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

2010

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 2010, or tax year beginning

, and ending

G Check all that apply:

☐ Initial return☐ Initial return of a former public charity☐ Final return☐ Amended return☐ Address change☐ Name change

Name of foundation AMERICAN FOUNDATION CORP.		A Employer identification number 23-7348126
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 629 EUCLID AVENUE SUITE 720	Room/suite	B Telephone number 216-241-6664
City or town, state, and ZIP code CLEVELAND, OH 44114		C If exemption application is pending, 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		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here ☐ 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) \$ 30,448,322.	J Accounting method: ☐ Cash ☒ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) _____	E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐
(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)		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 (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a).)		(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				
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	639,562.	639,562.	639,562.	
5a	Gross rents				
b	Net rental income or (loss)				
6a	Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	3,344,604.			
b	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a	3,344,604.			
7	Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		3,344,604.		
8	Net short-term capital gain			N/A	
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	3,984,166.	3,984,166.	639,562.	
13	Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.	0.	0.	0.	0.
14	Other employee salaries and wages				
15	Pension plans, employee benefits				
16a	Legal fees				
b	Accounting fees	22,006.	11,003.	0.	11,003.
c	Other professional fees	178,485.	89,242.	0.	89,243.
17	Interest				
18	Taxes	77,680.	0.	0.	0.
19	Depreciation and depletion				
20	Occupancy				
21	Travel, conferences, and meetings				
22	Printing and publications				
23	Other expenses	840.	0.	0.	0.
24	Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	279,011.	100,245.	0.	100,246.
25	Contributions, gifts, grants paid	1,246,628.			1,246,628.
26	Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	1,525,639.	100,245.	0.	1,346,874.
27	Subtract line 26 from line 12:				
a	Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	2,458,527.			
b	Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		3,883,921.		
c	Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			639,562.	

Part II Balance Sheets

Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only

		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	234,805.	358,076.	358,076.
	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 STMT 5	4,638,530.	1,518,375.	1,304,577.
	b Investments - corporate stock STMT 6	9,224,372.	14,736,663.	28,785,669.
	c Investments - corporate bonds			
Liabilities	11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶			
	Less accumulated depreciation ▶			
	12 Investments - mortgage loans			
	13 Investments - other			
	14 Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶			
	Less accumulated depreciation ▶			
	15 Other assets (describe ▶)			
	16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers)	14,097,707.	16,613,114.	30,448,322.
	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 ▶ STATEMENT 7)	0.	56,880.		
23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	0.	56,880.		
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	13,860,873.	16,253,009.	
28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund	0.	0.		
29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	236,834.	303,225.		
30 Total net assets or fund balances	14,097,707.	16,556,234.		
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	14,097,707.	16,613,114.		

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	14,097,707.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	2,458,527.
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	0.
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	16,556,234.
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	16,556,234.

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 PUBLIC STOCK AND SECURITIES			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 3,344,604.			3,344,604.
b			
c			
d			
e			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69

(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	(l) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))
a			3,344,604.
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	3,344,604.
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	3,344,604.

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))
2009	1,416,289.	26,421,443.	.053604
2008	1,614,808.	32,273,989.	.050034
2007	1,964,689.	38,471,300.	.051069
2006	2,599,467.	35,876,894.	.072455
2005	2,306,910.	34,798,613.	.066293

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	.293455
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	.058691
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2010 from Part X, line 5	4	28,749,339.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	1,687,327.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	38,839.
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	1,726,166.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 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.	8	1,346,874.

