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## Return of Private Foundation

OMB No 1545-0052

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 , 2010, and ending , 20

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

MESSMER FOUNDATION INC

A Employer identification number

36-6117571

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

8741 W NATIONAL AVENUE

Room/suite

B Telephone number (see page 10 of the instructions)

(414) 321-4560

City or town, state, and ZIP code

WEST ALLIS, WI 53227

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

H Check type of organization

Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

X Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust

Other taxable private foundation

I Fair market value of all assets at

end of year (from Part II, col (c),

line 16) \$ 873,665

J Accounting method:

X Cash

Accrual

Other (specify)

(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)

E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here

F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here

## Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses

(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)

1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)

2 Check X if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B

3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments

4 Dividends and interest from securities

5a Gross rents

b Net rental income or (loss)

6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10

b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a

7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)

8 Net short-term capital gain

9 Income modifications

10a Gross sales less returns and allowances

b Less Cost of goods sold

c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)

11 Other income (attach schedule)

12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11

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)

17 Interest

18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see page 14 of the instructions)

19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion

20 Occupancy

21 Travel, conferences, and meetings

22 Printing and publications

23 Other expenses (attach schedule)

24 Total operating and administrative expenses.

Add lines 13 through 23

25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid

26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25

27 Subtract line 26 from line 12

a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements

b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)

c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)

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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					
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	25,218	666	666		
	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 15 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)					
	b	Investments - corporate stock (attach schedule)	504,958	500,733	577,669		
	c	Investments - corporate bonds (attach schedule)	287,590	276,954	293,092		
	Liabilities	11	Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis				
		Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)					
12		Investments - mortgage loans					
13		Investments - other (attach schedule)					
14		Land, buildings, and equipment basis					
		Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)					
15		Other assets (describe)	2,642	2,238	2,238		
16		Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	820,408	780,591	873,665		
17		Accounts payable and accrued expenses					
18		Grants payable					
Net Assets or Fund Balances	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)	0	0			
	24	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.					
	25	Unrestricted					
	26	Temporarily restricted					
	27	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 27 through 31.	820,408	780,591			
	28	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds					
Assets or	29	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg, and equipment fund					
	30	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds					
	31	Total net assets or fund balances (see page 17 of the instructions)	820,408	780,591			
	32	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see page 17 of the instructions)	820,408	780,591			

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	820,408
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	(59,200)
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize)	3	19,383
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	780,591
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize)	5	
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	780,591

**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 (yr., mo., day)	(d) Date sold (yr., mo., day)
<b>1a STOCKS AND BONDS</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>VARIOUS</b>	<b>2010-12-31</b>
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			
b			
c			
d			
e			

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

(i) FMV 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			
b			
c			
d			
e			

  

<b>2</b> 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 }	<b>2</b>	<b>30,438</b>
<b>3</b> 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 . . . . . }	<b>3</b>	<b>7,340</b>

**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 page 18 of the instructions before making any entries

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col. (b) divided by col. (c))
2009	98,650	794,399	0.124182
2008	71,500	966,166	0.074004
2007	83,838	1,144,152	0.073275
2006	99,219	1,104,978	0.089793
2005	45,895	1,146,268	0.040039

  

<b>2</b> Total of line 1, column (d) . . . . .	<b>2</b>	<b>0.401292</b>
<b>3</b> 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 . . . . .	<b>3</b>	<b>0.080258</b>
<b>4</b> Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2010 from Part X, line 5 . . . . .	<b>4</b>	<b>847,121</b>
<b>5</b> Multiply line 4 by line 3 . . . . .	<b>5</b>	<b>67,988</b>
<b>6</b> Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b) . . . . .	<b>6</b>	<b>331</b>
<b>7</b> Add lines 5 and 6 . . . . .	<b>7</b>	<b>68,319</b>
<b>8</b> Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 . . . . .	<b>8</b>	<b>92,300</b>

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)

