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Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code
(except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

2011

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Internal Revenue Service

▶ The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

A For the 2011 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2011, and ending ,

B Check if applicable		C		D Employer Identification Number	
<input type="checkbox"/> Address change		THE LIGHT FOUNDATION 7650 RIVERS EDGE DRIVE, SUITE 220 COLUMBUS, OH 43235		56-2311765	
<input type="checkbox"/> Name change				E Telephone number	
<input type="checkbox"/> Initial return				614-888-3185	
<input type="checkbox"/> Terminated					
<input type="checkbox"/> Amended return					
<input type="checkbox"/> Application pending		F Name and address of principal officer		G Gross receipts \$ 860,651.	
		SAME AS C ABOVE		H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
				H(b) Are all affiliates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
				If "No," attach a list (see instructions)	
I Tax-exempt status		H(c) Group exemption number ▶			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) () ▶ (insert no) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527					
J Website: ▶ WWW.MATTLIGHTFOUNDATION.ORG					
K Form of organization		L Year of Formation		M State of legal domicile	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶		2003		OH	

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities <u>THE LIGHT FOUNDATION STRIVES TO EMPOWER YOUNG PEOPLE TO REACH THEIR HIGHEST POTENTIAL BY INITIATING AND SUPPORTING HANDS ON PROGRAMS AND EVENTS THAT PROMOTE THE DEVELOPMENT OF RATIONAL MORAL VALUES AND PERSONAL FINANCIAL ACUMEN SO AS TO INSTILL A SENSE OF SELF-RELIANCE.</u>		
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets		
	3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	
	5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2011 (Part V, line 2a)	
	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	
	7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	
7b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34		
Revenue	8	Prior Year	Current Year
	9	438,003.	163,965.
	10	-36,992.	43,008.
	11	272,316.	411,398.
	12	673,327.	618,371.
	13	11,411.	9,877.
	14		
Expenses	15	76,000.	83,833.
	16a	66,252.	90,654.
	b	211,772.	
	17	215,913.	259,773.
	18	369,576.	444,137.
	19	303,751.	174,234.
	20	1,213,735.	1,332,679.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	21	2,309.	0.
	22	1,211,426.	1,332,679.

Part II Signature Block

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 officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here	Signature of officer		Date		
	RUSSELL W. KESSLER		CHAIRMAN		
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
	RUSSELL W. KESSLER	RUSSELL W. KESSLER	8/13/12		P00056705
	Firm's name ▶ KESSLER & BALLENGER CO., L.P.A.				
	Firm's address ▶ 7650 RIVERS EDGE DR, STE 220 COLUMBUS, OH 43235	Firm's EIN ▶ 31-1301353 Phone no (614) 888-3185			

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)

☒ Yes ☐ No

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III

☒ X**1** Briefly describe the organization's mission:SEE SCHEDULE O**2** Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If 'Yes,' describe these new services on Schedule O

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If 'Yes,' describe these changes on Schedule O

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.**4a** (Code) (Expenses \$ 106,982. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
YOUTH PROGRAMMING**4b** (Code) (Expenses \$ 9,877. including grants of \$ 9,877.) (Revenue \$)
MISCELLANEOUS GRANTS**4c** (Code) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)**4d** Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)(Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)**4e** Total program service expenses 116,859.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule A	X	
2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)?	X	
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part I		X
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part II		X
5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part III		X
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part I		X
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas or historic structures? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part II		X
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part III		X
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part IV		X
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part V		X
11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is 'Yes', then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings and equipment in Part X, line 10? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VI	X	
b Did the organization report an amount for investments— other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VII		X
c Did the organization report an amount for investments— program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part VIII		X
d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part IX		X
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part X		X
f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Part X		X
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII	X	
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If 'Yes,' and if the organization answered 'No' to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional		X
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule E		X
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV		X
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV		X
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV		X
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions)	X	
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part II	X	
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule G, Part III		X
20 a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule H		X
b If 'Yes' to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

	Yes	No
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>	X	
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>		X
23 Did the organization answer 'Yes' to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule J</i>		X
24a Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, and that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If 'Yes,' answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If 'No,' go to line 25</i>		X
24b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		
24c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		
24d Did the organization act as an 'on behalf of' issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		
25a Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		X
25b Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		X
26 Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part II</i>		X
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part III</i>		X
28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)		
28a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
28b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
28c An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule M</i>		X
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule M</i>		X
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule N, Part I</i>		X
32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule N, Part II</i>		X
33 Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Part I</i>		X
34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1</i>		X
35a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		X
35b Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		X
36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		X
37 Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If 'Yes,' complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>		X
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O		X

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Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax ComplianceCheck if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part V ☐

	Yes	No
1a Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable.	1a 0	
b Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable.	1b 0	
c Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	
2a Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return.	2a 4	
b If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions).	2b X	
3a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a	X
b If 'Yes,' has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If 'No,' provide an explanation in Schedule O.	3b	
4a At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	4a	X
b If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country: _____ See instructions for filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		
5a Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a	X
b Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b	X
c If 'Yes,' to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5c	
6a Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?	6a	X
b If 'Yes,' did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6b	
7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
a Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7a X	
b If 'Yes,' did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b X	
c Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7c	X
d If 'Yes,' indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year.	7d	
e Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e	X
f Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f	X
g If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g	
h If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h	
8 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8	
9 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.		
a Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a	
b Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b	
10 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12.	10a	
b Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities.	10b	
11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter		
a Gross income from members or shareholders.	11a	
b Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)	11b	
12a Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a	
b If 'Yes,' enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year.	12b	
13 Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.		
a Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.	13a	
b Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans.	13b	
c Enter the amount of reserves on hand.	13c	
14a Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a	X
b If 'Yes,' has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If 'No,' provide an explanation in Schedule O.	14b	

