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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** \_\_\_\_\_, **2010, and ending** \_\_\_\_\_

**G** Check all that apply:  Initial return  Initial Return of a former public charity  Final return  
 Amended return  Address change  Name change

Butte Creek Foundation  
13 Dana Point Rd.  
Chico, CA 95928

**A** Employer identification number  
68-0111634

**B** Telephone number (see the instructions)  
530 343-7533

**C** If exemption application is pending, check here

**D** 1 Foreign organizations, check here   
2 Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation

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

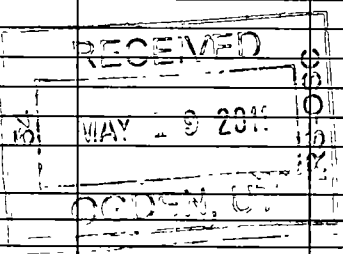
**F** If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here

**H** Check type of organization.  Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation  
 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust  Other taxable private foundation

**I** Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, column (c), line 16)  
 ▶ \$ 2,467,010.

**J** Accounting method  Cash  Accrual  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)

<b>Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses</b> (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see the instructions))		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
<b>REVENUE</b>	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc. received (att sch)	234,361.			
	2 Ck <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundn is not req to att Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	4,934.	4,934.	N/A	
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	89,337.	89,337.		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain/(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/(loss) (att sch)					
11 Other income (attach schedule)					
<b>12 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 11	<b>328,632.</b>	<b>94,271.</b>			
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0.			
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)				
	b Accounting fees (attach sch)				
	c Other prof fees (attach sch)				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule)(see instr)				
	19 Depreciation (attach sch) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
22 Printing and publications					
23 Other expenses (attach schedule)					
<b>24 Total operating and administrative expenses.</b> Add lines 13 through 23					
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid Part XV	156,833.			156,833.	
<b>26 Total expenses and disbursements.</b> Add lines 24 and 25	<b>156,833.</b>	<b>0.</b>		<b>156,833.</b>	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
<b>a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements</b>	<b>171,799.</b>				
<b>b Net investment income</b> (if negative, enter -0-)		<b>94,271.</b>			
<b>c Adjusted net income</b> (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 (a) Book Value	End of year (b) Book Value (c) Fair Market Value		
ASSETS	1	Cash – non-interest-bearing			
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	61,814.	41,515.	41,515.
	3	Accounts receivable			
		Less allowance for doubtful accounts			
	4	Pledges receivable			
		Less allowance for doubtful accounts			
	5	Grants receivable			
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see the instructions)			
	7	Other notes and loans receivable (attach sch.)			
		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)	1,783,341.	1,975,439.	2,425,495.
	c	Investments – corporate bonds (attach schedule)			
	11	Investments – land, buildings, and equipment: basis			
	Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)				
12	Investments – mortgage loans				
13	Investments – other (attach schedule)				
14	Land, buildings, and equipment basis				
	Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)				
15	Other assets (describe _____)				
16	<b>Total assets</b> (to be completed by all filers – see instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	1,845,155.	2,016,954.	2,467,010.	
LIABILITIES	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18	Grants payable			
	19	Deferred revenue			
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, & other disqualified persons			
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)			
	22	Other liabilities (describe _____)			
	23	<b>Total liabilities</b> (add lines 17 through 22)	0.	0.	
NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
	24	Unrestricted	1,845,155.	2,016,954.	
	25	Temporarily restricted			
	26	Permanently restricted			
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 27 through 31. <input type="checkbox"/>				
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, and equipment fund			
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds			
	30	<b>Total net assets or fund balances</b> (see the instructions)	1,845,155.	2,016,954.	
	31	<b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b> (see the instructions)	1,845,155.	2,016,954.	

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	1,845,155.
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	171,799.
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize)	3	
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	2,016,954.
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize)	5	
6	<b>Total net assets or fund balances at end of year</b> (line 4 minus line 5) – Part II, column (b), line 30	6	2,016,954.

