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

**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>B. A. MASON TRUST</b>		A Employer identification number <b>39-6075816</b>
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) <b>1251 FIRST AVENUE</b>	Room/suite	B Telephone number <b>715-723-1871</b>
City or town, state, and ZIP code <b>CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729</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 checked="" 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>2,893,700.</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 <small>(The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a))</small>		(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	395,188.		N/A	
	2 Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	81,638.	81,633.		STATEMENT 1
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	13,399.			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a	1,101,423.			
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		13,399.		
	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	490,225.	95,032.			
Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	15,064.	15,064.		0.
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees				
	b Accounting fees	6,276.	0.		0.
	c Other professional fees				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes	1,331.	0.		0.
	19 Depreciation and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
Operating and Administrative Expenses	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses	201.	0.		0.
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	22,872.	15,064.		0.
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	279,500.			279,500.	
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	302,372.	15,064.		279,500.	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	187,853.				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		79,968.			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			N/A		

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Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only		
		Beginning of year	End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing	26,250.	36,750.	36,750.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments			
	3 Accounts receivable ▶			
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	4 Pledges receivable ▶			
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	5 Grants receivable			
	6 Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	7 Other notes and loans receivable ▶			
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	8 Inventories for sale or use			
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	3,535.	6,866.	6,866.
	10a Investments - U.S. and state government obligations			
	b Investments - corporate stock			
	c Investments - corporate bonds			
11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶				
Less: accumulated depreciation ▶				
12 Investments - mortgage loans				
13 Investments - other <b>STMT 5</b>	2,779,357.	2,911,176.	2,850,084.	
14 Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶				
Less: accumulated depreciation ▶				
15 Other assets (describe ▶)				
16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers)	2,809,142.	2,954,792.	2,893,700.	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	1,123.		
	18 Grants payable			
	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶)			
23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	1,123.	0.		
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.			
	24 Unrestricted	1,028,340.	762,412.	
	25 Temporarily restricted	100,679.	118,192.	
	26 Permanently restricted	1,679,000.	2,074,188.	
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 31.			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
	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	2,808,019.	2,954,792.		
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	2,809,142.	2,954,792.		

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	2,808,019.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	187,853.
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	0.
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	2,995,872.
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ <b>BOOK TO TAX ADJUSTMENT</b>	5	41,080.
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	2,954,792.

**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			
b SEE ATTACHED STATEMENT			
c			
d			
e			

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a			
b			
c			
d			
e 1,101,423.		1,088,024.	13,399.

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	
a			
b			
c			
d			
e			13,399.

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) { If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }	2	13,399.
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6); If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8	3	N/A

**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	248,500.	1,633,394.	.152137
2009	181,000.	996,818.	.181578
2008	134,530.	964,929.	.139420
2007	318,394.	885,511.	.359560
2006	408,000.	559,258.	.729538

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	1.562233
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	.312447
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2011 from Part X, line 5	4	2,876,423.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	898,730.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	800.
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	899,530.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate. See the Part VI instructions	8	279,500.

**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	1,599.
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	1,599.
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	1,599.
6	Credits/Payments:		
a	2011 estimated tax payments and 2010 overpayment credited to 2011	6a	2,400.
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 <b>O. R. OVERPAYMENT</b>	7	1,331.
8	Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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 <b>SEE STATEMENT 6</b>	9	268.
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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	11	

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities**

	Yes	No
1a		X
1b		X
1c		X
d		
e		
2		X
3		X
4a		X
4b		
5		X
6		X
7	X	
8a		
b	X	
9		X
10		X

N/A

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)
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)
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application?
Website address N/A
14 The books are in care of CHARLES FRENETTE Telephone no. 7157232920
Located at 238 OAK HOLLOW DR, CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI ZIP+4 54729
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

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.

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?
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?
(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)?
(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.)
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
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?
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
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.)
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?
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)
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?
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?

