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Form 990-PF

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

OMB No 1545-0052

2011

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 2011 or tax year beginning

, and ending

Name of foundation <b>ROBERT AND BESS COOK FOUNDATION C/O WALNUT SERVICES, INC.</b>		A Employer identification number <b>38-3016880</b>
Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address) <b>30100 TELEGRAPH ROAD, SUITE 403</b>		B Telephone number <b>248-645-2300</b>
City or town, state, and ZIP code <b>BINGHAM FARMS, MI 48025</b>		C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>
G Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, 2. check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>
H Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) <b>\$ 612,182.</b>	J Accounting method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____	F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a).)		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received	1,000.		N/A	
	2 Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	8,289.	8,289.		STATEMENT 1
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	63,655.	63,655.		STATEMENT 2
	5a Gross rents	36,192.	36,192.		STATEMENT 3
	b Net rental income or (loss) 23,251.				STATEMENT 4
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	6,434.			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 37,891.				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		6,434.		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b Less Cost of goods sold					
c Gross profit or (loss)					
11 Other income					
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	115,570.	114,570.			
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0.	0.		0.
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees STMT 5	848.	848.		0.
	b Accounting fees STMT 6	8,962.	8,962.		0.
	c Other professional fees				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes STMT 7	3,350.	40.		0.
	19 Depreciation and depletion	12,941.	12,941.		
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses STMT 8	6,097.	6,097.		0.
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	32,198.	28,888.		0.
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	29,500.			29,500.	
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	61,698.	28,888.		29,500.	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	53,872.				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		85,682.			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			N/A		

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<b>Part II Balance Sheets</b>		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only		Beginning of year	End of year	
				(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
<b>Assets</b>	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing		1,755.	2,674.	2,674.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		315,253.	246,080.	246,080.
	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		36,100.		
	7	Other notes and loans receivable ▶				
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶				
	8	Inventories for sale or use				
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges				
	10a	Investments - U.S. and state government obligations				
	b	Investments - corporate stock	STMT 9	71,751.	71,751.	71,751.
	c	Investments - corporate bonds	STMT 10	30,000.	167,453.	157,914.
11	Investments - land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶	150,000.				
	Less: accumulated depreciation	STMT 11 ▶	117,647.	45,294.	32,353.	
12	Investments - mortgage loans					
13	Investments - other	STMT 12	131,561.	104,616.	101,410.	
14	Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶					
	Less: accumulated depreciation ▶					
15	Other assets (describe ▶)					
16	<b>Total assets</b> (to be completed by all filers)		631,714.	624,927.	612,182.	
<b>Liabilities</b>	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses				
	18	Grants payable				
	19	Deferred revenue				
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons		60,659.		
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable				
	22	Other liabilities (describe ▶)				
23	<b>Total liabilities</b> (add lines 17 through 22)		60,659.	0.		
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>					
	and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.					
	24	Unrestricted				
	25	Temporarily restricted				
	26	Permanently restricted				
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					
	and complete lines 27 through 31.					
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds		1,041.	1,041.	
28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund		0.	0.		
29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds		570,014.	623,886.		
30	<b>Total net assets or fund balances</b>		571,055.	624,927.		
31	<b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b>		631,714.	624,927.		

**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	571,055.
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	53,872.
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	0.
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	624,927.
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	5	0.
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	624,927.

**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.)
<b>1a MORGAN STANLEY OID</b>	P	07/16/10	07/21/11
<b>b 3000 SHRS CALLABLE NOTES OPTION PREMIUM</b>	P	01/21/11	01/21/11
<b>c SETTLEMENT - MESZAROS/GEIC</b>	P		
<b>d CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS</b>			
<b>e</b>			

(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)
<b>a 30,900.</b>		<b>31,457.</b>	<b>&lt;557.&gt;</b>
<b>b 895.</b>			<b>895.</b>
<b>c 6,050.</b>			<b>6,050.</b>
<b>d 46.</b>			<b>46.</b>
<b>e</b>			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))
(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any	
<b>a</b>			<b>&lt;557.&gt;</b>
<b>b</b>			<b>895.</b>
<b>c</b>			<b>6,050.</b>
<b>d</b>			<b>46.</b>
<b>e</b>			

