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California Society of Tax Consultants
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Dear Client:

Your 2019 Federal Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax will be electronically filed with the Internal Revenue Service upon receipt of a signed Form 8879-EO - IRS e-file Signature Authorization. No tax is payable with the filing of this return.

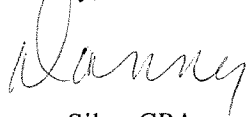
Your 2019 California Exempt Organization Annual Information Return will be electronically filed with the State of California upon receipt of a signed Form 8453-EO. There is a balance due of \$10 payable by July 15, 2020. Mail your California payment voucher, Form 3586, on or before July 15, 2020 to:

\$10.00

FRANCHISE TAX BOARD
P.O. BOX 942857
SACRAMENTO, CA 94257-0531

Please be sure to call us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Danny Siler, CPA

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public. Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

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A For the 2019 calendar year, or tax year beginning, 2019, and ending

B Check if applicable: Address change, Name change, Initial return, Final return/terminated, Amended return, Application pending. C California Society of Tax Consultants, 320 Pine Avenue #1050, Long Beach, CA 90802. D Employer identification number 95-2427994. E Telephone number (949) 715-4192. G Gross receipts \$ 631,360.

F Name and address of principal officer: Same As C Above. H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? Yes No. H(b) Are all subordinates included? Yes No.

I Tax-exempt status: 501(c)(3) [X] 501(c) (6) (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527. J Website: www.cstcsociety.org. H(c) Group exemption number.

K Form of organization: Corporation Trust [X] Association Other. L Year of formation. M State of legal domicile: CA

Part I Summary

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: Education of income tax preparers. This is an industry trade group. 2 Check this box if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets. 3-7a Table with 3 rows: 3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) 3 5. 4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) 4 5. 5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2019 (Part V, line 2a) 5 0. 6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) 6 100. 7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12. 7a 0. 7b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 39. 7b 0.

Revenue table with 3 columns: Line number, Description, Prior Year, Current Year. 8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) 137,980. 141,178. 9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) 473,598. 490,080. 10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) 60. 102. 11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e). 12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) 611,638. 631,360.

Expenses table with 3 columns: Line number, Description, Prior Year, Current Year. 13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3). 14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4). 15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10). 16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e). 16b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25). 17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e) 560,309. 635,288. 18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) 560,309. 635,288. 19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12. 51,329. -3,928.

Net Assets or Fund Balances table with 3 columns: Line number, Description, Beginning of Current Year, End of Year. 20 Total assets (Part X, line 16) 383,257. 379,329. 21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) 786. 786. 22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20. 382,471. 378,543.

Part II Signature Block

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

Signature of officer: Claudia Stanley, Treasurer. Date.

Paid Preparer Use Only: Print/Type preparer's name: Danny Siler, CPA. Preparer's signature: Danny Siler, CPA. Date. Check [X] if self-employed. PTIN: P00101522. Firm's name: Mathieu & Co. CPAs. Firm's address: 17671 Irvine Blvd Ste 114, Tustin, CA 92780-3128. Firm's EIN: 33-0781623. Phone no. (714) 573-1314.

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

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:

Education of income tax preparers.
This is an industry trade group.

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 [X] 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 [X] 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 \$ 447,720. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

The organization provides an education forum for its members and potential new members; meetings, seminars, newsletters, conferences, books, and other publications.

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4d Other program services (Describe on Schedule O.) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e Total program service expenses 447,720.

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)? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule A</i>	1	X
2 Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> (see instructions)?	2	X
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part I</i>	3	X
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part II</i>	4	
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 Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part III</i>	5	X
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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part I</i>	6	X
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part II</i>	7	X
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part III</i>	8	X
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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>	9	X
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in donor-restricted endowments or in quasi endowments? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part V</i>	10	X
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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VI</i>	11 a	X
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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VII</i>	11 b	X
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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i>	11 c	X
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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part IX</i>	11 d	X
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part X</i>	11 e	X
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)? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part X</i>	11 f	X
12 a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i>	12 a	X
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If 'Yes,' and if the organization answered 'No' to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional</i>	12 b	X
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule E</i>	13	X
14 a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14 a	X
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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</i>	14 b	X
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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>	15	X
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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i>	16	X
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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part I</i> (see instructions)	17	X
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part II</i>	18	X
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part III</i>	19	X
20 a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule H</i>	20 a	X
b If 'Yes' to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	20 b	
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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>	21	X

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

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

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

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

	Yes	No
1 a Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable.	1 a	13
b Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable.	1 b	0
c Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1 c	X

