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2008

For calendar year 2008 , or tax year beginning 12-01-2008 and ending 11-30-2009

G Check all that apply ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return ☐ Amended return ☐ Address change ☐ Name change			
Use the IRS label. Otherwise, print or type. See Specific Instructions.	Name of foundation Dobbins Foundation	A Employer identification number 84-6031755	
	Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 1081 Spruce	Room/suite 	B Telephone number (see the instructions) (303) 343-3176
	City or town, state, and ZIP code Denver, CO 80230		C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐ D 1. Foreign organizations, check here ☐
H Check type of organization ☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation ☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation		2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ☐	
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) \$ 455,269	J Accounting method ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) <u> </u> (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)		
		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐ F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ☐	

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses

Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see the instructions))

(a) Revenue and expenses per books

(b) Net investment income

(c) Adjusted net income

(d) Disbursements
for charitable
purposes
(cash basis only)

Revenue	1	Contributions, gifts, grants, etc , received (attach schedule)				
	2	Check ☐ ☒ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
	3	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
	4	Dividends and interest from securities.	17,866	17,866	17,866	
	5a	Gross rents				
	b	Net rental income or (loss) _____				
	6a	Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10 	7,370			
	b	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a _____ 144,235				
	7	Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)				
	8	Net short-term capital gain				
	9	Income modifications				
	10a	Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b	Less Cost of goods sold					
c	Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)					
11	Other income (attach schedule)					
12	Total. Add lines 1 through 11	25,236	17,866	17,866		

Operating and Administrative Expenses	13	Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc				
	14	Other employee salaries and wages				
	15	Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a	Legal fees (attach schedule)				
	b	Accounting fees (attach schedule)	 1,175	588	587	
	c	Other professional fees (attach schedule)	 113	57	56	
	17	Interest				
	18	Taxes (attach schedule) (see the instructions)				
	19	Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion	 22	11	11	
	20	Occupancy				
	21	Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22	Printing and publications				
	23	Other expenses (attach schedule)	 427	214	213	
24	Total operating and administrative expenses.					
	Add lines 13 through 23	1,737	870	867	()	
25	Contributions, gifts, grants paid	26,150			26,150	
26	Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	27,887	870	867	26,150	

27	Subtract line 26 from line 12				
a	Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-2,651			
b	Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		16,996		
c	Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-) . . .			16,999	

Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)	Beginning of year	End of year	
			(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing	57		
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	14,097	67,457	
	3	Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	4	Pledges receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	5	Grants receivable			
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see the instructions)			
	7	Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	8	Inventories for sale or use			
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10a	Investments—U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)	56,621	 46,707	48,288
	b	Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)	154,067	 126,734	342,308
	c	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)	81,798	 20,400	33,481
	11	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
	12	Investments—mortgage loans			
	13	Investments—other (attach schedule)	14,667	 32,325	31,192
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ 3,085 Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ 3,075			
15	Other assets (describe ▶ _____)				
16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	321,339	293,633	455,269	
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	25,055		
	18	Grants payable			
	19	Deferred revenue			
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)			
	22	Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)			
	23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	25,055	0	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☐ and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.				
	24	Unrestricted			
	25	Temporarily restricted			
	26	Permanently restricted			
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☒ and complete lines 27 through 31.				
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	268,875	268,875	
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund	9,711	9,711	
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	17,698	15,047	
	30	Total net assets or fund balances (see the instructions)	296,284	293,633	
31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see the instructions)	321,339	293,633		

Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances	
1	Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year—Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year’s return)
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30

Part IV

Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e g , real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co)		(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo , day, yr)	(d) Date sold (mo , day, yr)
1a				
(e) Gross sales price		(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	
(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)				
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(I) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))	
(i) F M V as of 12/31/69		(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				
2	Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	{ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }		2
3	Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6) If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see the instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8	{ }		3

Part V

Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income)

If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes," the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e) Do not complete this part

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year, see the instructions before making any entries

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col (b) divided by col (c))
2007			
2006			
2005			
2004			
2003			
2 Total of line 1, column (d).			2
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period—divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years			3
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2008 from Part X, line 5.			4
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3.			5
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b).			6
7 Add lines 5 and 6.			7
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4.			8

If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate See the Part VI instructions

Part VIExcise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948—see the instructions)			
1a		Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ☐ and enter "N/A" on line 1	
b		Date of ruling letter _____ (attach copy of ruling letter if necessary—see instructions)	
b		Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ☐ and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	
c		All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col (b)	
2		Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)	
3		Add lines 1 and 2.	
4		Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)	
5		Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3 If zero or less, enter -0-	
6		Credits/Payments	
a		2008 estimated tax payments and 2007 overpayment credited to 2008	
b		Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source	
c		Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	
d		Backup withholding erroneously withheld	
7		Total credits and payments Add lines 6a through 6d.	
8		Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached	
9		Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	
10		Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid.	
11		Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2009 estimated tax 0 Refunded	