**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)?  Yes  No  
 Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here  Yes  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?  Yes  No  
 If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d) N/A

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

b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?  Yes  No  
 If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.

7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?  Yes  No

b If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?  Yes  No

**Part VIII** Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors

1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation.

(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
TIMOTHY SCOBIE 1251 FIRST AVENUE CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729-1691	TRUSTEE 0.00	0.	0.	0.
WILLIAM SCOBIE 1251 FIRST AVENUE CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729-1691	TRUSTEE 0.00	0.	0.	0.
LORI GEISLER 1251 FIRST AVENUE CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729-1691	TRUSTEE 0.00	0.	0.	0.
RBC WEALTH MANAGEMENT 4205 SOUTHTOWNE DRIVE EAU CLAIRE, WI 54702-1570	INVESTMENT ADVISOR 1.00	15,064.	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

**Part VIII** Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors *(continued)*

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

(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 ▶ 0

**Part IX-A** Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

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

	Expenses
1 N/A	
2	
3	
4	

**Part IX-B** Summary of Program-Related Investments

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.

	Amount
1 N/A	
2	
3 All other program-related investments. See instructions.	

Total. Add lines 1 through 3 ▶ 0.

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

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	2,883,527.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	36,699.
c	Fair market value of all other assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	2,920,226.
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	0.
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0.
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	2,920,226.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	43,803.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	2,876,423.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	143,821.

**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	143,821.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2011 from Part VI, line 5	2a	1,599.
b	Income tax for 2011. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	1,599.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	142,222.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	142,222.
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	142,222.

**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	279,500.
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	279,500.
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	279,500.

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				142,222.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2011				
a Enter amount for 2010 only			0.	
b Total for prior years:		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2011:				
a From 2006	380,446.			
b From 2007	274,907.			
c From 2008	86,910.			
d From 2009	131,636.			
e From 2010	172,455.			
f Total of lines 3a through e	1,046,354.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2011 from Part XII, line 4: ▶ \$ 279,500.				
a Applied to 2010, but not more than line 2a			0.	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions)		0.		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions)	0.			
d Applied to 2011 distributable amount				142,222.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	137,278.			
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	1,183,632.			
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				0.
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2006 not applied on line 5 or line 7	380,446.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2012. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	803,186.			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2007	274,907.			
b Excess from 2008	86,910.			
c Excess from 2009	131,636.			
d Excess from 2010	172,455.			
e Excess from 2011	137,278.			

**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)

	Tax year				(e) Total
	(a) 2011	(b) 2010	(c) 2009	(d) 2008	
2 a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed					
b 85% of line 2a					
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon:					
a "Assets" alternative test - enter:					
(1) Value of all assets					
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
b "Endowment" alternative test - enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed					
c "Support" alternative test - enter:					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

**Part XV Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the 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:  
**TIM SCOBIE, 715-723-1871**  
**1251 FIRST AVENUE, CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729**

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

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 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
<b>a Paid during the year</b>				
BARNABAS MINISTRIES 19 W SPRING STREET CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	3,000.
CATHOLIC CHARITIES / EAU CLAIRE SOJOURNER SHELTER 3710 EAST AVE S LA CROSSE, WI 54601	NONE		CHARITABLE	5,000.
CHERRY HILLS COMMUNITY CHURCH 3900 GRACE BLVD HIGHLANDS RANCH, CO 80126	NONE		CHARITABLE	2,000.
CHIPPEWA FALLS YOUTH BASEBALL/SOFTBALL PO BOX 382 CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	5,000.
CHIPPEWA PARTNERS, INC. 10 SOUTH BRIDGE STREET CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	15,000.
<b>Total</b>	<b>SEE CONTINUATION SHEET(S)</b>			<b>279,500.</b>
<b>b Approved for future payment</b>				
NONE				
<b>Total</b>				<b>0.</b>

