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Return of Private Foundation
or Section 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust
Treated as a Private Foundation

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2009

For calendar year 2009, or tax year beginning

, 2009, and ending

, 20

G Check all that apply: ☐ Initial return ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Final return
☐ Amended return ☐ Address change ☐ Name changeUse the IRS
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See Specific
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Name of foundation

SJE-Rhombus Foundation

SIEL

Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address)

P.O. Box 1708

Room/suite

City or town, state, and ZIP code

Detroit Lakes, MN 56502-1708

A Employer identification number

36-3556774

B Telephone number (see page 10 of the instructions)

218-847-1317

C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐D 1. Foreign organizations, check here ☐2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test,
check here and attach computation ☐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 ☐H Check type of organization: ☐ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation
☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundationI Fair market value of all assets at
end of year (from Part II, col. (c),
line 16) \$J Accounting method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual
☐ Other (specify) _____
(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)**Part I 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 page 11 of 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)	19,750			
	2	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
	3	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	6,050	6,050		
	4	Dividends and interest from securities	6,295	6,295		
	5a	Gross rents				
	b	Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a	Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	(10,529)			
	b	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a	41,476			
	7	Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		0		
	8	Net short-term capital gain				
	9	Income modifications				
	10a	Gross sales less returns and allowances				
Operating and Administrative Expenses	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	21,566	12,345		
	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)				
	c	Other professional fees (attach schedule)	6,037	5,137		900
	17	Interest				
	18	Taxes (attach schedule) (see page 14 of the instructions)	157			
	19	Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20	Occupancy				
	21	Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22	Printing and publications				
	23	Other expenses (attach schedule)	132			132
	24	Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	6,326	5,137		1,032
	25	Contributions, gifts, grants paid	41,700			41,700
	26	Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	48,026	5,137		42,732
	27	Subtract line 26 from line 12:				
	a	Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	(26,460)			
	b	Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		7,208		
	c	Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			N/A	

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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	48,813	58,520	58,520
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments			
	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 page 16 of 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)	200,000	151,000	152,171
	b Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)			
	c Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)			
	11 Investments—land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶			
Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶				
12 Investments—mortgage loans				
13 Investments—other (attach schedule)	441,074	455,604	455,186	
14 Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶				
Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶				
15 Other assets (describe ▶)	2,663	966	966	
16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	692,550	666,090	666,843	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	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)			
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31. <input type="checkbox"/>			
	24 Unrestricted	692,550	666,090	
	25 Temporarily restricted			
	26 Permanently restricted			
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 27 through 31. <input type="checkbox"/>			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund			
	29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds			
	30 Total net assets or fund balances (see page 17 of the instructions)	692,550	666,090	
	31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see page 17 of the instructions)	692,550	666,090	

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)	1	692,550
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	(26,460)
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	0
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	666,090
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	5	0
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30	6	666,090

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	Sale of TRAK Stocks	P	Various	Various
b				
c				
d				
e				
(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 41,476		52,005	(10,529)	
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	(10,529)	
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 pages 13 and 17 of the instructions). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8		3	N/A	

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.

(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))
2008	22,523	656,756	0.034294
2007	40,540	759,879	0.053351
2006	32,860	656,953	0.050018
2005	22,317	523,068	0.042666
2004	23,495	472,476	0.049727
2 Total of line 1, column (d)		2	0.230056
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	0.0460112
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2009 from Part X, line 5		4	596,904
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3		5	27,464
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)		6	72
7 Add lines 5 and 6		7	27,536
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4		8	42,732

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 on page 18.

Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948—see page 18 of the instructions)

1a	Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter "N/A" on line 1. Date of ruling or determination letter: _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary—see instructions)			
b	Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	1		72
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-)	2		0
3	Add lines 1 and 2	3		72
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	4		0
5	Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-	5		72
6	Credits/Payments:			
a	2009 estimated tax payments and 2008 overpayment credited to 2009	6a		
b	Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source	6b		
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c		
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d		
7	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7		0
8	Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached	8		
9	Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9		72
10	Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10		
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2010 estimated tax <input type="checkbox"/> Refunded <input type="checkbox"/>	11		