<b>2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)</b>	{ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }	<b>2</b>	<b>6,434.</b>
<b>3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6):</b> If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8	{ }	<b>3</b>	<b>N/A</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 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	6,500.	287,300.	.022624
2009	6,250.	19,040.	.328256
2008	0.	1,846.	.000000
2007	200.	917.	.218103
2006	0.	0.	.000000

<b>2 Total of line 1, column (d)</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>.568983</b>
<b>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</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>.113797</b>
<b>4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2011 from Part X, line 5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>614,680.</b>
<b>5 Multiply line 4 by line 3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>69,949.</b>
<b>6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>857.</b>
<b>7 Add lines 5 and 6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>70,806.</b>
<b>8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>29,500.</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.

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

1a Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter "N/A" on line 1. Date of ruling or determination letter: _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary-see instructions)			
b Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b		1	1,714.
c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col. (b).			
2 Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)		2	0.
3 Add lines 1 and 2		3	1,714.
4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)		4	0.
5 Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-		5	1,714.
6 Credits/Payments:			
a 2011 estimated tax payments and 2010 overpayment credited to 2011	6a	1,640.	
b Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source	6b		
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c		
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d		
7 Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7	1,640.	
8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached	8	3.	
9 Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9	77.	
10 Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10		
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2012 estimated tax <input type="checkbox"/> Refunded <input type="checkbox"/>	11		

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities**

	Yes	No
1a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?		X
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see instructions for definition)? If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.		X
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation. \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers. \$ 0.		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. \$ 0.		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities		X
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes		X
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T		X
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	X	
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col (c), and Part XV.	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) <input type="checkbox"/> MI		
b If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? If "No," attach explanation	X	
9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2011 or the taxable year beginning in 2011 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses		X

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**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities** (continued)

11	At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see instructions)	11	X	
12	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)	12		X
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ► <u>N/A</u>	13	X	
14	The books are in care of ► <u>REGINA BRODERSEN</u> Telephone no. ► <u>248-645-2300</u> Located at ► <u>30100 TELEGRAPH ROAD, SUITE 403, BINGHAM FARMS, M</u> ZIP+4 ► <u>48025</u>			
15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	15	N/A	
16	At any time during calendar year 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? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ►	16	Yes	No
				X

**Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required**

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.

	Yes	No
1a During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):		
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person?	<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 instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here	1b	X
c Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2011?	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 2011, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2011? If "Yes," list the years ►	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement - see instructions.)	N/A	2b
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here. ►		
3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 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? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2011.)	3b	X
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 2011?	4b	X

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**Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required** (continued)**5a** During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:

(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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

☐ Yes ☒ No

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

☐ Yes ☒ No

(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 509(a)(1), (2), or (3), or section 4940(d)(2)?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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

☐ Yes ☒ No**b** If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)-(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)?

N/A

**5b**

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here

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

N/A

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d).

**6a** Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?☐ Yes ☒ No**b** Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?**6b****X**

If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.

**7a** At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?☐ Yes ☒ No**b** If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?

N/A

**7b****Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors****1** List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation.

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
PATRICIA VAN DOMMELEN	VICE PRESIDENT			
814 OAK CLUSTER				
HOWELL, MI 48855	0.00	0.	0.	0.
MINETTE GROW	TREASURER			
21585 W NINE MILE ROAD				
SOUTHFIELD, MI 48075	0.00	0.	0.	0.
REGINA BRODERSEN	SECRETARY			
42700 WATERFORD				
NORTHVILLE, MI 48168	0.00	0.	0.	0.
LIBBY GRAHAM	PRESIDENT			
1602 CATALPA DRIVE				
ROYAL OAK, MI 48067	0.00	0.	0.	0.