**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
CHIPPEWA VALLEY CULTURAL ASSOCIATION 3 S HIGH STREET CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	63,500.
CHIPPEWA VALLEY FAMILY YMCA 611 JEFFERSON AVE CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	15,000.
CHIPPEWA VALLEY LITERACY VOLUNTEERS BLDG D02, SUITE 301, 800 WISCONSIN ST #70 EAU CLAIRE, WI 54701	NONE		CHARITABLE	5,000.
CHIPPEWA YOUTH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	15,000.
CHIPPEWA YOUTH HOCKEY ASSOCIATION 839 1ST AVENUE CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	25,000.
CHRIST LUTHERAN SCHOOL 467 EAST COLOME ST CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	2,500.
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF CHIPPEWA COUNTY PO BOX 153 CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	15,000.
COOK-RUTLEDGE MANSION 505 WEST GRAND AVE CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	5,000.
EAU CLAIRE AMERICAN LITTLE LEAGUE EAU CLAIRE, WI 54703	NONE		CHARITABLE	5,000.
EAU CLAIRE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION 306 S BARSTOW ST EAU CLAIRE, WI 54701	NONE		CHARITABLE	10,000.
Total from continuation sheets				249,500.

**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
FAMILY SUPPORT/RESOURCE CENTER 403 N HIGH STREET CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	20,000.
INDIANHEAD FEDERATED LIBRARY SYSTEM 1538 TRUAX BLVD EAU CLAIRE, WI 54703	NONE		CHARITABLE	1,500.
MAKE-A-WISH FOUNDATION - WISCONSIN 13195 HAMPTON AVE BUTLER, WI 53007	NONE		CHARITABLE	2,500.
MCDONNELL HIGH SCHOOL 1316 BELAIRE BLVD CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	5,000.
PARENTS 4 LEARNING 1412 HURON STREET CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	5,000.
ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL 2661 COUNTY HIGHWAY I CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	50,000.
STARTING POINTS, INC. 13 E SPRUCE STREET, SUITE 107 CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	1,000.
TROOP 13 BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA 99 EAST GRAND AVE CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	NONE		CHARITABLE	3,000.
WI STATE PATROL LAW ENFORCEMENT BOOTH 5005 US HIGHWAY 53 S EAU CLAIRE, WI 54701	NONE		CHARITABLE	500.
<b>Total from continuation sheets</b>				





**Schedule B**(Form 990, 990-EZ,  
or 990-PF)Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service**Schedule of Contributors**

▶ Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.

OMB No 1545-0047

**2011**

Name of the organization

B.A. MASON TRUST

Employer identification number

39-6075816

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

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

Form 990-PF

 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation 501(c)(3) taxable private foundationCheck if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.**Note.** Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.**General Rule**

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

**Special Rules**

- For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h, or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.
- For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.
- For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not total to more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year. ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Caution.** An organization that is not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules does not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on Part I, line 2 of its Form 990-PF, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

LHA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF. Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2011)

Name of organization  <b>B.A. MASON TRUST</b>	Employer identification number  <b>39-6075816</b>
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**Part I** **Contributors** (see instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	MASON COMPANIES  1251 FIRST AVENUE  CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	\$ 300,252.	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
2	MASON COMPANIES  1251 FIRST AVENUE  CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI 54729	\$ 94,936.	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
		\$ _____	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
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Name of organization  <b>B.A. MASON TRUST</b>	Employer identification number  <b>39-6075816</b>
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**Part II** **Noncash Property** (see instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
1	TRANSFER IN-KIND OF MUTUAL FUNDS HELD _____ _____ _____	\$ 300,252.	06/17/11
2	TRANSFER IN-KIND OF MUTUAL FUNDS HELD _____ _____ _____	\$ 94,936.	12/16/11
	_____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____
	_____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____
	_____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____
	_____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____

Name of organization  <b>B. A. MASON TRUST</b>	Employer identification number  <b>39-6075816</b>
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**Part III** Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., individual contributions to section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organizations that total more than \$1,000 for the year. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this information once) ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed