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
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?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see page 19 of the instructions for definition)? <i>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.</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation. <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ (2) On foundation managers. <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? <i>If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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? <i>If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes.</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year? <i>N/A</i>		
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: • By language in the governing instrument, or • 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?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see page 19 of the instructions) <input type="checkbox"/> <u>Minnesota</u>		
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? <i>If "No," attach explanation</i> <i>N/A</i>		
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 2009 or the taxable year beginning in 2009 (see instructions for Part XIV on page 27)? <i>If "Yes," complete Part XIV</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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)	11		✓
12	Did the foundation acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract before August 17, 2008?	12		✓
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ▶ <u>N/A</u>	13		
14	The books are in care of ▶ <u>Nathan Fetting</u> Telephone no. ▶ <u>218-847-1317</u> Located at ▶ <u>SJE-Rhombus Detroit Lakes, MN</u> ZIP+4 ▶ <u>56502-1708</u>			
15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 —Check here. ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year ▶ 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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(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)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(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.) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
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 page 20 of the instructions)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	1b	N/A
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 2009? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	1c	N/A
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 2009, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2009? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," list the years ▶ 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____		
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 page 20 of the instructions.) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	2b	N/A
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here. ▶ 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____		
3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2009 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 2009.) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	3b	N/A
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a	✓
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 2009?	4b	✓

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 page 22 of the 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

b 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 page 22 of the instructions)? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ☐ Yes ☒ 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

b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.

7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction? ☐ Yes ☒ 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 page 22 of 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
Melissa Lage P.O. Box 1708 Detroit Lakes, MN	President <1 hr	0		
Laurie Lewandowski P.O. Box 1708 Detroit Lakes, MN	Vice-President <1 h	0		
Nathan Fetting P.O. Box 1708 Detroit Lakes, MN	Treasurer <1 hr	0		
Jim Lockrem P.O. Box 1708 Detroit Lakes, MN	Secretary <1 hr	0		

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1—see page 23 of 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

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 ☐ Yes ☒ No

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors *(continued)***3** Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see page 23 of the instructions). If none, enter "NONE."

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

Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services ▶

Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.

	Expenses
1 None	
2	
3	
4	

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see page 24 of the instructions)

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2

	Amount
1 None	
2	
All other program-related investments. See page 24 of the instructions	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3 ▶	

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	557,974
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	46,398
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see page 24 of the instructions)	1c	1,622
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	605,994
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	605,994
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2 % of line 3 (for greater amount, see page 25 of the instructions)	4	9,090
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	596,904
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	29,845

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	29,845
2a	Tax on investment income for 2009 from Part VI, line 5	2a	72
b	Income tax for 2009. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	72
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	29,773
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	29,773
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see page 25 of the instructions)	6	0
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	29,773

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	42,732
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	42,732
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	72
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	42,660

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 2008	(c) 2008	(d) 2009
1 Distributable amount for 2009 from Part XI, line 7				29,773
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2009:			4,070	
a Enter amount for 2008 only		0		
b Total for prior years: 20____, 20____, 20____				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2009:				
a From 2004				
b From 2005				
c From 2006				
d From 2007				
e From 2008	0			
f Total of lines 3a through e				
4 Qualifying distributions for 2009 from Part XII, line 4: ▶ \$ 42,732			4,070	
a Applied to 2008, but not more than line 2a		0		
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see page 26 of the instructions)				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see page 26 of the instructions)	0			
d Applied to 2009 distributable amount	12,959			29,773
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0			0
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2009 (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:	12,959			
a Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5		0		
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		0		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount—see page 27 of the instructions		0		
e Undistributed income for 2008. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount—see page 27 of the instructions			0	
f Undistributed income for 2009. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2010				0
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (see page 27 of the instructions)	0			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2004 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see page 27 of the instructions)	12,959			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2010. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	12,959			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2005				
b Excess from 2006				
c Excess from 2007				
d Excess from 2008				
e Excess from 2009	12,959			

Part XIV Private Operating Foundations (see page 27 of 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 2009, enter the date of the ruling ▶

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

	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 2009	(b) 2008	(c) 2007	(d) 2006	
2a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed					
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 foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year—see page 28 of 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).)

N/A

- 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.

