

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

2009

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

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

Open to Public Inspection

For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning, 2009, and ending

Form header section containing: B Check if applicable: Address change, Name change, Initial return, Termination, Amended return, Application pending; C Name of organization: FOOD BANK OF EAST ALABAMA, INC.; D Employer Identification Number: 63-1112492; E Telephone number: (334) 821-9006; F Name and address of principal officer: PAUL GRISHAM 262 LEE ROAD 48 OPELIKA AL 36804; G Gross receipts \$ 1,026,248; H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates?; H(b) Are all affiliates included?; I Tax-exempt status: 501(c) (3); J Website: http://www.foodbankofeastalabama.com/; K Form of organization: Corporation; L Year of formation: 1993; M State of legal domicile: AL

Part I Summary table with columns: Activities & Governance, Revenue, Expenses, Net Assets or Fund Balances. Rows include: 1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: FOOD TO THE NEEDY; 2-7a Governance and revenue metrics; 8-12 Revenue comparison (Prior Year vs Current Year); 13-19 Expense comparison (Prior Year vs Current Year); 20-22 Net Assets or Fund Balances comparison (Beginning of Year vs End of Year)

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: JAYNE R. GUNTER, Date: 11/10/10

Paid Preparer's Use Only: Preparer's signature: JAYNE R. GUNTER, Date: 11/10/10, Check if self-employed: [ ], Preparer's identifying number: P00581724, Firm's name: Bartlett & Gunter, CPAs PC, 2206 Executive Park Drive, Opelika AL 36801, EIN: 63-1041827, Phone no.: (334) 749-8500

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) [X] Yes [ ] No BAA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions. TEEA0101 07/20/09 Form 990 (2009)

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

FOOD TO THE NEEDY

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 exempt purpose achievements for each of the organization's three largest program services by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts 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 \$ 913,466. including grants of \$ 0.) (Revenue \$ 1,026,248.)

DISTRIBUTED FOOD TO NEEDY PEOPLE AND OTHER CORPORATIONS ENGAGED IN DISTRIBUTING TO NEEDY PEOPLE, EITHER AS A FREE GIFT OR AT REDUCED PRICES

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 ▶ 913,466.