<b>1a</b>	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>b</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 . . . . .	<b>1</b>	<b>331</b>
<b>c</b>	All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col (b)		
<b>2</b>	Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>3</b>	Add lines 1 and 2 . . . . .	<b>3</b>	<b>331</b>
<b>4</b>	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>Tax based on investment income.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0- . . . . .	<b>5</b>	<b>331</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>Credits/Payments</b>		
<b>a</b>	2010 estimated tax payments and 2009 overpayment credited to 2010 . . . . .	<b>6a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source . . . . .	<b>6b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868) . . . . .	<b>6c</b>	
<b>d</b>	Backup withholding erroneously withheld . . . . .	<b>6d</b>	
<b>7</b>	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d . . . . .	<b>7</b>	
<b>8</b>	Enter any <b>penalty</b> for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached . . . . .	<b>8</b>	
<b>9</b>	<b>Tax due.</b> If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter <b>amount owed</b> . . . . .	<b>9</b>	<b>331</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>Overpayment.</b> If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the <b>amount overpaid</b> . . . . .	<b>10</b>	
<b>11</b>	Enter the amount of line 10 to be <b>Credited to 2011 estimated tax</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Refunded</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>11</b>	

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities**

	Yes	No
<b>1a</b> 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>b</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)? . . . . .		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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		
<b>c</b> Did the foundation file <b>Form 1120-POL</b> for this year? . . . . .		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>d</b> 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"/> \$ _____		
<b>e</b> Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____		
<b>2</b> Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? . . . . .		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities		
<b>3</b> 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 . . . . .		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>4a</b> Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? . . . . .		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>b</b> If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on <b>Form 990-T</b> for this year? . . . . .		
<b>5</b> Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? . . . . .		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T		
<b>6</b> 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"/>
<b>7</b> 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 . . . . .	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>8a</b> Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see page 19 of the instructions) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>WI</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>IL</b>		
<b>b</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 . . . . .	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>9</b> 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 on page 27)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV . . . . .		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>10</b> Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses . . . . .		<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		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?	13		X
Website address <b>▶ N/A</b>				
14	The books are in care of <b>▶ DAVID A AFFELDT</b>	Telephone no	<b>▶ 414-321-4560</b>	
	Located at <b>▶ 8741 W NATIONAL AVENUE WEST ALLIS, WI</b>	ZIP+4	<b>▶ 53227</b>	
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		0
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?	16	Yes	No
	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			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?	<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 22 of the instructions)?	1b	
Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here		<input type="checkbox"/>
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?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
If "Yes," list the years	<b>▶</b>	
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 22 of the instructions)	2b	X
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here	<b>▶</b>	
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 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)	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

**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 ☐

**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
DAVID A AFFELDT 8741 W NATIONAL AVENUE, WI 53227	PZ/DIR/TRS	0	0	0
WILLIAM T GAUS 1000 N WATER STREET, WI 53202	VP/DIR	0	0	0
TOM TUTTLE 743 N WATER STREET, WI 53202	VP/SECR	0	0	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
NONE				

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 ☐

**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
<b>1 NOT APPLICABLE</b>	
	0
<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b>	

**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
<b>1 NOT APPLICABLE</b>	
	0
<b>2</b>	
All other program-related investments. See page 24 of the instructions.	
<b>3</b>	
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.)

<b>1</b>	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes		
<b>a</b>	Average monthly fair market value of securities	<b>1a</b>	860,021
<b>b</b>	Average of monthly cash balances	<b>1b</b>	0
<b>c</b>	Fair market value of all other assets (see page 25 of the instructions)	<b>1c</b>	0
<b>d</b>	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, b, and c)	<b>1d</b>	860,021
<b>e</b>	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	<b>1e</b>	
<b>2</b>	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	<b>2</b>	0
<b>3</b>	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	<b>3</b>	860,021
<b>4</b>	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see page 25 of the instructions)	<b>4</b>	12,900
<b>5</b>	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	<b>5</b>	847,121
<b>6</b>	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% of line 5	<b>6</b>	42,356

**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.)

<b>1</b>	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	<b>1</b>	42,356
<b>2a</b>	Tax on investment income for 2010 from Part VI, line 5	<b>2a</b>	331
<b>b</b>	Income tax for 2010 (This does not include the tax from Part VI)	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Add lines 2a and 2b	<b>2c</b>	331
<b>3</b>	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	<b>3</b>	42,025
<b>4</b>	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	<b>4</b>	
<b>5</b>	Add lines 3 and 4	<b>5</b>	42,025
<b>6</b>	Deduction from distributable amount (see page 25 of the instructions)	<b>6</b>	
<b>7</b>	<b>Distributable amount as adjusted.</b> Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	<b>7</b>	42,025

