6	
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7	
8	<b>Adjusted Net Income</b> (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4)	8	

Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):		
a	Average monthly value of securities	1a	
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b	
c	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c	
d	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d	
e	<b>Discount</b> claimed for blockage or other factors ( <i>explain in detail in Part VI</i> ):		
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 0.015 of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5	
6	Multiply line 5 by 0.035.	6	
7	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7	
8	<b>Minimum Asset Amount</b> (add line 7 to line 6)	8	

Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, column A)	1	
2	Enter 0.85 of line 1.	2	
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, column A)	3	
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3.	4	
5	Income tax imposed in prior year	5	
6	<b>Distributable Amount.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).	6	
7	<input type="checkbox"/> Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).		

**Part V** Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations (continued)

Section D - Distributions		Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	1
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	2
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	3
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	4
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required) - provide details in Part VI	5
6	Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions.	6
7	<b>Total annual distributions.</b> Add lines 1 through 6.	7
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in Part VI). See instructions.	8
9	Distributable amount for 2023 from Section C, line 6	9
10	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount	10

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2023	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2023
1 Distributable amount for 2023 from Section C, line 6			
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2023 (reasonable cause required - explain in Part VI). See instructions.			
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2023			
a From 2018 . . . . .			
b From 2019 . . . . .			
c From 2020 . . . . .			
d From 2021 . . . . .			
e From 2022 . . . . .			
f <b>Total</b> of lines 3a through 3e			
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h Applied to 2023 distributable amount			
i Carryover from 2018 not applied (see instructions)			
j Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f.			
4 Distributions for 2023 from Section D, line 7: \$			
a Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b Applied to 2023 distributable amount			
c Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4.			
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2023, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2023. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
7 <b>Excess distributions carryover to 2024.</b> Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8 Breakdown of line 7:			
a Excess from 2019 . . . .			
b Excess from 2020 . . . .			
c Excess from 2021 . . . .			
d Excess from 2022 . . . .			
e Excess from 2023 . . . .			

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

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**Schedule B  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Schedule of Contributors**

Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.  
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**2023**

Name of the organization

**Pennsylvania Trout Inc**

Employer identification number

**23-7188794**

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

☒ 501(c)( 3 ) (enter number) organization

☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation

☐ 527 political organization

Form 990-PF

☐ 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

☐ 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

**Note:** Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

**General Rule**

- ☒ For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

**Special Rules**

- ☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000; or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.
- ☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I (entering "N/A" in column (b) instead of the contributor name and address), II, and III.
- ☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Caution:** An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990).

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**Part I** **Contributors** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	National Trout Unlimited 1777 N. Kent Street Arlington VA 22209	\$ 30,313	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
2	PA DCNR PO Box 8475 Harrisburg PA 17101	\$ 171,820	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
3	Comm of PA - Attorney General Strawberry Square Harrisburg PA 17120	\$ 500,000	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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**SCHEDULE I  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,  
Governments, and Individuals in the United States**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.

Attach to Form 990.

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**Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance**

- 1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? ☒ Yes ☐ No
- 2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States.

**Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1	(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section (if applicable)	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of noncash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of noncash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
(1)	Western PA Conservancy 1067 Philadelphia St Indiana PA 15701	25-1053485		12,104				Implementation of Conservation
(2)	Kettle Creek Watershed Asso 535 Poplar Drive Greensburg PA 15601	23-2936060		15,000				Implementation of Conservation
(3)	Western PA Conservancy 1067 Philadelphia St Indiana PA 15701	25-1053485		7,500				Implementation of Conservation
(4)	Huntington County Conservat 10605 Raystown Rd Huntingdon PA 16652	25-1250267		7,342				Implementation of Conservation
(5)	Western PA Conservancy 1590 Main St. Ridgway PA 15853	25-1053435		14,984				Implementation of Conservation
(6)	Clinton County Conservation 45 Cooperation Ln Mill Hall PA 17751	23-1740503		15,000				Implementation of Conservation
(7)	Tub Mill Trout Club Unlimit 5850 Route 711 New Florence PA 15944	45-5201997		15,000				Implementation of Conservation
(8)	Lehigh County Conservation 4184 Dorny Park Rd Allentown PA 18104	23-2767492		15,000				Implementation of Conservation
(9)	Elk County Conservation Dis 850 Washington St Saint Marys PA 15857	25-1260390		12,663				Implementation of Conservation
(10)	Somerset Conservation Distr 6024 Glades Pike Rd Somerset PA 15501	52-6001040		5,803				Implementation of Conservation

- 2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table
- 3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table



**SCHEDULE O  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

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

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

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**01. Amended return information**

An amendment is being filed for the Agency to reflect updated information as of 3/31/24.

