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COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF EAST TEXAS  
P.O. BOX 1233  
MARSHALL, TX 75670

Dear Client:

Your 2021 Federal Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax will be electronically filed with the Internal Revenue Service upon receipt of a signed Form 8879-TE - IRS e-file Signature Authorization. No tax is payable with the filing of this return.

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

Sincerely,

Charles R. Tackett, 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)

**2021**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

▶ Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.  
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**A** For the **2021** calendar year, or tax year beginning **9/01**, 2021, and ending **8/31**, 2022

<p><b>B</b> Check if applicable:</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	<p><b>C</b></p> <p align="center"><b>COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF EAST TEXAS</b> P.O. BOX 1233 MARSHALL, TX 75670</p>	<p><b>D</b> Employer identification number <b>75-2548706</b></p>	<p><b>E</b> Telephone number <b>(903) 927-1128</b></p>
<p><b>F</b> Name and address of principal officer: <b>PAULETTE COOPER</b> <b>Same As C Above</b></p>		<p><b>G</b> Gross receipts \$ <b>2,901,631.</b></p> <p><b>H(a)</b> Is this a group return for subordinates? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  <b>H(b)</b> Are all subordinates included? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                      If "No," attach a list. See instructions.</p>	
<p><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</p>		<p><b>H(c)</b> Group exemption number ▶</p>	
<p><b>J</b> Website: ▶ <b>N/A</b></p>		<p><b>L</b> Year of formation: <b>M</b> State of legal domicile:</p>	
<p><b>K</b> Form of organization: <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶</p>			

Part I Summary				
<b>Activities &amp; Governance</b>	1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <u>Dropout prevention program providing services which will enhance the likelihood of students continued participation in their education process.</u>		
	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>	9
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b).....	<b>4</b>	0
	5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2021 (Part V, line 2a).....	<b>5</b>	80
	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary).....	<b>6</b>	0
	7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12.....	<b>7a</b>	0.
b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, Part I, line 11.....	<b>7b</b>	0.	
<b>Revenue</b>	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h).....	<b>Prior Year</b>	<b>Current Year</b>
	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g).....	1,062,058.	1,866,224.
	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d).....	1,107,917.	1,035,407.
	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).....	2,169,975.	2,901,631.
	<b>Expenses</b>	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).....	1,580,915.	1,901,302.
16a		Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e).....		
b		Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶		
17		Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e).....	108,025.	136,748.
18	Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25).....	1,688,940.	2,038,050.	
19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12.....	481,035.	863,581.	
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16).....	<b>Beginning of Current Year</b>	<b>End of Year</b>
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26).....	1,589,907.	2,453,690.
	22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20.....	568.	770.
			1,589,339.	2,452,920.

**Part II Signature Block**

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

<b>Sign Here</b>	Signature of officer: <b>PAULETTE COOPER</b>	Date	
	Type or print name and title: <b>PAULETTE COOPER</b>	<b>President</b>	
<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name: <b>Charles R. Tackett, CPA</b>	Preparer's signature: <b>Charles R. Tackett, CPA</b>	Date
	Firm's name: <b>Charles R. Tackett, PC</b>	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed PTIN: <b>P01295489</b>	
	Firm's address: <b>407 S Washington Ave. Marshall, TX 75670</b>	Firm's EIN: <b>75-2353096</b> Phone no.: <b>(903) 938-1474</b>	

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