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Form 990-PF

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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

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

OMB No 1545-0052

2011

For calendar year 2011, or tax year beginning 01-01-2011 , and ending 12-31-2011

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
THE MARY LYNN RICHARDSON FUND

Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address)
C/O PIEDMONT TRUST CO BOX 20124

Room/suite

City or town, state, and ZIP code
GREENSBORO, NC 27420

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, col. (c), line 16)

J Accounting method

☒ Cash

☐ Accrual

☐ Other (specify)

A Employer identification number
06-6025946

B Telephone number (see page 10 of the instructions)
(336) 274-5471

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

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see page 11 of the instructions))		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc , received (attach schedule)				
	2 Check ☒ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	105			
	4 Dividends and interest from securities.		127,317		
	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)		358,049		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
Operating and Administrative Expenses	b Less Cost of goods sold				
	c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)				
	11 Other income (attach schedule)	201,008	937		
	12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	201,113	486,303		
	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)	275	275		
	17 Interest		9,190		
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see page 14 of the instructions)	7,233	3,906		
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings	2,107			2,107
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule).	42,585	78,690		17,965
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses.				
	Add lines 13 through 23	52,200	92,061		20,072
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	285,296			285,296
	26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	337,496	92,061		305,368
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-136,383			
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		394,242		
	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	79,710	43,327
	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)		
	c	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule).	1,534	1,534
	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 ▶ _____)	5,502,287	5,617,429
	16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	5,583,531	5,662,290
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses		
	18	Grants payable		
	19	Deferred revenue		
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons		
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)		
	22	Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)		
	23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)		0
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	5,583,531	5,662,290
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund		
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds		
	30	Total net assets or fund balances (see page 17 of the instructions)	5,583,531	5,662,290
	31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see page 17 of the instructions)	5,583,531	5,662,290

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	5,583,531
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-136,383
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	3	416,150
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	5,863,298
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	5	201,008
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30	6	5,662,290

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					
(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) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(i) F M V as of 12/31/69		(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any		
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
2	Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7				2358,049
3	Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6) If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see pages 13 and 17 of the instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8				3

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))	
2010	275,567	6,090,038	0 04525	
2009	323,414	5,591,886	0 05784	
2008	381,483	6,955,686	0 05485	
2007	373,239	7,939,554	0 04701	
2006	347,489	7,479,235	0 04646	
2 Total of line 1, column (d).			2	0 25140
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period—divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years			3	0 05028
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2011 from Part X, line 5.			4	6,430,296
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3.			5	323,315
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b).			6	3,942
7 Add lines 5 and 6.			7	327,257
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4.			8	305,368
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 VIExcise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948—see page 18 of the instructions)

1a		Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ☐ 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	7,885
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	
3		Add lines 1 and 2.		3	7,885
4		Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)		4	
5		Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3 If zero or less, enter -0-		5	7,885
6		Credits/Payments			
a	2011 estimated tax payments and 2010 overpayment credited to 2011		6a	4,663	
b	Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source		6b		
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)		6c	7,900	
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld		6d		
7		Total credits and payments Add lines 6a through 6d.		7	12,563
8		Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached		8	
9		Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed		9	
10		Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid.		10	4,678
11		Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2012 estimated tax 4,678 Refunded		11	

Part VII-AStatements Regarding Activities

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?		Yes	No
		1a		No
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)?			No
	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.			
c	Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?	1c		No
d	Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year (1) On the foundation \$ (2) On foundation managers \$			
e	Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers \$			
2	Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS?	2		No
	If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.			
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	3		No
4a	Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	4a		No
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	4b		No
5	Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year?	5		No
	If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.			
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?	6	Yes	
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	7	Yes	
8a	Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see page 19 of the instructions) NC			
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 .	8b	Yes	
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 2011 or the taxable year beginning in 2011 (see instructions for Part XIV on page 27)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV	9		No
10	Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses	10		No

