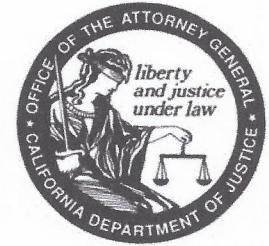


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**INITIAL
REGISTRATION FORM
STATE OF CALIFORNIA
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
REGISTRY OF CHARITABLE TRUSTS**
(Government Code Sections 12580-12599.7)



NOTE: A \$25.00 REGISTRATION FEE MUST ACCOMPANY THIS REGISTRATION FORM. MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.

Pursuant to Section 12585, registration is required of every trustee subject to the Supervision of Trustees and Fundraisers for Charitable Purposes Act within thirty days after receipt of assets (cash or other forms of property) for the charitable purposes for which organized.

Every charitable (public benefit) corporation, association and trustee holding assets for charitable purposes or doing business in the State of California must register with the Attorney General, except those exempted by California Government Code section 12583. Corporations that are organized primarily as a hospital, a school, or a religious organization are exempted by Section 12583.

Name of Organization: San Francisco Metropolitan Internet Exchange

The name of the organization should be the legal name as stated in the organization's organizing instrument (i.e., articles of incorporation, articles of association, or trust instrument).

Official Mailing Address for Organization:

Address: 5950 Doyle St #9

City: Emeryville

State: CA

ZIP Code: 94608

Organization's telephone number: (510) 432-3528

Organization's e-mail address: tech-c@sfmix.org

Organization's fax number:

Organization's website: http://sfmix.org

All organizations must apply for a Federal Employer Identification Number from the Internal Revenue Service, including organizations that have a group exemption or file group returns.

Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN):

47-5112906

Group Exemption FEIN (if applicable):

All California corporations and foreign corporations that have qualified to do business in California will have a corporate number. Unincorporated organizations are assigned an organization number by the Franchise Tax Board upon application for California tax exemption.

Corporate or Organization Number: C3768225

Names and addresses of ALL trustees or directors and officers (attach a list if necessary):		
Name Matthew Peterson		Position President and Director
Address 5950 Doyle St #9		
City Emeryville	State CA	ZIP Code 94608
Name Timothy Pozar		Position Vice President and Director
Address 423 Durant Way		
City Mill Valley	State CA	ZIP Code 94941
Name Jeri McNeill		Position Treasurer and Director
Address 125 South Main Street #123		
City Sebastopol	State CA	ZIP Code 95472
Name Leslie Carr		Position Secretary and Director
Address 463 1/2 Bryant Street		
City San Francisco	State CA	ZIP Code 94107
Name		
Address		
City	State	ZIP Code
<p>Describe the primary activity of the organization. (A copy of the material submitted with the application for federal or state tax exemption will normally provide this information.) If the organization is based outside California, comment fully on the extent of activities in California and how the California activities relate to total activities. In addition, list all funds, property, and other assets held or expected to be held in California. Indicate whether you are monitored in your home state, and if so, by whom. Attach additional sheets if necessary.</p>		
<p>San Francisco Metropolitan Internet Exchange (SFMIX) through its volunteers operates an Internet exchange point in the city of San Francisco California.</p> <p>An Internet exchange point (IX or IXP) is a physical infrastructure that allows different Internet Service Providers (ISPs) to exchange Internet traffic between their networks by means of mutual peering agreements, which allow traffic to be exchanged without cost or at low cost. IXPs reduce the portion of an ISP's traffic which must be delivered via their upstream transit providers, thereby reducing the cost of their service. In addition, the increased number of paths learned through the IXP improves routing efficiency and fault-tolerance, thus providing a direct benefit to the consumers that receive Internet service from the participating ISPs.</p> <p>The current physical infrastructure of the SFMIX consists of network switches scattered around the San Francisco Bay Area tied together with fiber which passes IPv4 and IPv6 Internet Protocol packets between member participants. The network switches are hosted by typically the building owner or the Meet Me Room (MMR) operator. Such landlords have provided at no cost space, electricity and cabling "cross-x's" connections in their facilities. The primary method for connection to SFMIX's switches are via fiber optic or copper cable.</p> <p>SFMIX welcomes as members all legal entity types: Government, non-government, educational, for-profit, non-profit, etc. SFMIX is modeled after the successful Seattle Internet Exchange and Northwest Access Exchange - both 501(c)(6) organizations.</p>		
<p>The organization will be required to file financial reports annually. All organizations must file the Annual Registration/Renewal Fee Report (RRF-1) within four months and fifteen days after the end of the organization's accounting period. Organizations with \$25,000 or more in either gross receipts or total assets are also required to file either the IRS Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF. Forms can be found on the Charitable Trusts' website at http://ag.ca.gov/charities/.</p>		
<p>If assets (funds, property, etc.) have been received, enter the date first received: Date assets first received: <u>No assets have been received by the corporation.</u></p>		<p>Registration with the Attorney General is required within <u>thirty</u> days of receipt of assets.</p>
<p>What annual accounting period has the organization adopted?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Fiscal Year Ending _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Calendar Year</p>		

Attach your founding documents as follows: Articles of Incorporation, Action by Incorporator and Bylaws

- A) **Corporations** - Furnish a copy of the articles of incorporation and all amendments and current bylaws. If incorporated outside California, enter the date the corporation qualified through the California Secretary of State's Office to conduct activities in California.
- B) **Associations** - Furnish a copy of the instrument creating the organization (bylaws, constitution, and/or articles of association).
- C) **Trusts** - Furnish a copy of the trust instrument or will and decree of final distribution.
- D) **Trustees for charitable purposes** - Furnish a statement describing your operations and charitable purpose.

Has the organization applied for or been granted IRS tax exempt status Yes No

Date of application for Federal tax exemption: Will apply for IRS tax exempt status shortly

Date of exemption letter: _____ Exempt under Internal Revenue Code section 501(c) _____

If known, are contributions to the organization tax deductible? Yes No

Attach a copy of the Application for Recognition of Exemption (IRS Form 1023) and the determination letter issued by the IRS.

Does your organization contract with or otherwise engage the services of any commercial fundraiser for charitable purposes, fundraising counsel, or commercial coventurer? If yes, provide the name(s), address(es), and telephone number(s) of the provider(s):

Commercial Fundraiser Fundraising Counsel Commercial Coventurer

Name

Address

City State ZIP Code

Telephone Number

Commercial Fundraiser Fundraising Counsel Commercial Coventurer

Name

Address

City State ZIP Code

Telephone Number

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Name

Address

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I declare under penalty of perjury that I have examined this registration form, including accompanying documents, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, the form and each document are true, correct, and complete.

Signature  Title President Date October 9, 2015

If additional information is required, please refer to the Supervision of Trustees and Fundraisers for Charitable Purposes Act (Government Code sections 12580-12599.7), the Administrative Rules and Regulations pursuant to the Act (California Code of Regulations, Title 11, Sections 300-312.1).

If you have questions regarding registration, or need assistance, information is available on our website at <http://ag.ca.gov/charities/> or you can reach us by telephone at (916) 445-2021 or fax at (916) 444-3651.