

Nonprofit Status Verification

Prairie Robotics Alliance, Inc. A Wisconsin 501(c)(3) tax-exempt public charity supporting FIRST® Robotics in Sun Prairie and eastern Dane County.

Organization at a glance

Legal name	Prairie Robotics Alliance, Inc.
Federal EIN	41-3922915
Tax status	501(c)(3) public charity — contributions are tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law
State of incorporation	Wisconsin
Mailing address	1213 Celebration Blvd, Sun Prairie, WI 53590
Website	srobotics.org
Treasurer / contact	Michael Bender — michaelb@prairierobotics.org

How to independently verify our status

Confirm our federal tax-exempt status and the deductibility of your gift directly with the IRS:

- **IRS Tax Exempt Organization Search (TEOS):** apps.irs.gov/app/eos — search by EIN **41-3922915** or by name "Prairie Robotics Alliance."

A search there will show our exempt status, deductibility code, and most recent Form 990-series filing on record with the IRS.

Documents available on request

We can provide any of the following to support your due diligence, grant application, or matching-gift verification:

- **IRS Determination Letter** (501(c)(3) recognition) — *attached*
- **Form W-9** (signed, with EIN) — *attached*
- Articles of Incorporation
- Bylaws
- Most recent Form 990 / 990-N filing (*No current 990-N — Prairie Robotics Alliance was incorporated in 2026*)
- Wisconsin DFI good-standing / charitable registration confirmation
- Board roster and current-year budget

Just reply to the contact above and we'll send what you need.

Your gift, acknowledged

For any single contribution of **\$250 or more**, we provide a written acknowledgment that meets [IRS substantiation requirements](#) (Publication 1771). Please retain it for your tax records.

Prairie Robotics Alliance, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) organization. No goods or services are provided in exchange for charitable contributions unless explicitly stated in your acknowledgment. This sheet is provided for verification convenience and is not tax advice; consult your tax advisor regarding deductibility.



Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service
Tax Exempt and Government Entities
P.O. Box 2508
Cincinnati, OH 45201

PRAIRIE ROBOTICS ALLIANCE
1213 CELEBRATION BLVD
SUN PRAIRIE, WI 53590

Date: 02/24/2026
Employer ID number: 41-3922915
Person to contact:
Name: G. Lee
ID number: 5421242
Telephone: (877) 829-5500
Accounting period ending: December 31
Public charity status: 509(a)(2)
Form 990 / 990-EZ / 990-N required: Yes
Effective date of exemption: January 27, 2026
Contribution deductibility: Yes
Addendum applies: No
DLN: 26053433012756

Dear Applicant:

We're pleased to tell you we determined you're exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3). Donors can deduct contributions they make to you under IRC Section 170. You're also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under Section 2055, 2106, or 2522. This letter could help resolve questions on your exempt status. Please keep it for your records.

Organizations exempt under IRC Section 501(c)(3) are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined you're a public charity under the IRC Section listed at the top of this letter.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that you're required to file Form 990/990-EZ/990-N, our records show you're required to file an annual information return (Form 990 or Form 990-EZ) or electronic notice (Form 990-N, the e-Postcard). If you don't file a required return or notice for three consecutive years, your exempt status will be automatically revoked.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that an addendum applies, the enclosed addendum is an integral part of this letter.

For important information about your responsibilities as a tax-exempt organization, go to www.irs.gov/charities. Enter "4221-PC" in the search bar to view Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, which describes your recordkeeping, reporting, and disclosure requirements.

Sincerely,

Stephen A. Martin
Director, Exempt Organizations
Rulings and Agreements

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Go to www.irs.gov/FormW9 for instructions and the latest information.

**Give form to the
 requester. Do not
 send to the IRS.**

Before you begin. For guidance related to the purpose of Form W-9, see *Purpose of Form*, below.

Print or type.
See Specific Instructions on page 3.

	1 Name of entity/individual. An entry is required. (For a sole proprietor or disregarded entity, enter the owner's name on line 1, and enter the business/disregarded entity's name on line 2.) PRAIRIE ROBOTICS ALLIANCE, INC	
	2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above.	
	3a Check the appropriate box for federal tax classification of the entity/individual whose name is entered on line 1. Check only one of the following seven boxes. <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor <input type="checkbox"/> C corporation <input type="checkbox"/> S corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate <input type="checkbox"/> LLC. Enter the tax classification (C = C corporation, S = S corporation, P = Partnership) _____ Note: Check the "LLC" box above and, in the entry space, enter the appropriate code (C, S, or P) for the tax classification of the LLC, unless it is a disregarded entity. A disregarded entity should instead check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) Nonprofit corporation exempt under IRS Code section 501(c)(3),	4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3): Exempt payee code (if any) 1 Exemption from Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) reporting code (if any) _____ (Applies to accounts maintained outside the United States.)
	3b If on line 3a you checked "Partnership" or "Trust/estate," or checked "LLC" and entered "P" as its tax classification, and you are providing this form to a partnership, trust, or estate in which you have an ownership interest, check this box if you have any foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries. See instructions _____ <input type="checkbox"/>	
	5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.). See instructions. 1213 CELEBRATION BLVD	Requester's name and address (optional)
	6 City, state, and ZIP code SUN PRAIRIE, WI 53590	
	7 List account number(s) here (optional)	

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

Social security number	
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or	
Employer identification number	
4 1 - 3 9 2 2 9 1 5	

Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. See also *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and, generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person	Date 06/20/2026
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General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Future developments. For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to www.irs.gov/FormW9.

What's New

Line 3a has been modified to clarify how a disregarded entity completes this line. An LLC that is a disregarded entity should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. Otherwise, it should check the "LLC" box and enter its appropriate tax classification.

New line 3b has been added to this form. A flow-through entity is required to complete this line to indicate that it has direct or indirect foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries when it provides the Form W-9 to another flow-through entity in which it has an ownership interest. This change is intended to provide a flow-through entity with information regarding the status of its indirect foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries, so that it can satisfy any applicable reporting requirements. For example, a partnership that has any indirect foreign partners may be required to complete Schedules K-2 and K-3. See the Partnership Instructions for Schedules K-2 and K-3 (Form 1065).

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS is giving you this form because they