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 ☐ 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 ☐ and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b		1	77,678.
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	77,678.
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	77,678.
6 Credits/Payments:			
a 2010 estimated tax payments and 2009 overpayment credited to 2010	6a	20,800.	
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	20,800.	
8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached	8	6.	
9 Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9	56,884.	
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 2011 estimated tax ☐ Refunded ☐	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?		X
1b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see instructions for definition)? 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		X
1c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation. ☐ \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers. ☐ \$ 0.		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. ☐ \$ 0.		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities		X
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		X
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
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? If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.		X
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?	X	
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.	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ☐ OH		
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	X	
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 2010 or the taxable year beginning in 2010 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses		X

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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 ► N/A	13	X	
14. The books are in care of ► MARIA G. MUTH Located at ► 629 EUCLID AVE, CLEVELAND, OH	Telephone no. ► 216-241-6664 ZIP+4 ► 44114		
15. Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	15	N/A	
16. At any time during calendar year 2010, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See page 20 of the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ►	16	Yes	No X

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?	☐ Yes ☒ No	
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?	☐ Yes ☒ No	
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?	☐ Yes ☒ No	
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?	☐ Yes ☒ 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)?	☐ Yes ☒ 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.)	☐ Yes ☒ 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 22 of the instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here	N/A	1b
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 2010?		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 2010, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2010? If "Yes," list the years ►	☐ Yes ☒ No	
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?	☐ Yes ☒ No	
b. If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2010 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 2010.)	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 2010?		4b X

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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

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?

N/A

7b

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
SEE STATEMENT 8		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

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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."

[illegible]

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

Q

Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities	
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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
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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.

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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	28,727,692.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	459,454.
c	Fair market value of all other assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	29,187,146.
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	29,187,146.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	437,807.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	28,749,339.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	1,437,467.

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	1,437,467.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2010 from Part VI, line 5	2a	77,678.
b	Income tax for 2010. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	77,678.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	1,359,789.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	1,359,789.
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	1,359,789.

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	1,346,874.
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	1,346,874.
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	0.
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	1,346,874.

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.

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Part XIII Undistributed Income (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2009	(c) 2009	(d) 2010
1 Distributable amount for 2010 from Part XI, line 7				1,359,789.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2010				
a Enter amount for 2009 only			0.	
b Total for prior years:		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2010:				
a From 2005	580,691.			
b From 2006	896,918.			
c From 2007	64,701.			
d From 2008	86,354.			
e From 2009	115,677.			
f Total of lines 3a through e	1,744,341.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2010 from Part XII, line 4: ► \$	1,346,874.			
a Applied to 2009, but not more than line 2a			0.	
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 2010 distributable amount				1,346,874.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2010 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	12,915.			12,915.
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	1,731,426.			
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 2009. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			0.	
f Undistributed income for 2010. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2011				0.
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 2005 not applied on line 5 or line 7	567,776.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2011. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	1,163,650.			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2006	896,918.			
b Excess from 2007	64,701.			
c Excess from 2008	86,354.			
d Excess from 2009	115,677.			
e Excess from 2010				

Part XVII Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations

- | | | Yes | No |
|----------|--|-----|----|
| 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? | | |
| a | Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of: | | |
| | (1) Cash | | X |
| | (2) Other assets | | X |
| b | Other transactions: | | |
| | (1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization | | X |
| | (2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization | | X |
| | (3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets | | X |
| | (4) Reimbursement arrangements | | X |
| | (5) Loans or loan guarantees | | X |
| | (6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations | | X |
| c | Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees | | X |
| 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 foundation. 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. | | |

[illegible]

- 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
N/A		

**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.

Barbara A. Lottman
Signature of officer or trustee

5-10-11
Date

Asst. Treas
Title

**Paid
Preparer
Use Only**

Print/Type preparer's name

John Zalich

Preparer's signature

Alan Finkel

Date _____

5/10/11

Check ☐ if
self-employed

PTIN

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Firm's name ► RSM MCGLADREY, INC.
1001 LAKESIDE AVE.. SUITE 1400

Firm's EIN ▶

Firm's address ► CLEVELAND, OH 44114-1152

Phone no.	(216) 523-1900
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FORM 990-PF	ACCOUNTING FEES	STATEMENT	1
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DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
RSM MCGLADREY	22,006.	11,003.	0.	11,003.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16B	22,006.	11,003.	0.	11,003.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES	STATEMENT	2
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DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
NATIONAL CITY BANK FEE	10,533.	5,266.	0.	5,267.
MANAGEMENT FEE	167,952.	83,976.	0.	83,976.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16C	178,485.	89,242.	0.	89,243.