**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 shares MLC Company)	(b) How acquired P — Purchase D — Donation	(c) Date acquired (month, day, year)	(d) Date sold (month, day, year)
1 a N/A			
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			(l) Gains (Column (h) gain minus column (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from column (h))
(i) Fair Market Value as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of column (i) over column (j), if any	
a			
b			
c			
d			
e			

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) <span style="float: right;">[ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 ]</span>	2
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6)  If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see the instructions). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8 <span style="float: right;">]</span>	3

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

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

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

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

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

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

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (column (b) divided by column (c))
2009			
2008			
2007			
2006			
2005			

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period — divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years	3
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2010 from Part X, line 5	4
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8

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

**Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income** (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948 – see the instructions)

1 a 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 instr.)		1	1,885.
b Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b			
c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, column (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	1,885.
4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)		4	0.
5 <b>Tax based on investment income.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3 If zero or less, enter -0-		5	1,885.
6 Credits/Payments.			
a 2010 estimated tax pmts and 2009 overpayment credited to 2010	6 a	2,000.	
b Exempt foreign organizations – tax withheld at source	6 b		
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6 c		
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6 d		
7 Total credits and payments Add lines 6a through 6d		7	2,000.
8 Enter any <b>penalty</b> for underpayment of estimated tax Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached		8	
9 <b>Tax due.</b> If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter <b>amount owed</b>		9	0.
10 <b>Overpayment.</b> If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the <b>amount overpaid</b>		10	115.
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be. <b>Credited to 2011 estimated tax</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Refunded</b> <input type="checkbox"/>		11	0.

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities**

	Yes	No
1 a 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
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see the instructions for definition)? <i>If the answer is 'Yes' to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities</i>		X
c Did the foundation file <b>Form 1120-POL</b> 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 <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 0.		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 0.		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? <i>If 'Yes,' attach a detailed description of the activities</i>		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? <i>If 'Yes,' attach a conformed copy of the changes</i>		X
4 a 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 <b>Form 990-T</b> for this year?		N/A
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? <i>If 'Yes,' attach the statement required by General Instruction T</i>		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? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Part II, column (c), and Part XV</i>	X	
8 a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see the instructions) <input type="checkbox"/> <u>CA</u>		
b If the answer is 'Yes' to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by <i>General Instruction G</i> ? <i>If 'No,' attach explanation</i>	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)? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Part XIV</i>		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If 'Yes,' attach a schedule listing their names and addresses</i>		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 propoganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?  Yes  No

(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?  Yes  No

(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?  Yes  No

(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc, organization described in section 509(a)(1), (2), or (3), or section 4940(d)(2)? (see instructions)  Yes  No

(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?  Yes  No

**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)?  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) N/A

**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 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
John L. Burghardt 13 Dana Point Rd. Chico, CA 95928	Director 0	0.	0.	0.
Barbara Boyle 1687 Park Vista Dr. Chico, CA 95928	Director 0	0.	0.	0.

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

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
None		
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<b>Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services</b>		<b>0</b>

**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	
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2	
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3	
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4	
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**Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments** (see instructions)

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2	Amount	
1 N/A		
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2		
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All other program-related investments See instructions		
3		
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<b>Total. Add lines 1 through 3</b>		<b>0.</b>

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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	2,152,784.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	47,604.
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	
d	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	2,200,388.
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	2,200,388.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	33,006.
5	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	2,167,382.
6	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% of line 5	6	108,369.

**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	108,369.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2010 from Part VI, line 5	2a	1,885.
b	Income tax for 2010. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	1,885.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	106,484.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	106,484.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	
7	<b>Distributable amount</b> as adjusted Subtract line 6 from line 5 Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	106,484.

**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	156,833.
b	Program-related investments – total from Part IX-B	1b	
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc, purposes	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4	<b>Qualifying distributions</b> Add lines 1a through 3b Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	156,833.
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see instructions)	5	
6	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	156,833.

**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 2009	(c) 2009	(d) 2010
1 Distributable amount for 2010 from Part XI, line 7				106,484.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2010.				
a Enter amount for 2009 only			0.	
b Total for prior years 20__, 20__, 20__		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2010				
a From 2005				
b From 2006	284,619.			
c From 2007	60,689.			
d From 2008	87,826.			
e From 2009	47,137.			
f Total of lines 3a through e	480,271.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2010 from Part XII, line 4: ▶ \$ 156,833.				
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				106,484.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	50,349.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2010 (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	530,620.			
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 instructions			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) (see instructions)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2005 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)	0.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2011. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	530,620.			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2006	284,619.			
b Excess from 2007	60,689.			
c Excess from 2008	87,826.			
d Excess from 2009	47,137.			
e Excess from 2010	50,349.			