**02. Members or stockholder classes and rights (Part VI, line 6)**

See website ([www.patROUT.org](http://www.patROUT.org)) for additional support.

**03. Member election for additional members (Part VI, line 7a)**

See website ([www.patROUT.org](http://www.patROUT.org)) for additional support.

**04. Governing body decisions (Part VI, line 7b)**

See website ([www.patROUT.org](http://www.patROUT.org)) for additional support.

**05. Form 990 governing body review (Part VI, line 11)**

Board review prior to filing Form 990.

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

See website ([www.patROUT.org](http://www.patROUT.org)) for additional support.

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

See website ([www.patROUT.org](http://www.patROUT.org)) for additional support.

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

See website ([www.patROUT.org](http://www.patROUT.org)) for additional support.

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

See website ([www.patROUT.org](http://www.patROUT.org)) for additional documents available to public- by-laws,

**For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990 or 990-EZ.**

**Schedule O (Form 990) 2023**

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strategic plan, etc.

10. List of other fees for services expenses (Part IX, line 11g)

Contract Costs - Editor Fees

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

Various Other Expenses

**IRS E-file Signature Authorization  
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Name of filer

EIN or SSN

**Pennsylvania Trout Inc****23-7188794**

Name and title of officer or person subject to tax

**Len Lichvar, President****Part I Type of Return and Return Information**

Check the box for the return for which you are using this Form 8879-TE and enter the applicable amount, if any, from the return. Form 8038-CP and Form 5330 filers may enter dollars and cents. For all other forms, enter whole dollars only. If you check the box on line **1a**, **2a**, **3a**, **4a**, **5a**, **6a**, **7a**, **8a**, **9a**, or **10a** below, and the amount on that line for the return being filed with this form was blank, then leave line **1b**, **2b**, **3b**, **4b**, **5b**, **6b**, **7b**, **8b**, **9b**, or **10b**, whichever is applicable, blank (do not enter -0-). But, if you entered -0- on the return, then enter -0- on the applicable line below. **Do not** complete more than one line in Part I.

<b>1a</b> Form 990 check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Total revenue, if any (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12) . . . . .	<b>1b</b> _____
<b>2a</b> Form 990-EZ check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Total revenue, if any (Form 990-EZ, line 9) . . . . .	<b>2b</b> _____
<b>3a</b> Form 1120-POL check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Total tax (Form 1120-POL, line 22) . . . . .	<b>3b</b> _____
<b>4a</b> Form 990-PF check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Tax based on investment income (Form 990-PF, Part V, line 5) . . . . .	<b>4b</b> _____
<b>5a</b> Form 8868 check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Balance due (Form 8868, line 3c) . . . . .	<b>5b</b> _____
<b>6a</b> Form 990-T check here . . . . . <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Total tax (Form 990-T, Part III, line 4) . . . . .	<b>6b</b> <u>0</u>
<b>7a</b> Form 4720 check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Total tax (Form 4720, Part III, line 1) . . . . .	<b>7b</b> _____
<b>8a</b> Form 5227 check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> FMV of assets at end of tax year (Form 5227, Item D) . . . . .	<b>8b</b> _____
<b>9a</b> Form 5330 check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Tax due (Form 5330, Part II, line 19) . . . . .	<b>9b</b> _____
<b>10a</b> Form 8038-CP check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Amount of credit payment requested (Form 8038-CP, Part III, line 22) . . . . .	<b>10b</b> _____

**Part II Declaration and Signature Authorization of Officer or Person Subject to Tax**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that ☐ I am an officer of the above entity or ☐ I am a person subject to tax with respect to (name of entity) \_\_\_\_\_, (EIN) \_\_\_\_\_ and that I have examined a copy of the

