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

2009

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Note. The foundation may be able to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

For calendar year 2009, or tax year beginning **OCT 1, 2009**, and ending **SEP 30, 2010**

G Check all that apply: Initial return Initial return of a former public charity Final return
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Use the IRS label. Otherwise, print or type. See Specific Instructions.	Name of foundation BULRUSH FOUNDATION Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite C/O J. WITMEYER, 1300 CLINTON SQUARE City or town, state, and ZIP code ROCHESTER, NY 14604	A Employer identification number 16-1491119 B Telephone number 585-263-1276
H Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/> D 1. Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) \$ 1,381,351. (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/> F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>
J Accounting method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____		

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses <small>(The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a))</small>	(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received	66,719.		N/A	
2 Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	5.	5.		STATEMENT 1
4 Dividends and interest from securities	42,010.	42,010.		STATEMENT 2
5a Gross rents				
b Net rental income or (loss)				
6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	68,713.			
b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 856,347.				
7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		68,713.		
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)				
11 Other income				
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	177,447.	110,728.		
13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	12,000.	0.		12,000.
14 Other employee salaries and wages				
15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
16a Legal fees STMT 3	9,369.	0.		9,369.
b Accounting fees				
c Other professional fees STMT 4	18,462.	18,462.		0.
17 Interest				
18 Taxes STMT 5	52.	52.		0.
19 Depreciation and depletion				
20 Occupancy				
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings	4,264.	0.		4,264.
22 Printing and publications				
23 Other expenses STMT 6	1,634.	100.		1,534.
24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	45,781.	18,614.		27,167.
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	46,242.			46,242.
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	92,023.	18,614.		73,409.
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:				
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	85,424.			
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		92,114.		
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			N/A	

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Part II Balance Sheets <small>Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only</small>		Beginning of year	End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing			
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	21,152.	42,735.	42,735.
	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			
	7 Other notes and loans receivable ▶ 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			
	b Investments - corporate stock STMT 9	399,247.	445,915.	523,443.
	c Investments - corporate bonds STMT 10	145,927.	105,927.	106,510.
	11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ Less: accumulated depreciation ▶			
	12 Investments - mortgage loans			
	13 Investments - other STMT 11	568,819.	635,422.	708,663.
14 Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶ Less: accumulated depreciation ▶				
15 Other assets (describe ▶ _____)				
16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers)	1,135,145.	1,229,999.	1,381,351.	
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			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)			
23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	0.	0.		
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> 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 ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 31.			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	1,135,145.	1,229,999.	
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund	0.	0.	
29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	0.	0.		
30 Total net assets or fund balances	1,135,145.	1,229,999.		
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	1,135,145.	1,229,999.		

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	1,135,145.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	85,424.
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ SEE STATEMENT 7	3	10,001.
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	1,230,570.
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ SEE STATEMENT 8	5	571.
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	1,229,999.

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 PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES	P	VARIOUS	VARIOUS
b AOL TIME WARNER LITIGATION SETTLEMENT	P	VARIOUS	12/29/09
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 856,288.		787,634.	68,654.
b 59.			59.
c			
d			
e			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) 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			68,654.
b			59.
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	68,713.
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). 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.

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year; see 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))
2008	68,119.	1,114,048.	.061145
2007	58,030.	1,565,246.	.037074
2006	83,534.	1,685,592.	.049558
2005	64,697.	1,511,281.	.042809
2004	69,718.	1,439,485.	.048433

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	.239019
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	.047804
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2009 from Part X, line 5	4	1,291,667.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	61,747.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	921.
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	62,668.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8	73,409.