Part VII-AStatements Regarding Activities			
1a		During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?	
b		Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see the instructions for definition)?	
c		If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.	
c		Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?.	
d		Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year (1) On the foundation \$ (2) On foundation managers \$	
e		Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers \$	
2		Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS?	
3		If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.	
3		Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	
4a		Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?.	
b		If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?.	
5		Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year?	
6		If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.	
6		Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either	
7		By language in the governing instrument, or	
8a		By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	
7		Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col (c), and Part XV	
8a		Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see the instructions) CO	
b		If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? If "No," attach explanation .	
9		Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2008 or the taxable year beginning in 2008 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV	
10		Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses	

Part VII-A

Statements Regarding Activities Continued

11	At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see page 20 of the instructions)	11a		No
12	Did the foundation acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract?	12		No
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application?	13	Yes	
Web site address ▶www.guidestar.org				
14	The books are in care of ▶Julia Dobbins	Telephone no ▶(303) 343-3176		
	Located at ▶1081 Spruce Denver CO	ZIP +4 ▶80230		
15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041—Check here			15

Part VII-B

Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.			Yes	No
1a	During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly)			
	(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person?			
	(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?			
	(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?			
	(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?			
	(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)?			
	(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days).			
b	If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see the instructions)?	1b		No
c	Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2008?	1c		No
2	Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5))			
a	At the end of tax year 2008, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2008?			
b	Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see the instructions).	2b		No
c	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here			
3a	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?			
b	If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2008 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969, (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest, or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2008.).	3b		No
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a		No
b	Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2008?	4b		No

Part VII-B

Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required

Continued

5a

During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to

(1)

Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?

Yes

✓

No

(2)

Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955), or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?

Yes

✓

No

(3)

Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?

Yes

✓

No

(4)

Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc , organization described in section 509(a)(1), (2), or (3), or section 4940(d)(2)? (see instructions).

Yes

✓

No

(5)

Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?

Yes

✓

No

5b

If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5), did **any** of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see the instructions)?

No

c

If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant?

Yes

✓

No

If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d).

6a

Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?

Yes

✓

No

6b

Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?

No

If you answered "Yes" to 6b, also file Form 8870.

7a

At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?

Yes

✓

No

7b

If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?

No

Part VIII

Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors

1

List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see the instructions).

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
See Additional Data Table				

2

Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1—see the instructions). If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
NONE				

Total

number of other employees paid over \$50,000.

Part VIII

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

1 Donating cash to charitable organizations	0
2	
3	
4	

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2	Amount
1 All investments are used to provide the means for donating cash to charities	
2	
All other program-related investments See the instructions	
3	

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Part X

Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see page 24 of the instructions.)

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities.	1a	459,119
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b	16,327
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see the instructions).	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d	475,446
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation).	1e	0
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets.	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	475,446
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see the instructions).	4	7,132
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	468,314
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5.	6	23,416

Part XI

Distributable Amount (see page 25 of the instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here ☐ and do not complete this part.)

1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6.	1	23,416
2a	Tax on investment income for 2008 from Part VI, line 5.	2a	340
b	Income tax for 2008 (This does not include the tax from Part VI).	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b.	2c	340
3	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1.	3	23,076
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4.	5	23,076
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see the instructions).	6	
7	Distributable amount as adjusted Subtract line 6 from line 5 Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1.	7	23,076

Part XII

Qualifying Distributions (see page 25 of the instructions)

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc , purposes		
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc —total from Part I, column (d), line 26.	1a	26,150
b	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B.	1b	
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes.	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required).	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule).	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	26,150
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see page 26 of the instructions)	5	
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4.	6	26,150

Note: The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years.