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

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
NONE				

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

0

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**3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services. If none, enter "NONE."**

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

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

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.		Expenses
1	N/A	
2		
3		
4		

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

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**Part X** Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)

1 Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	245,046.
b Average of monthly cash balances	1b	278,806.
c Fair market value of all other assets	1c	100,189.
d Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	624,041.
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	624,041.
4 Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	9,361.
5 Net value of noncharitable-use assets Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	614,680.
6 Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	30,734.

**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	30,734.
2a Tax on investment income for 2011 from Part VI, line 5	2a	1,714.	
b Income tax for 2011. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b		
c Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	1,714.	
3 Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	29,020.	
4 Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.	
5 Add lines 3 and 4	5	29,020.	
6 Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	0.	
7 Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	29,020.	

**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	29,500.
b Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b	0.
2 Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	
3 Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	
b Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4 Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	29,500.
5 Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	5	0.
6 Adjusted qualifying distributions Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	29,500.

**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 2010	(c) 2010	(d) 2011
1 Distributable amount for 2011 from Part XI, line 7				29,020.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2011				
a Enter amount for 2010 only			879.	
b Total for prior years:		0.		
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	0.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2011 from Part XII, line 4: ▶ \$ 29,500.				
a Applied to 2010, but not more than line 2a			879.	
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 2011 distributable amount				28,621.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2011 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	0.			0.
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	0.			
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b		0.		
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed		0.		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount - see instructions		0.		
e Undistributed income for 2010. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			0.	
f Undistributed income for 2011. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2012				399.
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2006 not applied on line 5 or line 7	0.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2012. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	0.			
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 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 2011, 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)

	Prior 3 years				(e) Total
	(a) 2011	(b) 2010	(c) 2009	(d) 2008	
<b>2</b> 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					
<b>3</b> 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 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).)

**NONE**

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:

**REGINA BRODERSEN, 248-645-2300**  
**30100 TELEGRAPH ROAD, SUITE 403, BINGHAM FARMS, MI 48025**

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

**WRITTEN REQUEST WITH SPECIFIC PURPOSE DETAILED.**

c Any submission deadlines:

**NONE**

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

**NONE**

**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				
ALS OF MICHIGAN 24359 NORTHWESTERN HIGHWAY, STE 100 SOUTHFIELD, MI 48075	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	MEDICAL	200.
AMERICAN RED CROSS P.O. BOX 4002018 DES MOINES, IA 50340-2018	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL	1,500.
BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART CENTER 1516 S. CRANBROOK BIRMINGHAM, MI 48009	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL	500.
BOTSFORD FOUNDATION 28050 GRAND RIVER AVENUE FARMINGTON HILLS, MI 48336-9929	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL	500.
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA 1776 WEST WARREN AVENUE DETROIT, MI 48208-2215	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL	2,500.
Total	SEE CONTINUATION SHEET(S)			29,500.
b Approved for future payment				
NONE				
Total				0.

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**Part XV** Supplementary Information

**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)**

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
CAPUCHIN SOUP KITCHEN 1820 MT ELLIOT DETROIT, MI 48207	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	FOOD BANK	1,500.
CHRISTUS VICTOR LUTHERAN CHURCH 7510 PALOMINO DRIVE APPLE VALLEY, MN 55124	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	RELIGIOUS	500.
CLEARY UNIVERSITY 3601 PLYMOUTH ROAD ANN ARBOR, MI 48105	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	EDUCATION	2,500.
COOL RUN COOKE SCHOOL FUNDRAISER 1633 HERITAGE DRIVE CANTON, MI 48188	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL	200.
DETROIT COLLEGE PROMISE 30100 TELEGRAPH ROAD SUITE 408 BINGHAM FARMS, MI 48025	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	EDUCATION	2,500.
DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS 5200 WOODWARD AVENUE DETROIT, MI 48202	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	CULTURAL	100.
DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS P.O. BOX 14301 CINCINNATI, OH 45250-0301	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL	500.
EVANGELICAL MANOR 6720 W OUTER DRIVE DETROIT, MI 48235	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	RELIGIOUS	500.
FORGOTTEN HARVEST 21800 GREENFIELD ROAD OAK PARK, MI 48237	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL	1,500.
FRIENDS OF REDFORD LIBRARY 25320 WEST SIX MILE ROAD REDFORD, MI 48240	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL	150.
Total from continuation sheets				24,300.