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued)

		Yes	No
2a	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	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? 2b		
Note: If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)			
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? 3a		X
b	If 'Yes,' has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If 'No' to line 3b, provide an explanation on Schedule O. 3b		
4a	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)? 4a		X
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).		
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year? 5a		X
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? 5b		X
c	If 'Yes,' to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T? 5c		
6a	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? 6a		X
b	If 'Yes,' did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible? 6b		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
a	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? 7a		
b	If 'Yes,' did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided? 7b		
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282? 7c		
d	If 'Yes,' indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year. 7d		
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? 7e		
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? 7f		
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required? 7g		
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C? 7h		
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year? 8		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.		
a	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966? 9a		
b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person? 9b		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12. 10a		
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities 10b		
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:		
a	Gross income from members or shareholders 11a		
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.) 11b		
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041? 12a		
b	If 'Yes,' enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year. 12b		
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.		
a	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? 13a		
Note: See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.			
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 13b		
c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand 13c		
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year? 14a		X
b	If 'Yes,' has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If 'No,' provide an explanation on Schedule O. 14b		
15	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? 15		X
If 'Yes,' see instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N.			
16	Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income? 16		X
If 'Yes,' complete Form 4720, Schedule O.			

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

		Yes	No
1 a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year. 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.		
1 b	Enter the number of voting members included on line 1a, above, who are independent		
2	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
3	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
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		X
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?		X
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders? See Schedule O	X	
7 a	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? . See Schedule O	X	
7 b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body? See Sch O	X	
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
8 a	The governing body?	X	
8 b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	X	
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If 'Yes,' provide the names and addresses on Schedule O		X

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

		Yes	No
10 a	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	X	
10 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	
11 a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?		X
11 b	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990. See Schedule O		
12 a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If 'No,' go to line 13.		X
12 b	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?		
12 c	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If 'Yes,' describe in Schedule O how this was done.		
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?		X
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?		X
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
15 a	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official. See Schedule O	X	
15 b	Other officers or key employees of the organization. If 'Yes' to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions).		X
16 a	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
16 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 ▶ None
- 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. See Schedule O
- 20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records ▶
Claudia Stanley, CPA 5132 N. Palm Ave #117 Fresno CA 93704 (559) 439-0197

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

T a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

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

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)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) Gary Quackenbush President	0	X					0.	0.	0.	
(2) Linda Dong Vice President	0	X					0.	0.	0.	
(3) Jen Horton Vice President	0	X					0.	0.	0.	
(4) Sharon Hardy Secretary	0	X					0.	0.	0.	
(5) Claudia Stanley Treasurer	0	X					0.	0.	0.	
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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)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
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(22) -----										
(23) -----										
(24) -----										
(25) -----										
1 b Subtotal							0.	0.	0.	
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A							0.	0.	0.	
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							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**

	Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any former officer, director, trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule J for such individual.</i>	3	X
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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule J for such individual.</i>	4	X
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule J for such person.</i>	5	X

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

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

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		
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1 a Federated campaigns.....	1 a					
	b Membership dues.....	1 b 141,178.					
	c Fundraising events.....	1 c					
	d Related organizations.....	1 d					
	e Government grants (contributions)....	1 e					
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above....	1 f					
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f.....	1 g					
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f..... ▶		141,178.				
	Program Service Revenue	Business Code					
2 a Educational seminars			480,212.	480,212.			
b Sales of books			9,868.	9,868.			
c -----							
d -----							
e -----							
f All other program service revenue ...							
g Total. Add lines 2a-2f..... ▶		490,080.					
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)..... ▶		102.	102.			
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds.▶						
	5 Royalties..... ▶						
	6 a Gross rents.....	6 a	(i) Real				
			(ii) Personal				
			b Less: rental expenses	6 b			
			c Rental income or (loss)	6 c			
	d Net rental income or (loss)..... ▶						
	7 a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	7 a	(i) Securities				
			(ii) Other				
			b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	7 b			
			c Gain or (loss).....	7 c			
	d Net gain or (loss)..... ▶						
	8 a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18.....	8 a					
b Less: direct expenses.....	8 b						
c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events..... ▶							
9 a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19.....	9 a						
b Less: direct expenses.....	9 b						
c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities..... ▶							
10 a Gross sales of inventory, less..... returns and allowances	10 a						
b Less: cost of goods sold	10 b						
c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory..... ▶							
Miscellaneous Revenue	Business Code						
	11 a -----						
	b -----						
	c -----						
	d All other revenue.....						
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d..... ▶							
12 Total revenue. See instructions..... ▶		631,360.	490,182.	0.	0.		