<b>(a) No. from Part I</b>	<b>(b) Purpose of gift</b>	<b>(c) Use of gift</b>	<b>(d) Description of how gift is held</b>
<b>(e) Transfer of gift</b>			
<b>Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4</b>		<b>Relationship of transferor to transferee</b>	
<b>(a) No. from Part I</b>	<b>(b) Purpose of gift</b>	<b>(c) Use of gift</b>	<b>(d) Description of how gift is held</b>
<b>(e) Transfer of gift</b>			
<b>Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4</b>		<b>Relationship of transferor to transferee</b>	
<b>(a) No. from Part I</b>	<b>(b) Purpose of gift</b>	<b>(c) Use of gift</b>	<b>(d) Description of how gift is held</b>
<b>(e) Transfer of gift</b>			
<b>Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4</b>		<b>Relationship of transferor to transferee</b>	
<b>(a) No. from Part I</b>	<b>(b) Purpose of gift</b>	<b>(c) Use of gift</b>	<b>(d) Description of how gift is held</b>
<b>(e) Transfer of gift</b>			
<b>Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4</b>		<b>Relationship of transferor to transferee</b>	

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**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 ASTON/FAIRPOINTE MID CAP	P	VARIOUS	VARIOUS
b CREDIT SUISSE COMMODITY	P	VARIOUS	05/06/11
c DIAMOND HILL FUNDS SMALL CAP	P	12/09/10	09/19/11
d EUROPACIFIC GROWTH FUND	P	12/09/10	12/02/11
e VANGUARD FIXED INC SEC	P	12/09/10	VARIOUS
f VIRTUS EMERGING MARKETS	P	12/16/11	12/19/11
g VIRTUS EMERGING MARKETS	P	VARIOUS	VARIOUS
h DODGE & COX STOCK FUND	P	VARIOUS	VARIOUS
i ALLIANCE BERNSTEIN GLOBAL BOND	P	03/17/11	VARIOUS
j AMCAP FUND	P	12/28/10	VARIOUS
k ARTISAN FUNDS	P	12/28/10	09/15/11
l JP MORGAN STRAT INCOME	P	08/18/11	08/18/11
m METROPOLITAN WEST TOTAL RETURN	P	11/24/10	VARIOUS
n TURNER FUNDS	P	12/28/10	VARIOUS
o DODGE & COX STOCK FUND	P	01/01/89	09/19/11

(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 111,500.		93,782.	17,718.
b 72,103.		72,112.	-9.
c 28,000.		27,718.	282.
d 44,200.		49,136.	-4,936.
e 333,120.		334,998.	-1,878.
f 106,889.		90,921.	15,968.
g 140,611.		143,342.	-2,731.
h 55,883.		59,463.	-3,580.
i 24,000.		23,780.	220.
j 7,500.		7,334.	166.
k 2,000.		1,989.	11.
l 14,000.		14,086.	-86.
m 120,000.		122,080.	-2,080.
n 5,000.		4,934.	66.
o 36,617.		42,349.	-5,732.

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Losses (from col. (h)) Gains (excess of col. (h) gain over col. (k), but not less than "-0-")
(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			17,718.
b			-9.
c			282.
d			-4,936.
e			-1,878.
f			15,968.
g			-2,731.
h			-3,580.
i			220.
j			166.
k			11.
l			-86.
m			-2,080.
n			66.
o			-5,732.

