

Form 990

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No. 1545-0047

2005

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

The organization may have to file a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

A For the 2005 calendar year, or tax year beginning SEPTEMBER 1, 2005, and ending AUG. 31, 2006

B Check if applicable: Address change, Name change, Initial return, Final return, Amended return, Application pending. C Name of organization: MAKE-A-WISH FOUNDATION OF METRO N.Y., INC. D Employer identification number: 11-2645641 E Telephone number: 516-944-6212 F Accounting method: Cash, Accrual, Other (specify)

Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

H and I are not applicable to section 527 organizations. H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? Yes X No. H(b) If "Yes," enter number of affiliates. H(c) Are all affiliates included? Yes No. H(d) Is this a separate return filed by an organization covered by a group ruling? Yes X No. I Group Exemption Number. M Check if the organization is not required to attach Sch. B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

G Website:

J Organization type (check only one) X 501(c) (3) (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527

K Check here if the organization's gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. The organization need not file a return with the IRS; but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return. Some states require a complete return.

L Gross receipts: Add lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b to line 12 5,865,814

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the instructions.)

Table with columns for Revenue, Expenses, and Net Assets. Rows include: 1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received; 2 Program service revenue; 3 Membership dues and assessments; 4 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments; 5 Dividends and interest from securities; 6a Gross rents; 6b Less: rental expenses; 6c Net rental income or (loss); 7 Other investment income; 8a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory; 8b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses; 8c Gain or (loss) (attach schedule); 8d Net gain or (loss); 9 Special events and activities; 9a Gross revenue; 9b Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses; 9c Net income or (loss) from special events; 10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances; 10b Less: cost of goods sold; 10c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory; 11 Other revenue; 12 Total revenue; 13 Program services; 14 Management and general; 15 Fundraising; 16 Payments to affiliates; 17 Total expenses; 18 Excess or (deficit) for the year; 19 Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year; 20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances; 21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year.

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