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
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21.				
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22.				
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16.				
4 Benefits paid to or for members.				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees.	0.	0.	0.	0.
6 Compensation not included above to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B).	0.	0.	0.	0.
7 Other salaries and wages.				
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions).				
9 Other employee benefits.				
10 Payroll taxes.				
11 Fees for services (nonemployees):				
a Management.	122,400.		122,400.	
b Legal.				
c Accounting.				
d Lobbying.				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17.				
f Investment management fees.				
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.)				
12 Advertising and promotion.	11,470.		11,470.	
13 Office expenses.	36,295.		36,295.	
14 Information technology.	1,875.		1,875.	
15 Royalties.				
16 Occupancy.				
17 Travel.	12,928.		12,928.	
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials.				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings.	425,395.	425,395.		
20 Interest.				
21 Payments to affiliates.				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization.				
23 Insurance.	2,228.		2,228.	
24 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.)				
a <u>Book purchases</u>	22,325.	22,325.		
b <u>Donations</u>	372.		372.	
c _____				
d _____				
e All other expenses.				
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e.	635,288.	447,720.	187,568.	0.
26 Joint costs. 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)		(B)	
		Beginning of year		End of year	
Assets	1	Cash – non-interest-bearing	232,718.	1	226,667.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	144,928.	2	151,869.
	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	793.
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D			
		10a			
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation		10c	
		10b			
	11	Investments – publicly traded securities		11	
	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	5,611.	15		
16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33)	383,257.	16	379,329.	
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	786.	17	786.
	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	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	786.	26	786.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27, 28, 32, and 33.				
	27	Net assets without donor restrictions	382,471.	27	378,543.
	28	Net assets with donor restrictions		28	
	Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 29 through 33.				
	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	Total net assets or fund balances.	382,471.	32	378,543.
33	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances.	383,257.	33	379,329.	

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

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

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	631,360.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	635,288.
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-3,928.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A))	4	382,471.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain on Schedule O)	9	0.
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 32, column (B))	10	378,543.

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

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

		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked 'Other,' explain in Schedule O.		
2 a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If 'Yes,' check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		X
2 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
2 c	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.		
3 a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		X
3 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		

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

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.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.

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Inspection**

Name of the organization

California Society of Tax Consultants

Employer identification number

95-2427994

Form 990, Part VI, Line 6 - Explanation of Classes of Members or Shareholder

The organization is a membership organization.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 7a - How Members or Shareholders Elect Governing Body

The members hold an election to elect a Board of Directors as the governing body.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 7b - Decisions of Governing Body Approval by Members or Shareholders

When the governing body wants to amend the by-laws the changes must be approved by a majority vote of the members.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 11b - Form 990 Review Process

No review was or will be conducted.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 15a - Compensation Review & Approval Process - CEO & Top Management

Compensation is determined by the Board of Directors based on factors including the work load, time and availability, comparable wages in the community, annual cost-of-living increases, and also the financial amount available in the annual budget. The organization does not use any outside or independent consultant or reviewer. There is no written substantiation for this process.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 19 - Other Organization Documents Publicly Available

The minutes of the Board of Directors meetings, financial statements, and IRS reports are available on the website. However, it is on a members' only section which requires a user name and password to "log on" to gain access.

The general public may call on the phone or write and the materials will be sent to them using the U.S. Postal Service.

Form **8879-EO**

IRS e-file Signature Authorization for an Exempt Organization

OMB No. 1545-1878

For calendar year 2019, or fiscal year beginning _____, 2019, and ending _____, 20_____

▶ **Do not send to the IRS. Keep for your records.**
▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form8879EO for the latest information.**

2019

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of exempt organization

Employer identification number

California Society of Tax Consultants

95-2427994

Name and title of officer

Claudia Stanley

Treasurer

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

Check the box for the return for which you are using this Form 8879-EO and enter the applicable amount, if any, from the return. If you check the box on line 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, or 5a, below, and the amount on that line for the return being filed with this form was blank, then leave line 1b, 2b, 3b, 4b, or 5b, 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.