FORM 990-PF	TAXES	STATEMENT	3
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DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
FEDERAL EXCISE TAX	77,680.	0.	0.	0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	77,680.	0.	0.	0.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER EXPENSES	STATEMENT	4
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DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
MISCELLANEOUS	640.	0.	0.	0.
REGISTRATION FEE	200.	0.	0.	0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	840.	0.	0.	0.

FORM 990-PF	U.S. AND STATE/CITY GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS	STATEMENT	5
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DESCRIPTION	U.S. GOV'T	OTHER GOV'T	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
	X		1,518,375.	1,304,577.
TOTAL U.S. GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS			1,518,375.	1,304,577.
TOTAL STATE AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS				
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10A			1,518,375.	1,304,577.

FORM 990-PF	CORPORATE STOCK	STATEMENT	6
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DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
	14,736,663.	28,785,669.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10B	14,736,663.	28,785,669.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER LIABILITIES	STATEMENT	7
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DESCRIPTION	BOY AMOUNT	EOY AMOUNT
LIABILITY FOR FEDERAL EXCISE TAXES	0.	56,880.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 22	0.	56,880.

FORM 990-PF

PART VIII - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS
TRUSTEES AND FOUNDATION MANAGERS

STATEMENT 8

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVRG HRS/WK	COMPEN- SATION	EMPLOYEE BEN PLAN CONTRIB	EXPENSE ACCOUNT
MARY M FERNANDEZ 629 EUCLID AVENUE SUITE 720 CLEVELAND, OH 44114	TRUSTEE 0.00	0.	0.	0.
MARY M FERNANDEZ 629 EUCLID AVENUE SUITE 720 CLEVELAND, OH 44114	PRESIDENT 0.00	0.	0.	0.
MARIA G MUTH 629 EUCLID AVENUE SUITE 720 CLEVELAND, OH 44114	SECRETARY 0.00	0.	0.	0.
MARIA G MUTH 629 EUCLID AVENUE SUITE 720 CLEVELAND, OH 44114	TREASURER 0.00	0.	0.	0.
DWIGHT B CORNING 629 EUCLID AVENUE SUITE 720 CLEVELAND, OH 44114	TRUSTEE 0.00	0.	0.	0.
TOTALS INCLUDED ON 990-PF, PAGE 6, PART VIII		0.	0.	0.

AMERICAN FOUNDATION (CORPORATION)

EIN #23-7348126

YEAR ENDING 12/31/10

CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS

<u>DONEE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Leukemia & Lymphoma Soc	25 00
Los Angeles Maritime Institute	15,000.00
Loudoun County Volunteer Rescue Squad Inc.	10,000 00
Loudoun Therapeutic Riding Foundation Inc.	10,000.00
MADD	1,500 00
Make-A-Wish Foundation	500.00
Marine Corps Heritage Fdn	1,000 00
Media Research Center	500 00
Medical Teams International	5,000 00
Memorian Sloan-Kettering Cancer Ctr	1,000 00
Morris Animal Foundation	5,000 00
Mountain Baptist Church	5,000 00
Mystic Seaport Museum	2,000 00
National Association for Olmsted Parks	12,000 00
National Cancer Research Center	1,000.00
National Down Syndrome Congress	500 00
National Foundation for Cancer Research	100 00
National Multiple Sclerosis Soc.	250 00
National Wildlife Federation	5,000 00
National Women's History Museum	75 00
New York University (Institute for Rehab Medicine)	5,000 00
North Hawaii Community Hospital	10,000.00
North Shore Animal League America	5,000.00
Northwest Colorado Visiting Nurse Association	5,000.00
Orono Alliance for Education	15,000.00
Pacific Lutheran University (KPLU Public Radio)	3,000 00
Paralyzed Veterans of America	1,046 00
Park County Community Fdn.	10,000 00
Patrick Henry Center for Individual Liberty	500.00
People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals	50,000 00
Piedmont Comm. Fdn	1,000 00
Piedmont Environmental Council	1,000.00
Pine Manor College	5,000 00
Planned Parenthood Federation of America	250.00
Police Athletic League, Inc.	1,000.00
Polytechnic School	1,000 00
Primate Rescue Center, Inc.	50,000 00
Recording for the Blind & Dyslexic	750 00
Red Oak Camp	56,621.20
Round Hill Volunteer Fire Department Inc.	10,000.00
Salvation Army	5,000 00
Sea Education Assoc. Inc.	15,000.00
Seattle Childrens Theater	5,000 00
Seattle Goodwill Ind.	500 00
Seattle's Union Gospel Mission	1,500 00
Smile Train	1,250.00
Special Olympics	32.58
St. Hubert's Chapel	1,722 20
St. Jude Childrens Hospital (Partner in Hope Program)	20,000.00