2023 electronic return and accompanying schedules and statements, and, to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I further declare that the amount in Part I above is the amount shown on the copy of the electronic return. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send the return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS (a) an acknowledgement of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, (b) the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and (c) the date of any refund. If applicable, I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) entry to the financial institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of the federal taxes owed on this return, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account. To revoke a payment, I must contact the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent at 1-888-353-4537 no later than 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial institutions involved in the processing of the electronic payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and resolve issues related to the payment. I have selected a personal identification number (PIN) as my signature for the electronic return and, if applicable, the consent to electronic funds withdrawal.

**PIN: check one box only**

☒ I authorize **Troxell & Associates, LLC** to enter my PIN **65834** as my signature  
ERO firm name Enter five numbers, but do not enter all zeros

on the tax year 2023 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I also authorize the aforementioned ERO to enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

☐ As an officer or person subject to tax with respect to the entity, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the tax year 2023 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I will enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

Signature of officer or person subject to tax

Date

**Part III Certification and Authentication**

ERO's EFIN/PIN. Enter your six-digit electronic filing identification number (EFIN) followed by your five-digit self-selected PIN.

**256174 15801****Do not enter all zeros**

I certify that the above numeric entry is my PIN, which is my signature on the 2023 electronically filed return indicated above. I confirm that I am submitting this return in accordance with the requirements of Pub. 4163, Modernized e-File (MeF) Information for Authorized IRS e-file Providers for Business Returns.

ERO's signature

Date

**ERO Must Retain This Form - See Instructions**  
**Do Not Submit This Form to the IRS Unless Requested To Do So**

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Form **8879-TE** (2023)



Form **8879-TE****IRS E-file Signature Authorization  
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OMB No. 1545-0047

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**2023**Department of the Treasury  
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Name of filer

EIN or SSN

**Pennsylvania Trout Inc****23-7188794**

Name and title of officer or person subject to tax

**Len Lichvar, President****Part I Type of Return and Return Information**

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<b>1a</b> Form 990 check here . . . . . <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Total revenue, if any (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12) . . . . .	<b>1b</b> <b>846,921</b>
<b>2a</b> Form 990-EZ check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Total revenue, if any (Form 990-EZ, line 9) . . . . .	<b>2b</b>
<b>3a</b> Form 1120-POL check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Total tax (Form 1120-POL, line 22) . . . . .	<b>3b</b>
<b>4a</b> Form 990-PF check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Tax based on investment income (Form 990-PF, Part V, line 5) . . . . .	<b>4b</b>
<b>5a</b> Form 8868 check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Balance due (Form 8868, line 3c) . . . . .	<b>5b</b>
<b>6a</b> Form 990-T check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Total tax (Form 990-T, Part III, line 4) . . . . .	<b>6b</b>
<b>7a</b> Form 4720 check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Total tax (Form 4720, Part III, line 1) . . . . .	<b>7b</b>
<b>8a</b> Form 5227 check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> FMV of assets at end of tax year (Form 5227, Item D) . . . . .	<b>8b</b>
<b>9a</b> Form 5330 check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Tax due (Form 5330, Part II, line 19) . . . . .	<b>9b</b>
<b>10a</b> Form 8038-CP check here . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>b</b> Amount of credit payment requested (Form 8038-CP, Part III, line 22) . . . . .	<b>10b</b>

**Part II Declaration and Signature Authorization of Officer or Person Subject to Tax**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that ☐ I am an officer of the above entity or ☐ I am a person subject to tax with respect to (name of entity) \_\_\_\_\_, (EIN) \_\_\_\_\_ and that I have examined a copy of the

2023 electronic return and accompanying schedules and statements, and, to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I further declare that the amount in Part I above is the amount shown on the copy of the electronic return. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send the return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS (a) an acknowledgement of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, (b) the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and (c) the date of any refund. If applicable, I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) entry to the financial institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of the federal taxes owed on this return, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account. To revoke a payment, I must contact the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent at 1-888-353-4537 no later than 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial institutions involved in the processing of the electronic payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and resolve issues related to the payment. I have selected a personal identification number (PIN) as my signature for the electronic return and, if applicable, the consent to electronic funds withdrawal.