1 a	Form 990 check here	▶	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b	Total revenue, if any (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1 b	<u>631,360.</u>
2 a	Form 990-EZ check here	▶	<input type="checkbox"/>	b	Total revenue, if any (Form 990-EZ, line 9)	2 b	_____
3 a	Form 1120-POL check here	▶	<input type="checkbox"/>	b	Total tax (Form 1120-POL, line 22)	3 b	_____
4 a	Form 990-PF check here	▶	<input type="checkbox"/>	b	Tax based on investment income (Form 990-PF, Part VI, line 5)	4 b	_____
5 a	Form 8868 check here	▶	<input type="checkbox"/>	b	Balance Due (Form 8868, line 3c)	5 b	_____

Part II Declaration and Signature Authorization of Officer

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I am an officer of the above organization and that I have examined a copy of the organization's 2019 electronic return and accompanying schedules and statements and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I further declare that the amount in Part I above is the amount shown on the copy of the organization's electronic return. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send the organization's return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS (a) an acknowledgement of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, (b) 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 organization's federal taxes owed on this return, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account. To revoke a payment, I must contact the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent at 1-888-353-4537 no later than 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial institutions involved in the processing of the electronic payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and resolve issues related to the payment. I have selected a personal identification number (PIN) as my signature for the organization's electronic return and, if applicable, the organization's consent to electronic funds withdrawal.

Officer's PIN: check one box only

I authorize Mathieu & Co. CPAs to enter my PIN 27994 as my signature
ERO firm name Enter five numbers, but do not enter all zeros

on the organization's tax year 2019 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 of the organization, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the organization's tax year 2019 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.

Officer's signature ▶ _____ 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. 33676486456
Do not enter all zeros

I certify that the above numeric entry is my PIN, which is my signature on the 2019 electronically filed return for the organization 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 ▶ Danny Siler, CPA Date ▶ _____

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

BAA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see instructions.

Form **8879-EO** (2019)

California Exempt Organization Annual Information Return

Calendar Year 2019 or fiscal year beginning (mm/dd/yyyy), and ending (mm/dd/yyyy)

Corporation/Organization name: CALIFORNIA SOCIETY OF TAX CONSULTANTS

California corporation number: 0504710

Additional information. See instructions. FEIN: 95-2427994

Street address (suite or room): 320 PINE AVENUE #1050

City: LONG BEACH State: CA Zip code: 90802

Foreign country name Foreign province/state/county Foreign postal code

- A First Return Yes No
- B Amended Return Yes No
- C IRC Section 4947(a)(1) trust Yes No
- D Final Information Return?
 - Dissolved Surrendered (Withdrawn) Merged/Reorganized
 - Enter date: (mm/dd/yyyy) ● _____
- E Check accounting method:
 - 1 Cash 2 Accrual 3 Other
- F Federal return filed? 1 ● 990T 2 ● 990-PF 3 ● Sch H (990) 4 Other 990 series
- G Is this a group filing? See instructions. ● Yes No
- H Is this organization in a group exemption. If "Yes," what is the parent's name? Yes No
- I Did the organization have any changes to its guidelines not reported to the FTB? See instructions. ● Yes No
- J If exempt under R&TC Section 23701d, has the organization engaged in political activities? See instructions. ● Yes No
- K Is the organization exempt under R&TC Section 23701g? If "Yes," enter the gross receipts from nonmember sources. \$ _____ ● Yes No
- L If organization is a public charity exempt under R&TC Section 23701d and meets the filing fee exception, check box. No filing fee is required. ● Yes No
- M Is the organization a Limited Liability Company? ● Yes No
- N Did the organization file Form 100 or Form 109 to report taxable income? ● Yes No
- O Is the organization under audit by the IRS or has the IRS audited in a prior year? ● Yes No
- P Is federal Form 1023/1024 pending? Date filed with IRS _____ ● Yes No

Part I Complete Part I unless not required to file this form. See General Information B and C.

Receipts and Revenues	1	Gross sales or receipts from other sources. From Side 2, Part II, line 8	1	490,182.
	2	Gross dues and assessments from members and affiliates	2	
	3	Gross contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	3	141,178.
	4	Total gross receipts for filing requirement test. Add line 1 through line 3. This line must be completed. If the result is less than \$50,000, see General Information B.	4	631,360.
	5	Cost of goods sold	5	
	6	Cost or other basis, and sales expenses of assets sold	6	
	7	Total costs. Add line 5 and line 6	7	
	8	Total gross income. Subtract line 7 from line 4	8	631,360.
Expenses	9	Total expenses and disbursements. From Side 2, Part II, line 18	9	635,288.
	10	Excess of receipts over expenses and disbursements. Subtract line 9 from line 8	10	-3,928.
Filing Fee	11	Total payments	11	
	12	Use tax. See General Information K	12	
	13	Payments balance. If line 11 is more than line 12, subtract line 12 from line 11	13	
	14	Use tax balance. If line 12 is more than line 11, subtract line 11 from line 12	14	
	15	Filing fee \$10 or \$25. See General Information F	15	10.
	16	Penalties and Interest. See General Information J	16	
	17	Balance due. Add line 12, line 15, and line 16. Then subtract line 11 from the result	17	10.