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Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

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
GIRL SCOUTS OF SOUTHEASTERN MICHIGAN 500 FISHER BUILDING 3011 WEST GRAND BLVD, DETROIT, MI 48202	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL	2,500.
HURON-CLINTON METRO PARKS 13000 HIGH RIDGE DRIVE BRIGHTON, MI 48114-9058	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL	1,000.
MEADOWBROOK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 21355 MEADOWBROOK ROAD NOVI, MI 48375-5245	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	RELIGIOUS	4,150.
METRO DETROIT POLICE & FIRE P.O. BOX 1727 ROYAL OAK, MI 48068	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL	2,500.
MICHIGAN HUMANE SOCIETY 30300 TELEGRAPH ROAD, STE 220 BINGHAM FARMS, MI 48025	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL	100.
OLIVET COLLEGE 320 S MAIN STREET OLIVET, MI 49076	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	EDUCATION	1,500.
SALVATION ARMY P.O. BOX 700865 PLYMOUTH, MI 48170-0955	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL	500.
SHADES OF PINK FOUNDATION 17824 KIRKSHIRE AVENUE BEVERLEY HILLS, MI 48025	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	MEDICAL	100.
ST. JOHN CATHOLIC CHURCH 2099 N. HACKER ROAD HOWELL, MI 48855-9079	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	RELIGIOUS	2,000.
Total from continuation sheets				



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

<b>1</b> 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?		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>a</b> Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of:			
<b>(1)</b> Cash	<b>1a(1)</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>(2)</b> Other assets	<b>1a(2)</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>b</b> Other transactions:			
<b>(1)</b> Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization	<b>1b(1)</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>(2)</b> Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization	<b>1b(2)</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>(3)</b> Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets	<b>1b(3)</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>(4)</b> Reimbursement arrangements	<b>1b(4)</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>(5)</b> Loans or loan guarantees	<b>1b(5)</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>(6)</b> Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations	<b>1b(6)</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>c</b> Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees	<b>1c</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>d</b> If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column <b>(b)</b> should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting foundation. If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column <b>(d)</b> the value of the goods, other assets, or services received.			

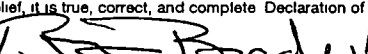
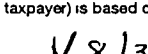

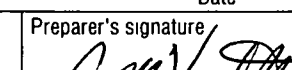
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**2a** Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527?

☐ Yes ☒ No

**b** If "Yes," complete the following schedule.

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship
N/A		

Sign Here	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.				May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instr.)? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	 Signature of officer or trustee		 Date		 Title	
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name <b>GARY VANDEPUTTE</b>		Preparer's signature 		Date <b>7/20/12</b>	
	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed		Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed		PTIN <b>P00084689</b>	
	Firm's name <b>► TOBIAS, VANDEPUTTE &amp; SKULSKY, P.C.</b>				Firm's EIN <b>► 38-2049989</b>	
Firm's address <b>► 5455 CORPORATE DR #300 TROY, MI 48098-2620</b>					Phone no. <b>(248) 641-8400</b>	



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## FORM 990-PF INTEREST ON SAVINGS AND TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS STATEMENT 1

SOURCE	AMOUNT
FIRST PLACE BANK	1,543.
FLEUR DE LYS	353.
MORGAN STANLEY ACCRUED INTEREST PAID	<1,278.>
MORGAN STANLEY CORPORATE BONDS	4,350.
MORGAN STANLEY MONEY MARKET ACCOUNT	5.
MORGAN STANLEY OID	1,944.
VANDOMMELEN NOTE	1,372.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 3, COLUMN A	8,289.

## FORM 990-PF DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES STATEMENT 2

SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	COLUMN (A) AMOUNT
GRAND OAKS DEVELOPMENT	60,000.	0.	60,000.
THRIVENT	3,701.	46.	3,655.
TOTAL TO FM 990-PF, PART I, LN 4	63,701.	46.	63,655.