**PIN: check one box only**

☒ I authorize **Troxell & Associates, LLC** to enter my PIN **65834** as my signature  
ERO firm name Enter five numbers, but do not enter all zeros

on the tax year 2023 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I also authorize the aforementioned ERO to enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

☐ As an officer or person subject to tax with respect to the entity, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the tax year 2023 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I will enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

Signature of officer or person subject to tax

Date

**Part III Certification and Authentication**

ERO's EFIN/PIN. Enter your six-digit electronic filing identification number (EFIN) followed by your five-digit self-selected PIN.

**256174 15801**

Do not enter all zeros

I certify that the above numeric entry is my PIN, which is my signature on the 2023 electronically filed return indicated above. I confirm that I am submitting this return in accordance with the requirements of Pub. 4163, Modernized e-File (MeF) Information for Authorized IRS e-file Providers for Business Returns.

ERO's signature

Date

**ERO Must Retain This Form - See Instructions  
Do Not Submit This Form to the IRS Unless Requested To Do So**

For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the instructions.

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Name(s) as shown on return

Pennsylvania Trout Inc

FEIN

23-7188794

## Description

## Amount

Registration

\$ 25

Total: \$ 25

## Description

## Amount

Registration

\$ 100

Total: \$ 100

## Description

## Amount

Printing/Publications

\$ 306

Total: \$ 306

## Description

## Amount

Printing/Publications

\$ 3,233

Total: \$ 3,233

24E

## Description

## Amount

Postage

\$ 8,680

Awards

1,100

Payroll Processing

360

Telephone

159

Dues

232

Newsletter

11,404

Supplies

4,705

Bank Fees

219

Books, References

3,046

Merchandise

107

Total: \$ 30,012

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Name(s) as shown on return

Pennsylvania Trout Inc

FEIN

23-7188794

Description	Amount
Bank Fees	\$ 21
Dues	100
Training	40
Postage	125
Supplies	493
Rent, parking, utilities	226
Books and references	195
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$ 1,200</b>

Description	Amount
Taxes	\$ 501
Bank Fees	646
Books and references	199
Supplies	66
Postage	6,234
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$ 7,646</b>

**SCHEDULE A**  
**(Form 990-T)**

**Unrelated Business Taxable Income**  
**From an Unrelated Trade or Business**

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2023**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990T](https://www.irs.gov/Form990T) for instructions and the latest information.  
Do not enter SSN numbers on this form as it may be made public if your organization is a 501(c)(3).

Open to Public Inspection for  
501(c)(3) Organizations Only

**A** Name of the organization

**Pennsylvania Trout Inc**

**B** Employer identification number

**23-7188794**

**C** Unrelated business activity code (see instructions) . . . . . **513110**

**D** Sequence: **1** of **1**

**E** Describe the unrelated trade or business **Coldwater Conservation**

<b>Part I</b>		<b>Unrelated Trade or Business Income</b>		(A) Income	(B) Expenses	(C) Net
<b>1a</b>	Gross receipts or sales	<b>18,043</b>				
<b>b</b>	Less returns and allowances		<b>c</b> Balance	<b>1c</b>	<b>18,043</b>	
<b>2</b>	Cost of goods sold (Part III, line 8)			<b>2</b>	<b>5,726</b>	
<b>3</b>	Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c			<b>3</b>	<b>12,317</b>	<b>12,317</b>
<b>4a</b>	Capital gain net income (attach Schedule D (Form 1041 or Form 1120)). See instructions			<b>4a</b>		
<b>b</b>	Net gain (loss) (Form 4797) (attach Form 4797). See instructions			<b>4b</b>		
<b>c</b>	Capital loss deduction for trusts			<b>4c</b>		
<b>5</b>	Income (loss) from a partnership or an S corporation (attach statement)			<b>5</b>		
<b>6</b>	Rent income (Part IV)			<b>6</b>		
<b>7</b>	Unrelated debt-financed income (Part V)			<b>7</b>		
<b>8</b>	Interest, annuities, royalties, and rents from a controlled organization (Part VI)			<b>8</b>		
<b>9</b>	Investment income of section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) organizations (Part VII)			<b>9</b>		
<b>10</b>	Exploited exempt activity income (Part VIII)			<b>10</b>		
<b>11</b>	Advertising income (Part IX)			<b>11</b>	<b>11,404</b>	<b>(11,404)</b>
<b>12</b>	Other income (see instructions; attach statement)			<b>12</b>		
<b>13</b>	<b>Total.</b> Combine lines 3 through 12			<b>13</b>	<b>12,317</b>	<b>913</b>