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.

Signature of officer: TREASURER Title Date Telephone: (949) 715-4192

Paid Preparer's Use Only: Preparer's signature: DANNY SILER, CPA Date: Check if self-employed: PTIN: P00101522

Firm's name (or yours, if self-employed) and address: MATHIEU & CO. CPAS 17671 IRVINE BLVD STE 114 TUSTIN, CA 92780-3128 Firm's FEIN: 33-0781623 Telephone: (714) 573-1314

May the FTB discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions. ● Yes No

Part II Organizations with gross receipts of more than \$50,000 and private foundations regardless of amount of gross receipts – complete Part II or furnish substitute information.

Receipts from Other Sources	1	Gross sales or receipts from all business activities. See instructions	●	1	
	2	Interest	●	2	
	3	Dividends	●	3	
	4	Gross rents	●	4	
	5	Gross royalties	●	5	
	6	Gross amount received from sale of assets (See Instructions)	●	6	
	7	Other income. Attach schedule	●	7	490,182.
Expenses and Disbursements	8	Total gross sales or receipts from other sources. Add line 1 through line 7. Enter here and on Page 1, Part I, line 1	●	8	490,182.
	9	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts paid. Attach schedule	●	9	
	10	Disbursements to or for members	●	10	
	11	Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees. Attach schedule	●	11	0.
	12	Other salaries and wages	●	12	
	13	Interest	●	13	
	14	Taxes	●	14	
	15	Rents	●	15	
	16	Depreciation and depletion (See instructions)	●	16	
	17	Other Expenses and Disbursements. Attach schedule	●	17	635,288.
	18	Total expenses and disbursements. Add line 9 through line 17. Enter here and on Page 1, Part I, line 9	●	18	635,288.

Schedule L Balance Sheet		Beginning of taxable year		End of taxable year	
		(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
Assets					
1	Cash		377,646.		378,536.
2	Net accounts receivable				
3	Net notes receivable				
4	Inventories				
5	Federal and state government obligations				
6	Investments in other bonds				
7	Investments in stock				
8	Mortgage loans				
9	Other investments. Attach schedule				
10 a	Depreciable assets	48,218.			
b	Less accumulated depreciation	48,218.			
11	Land				
12	Other assets. Attach schedule		5,611.		793.
13	Total assets		383,257.		379,329.
Liabilities and net worth					
14	Accounts payable		786.		786.
15	Contributions, gifts, or grants payable				
16	Bonds and notes payable				
17	Mortgages payable				
18	Other liabilities. Attach schedule				
19	Capital stock or principal fund		382,471.		378,543.
20	Paid-in or capital surplus. Attach reconciliation				
21	Retained earnings or income fund				
22	Total liabilities and net worth		383,257.		379,329.

Schedule M-1 Reconciliation of income per books with income per return			
Do not complete this schedule if the amount on Schedule L, line 13, column (d), is less than \$50,000			
1	Net income per books	●	-3,928.
2	Federal income tax	●	
3	Excess of capital losses over capital gains	●	
4	Income not recorded on books this year. Attach schedule	●	
5	Expenses recorded on books this year not deducted in this return. Attach schedule	●	
6	Total. Add line 1 through line 5	●	-3,928.
7	Income recorded on books this year not included in this return. Attach schedule	●	
8	Deductions in this return not charged against book income this year. Attach schedule	●	
9	Total. Add line 7 and line 8	●	
10	Net income per return. Subtract line 9 from line 6	●	-3,928.