## FORM 990-PF RENTAL INCOME STATEMENT 3

KIND AND LOCATION OF PROPERTY	ACTIVITY NUMBER	GROSS RENTAL INCOME
LEASE EQUIPMENT	1	36,192.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 5A		36,192.

FORM 990-PF		RENTAL EXPENSES		STATEMENT	4
DESCRIPTION	ACTIVITY NUMBER	AMOUNT	TOTAL		
DEPRECIATION		12,941.			
- SUBTOTAL -	1		12,941.		
TOTAL RENTAL EXPENSES			12,941.		
NET RENTAL INCOME TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 5B			23,251.		

FORM 990-PF		LEGAL FEES		STATEMENT	5
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
LEGAL FEE	848.	848.		0.	
TO FM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16A	848.	848.		0.	

FORM 990-PF		ACCOUNTING FEES		STATEMENT	6
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
ACCOUNTING FEE	8,962.	8,962.		0.	
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16B	8,962.	8,962.		0.	

FORM 990-PF		TAXES		STATEMENT	7
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
MICHIGAN ANNUAL REPORT	20.	20.		0.	
BANK CHARGE	20.	20.		0.	
FEDERAL INCOME TAX	3,310.	0.		0.	
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	3,350.	40.		0.	

FORM 990-PF	OTHER EXPENSES			STATEMENT	8
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
OFFICE SERVICE CENTER	6,097.	6,097.			0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	6,097.	6,097.			0.

FORM 990-PF	CORPORATE STOCK		STATEMENT	9
DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE		FAIR MARKET VALUE	
GRAND OAKS DEVELOPMENT CORP	71,751.		71,751.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10B	71,751.		71,751.	

FORM 990-PF	CORPORATE BONDS		STATEMENT	10
DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE		FAIR MARKET VALUE	
INVESTMENT IN BONDS	167,453.		157,914.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10C	167,453.		157,914.	

FORM 990-PF	DEPRECIATION OF ASSETS HELD FOR INVESTMENT		STATEMENT	11
DESCRIPTION	COST OR OTHER BASIS	ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION	BOOK VALUE	
EQUIPMENT	150,000.	117,647.	32,353.	
TOTAL TO FM 990-PF, PART II, LN 11	150,000.	117,647.	32,353.	

FORM 990-PF OTHER INVESTMENTS STATEMENT 12

DESCRIPTION	VALUATION METHOD	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
THRIVENT INVESTMENT	COST	104,616.	101,410.
MORGAN STANLEY - NOTE	COST	0.	0.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 13		104,616.	101,410.

Form **4562**Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service (99)**Depreciation and Amortization RENT**  
(Including Information on Listed Property)

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OMB No 1545-0172

**2011**Attachment  
Sequence No 179

▶ See separate instructions.

▶ Attach to your tax return.

Name(s) shown on return

Business or activity to which this form relates

Identifying number

**ROBERT AND BESS COOK FOUNDATION  
C/O WALNUT SERVICES, INC.****LEASE EQUIPMENT****38-3016880****Part I Election To Expense Certain Property Under Section 179** Note: If you have any listed property, complete Part V before you complete Part I.

1	Maximum amount (see instructions)	1	500,000.
2	Total cost of section 179 property placed in service (see instructions)	2	
3	Threshold cost of section 179 property before reduction in limitation	3	2,000,000.
4	Reduction in limitation. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-	4	
5	Dollar limitation for tax year. Subtract line 4 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0-. If married filing separately, see instructions.	5	
6	(a) Description of property	(b) Cost (business use only)	(c) Elected cost
7	Listed property. Enter the amount from line 29	7	
8	Total elected cost of section 179 property. Add amounts in column (c), lines 6 and 7	8	
9	Tentative deduction. Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8	9	
10	Carryover of disallowed deduction from line 13 of your 2010 Form 4562	10	
11	Business income limitation. Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5	11	
12	Section 179 expense deduction. Add lines 9 and 10, but do not enter more than line 11	12	
13	Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2012. Add lines 9 and 10, less line 12	13	