**Part II** **Deductions Not Taken Elsewhere.** See instructions for limitations on deductions. Deductions must be directly connected with the unrelated business income.

<b>1</b>	Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees (Part X)	<b>1</b>	
<b>2</b>	Salaries and wages	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	Repairs and maintenance	<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b>	Bad debts	<b>4</b>	
<b>5</b>	Interest (attach statement). See instructions	<b>5</b>	
<b>6</b>	Taxes and licenses	<b>6</b>	
<b>7</b>	Depreciation (attach Form 4562). See instructions	<b>7</b>	
<b>8</b>	Less depreciation claimed in Part III and elsewhere on return	<b>8a</b>	
<b>9</b>	Depletion	<b>9</b>	
<b>10</b>	Contributions to deferred compensation plans	<b>10</b>	
<b>11</b>	Employee benefit programs	<b>11</b>	
<b>12</b>	Excess exempt expenses (Part VIII)	<b>12</b>	
<b>13</b>	Excess readership costs (Part IX)	<b>13</b>	
<b>14</b>	Other deductions (attach statement)	<b>14</b>	
<b>15</b>	<b>Total deductions.</b> Add lines 1 through 14	<b>15</b>	
<b>16</b>	Unrelated business income before net operating loss deduction. Subtract line 15 from Part I, line 13, column (C)	<b>16</b>	<b>913</b>
<b>17</b>	Deduction for net operating loss. See instructions	<b>17</b>	
<b>18</b>	<b>Unrelated business taxable income.</b> Subtract line 17 from line 16	<b>18</b>	<b>913</b>

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Schedule A (Form 990-T) 2023

**Part III Cost of Goods Sold**

Enter method of inventory valuation

Cost

1	Inventory at beginning of year	1	
2	Purchases	2	5,726
3	Cost of labor	3	
4	Additional section 263A costs (attach statement)	4	
5	Other costs (attach statement)	5	
6	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5	6	5,726
7	Inventory at end of year	7	
8	<b>Cost of goods sold.</b> Subtract line 7 from line 6. Enter here and in Part I, line 2	8	5,726
9	Do the rules of section 263A (with respect to property produced or acquired for resale) apply to the organization?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

**Part IV Rent Income (From Real Property and Personal Property Leased with Real Property)**

1	Description of property (property street address, city, state, ZIP code). Check if a dual-use. See instructions.				
A	<input type="checkbox"/>				
B	<input type="checkbox"/>				
C	<input type="checkbox"/>				
D	<input type="checkbox"/>				
2	Rent received or accrued	A	B	C	D
a	From personal property (if the percentage of rent for personal property is more than 10% but not more than 50%)				
b	From real and personal property (if the percentage of rent for personal property exceeds 50% or if the rent is based on profit or income)				
c	<b>Total rents received or accrued by property.</b> Add lines 2a and 2b, columns A through D				
3	<b>Total rents received or accrued.</b> Add line 2c, columns A through D. Enter here and on Part I, line 6, column (A)				
4	Deductions directly connected with the income in lines 2a and 2b (attach statement)				
5	<b>Total deductions.</b> Add line 4, columns A through D. Enter here and on Part I, line 6, column (B)				