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		No
12	Did the foundation acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract before August 17, 2008?	12		No
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address N/A	13	Yes	
14	The books are in care of Piedmont Trust Company Telephone no (336) 274-5471 Located at 701 Green Valley Road Greensboro NC ZIP +4 27408			
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		
16	At any time during calendar year 2011, 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 the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1 If "Yes", enter the name of the foreign country				

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 20 of the instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here. ☐	1b		No
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 2011?	1c		No
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 2011, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2011? ☐ Yes ☒ No If "Yes," list the years 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
b	Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see page 20 of the instructions).	2b		No
c	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
3a	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? ☐ Yes ☒ No			
b	If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2011 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? (<i>Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2011.</i>)	3b		No
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a		No
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 2011?	4b		No

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))?

YesNo

(2)

Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955), or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?

YesNo

(3)

Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?

YesNo

(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).

YesNo

(5)

Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?

YesNo

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)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here.

YesNo

5b

No

c

If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant?

YesNo

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?

YesNo

b

Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?

YesNo

6b

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?

YesNo

b

If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?

YesNo

7b

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
See Additional Data Table				

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
1	
2	
3	
4	

Part IX-B

Summary of Program-Related Investments (see page 23 of the instructions)

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2	Amount
1	
2	
All other program-related investments. See page 24 of the instructions.	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3.	

Part X

Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see page 24 of the instructions.)

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities.	1a	6,274,937
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b	253,282
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see page 24 of the instructions).	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d	6,528,219
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	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	6,528,219
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see page 25 of the instructions).	4	97,923
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	6,430,296
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5.	6	321,515

Part XI

Distributable Amount (see page 25 of the instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here ☒ and do not complete this part.)

1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6.	1	321,515
2a	Tax on investment income for 2011 from Part VI, line 5.	2a	7,885
b	Income tax for 2011 (This does not include the tax from Part VI).	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b.	2c	7,885
3	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1.	3	313,630
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4.	5	313,630
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see page 25 of the instructions).	6	
7	Distributable amount as adjusted Subtract line 6 from line 5 Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1.	7	313,630

Part XII

Qualifying Distributions (see page 25 of the instructions)

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc , purposes		
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc —total from Part I, column (d), line 26.	1a	305,368
b	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B.	1b	
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes.	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required).	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule).	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	305,368
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see page 26 of the instructions).	5	
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4.	6	305,368
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 2010	(c) 2010	(d) 2011
1	Distributable amount for 2011 from Part XI, line 7			
2	Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2011			
a	Enter amount for 2010 only. 285,320			
b	Total for prior years 20____, 20____, 20____			
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2011			
a	From 2006.			
b	From 2007.			
c	From 2008.			
d	From 2009.			
e	From 2010.			
f	Total of lines 3a through e.			
4	Qualifying distributions for 2011 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ 305,368			
a	Applied to 2010, but not more than line 2a 285,320			
b	Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see page 26 of the instructions)			
c	Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see page 26 of the instructions). . . . 0			
d	Applied to 2011 distributable amount. 20,048			
e	Remaining amount distributed out of corpus			
5	Excess distributions carryover applied to 2011 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)			
6	Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:			
a	Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5			
b	Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b.			
c	Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed.			
d	Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount—see page 27 of the instructions . . .			
e	Undistributed income for 2010 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see page 27 of the instructions			
f	Undistributed income for 2011 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2011. 293,582			
7	Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (see page 27 of the instructions).			
8	Excess distributions carryover from 2006 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see page 27 of the instructions).			
9	Excess distributions carryover to 2012. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a.			
10	Analysis of line 9			
a	Excess from 2007.			
b	Excess from 2008.			
c	Excess from 2009.			
d	Excess from 2010.			
e	Excess from 2011.			