N/A

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

Check here ☐ if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc. (see page 28 of 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:

See Attached

- b** The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include:

See Attached

- c** Any submission deadlines:

N/A

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

N/A

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 <i>Paid during the year</i>				
MN Consortium for Advanced Rural Psych.		501(c)3	Program Funding	2,000
DL Area College Foundation - MSCTC		501(c)3	Scholarship Funding	1,000
St. Mary's Development Fund		501(c)3	Building Funding	14,000
Mahube Comm. Council - MAC/NAPS		501(c)3	Program Funding	1,200
Boys & Girls Club		501(c)3	Program Funding	2,000
DL Public Education Foundation		501(c)3	Scholarship Funding	5,000
United Way		501(c)3	Program Funding	5,000
American Heart Association		501(c)3	Program Funding	1,000
Scholarship America		501(c)3	Scholarship Funding	5,000
DLCCC		501(c)3	Program Funding	5,000
Dollars for Scholars		501(c)3	Scholarship Funding	500
Total			3a	41,700
b <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
Total			3b	

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.		Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income (See page 28 of 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			14	6,050	
4	Dividends and interest from securities			14	6,295	
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			18	(10,529)	
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)				1,816	
13	Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e)				13	1,816

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions on page 28 to verify calculations.)

Part XVI-B	Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes

[illegible]

Schedule B
(Form 990, 990-EZ,
or 990-PF)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

▶ Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF.

OMB No 1545-0047

2009

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

☐ 501(c)() (enter number) organization

☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation

☐ 527 political organization

Form 990-PF

☒ 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

☐ 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

Note. Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

General Rule

- ☐ For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II.

Special Rules

- ☐ For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33⅓ % support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of **(1)** \$5,000 or **(2)** 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.
- ☐ For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, aggregate contributions of more than \$1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.
- ☐ For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not aggregate to more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year ▶ \$

Caution. An organization that is not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules does not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2 of its Form 990, or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ, or on line 2 of its Form 990-PF, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

Name of organization

Employer identification number

Part I Contributors (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
.....	S.J. Electro Systems, Inc. P.O. Box 1708 Detroit Lakes, MN 56502-1708	\$ 19,750	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
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.....	\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

SJE-Rhombus Foundation

31-Dec-09

36-3556774

IRS Form 990-PF Supporting Schedules

Part I, Line 16(c) – Other professional fees

Salomon Smith Barney	\$5,137	
Citizen's Scholarship Foundation	<u>900</u>	
Total		\$6,037

Part I, Line 18 – Taxes

Foundation Income Tax	\$ 157
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Part I, Line 23 – Other Expenses

Pictures - scholarship	\$ 107	
MN filing fee	<u>25</u>	
Total Other Expenses		\$132

Part II, Line 10(a) – Investments

	<u>Book Value</u>	<u>Market Value</u>
Citibank	16,000	16,014
Cit Bank	59,000	59,299
Banco Santander	16,000	16,158
Fifth Third Bank	20,000	20,208
Discover Bank	40,000	40,492
	\$151,000	\$152,171

Part II, Line 13 – Investments

CG Capital Markets – MM	6,485	6,485
CG Capital Markets- Large Cap V	150,041	122,758
CG Capital Markets – Small Cap V	27,761	31,542
CG Capital Markets – Emerging	66,441	84,023
CG Capital Markets – Int'l	60,837	53,467
CG Capital Markets – Large Cap G	115,064	124,301
CG Capital Markets – Small Cap G	<u>28,975</u>	<u>32,610</u>
Total	455,604	455,186

S.J.E. Electro Systems Foundation

General Purpose of Foundation

The S. J. Electro Systems Foundation is dedicated to improving the quality of life for those in the Detroit Lakes and surrounding communities. We strive to accomplish this with endowments for projects and programs that demonstrate integrity and concern for others through education, personal growth, community development and health improvement.

GRANT MAKING PROCEDURES

Responsibility for Decisions The SJE Foundation Board of Directors commits all grant funds. The Board usually meets quarterly in February, May August and November

Time Required for Decisions The Board welcomes brief preliminary inquiries regarding the Foundation's possible interest in a particular project. Applicants are encouraged to contact Foundation staff for assistance in the development of a project. Ordinarily, formal grant proposals should be submitted to the President of the Foundation at least two weeks prior to the Board meeting. (For example, to have a request considered at the May Board meeting, it should be submitted by mid April). This allows time for the Foundation to distribute copies of the proposal to each Board member prior to the scheduled meeting. If the proposal is highly specialized, or if it requires review by outside consultants, the consideration process may take longer.