Part XIII

Undistributed Income (see page 26 of the instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2007	(c) 2007	(d) 2008
1 Distributable amount for 2008 from Part XI, line 7				23,076
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2007				
a Enter amount for 2007 only.			762	
b Total for prior years 20____, 20____, 20____				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2008				
a From 2003.				
b From 2004.				
c From 2005.				
d From 2006.				
e From 2007.				
f Total of lines 3a through e.				
4 Qualifying distributions for 2008 from Part XII, line 4 ➤ \$ 26,150				
a Applied to 2007, but not more than line 2a			762	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see the instructions). . . .				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see the instructions).	0			
d Applied to 2008 distributable amount.				23,076
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	2,312			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2008 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)				
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	2,312			
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b.				
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed.				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount—see the instructions.				
e Undistributed income for 2006 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see the instructions.				
f Undistributed income for 2008 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2008.				0
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (see the instructions).				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2002 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see page 27 of the instructions).				
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2008. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a.	2,312			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a From 2004.				
b From 2005.				
c From 2006.				
d From 2007.				
e From 2008.	2,312			

Part XIV

Private Operating Foundations (see the instructions and Part VII-A, question 9)

1a

If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2008, enter the date of the ruling.

b

Check box to indicate whether the organization is a private operating foundation described in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)

☐ 4942(j)(3) or ☐ 4942(j)(5)

2a	Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
		(a) 2008	(b) 2007	(c) 2006	(d) 2005	
b	85% of line 2a					
c	Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
d	Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e	Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
3	Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon					
a	"Assets" alternative test—enter					
	(1) Value of all assets					
	(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
b	"Endowment" alternative test— enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed. . . .					
c	"Support" alternative test—enter					
	(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					
	(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii).					
	(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
	(4) Gross investment income					

Part XV

Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the organization had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year—see the instructions.)

1

Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

a

List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000) (See section 507(d)(2))

b

List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest

2

Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:

Check here ☒ if the organization only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the organization makes gifts, grants, etc. (see the instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d.

a

The name, address, and telephone number of the person to whom applications should be addressed

Dobbins Foundation
1081 Spruce Street
Denver, CO 80230

b

The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include

No particular form but request should include a copy of the organization's tax exempt determination letter

c

Any submission deadlines

August 31st of each year

d

Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors

Awards only to non-profit organizations, not individuals

Part XV

Supplementary Information (continued)

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year See Additional Data Table				
Total			3a	26,150
b Approved for future payment				
Total			3b	

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income (See the instructions)
	(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclusion code	(d) Amount	
1 Program service revenue					
a _____					
b _____					
c _____					
d _____					
e _____					
f _____					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
2 Membership dues and assessments.					
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments					
4 Dividends and interest from securities.					17,866
5 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate					
a Debt-financed property.					
b Not debt-financed property.					
6 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
7 Other investment income.					
8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory					7,370
9 Net income or (loss) from special events					
10 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory. .					
11 Other revenue a _____					
b _____					
c _____					
d _____					
e _____					
12 Subtotal. Add columns (b), (d), and (e). .					25,236
13 Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e). 13					25,236

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Part XVII

1 Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?		Yes	No
a Transfers from the reporting organization to a noncharitable exempt organization of			
(1) Cash.		1a(1)	No
(2) Other assets.		1a(2)	No
b Other transactions			
(1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization.		1b(1)	No
(2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization.		1b(2)	No
(3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets.		1b(3)	No
(4) Reimbursement arrangements.		1b(4)	No
(5) Loans or loan guarantees.		1b(5)	No
(6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations.		1b(6)	No
c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees.		1c	No
d If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column (b) should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting organization. If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column (d) the value of the goods, other assets, or services received.			

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2a Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If "Yes," complete the following schedule

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship

Sign Here	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 taxpayer or fiduciary) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge				
	*****			2010-02-20	*****
	Signature of officer or trustee			Date	Title
	Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's Signature  Suzanne Clark		Date	Check if self-employed ☒
Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP code  Suzanne Clark CPA PC 495 UINTA WAY 100 Denver, CO 802307188		EIN 			
		Phone no (303) 364-2205			

Additional Data

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Name: Dobbins Foundation

Form 990PF PartVIII Line 1 - List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
Julia E Dobbins	Treasurer 0 00	0		
1081 Spruce Street Denver, CO 80230				
George C Dobbins	Trustee 0 00	0		
1081 Spruce Street Denver, CO 80230				
Jeb A Dobbins	Trustee 0 00	0		
1081 Spruce Street Denver, CO 80230				
Margaret P Dobbins	Trustee 0 00	0		
1081 Spruce Street Denver, CO 80230				
Andrea K Badot	Trustee 0 00	0		
1081 Spruce Street Denver, CO 80230				
Michael A Dobbins	President 0 00	0		
1081 Spruce Street Denver, CO 80230				
Chrstopher A Dobbins	Secretary 0 00	0		
1081 Spruce Street Denver, CO 80230				