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 VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948 - see 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	921.
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	921.
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	921.
6	Credits/Payments:		
a	2009 estimated tax payments and 2008 overpayment credited to 2009	6a	557.
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	557.
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	364.
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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	11	

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
1a		X
1b		X
1c		X
2		X
3		X
4a		X
4b		
5		X
6	X	
7	X	
8a		
8b	X	
9		X
10		X

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 instructions)	11		X
12 Did the foundation acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract before August 17, 2008?	12		X
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ▶ <u>N/A</u>	13	X	
14 The books are in care of ▶ <u>JAMES H. MCBRIDE</u> Telephone no. ▶ <u>585-935-5301</u> Located at ▶ <u>36 WEST MAIN STREET, SUITE 322, ROCHESTER, NY</u> ZIP+4 ▶ <u>14604</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 ▶ <u>15</u> <u>N/A</u>			

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input 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)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	1b		X
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?	1c		X
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 ▶ _____, _____, _____, _____			
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 instructions.) N/A	2b		
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? <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.) N/A	3b		
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a		X
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		X

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)? 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 instructions)? **N/A** **5b**

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here

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? **N/A** 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? **6b** Yes No **X**

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? **7b** Yes No **N/A**

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.

(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
CAROLYN GALE SIEGFRIED 35 WALMER ROAD TORONTO, ONTARIO, CANADA M5R 2X3	VICE PRESIDENT/DIRECTOR 0.50	0.	0.	0.
ELIZABETH HATHAWAY SIEGFRIED 198 HOWLAND AVENUE TORONTO, ONTARIO, CANADA M5R 3B6	PRESIDENT/DIRECTOR 0.50	0.	0.	0.
JAMES H. MCBRIDE 36 WEST MAIN STREET, SUITE 322 ROCHESTER, NY 14604	TREASURER/MANAGING DIRECTOR 10.00	12,000.	0.	0.
JAMES H. RIDGELY 305 WEST CHESAPEAKE STREET TOWSON, MD 21204	SECRETARY 1.00	0.	0.	0.

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1). 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 **0**

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)

3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services. 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 ▶ 0

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 N/A	
2	
3	
4	

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments

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

	Amount
1 N/A	
2	
3 All other program-related investments. See instructions.	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3 ▶	0.

Part X Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see 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	1,263,592.
b Average of monthly cash balances	1b	47,745.
c Fair market value of all other assets	1c	
d Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	1,311,337.
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	0.
3 Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	1,311,337.
4 Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	19,670.
5 Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	1,291,667.
6 Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	64,583.

Part XI Distributable Amount (see 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	64,583.
2a Tax on investment income for 2009 from Part VI, line 5	2a	921.
b Income tax for 2009. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	921.
3 Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	63,662.
4 Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.
5 Add lines 3 and 4	5	63,662.
6 Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	0.
7 Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	63,662.

Part XII Qualifying Distributions (see 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	73,409.
b Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b	0.
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	73,409.
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	5	921.
6 Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	72,488.

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 instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2008	(c) 2008	(d) 2009
1 Distributable amount for 2009 from Part XI, line 7				63,662.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2009				
a Enter amount for 2008 only			49,298.	
b Total for prior years:		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2009:				
a From 2004				
b From 2005				
c From 2006				
d From 2007				
e From 2008				
f Total of lines 3a through e	0.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2009 from Part XII, line 4: ▶ \$ 73,409.				
a Applied to 2008, but not more than line 2a			49,298.	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions)		0.		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions)	0.			
d Applied to 2009 distributable amount				24,111.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2009 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	0.			0.
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	0.			
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b		0.		
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 instructions		0.		
e Undistributed income for 2008. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			0.	
f Undistributed income for 2009. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2010				39,551.
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2004 not applied on line 5 or line 7	0.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2010. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	0.			
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				

Part XV Supplementary Information (continued)

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

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	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
a Paid during the year				
TORONTO WILDLIFE CENTRE 60 CARL HALL ROAD, UNIT 4 TORONTO, ONTARIO, CANADA M3K 2C1	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	UNRESTRICTED	15,000.
AMERICAN RED CROSS P.O. BOX 4002018 DES MOINES, IA 50340-2018	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	HAITI RELIEF	5,000.
INTERNATIONAL FUND FOR ANIMAL WELFARE 290 SUMMER STREET YARMOUTH PORT, MA	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	HAITI RELIEF	10,000.
ECOJUSTICE CANADA 214-131 WATER STREET VANCOUVER, BC, CANADA V6B 4M3	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	UNRESTRICTED	10,000.
ST. JOHN'S FOUNDATION 150 HIGHLAND AVENUE ROCHESTER, NY 14620-3099	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	UNRESTRICTED	5,000.
GRANTMAKERS FORUM OF NEW YORK 75 COLLEGE AVENUE ROCHESTER, NY 14607	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SPONSORSHIP	1,242.
Total				▶ 3a 46,242.
b Approved for future payment				
NONE				
Total				▶ 3b 0.