**Part XII Qualifying Distributions** (see page 25 of the instructions)

<b>1</b>	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes		
<b>a</b>	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc. - total from Part I, column (d), line 26	<b>1a</b>	92,300
<b>b</b>	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	<b>1b</b>	
<b>2</b>	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
<b>a</b>	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	<b>3a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	<b>3b</b>	
<b>4</b>	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	<b>4</b>	92,300
<b>5</b>	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)	<b>5</b>	331
<b>6</b>	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4	<b>6</b>	91,969

**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 2009	(c) 2009	(d) 2010
<b>1</b> Distributable amount for 2010 from Part XI, line 7 . . . . .				<b>42,025</b>
<b>2</b> Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2010:				
<b>a</b> Enter amount for 2009 only . . . . .				
<b>b</b> Total for prior years . . . . .				
<b>3</b> Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2010:				
<b>a</b> From 2005 . . . . .				
<b>b</b> From 2006 . . . . .				
<b>c</b> From 2007 . . . . .				
<b>d</b> From 2008 . . . . . <b>23,388</b>				
<b>e</b> From 2009 . . . . . <b>59,092</b>				
<b>f</b> Total of lines 3a through e . . . . .	<b>82,480</b>			
<b>4</b> Qualifying distributions for 2010 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ <b>92,300</b>				
<b>a</b> Applied to 2009, but not more than line 2a . . .				
<b>b</b> Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see page 26 of the instructions)				
<b>c</b> Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see page 26 of the instructions) . . .				
<b>d</b> Applied to 2010 distributable amount . . . . .				<b>42,025</b>
<b>e</b> Remaining amount distributed out of corpus . . .	<b>50,275</b>			
<b>5</b> Excess distributions carryover applied to 2010 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a) )				
<b>6</b> Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
<b>a</b> Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5 .	<b>132,755</b>			
<b>b</b> Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b . . . . .				
<b>c</b> 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 . . . . .				
<b>d</b> Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount - see page 27 of the instructions . . . . .				
<b>e</b> Undistributed income for 2009 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount - see page 27 of the instructions . . . . .				
<b>f</b> Undistributed income for 2010 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2011 . . . . .				<b>0</b>
<b>7</b> 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) . . . . .				
<b>8</b> Excess distributions carryover from 2005 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see page 27 of the instructions) . . . . .				
<b>9</b> Excess distributions carryover to 2011. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a . . . . .	<b>132,755</b>			
<b>10</b> Analysis of line 9				
<b>a</b> Excess from 2006 . . . . .				
<b>b</b> Excess from 2007 . . . . .				
<b>c</b> Excess from 2008 . . . . . <b>23,388</b>				
<b>d</b> Excess from 2009 . . . . . <b>59,092</b>				
<b>e</b> Excess from 2010 . . . . . <b>50,275</b>				

**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 2010, 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)					
2a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed . . . . .	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 2010	(b) 2009	(c) 2008	(d) 2007	
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 <input type="checkbox"/> 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 990APP
b	The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include
c	Any submission deadlines
d	Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors

**Part XV** **Supplementary Information** (continued)**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year				
SEE ATTACHED LIST			CHARITABLE	
MILWAUKEE WI 53227	NONE	PAID		92,300
<b>Total</b> .....			<b>3a</b>	<b>92,300</b>
b Approved for future payment				
<b>Total</b> .....			<b>3b</b>	

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions on page 29 to verify calculations )

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Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XVI-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes) (See page 29 of the instructions )



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**FORM 990PF, PART III, LINE 3**

**STATEMENT #115**

**OTHER INCREASES SCHEDULE**

PRIOR YEAR ACCRUALS	19,383
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TOTAL	<u>19,383</u>
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**FORM 990PF, PART II, LINE 15**

**PG 01  
STATEMENT #120**

**OTHER ASSETS SCHEDULE**

**DESCRIPTION**  
**ACCRUALS**

**BOY BOOK**

**EOY BOOK**

**FMV**

2,642

2,238

2,238

TOTAL

2,642

2,238

2,238

**FORM 990PF, PART II, LINE 10(B)  
INVESTMENTS: CORPORATE STOCK SCHEDULE**

**PG 01  
STATEMENT #137**

**CATEGORY**

**BOY**

**BOOK VALUE**

**EOY FMV**

INVESTMENTS CORPORATE STOCK	504,958	500,733	577,669
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TOTALS	<u>504,958</u>	<u>500,733</u>	<u>577,669</u>
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**FORM 990PF, PART II, LINE 10(C)  
INVESTMENTS: CORPORATE BOND SCHEDULE**