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 2011, enter the date of the ruling.

b

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

☐ 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) 2011	(b) 2010	(c) 2009	(d) 2008	
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 page 27 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))

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

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

Check here ☐ if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc (see page 28 of the instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d

a

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

MARY LYNN RICHARDSON FUND
P O BOX 20124
GREENSBORO, NC 27420
(336) 274-5471

b

The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include

WRITTEN PROPOSAL WITH A COPY OF INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE EXEMPTION LETTER

c

Any submission deadlines

AUGUST 31 OF EACH CALENDAR YEAR

d

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

THE MARY LYNN RICHARDSON FUND PROVIDES BASIC NEEDS FUNDING (HEALTH, EDUCATIONAL AND SHELTER) THIS IS NOT A BRICKS AND MORTAR FUND FUNDS AVAILABLE ARE DISBURSED 50% TO FOREIGN 501 (C)(3) ORGANIZATIONS AND 50% TO DOMESTIC 501 (C)(3) ORGANIZATIONS GRANTS TO INDIVIDUALS ARE FOR GENERAL SUPPORT FOR INDIGENT PERSONS AND FOR ASSISTANCE WITH THEIR MEDICAL EXPENSES THESE GRANTS ARE LIMITED TO NON FAMILY PERSONS KNOWN BY ONE OF THE TRUSTEES AND ARE EXTREMELY RARE DOMESTIC GRANTS ARE PAID TO ORGANIZATIONS WHOSE PROGRAMS IMPACT THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA GUILFORD COUNTY PROGRAMS HAVE PREFERENCE OVER OTHER COUNTIES IN NORTH CAROLINA

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 Additional Data Table				
Total			3a	285,296
b Approved for future payment				
Total			3b	

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated		Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income (See page 28 of the instructions)
		(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclusion code	(d) Amount	
1	Program service revenue					
a	_____					
b	_____					
c	_____					
d	_____					
e	_____					
f	_____					
g	Fees and contracts from government agencies					
2	Membership dues and assessments. . . .					
3	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			14	105	
4	Dividends and interest from securities. . . .					
5	Net rental income or (loss) from real estate					
a	Debt-financed property.					
b	Not debt-financed property.					
6	Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
7	Other investment income.	532000	2,716	14	203,724	
8	Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory					
9	Net income or (loss) from special events					
10	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory. .					
11	Other revenue a _____					
b	_____					
c	_____					
d	_____					
e	_____					
12	Subtotal. Add columns (b), (d), and (e). .		-2,716		203,829	
13	Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e).			13		201,113

[illegible]

Part XVII

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

[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

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				
	*****			2012-09-26	*****
	Signature of officer or trustee			Date	Title
	Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's Signature ▶ Robert Bradford		Date	Check if self-employed ▶ ☒
Firm's name ▶ PIEDMONT TRUST COMPANY			Firm's EIN ▶		
Firm's address ▶ PO BOX 20124 GREENSBORO, NC 27420			Phone no (336) 274-5471		

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions ☒ Yes ☐ No

Additional Data

Software ID: 11000144
Software Version: 2011v1.2
EIN: 06-6025946
Name: THE MARY LYNN RICHARDSON FUND

Form 990PF - Special Condition Description:

Special Condition Description

Form 990PF Part VIII Line 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
JEMILA KWON	Trustee 0 50	0		
C/O PIEDMONT TRUST BOX 20124 GREENSBORO,NC 27420				
PATRICIA S AGNEW	Trustee 0 50	0		
C/O PIEDMONT TRUST BOX 20124 GREENSBORO,NC 27420				
BRITT A PREYER	Trustee 0 50	0		
C/O PIEDMONT TRUST BOX 20124 GREENSBORO,NC 27420				
ERIC R CALHOUN	Trustee 0 50	0		
C/O PIEDMONT TRUST BOX 20124 GREENSBORO,NC 27420				
BETSY BONEY MEAD	Trustee 0 50	0		
C/O PIEDMONT TRUST BOX 20124 GREENSBORO,NC 27420				