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) { If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter "-0-" in Part I, line 7 }	2	13,399.
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6): If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c). If (loss), enter "-0-" in Part I, line 8	3	N/A

FORM 990-PF	DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES		STATEMENT	1
SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	COLUMN (A) AMOUNT	
ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN BOND FUND	5,469.	0.	5,469.	
AMCAP FUND	1,191.	0.	1,191.	
AMERICAN HIGH INCOME TRUST	1,188.	0.	1,188.	
ARTISANS MIDCAP VALUE	3,606.	0.	3,606.	
ASTON/FAIRPOINTE MID CAP	672.	0.	672.	
CULLEN HIGH DIVIDEND EQUITY	544.	0.	544.	
DIAMOND HILLS SMALL CAP	2,191.	0.	2,191.	
DODGE & COX STOCK FUND	5,604.	0.	5,604.	
EUROPACIFIC GROWTH FUND	1,299.	0.	1,299.	
JP MORGAN STRATEGIC INC OPP	3,913.	0.	3,913.	
METROPOLITAN WEST TOTAL RETURN BOND	19,675.	0.	19,675.	
NATIXIS FUNDS	2,507.	0.	2,507.	
SENTINEL SMALL CO FUNDS	3,354.	0.	3,354.	
US GOV MONEY MARKET	5.	0.	5.	
VANGUARD FIXED INCOME SEC	24,422.	0.	24,422.	
VITRUS EMERGING MARKETS	5,998.	0.	5,998.	
TOTAL TO FM 990-PF, PART I, LN 4	81,638.	0.	81,638.	

FORM 990-PF	ACCOUNTING FEES			STATEMENT	2
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
ACCOUNTING FEES	6,276.	0.		0.	
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16B	6,276.	0.		0.	

FORM 990-PF	TAXES			STATEMENT	3
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
FEDERAL EXCISE TAXES	1,331.	0.		0.	
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	1,331.	0.		0.	

FORM 990-PF	OTHER EXPENSES			STATEMENT	4
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
BANK FEES	68.	0.			0.
LICENSE FEES	133.	0.			0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	201.	0.			0.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER INVESTMENTS		STATEMENT	5
DESCRIPTION	VALUATION METHOD	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE	
MONEY MARKET FUNDS	FMV	56,584.	56,584.	
EQUITY FUNDS	FMV	1,401,724.	1,354,418.	
FIXED INCOME FUNDS	FMV	1,369,868.	1,358,194.	
OTHER FUNDS	FMV	83,000.	80,888.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 13		2,911,176.	2,850,084.	

FORM 990-PF	INTEREST AND PENALTIES		STATEMENT	6
TAX DUE FROM FORM 990-PF, PART VI				268.
LATE PAYMENT INTEREST				5.
LATE PAYMENT PENALTY				9.
TOTAL AMOUNT DUE				282.

FORM 990-PF	LATE PAYMENT PENALTY			STATEMENT	7
DESCRIPTION	DATE	AMOUNT	BALANCE	MONTHS	PENALTY
TAX DUE	05/15/12	268.	268.	7	9.
DATE FILED	12/14/12		268.		
TOTAL LATE PAYMENT PENALTY					9.

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STATEMENT 9

GENERAL EXPLANATION  
FORM AND LINE REFERENCES

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FORM/LINE IDENTIFIER	DESCRIPTION/RETURN REFERENCE
FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 6A	NET GAIN OR (LOSS) FROM SALE OF ASSETS

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STATEMENT 10

GENERAL EXPLANATION

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THIS LINE HAS BEEN AMENDED TO REFLECT THE GAIN ON SALE OF ASSETS THAT WERE TRANSFERRED IN-KIND. THE ORIGINAL RETURN HAD REFLECTED THE BASIS IN THE ASSETS AT FAIR-MARKET VALUE RATHER THAN THE COST BASIS TO THE DONOR.

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STATEMENT 11

GENERAL EXPLANATION  
FORM AND LINE REFERENCES

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FORM/LINE IDENTIFIER	DESCRIPTION/RETURN REFERENCE
FOR 990-PF, PART III, LINE 5	BOOK TO TAX ADJUSTMENT

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GENERAL EXPLANATION

STATEMENT 12

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THIS LINE HAS BEEN AMENDED TO REFLECT THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE BOOK AND TAX BASIS' OF ASSETS TRANSFERRED IN-KIND TO THE B.A. MASON TRUST.