**PG 01  
STATEMENT #138**

**CATEGORY**

**BOY**

**BOOK VALUE**

**EOY FMV**

INVESTMENTS CORPORATE BONDS	287,590	276,954	293,092
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TOTALS	<u>287,590</u>	<u>276,954</u>	<u>293,092</u>
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## FORM 990PF, PART I, LINE 16(A) - LEGAL FEES SCHEDULE

STATEMENT #107

DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES	NET INVESTMENT	ADJUSTED NET INCOME	CHARITABLE PURPOSE
LEGAL FEES	9,539	9,539	0	0
TOTALS	9,539	9,539	0	0

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STATEMENT #110

## FORM 990PF, PART I, LINE 18 - TAXES SCHEDULE

DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES	NET INVESTMENT	ADJUSTED NET INCOME	CHARITABLE PURPOSE
FOREIGN TAX	19	19	0	0
TOTALS	19	19	0	0



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**FORM 990PF, PART XV, LINE 2  
APPLICATION SUBMISSION INFORMATION**

990APP

**GRANT PROGRAM****APPLICANT NAME**

DAVID A AFFELDT

**ADDRESS**

8741 W NATIONAL AVENUE

WEST ALLIS

WI 53227

**TELEPHONE**

414-321-4560

**FORM & CONTENT**

LETTER SHOULD STATE USE TO WHICH THE REQUIRED GRANT WOULD BE APPLIED

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE**

NONE

**RESTRICTIONS ON AWARD**

NONE

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**DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES**

Description	Amount
INTEREST (THE PRIVATE BANK AND TRUST CO)	\$ 10,274
QUALIFIED DIVIDENDS (THE PRIVATE BANK AND TRUST CO)	9,856
Total:	<u>\$ 20,130</u>

**NET GAIN OR LOSS FROM SALE OF ASSETS NOT ON LINE 10**

Description	Amount
THE PRIVATE BANK AND TRUST CO - LONG TERM GAIN	\$ 30,438
Total:	<u>\$ 30,438</u>

**GROSS SALE PRICE FOR ALL ASSETS ON LINE 6A**

Description	Amount
THE PRIVATE BANK AND TRUST CO	\$ 347,222
Total:	<u>\$ 347,222</u>

**COMPENSATION OF OFFICERS DIRECTORS TRUSTEES ETC**

Description	Amount
INVESTMENT ADVISORY FEE	\$ 6,410
FIDUCIARY FEES	1,500
Total:	<u>\$ 7,910</u>

**LEGAL FEES**

Description	Amount
2009 LEGAL FEES PAID 2/11/10	\$ 4,537
2010 LEGAL FEES PAID 12/27/10	5,002
Total:	<u>\$ 9,539</u>

### Messmer Foundation 2010 Contributions

<u>Recipient</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Above the Clouds	Charitable	\$ 1,000.00
Celebrate Children Foundation	Charitable	3,000.00
Cystic Fibrosis	Charitable	2,500.00
Holy Family	Charitable	1,000.00
Manor Park Foundation	Charitable	15,000.00
Marquette University High School	Charitable	5,000.00
Mercy Academy	Charitable	10,500.00
Milwaukee Montessorri School	Charitable	1,000.00
Knox's Wilber Pillsbury	Charitable	1,000.00
Prevent Blindness	Charitable	2,000.00
Rosalie Manor Community & Family Services	Charitable	1,000.00
St. Francis Seminary	Charitable	2,300.00
St. Paul's University Catholic Center	Charitable	500.00
The Salvation Army	Charitable	1,000.00
Thomas International Center	Charitable	500.00
United Performing Arts Fund	Charitable	2,500.00
United Way of Greater Milwaukee	Charitable	5,000.00
UW-LaCrosse Foundation - Academic Building	Charitable	20,000.00
UW-LaCrosse Foundation - Sports Complex	Charitable	15,000.00
WIFIC	Charitable	2,000.00
Wisconsin Right to Life	Charitable	500.00
		\$ 92,300.00