Review Process Ordinarily, each proposal is assigned to a member of the Board when it is received by the President of the Foundation. This Board member may seek further discussion with the author of the proposal, and if necessary, may seek other opinions, assistance from consultants, and background information. To reach a final decision, this Board member presents the proposal, along with the results of the related investigation and the assigned Board member's recommendation, to the Board.

GRANT PROPOSALS

All applicants for grants or other funds must be submitted in writing. Plans, which have been worked out thoughtfully and described concisely, are preferred. The basic required information, needed to evaluate every proposal, is summarized below. Two copies of the proposal and its attachments are required.

Applicant Information

1. Name and address of tax-exempt organization which will be the recipient of the grant or funds.
2. Requested grant amount.
3. Appropriate evidence of the applicant organization's tax-exempt status, including the following:

- a. A copy of the organization's current tax-exempt ruling from the Internal Revenue Service to the applicant, or to a parent organization if the applicant is part of a group exemption, recognizing its exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) and its classification under Section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- b. A current declaration signed by an officer of the applicant organization that it has not received notice of any adverse action by the Internal Revenue Service with respect to its exempt status or its Section 509(a) classification.

When the Internal Revenue Service determination letters are not available, other evidence of the applicant's exempt status should be submitted. However, the declaration of no adverse Internal Revenue Service action must always be submitted.

4. Information concerning the organization and the officers responsible for carrying out the project including the following:
 - a. The names(s) and qualification of the person(s) who would administer the grant.
 - b. The names and primary professional affiliations of the organization's directors or trustees.
 - c. A brief description of the applicant organization. This should include a summary of its background, purpose, and experience in the area for which funds are requested.
 - d. If available, an audited balance sheet, an income and expense statement and tax return for the organization's previous fiscal year. An estimated statement of income and expense for the organization for the current year is also requested.

5. ~~Position or relationship of the person signing the application for the applicant organization. If the request comes from a department or individual in an organization, the request must also be signed by the administrative head of the organization.~~

Proposed Project Information

Proposals should be clearly written so that the project and its importance may be readily understood. The following information is needed for every proposal.

1. A clear, concise description of the project, what it may be expected to achieve, and why it is important to undertake.
2. A detailed income and expense budget for the project showing how the requested funds would be spent. This budget must also explain the time frames for spending the money as well as the sources from which the income is expected to come.

4. Information regarding significant financial or in-kind support given to the project by the applicant organization.
5. A statement of other possible sources of financial or in-kind support, public or private, that have been or will be solicited for support of the project. Include any grants or pledges already received. Specify significant financial or in-kind support given to the project by the applicant organization.
6. The methods used to measure effectiveness of the project after the grant funds have been expended.
7. An explanation of how continuation of the project is to be financed (if the project is to be continued after the period for which support has been requested).

When a grant is made, the recipient is expected to accept the terms and conditions specified by the SJE Foundation.

ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS

Notification of the Board Decision The SJE Foundation will send written notice to applicants concerning all Board decisions to approve or deny grant proposals.

Reports to the Foundation The Foundation will require progress reports at least annually stating what has been accomplished by expenditures of the grant funds, along with the appropriate financial reports as to how the funds were spent. Grant funds may be spent only for the purposes granted. Uncommitted funds at the end of the grant period must be returned to the Foundation unless other arrangements have been proposed beforehand and approved formally by the Foundation's Board of Directors. Following the end of the period for which funds were granted, the grantee must provide the Foundation with a final financial accounting for the grant funds and an evaluation and summary of the results obtained.

Because the SJE Foundation has limited resources, it is probable that not all qualified requests will be funded.

FOUNDATION DIRECTORS/OFFICERS

President.....Melissa Lage
 Vice President.....Laurie Lewandowski
 Secretary.....Jim Lockrem
 Treasurer.....Nathan Fetting