

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

2018

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

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A For the 2018 calendar year, or tax year beginning, 2018, and ending, 20

B Check if applicable: Address change, Name change, Initial return, Final return/terminated, Amended return, Application pending. C Name of organization: NORTHERN RIO ARRIBA ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE INC. D Employer identification no. 85-0098999. E Telephone number (575) 756-2181. G Gross receipts \$ 4,570,788. I Tax-exempt status: 501(c)(3) [checked]. J Website: WWW.NORAELECTRIC.ORG. K Form of organization: Corporation [checked]. L Year of formation: 1948. M State of legal domicile: NM.

Part I Summary

Table with 3 columns: Description, Prior Year, Current Year. Rows include: 1. Mission statement: TO PROVIDE AFFORDABLE, QUALITY, AND RELIABLE ELECTRIC SERVICE TO MEMBERS OF THE COOPERATIVE. 2-7a. Governance and revenue metrics. 8-12. Revenue breakdown (Total revenue: 4,561,445). 13-19. Expenses breakdown (Total expenses: 4,417,054). 20-22. Net Assets or Fund Balances (Total assets: 16,850,862).

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.

Sign Here: ABRAN H ROMERO, Signature of officer. ABRAN H ROMERO, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT, Type or print name and title.

Paid Preparer Use Only: Print/Type preparer's name: Audrey J Jaramillo. Preparer's signature: Audrey J Jaramillo. Date: 07-31-2019. Check self-employed [checked] if PTIN: P01786993. Firm's name: Jaramillo Accounting Group LLC. Firm's EIN: 505-323-2035. Firm's address: 4700 Lincoln Road NE, Albuquerque NM 87109.

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

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

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 PROVIDE AFFORDABLE, QUALITY, AND RELIABLE ELECTRIC SERVICE TO MEMBERS OF THE COOPERATIVE

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 \$ _____ including grants of \$ _____) (Revenue \$ _____)
PROVIDING ELECTRIC ENERY TO OUR MEMBERS - 3,026 ACTIVE SERVICES AT YEAR END WERE PROVIDED ELECTRICITY IN A COOPERATIVE BASIS THROUGH THE ALLOCATION OF PATRONAGE CAPITAL

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

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

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

4e Total program service expenses ►

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

Table with 3 columns: Question ID, Question Text, Yes, No. Rows include questions 1 through 21 regarding organizational requirements and reporting.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

Table with 3 columns: Question ID, Question Text, Yes, No. Rows 22-38 covering various organizational requirements.

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

Table with 3 columns: Question ID, Question Text, Yes, No. Rows 1a-1c regarding Form 1096, Form W-2G, and backup withholding rules.

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

Table with columns for question number, question text, and Yes/No response boxes. Includes sections for employee reporting, prohibited transactions, contributions, and organizational status.

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

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 5 columns: Question ID, Question Text, Yes, No. Rows include 1a, 1b, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7a, 7b, 8, 8a, 8b, 9.

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

Table with 5 columns: Question ID, Question Text, Yes, No. Rows include 10a, 10b, 11a, 11b, 12a, 12b, 12c, 13, 14, 15, 15a, 15b, 16a, 16b.

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.
19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.
20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records:

MARLA ULIBARRI (575)756-2181, PO BOX 217, Chama, NM 87520

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 instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