Form 990PF Part XV Line 3 - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
Servant Center Inc1312 Lexington Avenue Greensboro, NC 27403	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	5,000
People to People LiasonPO Box 751 Greensboro, NC 27402	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	3,000
NC Outward Bound School2582 Riceville Road Asheville, NC 28805	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	3,000
National Society to Prevent Blindne211 West Wacker Drive Suite 1700 Chicago, IL 60606	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	2,000
Medical Teams International14150 SW Milton Court Portland, OR 97224	NONE	509(a)(2)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	5,000
International Humanitarian FoundatiPO Box 55071 Boston, MA 02205	NONE	509(a)(2)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	3,000
Hearts of Our Father Outreach IncPO Box 491 Sheffield, MA 01257	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	10,000
Haiti Outreach Ministries8066 Elliot Drive Mechanicsville, VA 23111	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	5,000
Freedom Firm USAPO 4267 Hopkins, MN 55343	NONE	509(a)(2)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	3,000
Faith Action International House705 North Greene Street Greensboro, NC 27401	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	5,000
Cystic Fibrosis Foundation6931 Arlington Road 2nd Floor Bethesda, MD 20814	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	5,000
The University of North Carolina601 South College Road Wilmngton, NC 28403	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	25,000
The University of North Carolina1400 Spring Garden Street Greensboro, NC 27412	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	2,500
HandyCapable Network Inc2134 Lawndale Drive Greensboro, NC 27408	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	7,500
Elderhaus Inc1950 Amphitheater Drive Wilmington, NC 28401	NONE	509(a)(2)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	5,000
Sanctuary HousePO Box 332 Crestone, CO 81131	NONE	509(a)(2)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	2,500
CVS Pharmacy fbo Charlie RobinsonPO Box 20124 Greensboro, NC 27420	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	4,128
Bon Samaritan Mission HaitiPO Box 615 Gordonsville, VA 22942	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	15,000
Presbyterian Home of High Point FouPO Box 2127 Jamestown, NC 27282	NONE	509(a)(3)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	7,500
The Salvation Army1311 South Eugene St Greensboro, NC 27435	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	18,484
Greensboro Urban Ministry305 W Lee St Greensboro, NC 27406	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	16,524
Doctors Without Borders USA Inc333 Seventh Avenue- 2nd Floor New York, NY 10001	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	31,330
UNICEF125 Maiden Lane New York, NY 10038	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	31,330
Rural Advancement FoundationPO Box 640 Pittsboro, NC 27312	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	10,000
Operation Smile Inc502 E Cornwallis Dr - Suite L Greensboro, NC 27405	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	10,000
National Multiple Sclerosis Society2211 W Meadowview Rd Suite 30 Greensboro, NC 27407	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	2,500
Youth For Christ USA IncPO Box 516 Greensboro, NC 27402	NONE	509(a)(2)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	3,000
Watoto Charitable Trust14 Cranston Ave Newport, RI 02840	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	6,000
Housing Greensboro Inc617-B North Elm St Greensboro, NC 27401	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	5,000
Hearts and Hands For Haiti2013 Midwood Dr Raleigh, NC 27604	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	5,000

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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				
Guilford Child Development1200 Arlington St Greensboro, NC 27406	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	3,000
Community Foundation of Greater Gre330 South Greene Street Suite 100 Greensboro, NC 27401	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	5,000
Family Service of the Piedmont Inc902 Bonner Drive Jamestown, NC 27282	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	5,000
Bennett College900 E Washington St Greensboro, NC 27401	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	10,000
Barnabas MinistryPO Box 2666 Greensboro, NC 27402	NONE	509(a)(1)	TO ASSIST ORGANIZATION IN CARRYING OUT ITS EXEMPT PURPOSE	5,000
Total  3a				285,296

TY 2011 General Explanation Attachment**Name:** THE MARY LYNN RICHARDSON FUND**EIN:** 06-6025946**Software ID:** 11000144**Software Version:** 2011v1.2