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MADD	1,500 00
Make-A-Wish Foundation	500.00
Marine Corps Heritage Fdn	1,000 00
Media Research Center	500 00
Medical Teams International	5,000 00
Memorian Sloan-Kettering Cancer Ctr	1,000 00
Morris Animal Foundation	5,000 00
Mountain Baptist Church	5,000 00
Mystic Seaport Museum	2,000 00
National Association for Olmsted Parks	12,000.00
National Cancer Research Center	1,000.00
National Down Syndrome Congress	500 00
National Foundation for Cancer Research	100.00
National Multiple Sclerosis Soc.	250 00
National Wildlife Federation	5,000 00
National Women's History Museum	75 00
New York University (Institute for Rehab Medicine)	5,000 00
North Hawaii Community Hospital	10,000.00
North Shore Animal League America	5,000.00
Northwest Colorado Visiting Nurse Association	5,000.00
Orono Alliance for Education	15,000 00
Pacific Lutheran University (KPLU Public Radio)	3,000 00
Paralyzed Veterans of America	1,046 00
Park County Community Fdn	10,000 00
Patrick Henry Center for Individual Liberty	500 00
People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals	50,000 00
Piedmont Comm Fdn	1,000 00
Piedmont Environmental Council	1,000 00
Pine Manor College	5,000 00
Planned Parenthood Federation of America	250 00
Police Athletic League, Inc	1,000.00
Polytechnic School	1,000 00
Primate Rescue Center, Inc.	50,000 00
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Red Oak Camp	56,621 20
Round Hill Volunteer Fire Department Inc.	10,000 00
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<u>DONEE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
St. Paul's School	10,428 00
The Cleveland Sight Center	10,665 00
The Holden Arboretum	292,676 40
The Market Foundation	3,000 00
The Rural Tier Defense Fund, Inc	3,878 43
Town of Rockport, Maine (Seaview Cemetery)	2,000.00
University of Virginia (Cancer Center for Women's Oncology Res)	10,000 00
Utd. Service Organizations Inc	600 00
Virginia Polytechnic Inst Education Fdn (Marion duPont Equine Med Ctr)	10,000 00
Virginia State Police Association Emergency Relief Fund	10,000 00
William George Agency for Children's Services	1,000 00
Winchester Medical Center, Inc	10,000 00
Woodland Park Zoological Soc.	10,000.00
World Wildlife Fund, Inc.	5,000 00
WorldLink Associates	2,126.75
Young America's Foundation	2,500 00
Young America's Foundation	83,984 84
YWCA of Minneapolis	750 00
	1,246,628 35

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The Rural Tier Defense Fund, Inc.	3,878.43
Town of Rockport, Maine (Seaview Cemetery)	2,000.00
University of Virginia (Cancer Center for Women's Oncology Res)	10,000 00
Utd. Service Organizations Inc	600 00
Virginia Polytechnic Inst. Education Fdn (Marion duPont Equine Med Ctr)	10,000 00
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	1,246,628 35