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

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

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) STEVE RENDON PRESIDENT	10.00	X		X			4,163	0	0	
(2) DAVID MARTINEZ TRUSTEE	2.50	X					2,663	0	0	
(3) GILBERT MARTINEZ SECRETARY	2.60	X		X			2,905	0	0	
(4) LEROY MARTINEZ TREASURER	6.20	X		X			3,900	0	0	
(5) TOMAS RIVAS VICE PRESIDENT	9.60	X		X			7,566	0	0	
(6) MICHAEL GOMEZ TRUSTEE	3.10	X					4,350	0	0	
(7) PAUL CORDOVA TRUSTEE	6.10	X					1,950	0	0	
(8) ABRAN ROMERO EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT/GENERAL MG	40.00			X			65,478	0	0	
(9)										
(10)										
(11)										
(12)										
(13)										
(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)	(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			
(15) -----										
(16) -----										
(17) -----										
(18) -----										
(19) -----										
(20) -----										
(21) -----										
(22) -----										
(23) -----										
(24) -----										
(25) -----										
1b Sub-total										
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A										
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							92,975	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, or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>		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>		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>		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	1a Federated campaigns	1a				
	b Membership dues	1b				
	c Fundraising events	1c				
	d Related organizations	1d				
	e Government grants (contributions) . .	1e				
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f				
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$					
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f ▶					
Program Service Revenue	2a SALE OF POWER		Business Code			
		221000	4,226,987	4,226,987		
	b OTHER OPERATING REVENUE		221000	62,582	62,582	
	c CAPITAL CREDITS		221000	105,591	105,591	
	d _____					
	e _____					
	f All other program service revenue					
g Total. Add lines 2a-2f ▶			4,395,160			
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) ▶		72,438	72,438		
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds . . . ▶					
	5 Royalties ▶					
	6a Gross rents	(i) Real	91,456			
		(ii) Personal				
		b Less: rental expenses				
	c Rental income or (loss)		91,456			
	d Net rental income or (loss) ▶			91,456	91,456	
	7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities				
		(ii) Other		11,734		
		b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses		9,343		
		c Gain or (loss)		2,391		
	d Net gain or (loss) ▶			2,391	2,391	
	8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18 a					
		b Less: direct expenses b				
		c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events ▶				
	9a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19 a					
b Less: direct expenses b						
c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities ▶						
10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances a						
	b Less: cost of goods sold b					
	c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory ▶					
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code				
11a _____						
b _____						
c _____						
d All other revenue						
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d ▶						
12 Total revenue. See instructions ▶			4,561,445	4,561,445	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	92,975			
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7	Other salaries and wages	737,796			
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions) . .	185,681			
9	Other employee benefits	64,143			
10	Payroll taxes	63,210			
11	Fees for services (non-employees):				
a	Management	8,838			
b	Legal	19,540			
c	Accounting	16,000			
d	Lobbying				
e	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17 .				
f	Investment management fees	25,283			
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	4,543			
13	Office expenses	10,760			
14	Information technology	19,647			
15	Royalties				
16	Occupancy	15,733			
17	Travel	66,724			
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	13,706			
20	Interest	174,882			
21	Payments to affiliates				
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	473,113			
23	Insurance	54,429			
24	Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a	COST OF POWER	2,104,061			
b	OTHER	265,990			
c					
d					
e	All other expenses _____				
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e .	4,417,054	0	0	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	1,052,130	1	1,037,610
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	58,223	2	
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4	Accounts receivable, net	352,521	4	437,488
	5	Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L		6	
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8	Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	723,156	9	709,053
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a 18,480,440		
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation	10b 9,502,556		
			9,032,043	10c	8,977,884
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities	3,012,364	11	3,045,668
	12	Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13	Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11	2,432,468	13	2,517,573
	14	Intangible assets		14	
15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	106,832	15	125,586	
16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	16,769,737	16	16,850,862	
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	488,054	17	775,374
	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 current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		22	
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties	4,665,078	24	4,401,860
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	58,580	25	97,312	
26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	5,211,712	26	5,274,546	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.				
	27	Unrestricted net assets		27	
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets		28	
	29	Permanently restricted net assets		29	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.				
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31	
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds	11,558,025	32	11,576,316
33	Total net assets or fund balances	11,558,025	33	11,576,316	
34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	16,769,737	34	16,850,862	

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	4,561,445
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	4,417,054
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	144,391
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	11,558,025
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	(70,692)
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 in Schedule O)	9	(55,408)
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	11,576,316

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 type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		X
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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis	X	
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 in Schedule O.	X	
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		X
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 in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits		

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Supplemental Financial Statements

OMB No. 1545-0047

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

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Attach to Form 990.

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization: NORTHERN RIO ARRIBA ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE INC; Employer identification number: 85-0098999

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include total number at end of year, aggregate value of contributions, grants, and end of year, and two Yes/No questions regarding donor advisement.

Part II Conservation Easements.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Held at the End of the Tax Year. Rows include purpose(s) of conservation easements, total number and acreage, modified easements, monitoring policy, staff hours, expenses, and reporting requirements.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include reporting requirements for art and historical treasures, and amounts for revenue and assets.

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

- 3** Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):
- a** Public exhibition
 - b** Scholarly research
 - c** Preservation for future generations
 - d** Loan or exchange programs
 - e** Other _____
- 4** Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.
- 5** During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? Yes No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

- 1a** Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? Yes No
- b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table:
- | | Amount |
|--|-----------|
| c Beginning balance | 1c |
| d Additions during the year | 1d |
| e Distributions during the year | 1e |
| f Ending balance | 1f |
- 2a** Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability? Yes No
- b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided on Part XIII

Part V Endowment Funds.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance					
b Contributions					
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance					