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

BULRUSH FOUNDATION

Employer identification number

16-1491119

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

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 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation 501(c)(3) taxable private foundationCheck 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**

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- 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 33 1/3% 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).LHA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions
for Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF.

Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2009)

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Part I Contributors (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	CAROLYN W. SIEGFRIED CHARITABLE LEAD UNITRUST 34 MAIN STREET WEST, SUITE 322 ROCHESTER, NY 14604	\$ 66,719.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution)
		\$ _____	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution)
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Part II Noncash Property (see instructions)

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
		\$ _____	_____
		\$ _____	_____
		\$ _____	_____
		\$ _____	_____
		\$ _____	_____
		\$ _____	_____
		\$ _____	_____
		\$ _____	_____
		\$ _____	_____

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Part III Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., individual contributions to section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organizations aggregating more than \$1,000 for the year. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year (Enter this information once. See instructions) ▶ \$

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
(e) Transfer of gift			
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FORM 990-PF INTEREST ON SAVINGS AND TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS STATEMENT 1

SOURCE	AMOUNT
ENSEMBLE FINANCIAL SERVICES	5.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 3, COLUMN A	5.

FORM 990-PF DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES STATEMENT 2

SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	COLUMN (A) AMOUNT
BUCKEYE PARTNERS L.P.	106.	0.	106.
ENSEMBLE FINANCIAL SERVICES	41,904.	0.	41,904.
TOTAL TO FM 990-PF, PART I, LN 4	42,010.	0.	42,010.

FORM 990-PF LEGAL FEES STATEMENT 3

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
NIXON PEABODY LLP	3,336.	0.		3,336.
RIDGELEY LAW OFFICES	6,033.	0.		6,033.
TO FM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16A	9,369.	0.		9,369.

FORM 990-PF OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES STATEMENT 4

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
HIGH FALL ADVISORS MANAGEMENT FEES	18,462.	18,462.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16C	18,462.	18,462.		0.

FORM 990-PF	TAXES			STATEMENT	5
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
FOREIGN TAX PAID	52.	52.			0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	52.	52.			0.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER EXPENSES			STATEMENT	6
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
D & O INSURANCE	711.	0.			711.
BR PORT GOLD FEE	100.	100.			0.
GRANTMAKERS FORUM OF NY DUES/PROGRAMS	550.	0.			550.
NYS DEPARTMENT OF LAW ANNUAL FEE	250.	0.			250.
PUBLICATION OF LEGAL NOTICE	23.	0.			23.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	1,634.	100.			1,534.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER INCREASES IN NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES	STATEMENT	7
DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	
CHECKS WRITTEN IN FY 2009 BUT NOT CASHED UNTIL FY 2010		10,000.	
ADJUSTING ENTRY DUE TO ROUNDING		1.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART III, LINE 3		10,001.	

FORM 990-PF OTHER DECREASES IN NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES STATEMENT 8

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
ISHARE BASIS ADJUSTMENTS PER ENSEMBLE FINANCIAL SERVICES	571.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART III, LINE 5	571.

FORM 990-PF CORPORATE STOCK STATEMENT 9

DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
CORPORATE STOCK PER ATTACHED SCHEDULE	445,915.	523,443.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10B	445,915.	523,443.

FORM 990-PF CORPORATE BONDS STATEMENT 10

DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
CORPORATE BONDS PER ATTACHED SCHEDULE	105,927.	106,510.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10C	105,927.	106,510.