Note: Do not use Part II or Part III below for listed property. Instead, use Part V

**Part II Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation (Do not include listed property)**

14	Special depreciation allowance for qualified property (other than listed property) placed in service during the tax year	14	
15	Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election	15	
16	Other depreciation (including ACRS)	16	

**Part III MACRS Depreciation (Do not include listed property.) (See instructions)****Section A**

17	MACRS deductions for assets placed in service in tax years beginning before 2011	17	12,941.
18	If you are electing to group any assets placed in service during the tax year into one or more general asset accounts, check here		

**Section B - Assets Placed in Service During 2011 Tax Year Using the General Depreciation System**

(a) Classification of property	(b) Month and year placed in service	(c) Basis for depreciation (business/investment use only - see instructions)	(d) Recovery period	(e) Convention	(f) Method	(g) Depreciation deduction
19a 3-year property						
b 5-year property						
c 7-year property						
d 10-year property						
e 15-year property						
f 20-year property						
g 25-year property			25 yrs		S/L	
h Residential rental property	/		27.5 yrs.	MM	S/L	
i Nonresidential real property	/		27.5 yrs.	MM	S/L	
	/		39 yrs.	MM	S/L	
	/			MM	S/L	

**Section C - Assets Placed in Service During 2011 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System**

20a Class life					S/L	
b 12-year			12 yrs.		S/L	
c 40-year	/		40 yrs.	MM	S/L	

**Part IV Summary (See instructions)**

21	Listed property. Enter amount from line 28	21	
22	Total. Add amounts from line 12, lines 14 through 17, lines 19 and 20 in column (g), and line 21. Enter here and on the appropriate lines of your return. Partnerships and S corporations - see instr.	22	12,941.
23	For assets shown above and placed in service during the current year, enter the portion of the basis attributable to section 263A costs	23	

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C/O WALNUT SERVICES, INC.**

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**Part V Listed Property** (Include automobiles, certain other vehicles, certain computers, and property used for entertainment, recreation, or amusement.)  
**Note:** For any vehicle for which you are using the standard mileage rate or deducting lease expense, complete only 24a, 24b, columns (a) through (c) of Section A, all of Section B, and Section C if applicable.

**Section A - Depreciation and Other Information (Caution: See the instructions for limits for passenger automobiles.)**

**24a** Do you have evidence to support the business/investment use claimed? ☐ Yes ☐ No **24b** If "Yes," is the evidence written? ☐ Yes ☐ No

(a) Type of property (list vehicles first)	(b) Date placed in service	(c) Business/ investment use percentage	(d) Cost or other basis	(e) Basis for depreciation (business/investment use only)	(f) Recovery period	(g) Method/ Convention	(h) Depreciation deduction	(i) Elected section 179 cost
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**25** Special depreciation allowance for qualified listed property placed in service during the tax year and used more than 50% in a qualified business use **25**

**26** Property used more than 50% in a qualified business use:

		%						
		%						
		%						

**27** Property used 50% or less in a qualified business use:

		%			S/L -			
		%			S/L -			
		%			S/L -			

**28** Add amounts in column (h), lines 25 through 27. Enter here and on line 21, page 1 **28**

**29** Add amounts in column (i), line 26. Enter here and on line 7, page 1 **29**

**Section B - Information on Use of Vehicles**

Complete this section for vehicles used by a sole proprietor, partner, or other "more than 5% owner," or related person. If you provided vehicles to your employees, first answer the questions in Section C to see if you meet an exception to completing this section for those vehicles.

	(a) Vehicle		(b) Vehicle		(c) Vehicle		(d) Vehicle		(e) Vehicle		(f) Vehicle	
<b>30</b> Total business/investment miles driven during the year (do not include commuting miles)												
<b>31</b> Total commuting miles driven during the year												
<b>32</b> Total other personal (noncommuting) miles driven												
<b>33</b> Total miles driven during the year. Add lines 30 through 32												
<b>34</b> Was the vehicle available for personal use during off-duty hours?	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
<b>35</b> Was the vehicle used primarily by a more than 5% owner or related person?												
<b>36</b> Is another vehicle available for personal use?												