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
		FORM 990-PF PART I ANALYSIS OF REVENUE & EXPENSES LINE 3 INTEREST ON SAVINGS AND TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENT (A) REVENUE & EXPENSES (B) NET INVESTMENT PER BOOKS INCOME INTEREST - NORTHERN TRUST 105 00 0 00 TOTAL LINE 3 \$ 105 00 \$ 0 00 LINE 4 DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES 1 PIEDMONT ASSOCIATES INVESTMENT FUND LLC K-1 INTEREST 0 00 13,294 00 DIVIDENDS 0 00 74,407 00 2 PIEDMONT SOUTHEASTERN INVESTMENT FUND LLC K-1 DIVIDENDS 0 00 39,616 00 TOTAL LINE 4 \$ 0 00 \$ 127,317 00 PART IV CAPITAL GAINS AND LOSSES FOR TAX ON INVESTMENT INCOME LINE 2 CAPITAL GAIN NET INCOME OR (NET CAPITAL LOSS) PIEDMONT ASSOCIATES INVESTMENT FUND LLC K-1 NET SHORT TERM CAPITAL GAIN (LOSS) 71,017 00 NET SHORT TERM SECTION 1256 2,058 00 NET LONG TERM CAPITAL GAIN (LOSS) 277,921 00 NET LONG TERM SECTION 1256 3,087 00 NET SECTION 1231 GAIN (LOSS) 3,990 00 PIEDMONT SOUTHEASTERN INVESTMENT FUND K-1 NET LONG TERM CAPITAL GAIN (LOSS) (24 00) TOTAL \$ 358,049 00

TY 2011 Other Assets Schedule

Name: THE MARY LYNN RICHARDSON FUND

EIN: 06-6025946

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Description	Beginning of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Fair Market Value
PIEDMONT SOUTHEASTERN INVESTMENT FD LLC	1,534,612	1,459,431	1,482,019
PIEDMONT ASSOCIATES INVESTMENT FUND LLC	3,967,675	4,157,998	4,477,993

TY 2011 Other Decreases Schedule**Name:** THE MARY LYNN RICHARDSON FUND**EIN:** 06-6025946**Software ID:** 11000144**Software Version:** 2011v1.2

Description	Amount
DISTRIBUTIONS-PIEDMONT SOUTHEASTERN INVESTMENT FUND	61,640
DISTRIBUTIONS-PIEDMONT ASSOCIATES INVESTMENT FUND	139,368

TY 2011 Other Expenses Schedule**Name:** THE MARY LYNN RICHARDSON FUND**EIN:** 06-6025946**Software ID:** 11000144**Software Version:** 2011v1.2

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
INVESTMENT & ADVISOR FEES- PSIF		3,133		
INVESTMENT & ADVISOR FEES- PAIF		50,937		
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES- GRANTS	9,759			9,759
ACCTG, CHARITABLE & GRANT ADMINISTRATION	32,826	24,620		8,206

TY 2011 Other Income Schedule

Name: THE MARY LYNN RICHARDSON FUND

EIN: 06-6025946

Software ID: 11000144

Software Version: 2011v1.2

Description	Revenue And Expenses Per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income
Other Investment Income	201,008	937	

TY 2011 Other Increases Schedule**Name:** THE MARY LYNN RICHARDSON FUND**EIN:** 06-6025946**Software ID:** 11000144**Software Version:** 2011v1.2

Description	Amount
PIEDMONT SOUTHEASTERN INVESTMENT FUND K-1 ADJUSTMENTS	36,459
PIEDMONT ASSOCIATES INVT FUND K-1 ADJUSTMENTS	379,691

TY 2011 Other Professional Fees Schedule**Name:** THE MARY LYNN RICHARDSON FUND**EIN:** 06-6025946**Software ID:** 11000144**Software Version:** 2011v1.2

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
BANK FEES	275	275	0	0

TY 2011 Taxes Schedule**Name:** THE MARY LYNN RICHARDSON FUND**EIN:** 06-6025946**Software ID:** 11000144**Software Version:** 2011v1.2

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
NC INCOME TAXES	318	318		
FOREIGN TAXES PAID		3,588		
EXCISE TAXES	6,915			