FORM 990-PF OTHER INVESTMENTS STATEMENT 11

DESCRIPTION	VALUATION METHOD	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
OTHER INVESTMENTS PER ATTACHED SCHEDULE	COST	635,422.	708,663.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 13		635,422.	708,663.

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 Part II, Line 10b
 Investments - corporate stock

Description	<u>No. of Shares</u>	<u>Beginning Book Value</u>	<u>Ending Book Value</u>	<u>Ending FMV</u>
Annaly Capital Management Inc.	1,000/2,000	15,085	31,436	35,200
Bank of Nova Scotia	500	0	22,867	26,650
Bristol Myers Squibb	1,500	32,156	0	0
Canadia Imperial Bank of Commerce	0	0	14,228	14,488
Caterpillar Inc	1,000	35,819	0	0
Chevron Corp.	500/1,000	35,619	71,775	81,050
Duke Energy Corp.	2,000	0	33,662	35,420
Exxon Mobil Corp	500	34,912	0	0
General Electric Company	1,000/2,000	11,149	27,500	32,500
Gilead Sciences Inc	1,000	43,879	0	0
Intel Corp	1,000	0	21,143	19,200
IBM	1,000	102,169	102,169	134,140
Intuit Inc	500/1,000	14,228	29,384	43,810
Microsoft Corp.	500/1,500	12,331	40,138	36,735
Oracle Corporation	2,000	41,454	41,454	53,700
Sempra Energy	200	10,287	0	0
Teva Pharmaceutical Industries	200	10,159	10,159	10,550
Total		399,247	445,915	523,443

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Part II, Line 10c
 Investments - corporate bonds

Description	<u>Par Value</u>	<u>Beginning Book Value</u>	<u>Ending Book Value</u>	<u>Ending FMV</u>
Daimler Chrysler 7 75% Due 1/18/2011	50,000	50,848	50,848	50,983
GE Capital Internotes 4% Due 12/15/2013	30,000	30,079	30,079	31,459
General Mtrs Accpt 7 05% Due 3/15/2018	25,000	25,000	25,000	24,068
General Mtrs Accpt 8 4% Due 4/15/2010	40,000	40,000	0	0
Total		145,927	105,927	106,510

Part II, Line 13
 Investments - other

Description	<u>No. of Shares</u>	<u>Beginning Book Value</u>	<u>Ending Book Value</u>	<u>Ending FMV</u>
Alliance Bernstein Income Fund	8,000/10,000	63,558	80,921	83,800
Buckeye Partners L P	500/1,000	21,344	43,330	63,500
ISHARES IBOXX Investment Grade Corp Bond Fund	500	53,893	53,600	56,545
ISHARES Barclays Treas Inflation Protected Secs Fd	1,000	93,961	93,390	109,060
ISHARES Barclays US Aggregate Bond Fund	400	41,858	0	0
ISHARES Tr MSCI Canada Index Fund	1,000	0	27,008	28,030
ISHARES Tr MSCI EAFE Index Fund	300	14,272	0	0
ISHARES NASDAQ Biotechnology Index Fund	300	0	25,338	25,872
ISHARES Tr Russel 1000 Growth Index Fund	500	0	25,857	25,685
Kinder Morgan Engery Partners L P	500	0	30,095	34,250
MFS Multimarket Income Tr	6,000	0	41,374	41,760
Select Sector SPDR Tr Health Care	300	0	9,022	9,147
SPDR S&P Midcap 400 ETF	700	0	94,965	101,913
SPDR Ser Tr DJ Wilshire Small Cap ETF	500	0	26,538	28,741
SPDR Ser Tr S&P Dividend ETF	1,000/2,000	37,350	83,984	100,360
Vanguard Emerging Markets Vipers	1,200	36,125	0	0
Vanguard Mid-Cap Growth Index Vipeers	1,500	55,033	0	0
Vanguard Small Cap Growth Vipers	1,500	67,198	0	0
Vanguard Growth Vipers	2,000	84,227	0	0
Total		568,819	635,422	708,663