Form 990PF Part XV Line 3a - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year				
WRFG Atlanta 1083 Austin Ave NE Atlanta,GA 30307	None		General use	150
Working Options for Women 1200 Federal Blvd Denver,CO 80204	None		General use	1,000
The Sopris Foundation 303 East ABC Aspen,CO 81611	None		General use	1,500
The Open Door Community 910 Ponce de Leon Ave NE Atlanta,GA 30306	None		General use	250
Telluride Council for Arts P O Box 152 Telluride,CO 81435	None		General use	700
Tax Foundation 2001 L Street NW Ste 1050 Washington,DC 20036	None		General use	500
St Johns Episcopal Cathedral 1350 Washington Denver,CO 80203	None		General use	1,500
Space One Eleven 2409 Second Avenue North Birmingham,AL 35203	None		General use	900
Seven Stages 1105 Euclid Avenue Atlanta,GA 30307	None		General use	150
Redstockings for the Womens Lib Movement P O Box 744 Stuyvestant Station New York,NY 10009	None		General use	2,500
Places - Design History Foundation University of California Berkeley,CA 94270	None		General use	1,000
Opera Colorado 695 S Colorado Blvd Ste 200 Denver,CO 80245	None		General use	1,500
Myelin Repair Foundation 18819 Cox Avenue Ste 190 Saratoga,CA 95070	None		General use	1,500
Invest in Kids 600 Grant St Denver,CO 80230	None		General use	1,000
Hammonds House Galleries Inc 503 Peeples Street Atlanta,GA 30310	None		General use	150
Total  3a				26,150

Form 990PF Part XV Line 3a - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
Good Shepherd Episcopal Church 2929 Woodland Hills Drive Kingwood, TX 77329	None		General use	1,500
Georgia Stand Up 501 Pulliam St SW Ste 500 Atlanta, GA 30312	None		General use	1,000
Eyedrum Art & Music Gallery 503 Peeples Street Atlanta, GA 30310	None		General use	600
Denver Museum of Nature & Science 2001 Colorado Blvd Denver, CO 80205	None		General use	1,500
Denver Art Museum 200 W 14th Avenue Denver, CO 80204	None		General use	1,500
Data Center 1904 Franklin St Ste 900 Oakland, CA 94612	None		General use	500
Colorado Symphony Orchestra 1000 14th St Ste 15 Denver, CO 80202	None		General use	1,500
Colorado Council on Economic Education 225 E 16th Ave Ste 350 Denver, CO 80203	None		General use	500
Colorado Childrens Chorale 2420 W 26th Ave Ste 350-D Denver, CO 80211	None		General use	500
Central City Opera House Association 400 S Colorado Blvd 530 Denver, CO 80246	None		General use	500
Denver Botanic Gardens 1005 York Denver, CO 80219	None		General use	1,500
Atlanta Community Food Bank 732 Joseph E Lowery Blvd NW Atlanta, GA 30318	None		General use	100
Atlanta Art Papers Inc P O Box 5748 Atlanta, GA 31107	None		General use	150
Angel Baskets 100 W Pacific Ave Telluride, CO 81435	None		General use	500
Total  3a				26,150

TY 2008 Accounting Fees Schedule

Name: Dobbins Foundation

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Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
Suzanne Clark, CPA	1,175	588	587	0

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TY 2008 Depreciation Schedule

Name: Dobbins Foundation

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Software Version: 2008v2.7

Description of Property	Date Acquired	Cost or Other Basis	Prior Years' Depreciation	Computation Method	Rate / Life (# of years)	Current Year's Depreciation Expense	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Cost of Goods Sold Not Included
OKI LED printer	2005-04-22	187	155	53	11 52 %	22			

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TY 2008 Gain/Loss from Sale of Other Assets Schedule