- 2** Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:
- a** Board designated or quasi-endowment _____ %
 - b** Permanent endowment _____ %
 - c** Temporarily restricted endowment _____ %
- The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.
- 3a** Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:
- | | Yes | No |
|--|---------------|----|
| (i) unrelated organizations | 3a(i) | |
| (ii) related organizations | 3a(ii) | |
| b If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? <input type="checkbox"/> | 3b | |
- 4** Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		191,284		191,284
b Buildings		532,527	380,952	151,575
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		17,280,330	9,121,604	8,158,726
e Other		476,299		476,299
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.)				8,977,884

Part VII Investments - Other Securities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

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

Part VIII Investments - Program Related.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) TRISTATE PATRONAGE	2,223,280	
(2) CFC PATRONAGE	31,179	
(3) SEDC PATRONAGE	64,694	
(4) FEDERATED PATRONAGE	99,660	
(5) OTHER PATRONAGE	67,219	
(6) MEMBERSHIPS	15,705	
(7) CFC SCT CERTIFICATES	10,989	
(8) CFC ZTC CERTIFICATES	1,130	
(9) NMRECA SELF INSURANCE FUND	3,717	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.) ▶	2,517,573	

Part IX Other Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1) AGENCY FUNDS	125,586
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.) ▶	125,586

Part X Other Liabilities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2) CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	62,989
(3) DEFERRED CREDITS	34,323
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) ▶	97,312

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

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
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Name of the organization

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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85-0098999

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

THERE IS ONE CLASS OF MEMBERS. A MEMBER MAY HAVE MULTIPLE ACCOUNTS BUT ONLY ONE
MEMBERSHIP.

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

THE MEMBERS OF THE COOPERATIVE VOTE IN THE ELECTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS; EACH MEMBER
HAS ONE VOTE.

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

GOVERNANCE DECISIONS SUBJECT TO APPROVAL BY MEMBERS OF THE COOPERATIVE ARE: DISSOLUTION OR
LIQUIDATION OF THE COOPERATIVE; MERGER OR CONSOLIDATION OF THE COOPERATIVE WITH ANOTHER
ORGANIZATION; DISPOSAL OF A SUBSTANTIAL PORTION OF COOPERATIVE ASSETS; BYLAW CHANGES; AND
EXPULSION OF MEMBERS.

04. Committee meeting documentation (Part VI, line 8b)

COMMITTEES DO NOT HAVE BROAD AUTHORITY TO ACT ON BEHALF OF BOARD.

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

THE BOARD WILL REVIEW AND APPROVE FORM 990 PRIOR TO FILING.

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

OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AND KEY EMPLOYEES ARE REQUIRED TO FILL OUT A DISCLOSURE FORM
ANNUALLY.

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

THE BOARD REVIEWS THE GENERAL MANAGER'S SALARY AND BENEFITS ON AN ANNUAL BASIS.

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Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) (2018)

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

THE SALARIES OF THE BOARD AND KEY EMPLOYEES ARE REVIEWED ON AN ANNUAL BASIS.

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

THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE PROVIDED AT THE ANNUAL MEETING TO ALL MEMBERS THAT ATTEND.

THE GOVERNING DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY, AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE ALL AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST AT THE COOPERATIVE'S OFFICE.

10. Explanation of other changes in net assets or fund balances (Part XI, line 9)

PATRONAGE CAPITAL RETIRED - (\$55,517)

CHANGE IN MEMBERSHIPS - \$110

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

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ **File a separate application for each return.**
▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form8868 for the latest information.**

Electronic filing (e-file). You can electronically file Form 8868 to request a 6-month automatic extension of time to file any of the forms listed below with the exception of Form 8870, Information Return for Transfers Associated With Certain Personal Benefit Contracts, for which an extension request must be sent to the IRS in paper format (see instructions). For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit www.irs.gov/e-file-providers/e-file-for-charities-and-non-profits.

Automatic 6-Month Extension of Time. Only submit original (no copies needed).

All corporations required to file an income tax return other than Form 990-T (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns.

Enter filer's identifying number, see instructions

Type or print <small>File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.</small>	Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions. NORTHERN RIO ARRIBA ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE INC	Employer identification number (EIN) or 85-0098999
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. PO BOX 217	Social security number (SSN)
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. CHAMA, NM 87520	

Enter the Return Code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return) 01

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

• The books are in the care of ▶ **MARLA ULIBARRI, PO BOX 217, Chama, NM 87520**

Telephone No. ▶ 575-756-2181 FAX No. ▶ _____

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

1 I request an automatic 6-month extension of time until 11-15, 2019, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:

- ▶ calendar year 2018 or
- ▶ tax year beginning _____, 20____, and ending _____, 20____.

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

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

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