**Part V Unrelated Debt-Financed Income** (see instructions)

1	Description of debt-financed property (street address, city, state, ZIP code). Check if a dual-use. See instructions.				
A	<input type="checkbox"/>				
B	<input type="checkbox"/>				
C	<input type="checkbox"/>				
D	<input type="checkbox"/>				
2	Gross income from or allocable to debt-financed property	A	B	C	D
3	Deductions directly connected with or allocable to debt-financed property				
a	Straight line depreciation (attach statement)				
b	Other deductions (attach statement)				
c	<b>Total deductions</b> (add lines 3a and 3b, columns A through D)				
4	Amount of average acquisition debt on or allocable to debt-financed property (attach statement)				
5	Average adjusted basis of or allocable to debt-financed property (attach statement)				
6	Divide line 4 by line 5	%	%	%	%
7	Gross income reportable. Multiply line 2 by line 6				
8	<b>Total gross income</b> (add line 7, columns A through D). Enter here and on Part I, line 7, column (A)				
9	Allocable deductions. Multiply line 3c by line 6				
10	<b>Total allocable deductions.</b> Add line 9, columns A through D. Enter here and on Part I, line 7, column (B)				
11	<b>Total dividends - received deductions</b> included in line 10				

**Part VI Interest, Annuities, Royalties, and Rents from Controlled Organizations** (see instructions)

1. Name of controlled organization	2. Employer identification number	Exempt Controlled Organizations			
		3. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	4. Total of specified payments made	5. Part of column 4 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	6. Deductions directly connected with income in column 5
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					

**Nonexempt Controlled Organizations**

7. Taxable income	8. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	9. Total of specified payments made	10. Part of column 9 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	11. Deductions directly connected with income in column 10
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				

Add columns 5 and 10.  
Enter here and on Part I,  
line 8, column (A).Add columns 6 and 11.  
Enter here and on Part I,  
line 8, column (B).**Totals** .....**Part VII Investment Income of a Section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) Organization** (see instructions)

1. Description of income	2. Amount of income	3. Deductions directly connected (attach statement)	4. Set-asides (attach statement)	5. Total deductions and set-asides (add columns 3 and 4)
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
	Add amounts in column 2. Enter here and on Part I, line 9, column (A).			Add amounts in column 5. Enter here and on Part I, line 9, column (B).

**Totals** .....**Part VIII Exploited Exempt Activity Income, Other Than Advertising Income** (see instructions)

1	Description of exploited activity:	
2	Gross unrelated business income from trade or business. Enter here and on Part I, line 10, column (A) .....	2
3	Expenses directly connected with production of unrelated business income. Enter here and on Part I, line 10, column (B) .....	3
4	Net income (loss) from unrelated trade or business. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If a gain, complete lines 5 through 7 .....	4
5	Gross income from activity that is not unrelated business income .....	5
6	Expenses attributable to income entered on line 5 .....	6
7	Excess exempt expenses. Subtract line 5 from line 6, but do not enter more than the amount on line 4. Enter here and on Part II, line 12 .....	7

**Part IX Advertising Income****1** Name(s) of periodical(s). Check box if reporting two or more periodicals on a consolidated basis.**A** ☐ **PA Trout****B** ☐**C** ☐**D** ☐

Enter amounts for each periodical listed above in the corresponding column.

**2** Gross advertising income**A****B****C****D****a** Add columns A through D. Enter here and on Part I, line 11, column (A)**3** Direct advertising costs by periodical

11,404

**a** Add columns A through D. Enter here and on Part I, line 11, column (B)

11,404

**4** Advertising gain (loss). Subtract line 3 from line 2. For any column in line 4 showing a gain, complete lines 5 through 8. For any column in line 4 showing a loss or zero, do not complete lines 5 through 7, and enter -0- on line 8

(11,404)

**5** Readership costs**6** Circulation income**7** Excess readership costs. If line 6 is less than line 5, subtract line 6 from line 5. If line 5 is less than line 6, enter -0-**8** Excess readership costs allowed as a deduction. For each column showing a gain on line 4, enter the lesser of line 4 or line 7**a** Add line 8, columns A through D. Enter the greater of the line 8a columns total or -0- here and on Part II, line 13**Part X Compensation of Officers, Directors, and Trustees** (see instructions)

1. Name	2. Title	3. Percentage of time devoted to business	4. Compensation attributable to unrelated business
(1)		%	
(2)		%	
(3)		%	
(4)		%	

**Total.** Enter here and on Part II, line 1**Part XI Supplemental Information** (see instructions)