Statement 1
Form 199, Part II, Line 7
Other Income

Other Investment Income.....	\$	102.
Program Service Revenue.....		490,080.
Total	\$	<u>490,182.</u>

Statement 2
Form 199, Part II, Line 11
Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees and Key Employees

Current Officers:

Name and Address	Title and Average Hours Per Week Devoted	Total Compen- sation	Contri- bution to EBP & DC	Expense Account/ Other
Gary Quackenbush 320 Pine Avenue #1050 ,	President 0	\$ 0.	\$ 0.	\$ 0.
Linda Dong 320 Pine Avenue #1050 ,	Vice President 0	0.	0.	0.
Jen Horton 320 Pine Avenue #1050 ,	Vice President 0	0.	0.	0.
Sharon Hardy 320 Pine Avenue #1050 ,	Secretary 0	0.	0.	0.
Claudia Stanley 320 Pine Avenue #1050 ,	Treasurer 0	0.	0.	0.
Total		<u>\$ 0.</u>	<u>\$ 0.</u>	<u>\$ 0.</u>

Statement 3
Form 199, Part II, Line 17
Other Expenses

Advertising and Promotion.....	\$	11,470.
Book purchases.....		22,325.
Conferences, Conventions, and Meetings.....		425,395.
Donations.....		372.
Information Technology.....		1,875.
Insurance.....		2,228.
Management fees.....		122,400.
Office Expenses.....		36,295.
Travel.....		12,928.
Total	\$	<u>635,288.</u>

Statement 4
Form 199, Schedule L, Line 12
Other Assets

Prepaid Expenses and Deferred Charges.....	793.
Total \$	<u>793.</u>

Date Accepted _____

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TAXABLE YEAR

California e-file Return Authorization for Exempt Organizations

FORM

2019

8453-EO

Exempt Organization name

Identifying number

CALIFORNIA SOCIETY OF TAX CONSULTANTS

95-2427994

Part I Electronic Return Information (whole dollars only)

1	Total gross receipts (Form 199, line 4)	1	631,360.
2	Total gross income (Form 199, line 8)	2	631,360.
3	Total expenses and disbursements (Form 199, Line 9)	3	635,288.

Part II Settle Your Account Electronically for Taxable Year 2019

4 Electronic funds withdrawal 4a Amount _____ 4b Withdrawal date (mm/dd/yyyy) _____

Part III Banking Information (Have you verified the exempt organization's banking information?)

5 Routing number _____
6 Account number _____ 7 Type of account: Checking Savings

Part IV Declaration of Officer

I authorize the exempt organization's account to be settled as designated in Part II. If I check Part II, Box 4, I authorize an electronic funds withdrawal for the amount listed on line 4a.

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I am an officer of the above exempt organization and that the information I provided to my electronic return originator (ERO), transmitter, or intermediate service provider and the amounts in Part I above agree with the amounts on the corresponding lines of the exempt organization's 2019 California electronic return. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the exempt organization's return is true, correct, and complete. If the exempt organization is filing a balance due return, I understand that if the Franchise Tax Board (FTB) does not receive full and timely payment of the exempt organization's fee liability, the exempt organization will remain liable for the fee liability and all applicable interest and penalties. I authorize the exempt organization return and accompanying schedules and statements be transmitted to the FTB by the ERO, transmitter, or intermediate service provider. **If the processing of the exempt organization's return or refund is delayed, I authorize the FTB to disclose to the ERO or intermediate service provider the reason(s) for the delay.**

Sign Here Signature of officer _____ Date _____ **TREASURER** Title _____

Part V Declaration of Electronic Return Originator (ERO) and Paid Preparer. See instructions.

I declare that I have reviewed the above exempt organization's return and that the entries on form FTB 8453-EO are complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. (If I am only an intermediate service provider, I understand that I am not responsible for reviewing the exempt organization's return. I declare, however, that form FTB 8453-EO accurately reflects the data on the return.) I have obtained the organization officer's signature on form FTB 8453-EO before transmitting this return to the FTB; I have provided the organization officer with a copy of all forms and information that I will file with the FTB, and I have followed all other requirements described in FTB Pub. 1345, 2019 Handbook for Authorized e-file Providers. I will keep form FTB 8453-EO on file for **four** years from the due date of the return or **four** years from the date the exempt organization return is filed, whichever is later, and I will make a copy available to the FTB upon request. If I am also the paid preparer, under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined the above exempt organization's return and accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I make this declaration based on all information of which I have knowledge.

ERO Must Sign	ERO's signature	DANNY SILER, CPA	Date	Check if also paid preparer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Check if self-employed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ERO's PTIN	P00101522
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed) and address	MATHIEU & CO. CPAS 17671 IRVINE BLVD STE 114 TUSTIN CA				Firm's FEIN	33-0781623
						ZIP code	92780-3128

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined the above organization's return and accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I make this declaration based on all information of which I have knowledge.

Paid Preparer Must Sign	Paid preparer's signature	_____	Date	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	Paid preparer's PTIN	_____
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed) and address	_____			Firm's FEIN	_____
					ZIP code	_____

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