

ate: JUL 31 1985

Woodland Christian Mission  
901 Court Street  
Woodland, CA 95695

Employer Identification Number:  
68-0059409  
Accounting Period End:  
December 31  
Foundation Status Classification:  
509(a)(1) & 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)  
Advance Ruling Period Ending:  
December 31, 1989  
Person to Contact: Taxpayer  
Service Representative  
Contact Telephone Number:  
(800) 424-1040

Dear Applicant:

Based on information supplied, and assuming your operations will be as stated in your application for recognition of exemption, we have determined you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Because you are a newly created organization, we are not now making a final determination of your foundation status under section 509(a) of the Code. However, we have determined that you can reasonably be expected to be a publicly supported organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) and 509(a)(1).

Accordingly, you will be treated as a publicly supported organization, and not as a private foundation, during an advance ruling period. This advance ruling period begins on the date of your inception and ends on the date shown above.

Within 90 days after the end of your advance ruling period, you must submit to us information needed to determine whether you have met the requirements of the applicable support test during the advance ruling period. If you establish that you have been a publicly supported organization, you will be classified as a section 509(a)(1) or 509(a)(2) organization as long as you continue to meet the requirements of the applicable support test. If you do not meet the public support requirements during the advance ruling period, you will be classified as a private foundation for future periods. Also, if you are classified as a private foundation, you will be treated as a private foundation from the date of your inception for purposes of sections 507(d) and 4940.

Grantors and donors may rely on the determination that you are not a private foundation until 90 days after the end of your advance ruling period. If you submit the required information within the 90 days, grantors and donors may continue to rely on the advance determination

until the Service makes a final determination of your foundation status. However, if notice that you will no longer be treated as a section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) and 509(a)(1) organization is published in the Internal Revenue Bulletin, grantors and donors may not rely on this determination after the date of such publication. Also, a grantor or donor may not rely on this determination if he or she was in part responsible for, or was aware of, the act or failure to act that resulted in your loss of section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) and 509(a)(1) status, or acquired knowledge that the Internal Revenue Service had given notice that you would be removed from classification as a section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) and 509(a)(1) organization.

If your sources of support, or your purposes, character, or method of operation change, please let us know so we can consider the effect of the change on your exempt status and foundation status. Also, you should inform us of all changes in your name and address.

As of January 1, 1984, you are liable for taxes under the Federal Insurance Contributions Act (social security taxes) on remuneration of \$100 or more you pay to each of your employees during a calendar year. You are not liable for the tax imposed under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act (FUTA).

Organizations that are not private foundations are not subject to the excise taxes under Chapter 42 of the Code. However, you are not automatically exempt from other Federal excise taxes. If you have any questions about excise, employment, or other Federal taxes, please let us know.

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

You are required to file Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax, only if your gross receipts each year are normally more than \$25,000. If a return is required, it must be filed by the 15th day of the fifth month after the end of your annual accounting period. The law imposes a penalty of \$10 a day, up to a maximum of \$5,000, when a return is filed late, unless there is reasonable cause for the delay.

You are not required to file Federal income tax returns unless you are subject to the tax on unrelated business income under section 511 of the Code. If you are subject to this tax, you must file an income tax return on Form 990-T, Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return. In this letter, we are not determining whether any of your present or proposed activities are unrelated trade or business as defined in section 513 of the Code.

You have been granted exemption from Federal income tax as a religious organization other than a church.

Please be advised that this Determination Letter is based on our understanding that:

1. all your activities will be religious in nature, or incidental to your religious purposes and activities;
2. any compensation paid to individuals will be reasonable in amount,
3. your income and assets will not inure to, or be used in such a way as to serve, the benefit of private individuals.

You need an employer identification number even if you have no employees. If an employer identification number was not entered on your application, a number will be assigned to you and you will be advised of it. Please use that number on all returns you file and in all correspondence with the Internal Revenue Service.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your exempt status and foundation status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

If you have any questions, please contact the person whose name and telephone number are shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely yours,



District Director

Form **872-C**

(Rev. July 1981)

**Consent Fixing Period of Limitation  
Upon Assessment of Tax Under Section  
4940 of the Internal Revenue Code**  
(See Instruction 2 of Part IV—Form 1023 Instructions.)

To be used with Form  
1023. Submit in  
duplicate.

Under section 6501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code, and as part of a request filed with Form 1023 that the organization named below be treated as a publicly supported organization under section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) or section 509(a)(2) during an extended advance ruling period,

WOODLAND CHRISTIAN MISSION

(Name of organization)

901 Court Street, Woodland, California 95695

(Number, street, city or town, State, and ZIP code)

District Director

and the

Northern California

consent and agree that: (check one)

- If the first tax year in the extended advance ruling period is at least 8 months long, then the period for assessing tax (imposed under section 4940 of the Code) for any of the 5 tax years in the extended advance ruling period will extend 8 years, 4 months, and 15 days beyond the end of the first tax year.
- If the first tax year in the extended advance ruling period is less than 8 months long, then the period for assessing tax (imposed under section 4940 of the Code) for any of the 6 tax years in the extended advance ruling period will extend 9 years, 4 months, and 15 days beyond the end of the first tax year.

However, if a notice of deficiency in tax for any of these years is sent to the organization before the period expires, then the time for making an assessment will be further extended by the number of days the assessment is prohibited, plus 60 days.

Ending date of first tax year Dec. 31, 1985

Name of organization	Date
WOODLAND CHRISTIAN MISSION	Feb. 1985

Officer or trustee having authority to sign President

Signature ▶

*James D. West*  
*Charles L. Tom*

District Director

Date

By ▶

*ATB*