**Section C - Questions for Employers Who Provide Vehicles for Use by Their Employees**

Answer these questions to determine if you meet an exception to completing Section B for vehicles used by employees who are not more than 5% owners or related persons.

<b>37</b> Do you maintain a written policy statement that prohibits all personal use of vehicles, including commuting, by your employees?	Yes	No
<b>38</b> Do you maintain a written policy statement that prohibits personal use of vehicles, except commuting, by your employees? See the instructions for vehicles used by corporate officers, directors, or 1% or more owners		
<b>39</b> Do you treat all use of vehicles by employees as personal use?		
<b>40</b> Do you provide more than five vehicles to your employees, obtain information from your employees about the use of the vehicles, and retain the information received?		
<b>41</b> Do you meet the requirements concerning qualified automobile demonstration use?		

**Note:** If your answer to 37, 38, 39, 40, or 41 is "Yes," do not complete Section B for the covered vehicles.

**Part VI Amortization**

(a) Description of costs	(b) Date amortization begins	(c) Amortizable amount	(d) Code section	(e) Amortization period or percentage	(f) Amortization for this year
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**42** Amortization of costs that begins during your 2011 tax year.

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**43** Amortization of costs that began before your 2011 tax year **43**

**44** Total. Add amounts in column (f). See the instructions for where to report **44**

# Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

OMB No 1545-1709

► **File a separate application for each return.**

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** and check this box ☒
- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** (on page 2 of this form).

**Do not complete Part II unless** you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868

**Electronic filing (e-file).** You can electronically file Form 8868 if you need a 3-month automatic extension of time to file (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T), or an additional (not automatic) 3-month extension of time. You can electronically file Form 8868 to request an extension of time to file any of the forms listed in Part I or Part II with the exception of Form 8870, Information Return for Transfers Associated With Certain Personal Benefit Contracts, which must be sent to the IRS in paper format (see instructions). For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit [www.irs.gov/efile](http://www.irs.gov/efile) and click on *e-file for Charities & Nonprofits*.

## **Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time.** Only submit original (no copies needed).

A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension - check this box and complete

Part I only

All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns

<b>Type or print</b>  File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.	Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions <b>ROBERT AND BESS COOK FOUNDATION C/O WALNUT SERVICES, INC.</b>	Employer identification number (EIN) or <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>38-3016880</b>
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions <b>30100 TELEGRAPH ROAD, SUITE 403</b>	Social security number (SSN) <input type="checkbox"/>
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. <b>BINGHAM FARMS, MI 48025</b>	

Enter the Return code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return)

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Application Is For	Return Code	Application Is For	Return Code
Form 990	01	Form 990-T (corporation)	07
Form 990-BL	02	Form 1041-A	08
Form 990-EZ	01	Form 4720	09
Form 990-PF	04	Form 5227	10
Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	05	Form 6069	11
Form 990-T (trust other than above)	06	Form 8870	12

**REGINA BRODERSEN - 30100 TELEGRAPH ROAD, SUITE 403 -**

- The books are in the care of ► **BINGHAM FARMS, MI 48025**

Telephone No ► **248-645-2300**

FAX No ► **248-645-0245**

- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box ☐
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) \_\_\_\_\_ If this is for the whole group, check this box ☐ If it is for part of the group, check this box ☐ and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for

- 1 I request an automatic 3-month (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until **AUGUST 15, 2012**, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for  
► ☒ calendar year **2011** or  
► ☐ tax year beginning \_\_\_\_\_, and ending \_\_\_\_\_.

- 2 If the tax year entered in line 1 is for less than 12 months, check reason ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return  
☐ Change in accounting period

3a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	3a	\$	<b>1,593.</b>
b If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit.	3b	\$	<b>1,640.</b>
c <b>Balance due.</b> Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	3c	\$	<b>0.</b>

**Caution.** If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions.

LHA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see Instructions.

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