Name: Dobbins Foundation

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Software Version: 2008v2.7

Name	Date Acquired	How Acquired	Date Sold	Purchaser Name	Gross Sales Price	Basis	Basis Method	Sales Expenses	Total (net)	Accumulated Depreciation
3000 MFS Intermediate Income	1993-09	Purchase	2009-11		19,710	23,836	Cost		-4,126	
400 Wyeth	1993-09	Purchase	2009-11		20,159	6,202	Cost		13,957	
100 IBM	2002-04	Purchase	2009-11		12,659	8,862	Cost		3,797	
100 IBM	2000-03	Purchase	2009-11		12,659	10,930	Cost		1,729	
400 Wyeth	1993-09	Purchase	2009-10		20,101	6,202	Cost		13,899	
200 Teppco Partners LP	2007-05	Purchase	2009-08		6,440	9,306	Cost		-2,866	
400 GE	1996-05	Purchase	2009-05		5,399	5,246	Cost		153	
500 GE	2009-03	Purchase	2009-05		6,748	5,681	Cost		1,067	
400 HRPT Properties Trust	2006-04	Purchase	2009-04		1,267	4,707	Cost		-3,440	
10000 FHLMC Call NTS	2007-06	Purchase	2009-03		10,000	9,914	Cost		86	
5000 John Deere Capital	2006-06	Purchase	2009-03		5,000	4,959	Cost		41	
200 Wells Fargo & Co	2000-03	Purchase	2008-12		4,795	3,542	Cost		1,253	
200 PayChex, Inc	2000-09	Purchase	2008-12		5,209	9,086	Cost		-3,877	
100 Great Plains Energy	1993-09	Purchase	2008-12		1,727	2,564	Cost		-837	
100 Great Plains Energy	2005-02	Purchase	2008-12		1,709	3,200	Cost		-1,491	
200 GE	1996-05	Purchase	2008-12		3,077	2,623	Cost		454	
20000 GMAC Smart Notes	1999-05	Purchase	2008-12		7,576	20,005	Cost		-12,429	

**TY 2008 Investments Corporate
Bonds Schedule****Name:** Dobbins Foundation**EIN:** 84-6031755**Software ID:** 08000091**Software Version:** 2008v2.7

Name of Bond	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
\$14,000 Dow Chem Nt 5.1%	14,000	14,102
\$14,000 HSBC Internotes 5.0%	1,400	14,349
\$5,000 John Deere NTS 4.875%		
20,000 GMAC Smartnotes 6.1% 4/15/09		
200 JP Morgan Chase 7%	5,000	5,030
3000 MFS Intermed Income Fund		

TY 2008 Investments Corporate
Stock Schedule

Name: Dobbins Foundation
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Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
200 Suburban Propane Partners LP	7,636	8,780
100 Kinder Morgan Energy Partners	5,405	5,826
200 Kinder Morgan Energy Partners	9,629	11,652
394 Pfizer Inc	6,958	7,159
500 General Electric		
500 Philip Morris	6,542	24,045
100 Southern Company	3,245	3,209
100 Plum Creek Timber Co	3,727	3,449
346 Kraft Foods	2,946	9,197
400 HRPT Properties Trust		
200 Renaissance Holdings Ltd 6.08%	5,044	3,786
200 3M Company	6,852	15,488
500 Altria Group	2,871	9,405
100 Goodrich Corporation	2,488	5,934
200 Great Plains Energy		
508 Chevron Texaco	12,338	39,644
200 Wells Fargo		
200 Paychex Inc		
200 IBM		
400 Emerson Electric	13,266	16,564
200 Merck	5,664	7,242
600 General Electric		
400 FPL Group Inc	8,277	20,788
2000 Exxon Mobil Corporation	23,846	150,140
400 Wyeth		

TY 2008 Investments Government Obligations Schedule

Name: Dobbins Foundation

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Software Version: 2008v2.7

**US Government Securities - End of
Year Book Value:**

46,707

**US Government Securities - End of
Year Fair Market Value:**

48,288

**State & Local Government
Securities - End of Year Book
Value:**

**State & Local Government
Securities - End of Year Fair
Market Value:**

TY 2008 Investments - Other Schedule**Name:** Dobbins Foundation**EIN:** 84-6031755**Software ID:** 08000091**Software Version:** 2008v2.7

Category/ Item	Listed at Cost or FMV	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
200 Teppco Partners LP	AT COST		
253 Calamos CV Opprt Fd	AT COST	5,361	3,028
7 Ft Corporate	AT COST	6,997	6,910
20 Claymr/Guggenhiem	AT COST	19,967	21,254

TY 2008 Land, Etc. Schedule

Name: Dobbins Foundation

EIN: 84-6031755

Software ID: 08000091

Software Version: 2008v2.7

Category / Item	Cost / Other Basis	Accumulated Depreciation	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
Machinery and Equipment	3,085	3,075	10	

TY 2008 Other Expenses Schedule

Name: Dobbins Foundation

EIN: 84-6031755

Software ID: 08000091

Software Version: 2008v2.7

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Invest ment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
Supplies	227	114	113	
Supplies	200	100	100	

TY 2008 Other Professional Fees Schedule

Name: Dobbins Foundation

EIN: 84-6031755

Software ID: 08000091

Software Version: 2008v2.7

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
UBS Advisory Fees	113	57	56	0