**Part XIV Private Operating Foundations** (see instructions and Part VII-A, question 9) N/A

1 a 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)

	Tax year				(e) Total
	(a) 2010	(b) 2009	(c) 2008	(d) 2007	
2 a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed					
b 85% of line 2a					
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon					
a 'Assets' alternative test – enter					
(1) Value of all assets					
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
b 'Endowment' alternative test – enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed					
c 'Support' alternative test – enter					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

**Part XV Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the organization had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year – see 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) )  
 Barbara Boyle

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  
 None

2 **Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc, Programs:**  
 Check here  if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc, (see instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d.

a The name, address, and telephone number of the person to whom applications should be addressed  
 See Statement 1

b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include.  
 See Statement for Line 2a

c Any submission deadlines  
 See Statement for Line 2a

d Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors  
 See Statement for Line 2a

**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 <i>Paid during the year</i> See Statement 2				
<b>Total</b>				▶ <b>3a</b> 156,833.
b <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
<b>Total</b>				▶ <b>3b</b>





**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

**2010**

Name of the organization

Butte Creek Foundation

Employer identification number

68-0111634

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

Section:

- 501(c)(\_\_\_\_) (enter number) organization  
 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation  
 527 political organization

Form 990-PF

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

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

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

**General Rule**

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

**Special Rules**

- For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ, that met the 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 their 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)

**BAA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990, 990EZ, or 990-PF.**

**Schedule B** (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2010)

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**Part I** Contributors (see instructions.)

(a) Number	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	John and Barbara Boyle 1687 Park Vista Dr. Chico, CA 95928	\$ 202,426.	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution)
2	Shipley Trust C/O 901 Bruce Rd. Suite 270 Chico, CA 95928	\$ 27,564.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution)
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**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 cols (a) through (e) and the following line entry

For organizations completing Part III, enter total of *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year (Enter this information once See instructions) ▶ \$ N/A

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
	N/A		
(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
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**Statement 1**  
**Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 2a-d**  
**Application Submission Information**

Name of Grant Program: Butte Creek Foundation  
 Name: John L. Burghardt  
 Care Of:  
 Street Address: 13 Dana Point Rd.  
 City, State, Zip Code: Chico, CA 95928  
 Telephone:  
 Form and Content: Request Letter  
 Submission Deadlines: None  
 Restrictions on Awards: None

**Statement 2**  
**Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 3a**  
**Recipient Paid During the Year**

<u>Name and Address</u>	<u>Donee Relationship</u>	<u>Found- ation Status</u>	<u>Purpose of Grant</u>	<u>Amount</u>
CSUC Foundation ,	None		Education	\$ 3,000.
Boys & Girls Club - Chico ,	None		General	2,200.
Planned Parenthood ,	None		General	2,000.
Adopt-A-Class, CUSD ,	None		Education	1,200.
Big Brothers, Big Sisters ,	None		General	2,450.
Marsh Jr. High School ,	None		Education	1,190.
Chico Jr. High School ,	None		Education	830.
Chico Rotary Foundation ,	None		Education	625.
Jonah Hirschbein ,	None		Education	1,000.
Work Training Center ,	None		General	100.
Chico Unified School Dist ,	None		Education	50.

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PV High School-IB Program ,	None		Education	\$ 1,677.
KCHO Public Radio ,	None		General	2,000.
Computers for Schools ,	None		General	240.
Laura Nelson ,	None		Education	1,000.
Manisha Bahl ,	None		Education	1,500.
Butte County Humane Society ,	None		General	250.
Calacurya Foundation ,	None		General	100.
KIXE TV ,	None		General	1,600.
North Valley Comm Foundation ,	None		General	60,000.
Pleasant Valley High School ,	None		Education	100.
San Francisco Camerawork ,	None		General	1,000.
Taylor Mahoney ,	None		Education	1,500.
Butte Co Search & Rescue ,	None		General	100.
Enloe Hospital Foundation ,	None		General	5,100.
Barry Kirshner Foundation ,	None		General	28,000.
Torres Shelter ,	None		General	1,300.
North Valley Natural History Museum ,	None		General	20,000.

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Dallas Wentz ,	None		Education	\$ 2,500.
Janelle Babb ,	None		Education	3,769.
Orland High School ,	None		Education	100.
Eastern Washington University ,	None		Educaation	100.
Golden Gate University ,	None		Education	100.
Jessica Barne ,	None		Education	1,000.
Pacific Coast Trail ,	None		General	100.
Friends of Bidwell Park ,	None		General	100.
Jackson Wyoming Library ,	None		General	100.
Chong Lor ,	None		Education	500.
Estella Lai ,	None		Education	500.
The Blue Room ,	None		General	100.
Brixie Hansen Judge ,	None		General	500.
Davis Rich ,	None		Education	1,000.
CHIP ,	None		General	200.
Chico Comm Scholarship Assn ,	None		Education	300.
Jordan Barkley ,	None		General	3,218.

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Bench Project - Memorial	None		General	\$ 2,534.
			Total	<u>\$ 156,833.</u>