Part VI Governance, Management and Disclosure For each 'Yes' response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a 'No' response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VI

☒**Section A. Governing Body and Management**

	Yes	No
1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain in Schedule O	10	
1b Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent	7	
2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee or key employee? SEE SCHEDULE O	X	
3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?		X
4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		X
5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?		X
6 Did the organization have members or stockholders?		X
7a Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?		X
7b Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or other persons other than the governing body?		X
8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
a The governing body?	X	
b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	X	
9 Is there any officer, director or trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If 'Yes,' provide the names and addresses in Schedule O		X

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

	Yes	No
10a Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?		X
b If 'Yes,' did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?		
11a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?		X
b Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990 SEE SCHEDULE O		
12a Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If 'No,' go to line 13	X	
b Were officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	X	
c Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If 'Yes,' describe in Schedule O how this is done SEE SCHEDULE O	X	
13 Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?		X
14 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	X	
15 Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official		X
b Other officers of key employees of the organization		X
If 'Yes' to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (See instructions)		
16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?		X
b If 'Yes,' did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and taken steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?		

Section C. Disclosure

17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ► OH NY MA RI

18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.

☐ Own website ☐ Another's website ☒ Upon request

19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year **SEE SCHEDULE O**

20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization

► RUSSELL W. KESSLER 7650 RIVERS EDGE DRIVE, SUITE 220 COLUMBUS OH 43235 (614) 888-3185

Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent ContractorsCheck if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VII ☐**Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees****1 a** Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of 'key employee.'
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

☒ Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (describe hours for related organizations in Schedule O)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) <u>LESLIE GUNCKEL</u> DIRECTOR	2							0.	0.	0.
(2) <u>MATT LIGHT</u> PRESIDENT	5							0.	0.	0.
(3) <u>RUSSELL W. KESSLER</u> DIRECTOR	5							0.	0.	0.
(4) <u>JENNIFER MARKER</u> TREASURER	2							0.	0.	0.
(5) <u>TOM FALCONE</u> DIRECTOR	1							0.	0.	0.
(6) <u>WILLIAM LIGHT</u> DIRECTOR	1							0.	0.	0.
(7) <u>DAVID DRUBNER</u> DIRECTOR	1							0.	0.	0.
(8) <u>GREG GILBERT</u> DIRECTOR	1							0.	0.	0.
(9) <u>STEVE TRAX</u> DIRECTOR	1							0.	0.	0.
(10) <u>JIM FIGARA</u> DIRECTOR	2							0.	0.	0.
(11) _____										
(12) _____										
(13) _____										
(14) _____										

Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (cont)

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (describe hours for related organizations in Sch O)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(15) _____										
(16) _____										
(17) _____										
(18) _____										
(19) _____										
(20) _____										
(21) _____										
(22) _____										
(23) _____										
(24) _____										
(25) _____										
1 b Sub-total								0.	0.	0.
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A								0.	0.	0.
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								0.	0.	0.

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization **0**

3 Did the organization list any **former** officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule J for such individual

	Yes	No
3		X
4		X
5		X

4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? If 'Yes' complete Schedule J for such individual

5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule J for such person

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in compensation from the organization **0**

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514
CONTRIBUTIONS, GIFTS, GRANTS AND OTHER SIMILAR AMOUNTS	1 a Federated campaigns	1 a				
	b Membership dues	1 b				
	c Fundraising events	1 c				
	d Related organizations	1 d				
	e Government grants (contributions)	1 e 163,965.				
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1 f				
	g Noncash contributions included in lns 1a-1f \$					
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f		163,965.			
PROGRAM SERVICE REVENUE	Business Code					
	2 a _____					
	b _____					
	c _____					
	d _____					
	e _____					
	f All other program service revenue					
	g Total. Add lines 2a-2f					
OTHER REVENUE	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest and other similar amounts)		18,209.	18,209.		
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds					
	5 Royalties					
	6 a Gross rents	(i) Real (ii) Personal				
	b Less rental expenses					
	c Rental income or (loss)					
	d Net rental income or (loss)					
	7 a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities (ii) Other				
	b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses					
	c Gain or (loss)					
	d Net gain or (loss)		24,799.	24,799.		
	8 a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18	a 411,398.				
	b Less direct expenses	b				
	c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events		411,398.			411,398.
	9 a Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19	a				
	b Less direct expenses	b				
	c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities					
	10 a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a				
	b Less cost of goods sold	b				
	c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory					
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code				
11 a _____						
b _____						
c _____						
d All other revenue						
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d						
12 Total revenue. See instructions		618,371.	43,008.	0.	411,398.	

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns

All other organizations must complete column (A) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D)

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part IX

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Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States See Part IV, line 21	8,699.	8,699.		
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States See Part IV, line 22	1,178.	1,178.		
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the United States See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	0.	0.	0.	0.
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	0.	0.	0.	0.
7 Other salaries and wages	83,833.	22,500.	61,333.	
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)				
9 Other employee benefits				
10 Payroll taxes				
11 Fees for services (non-employees)				
a Management				
b Legal				
c Accounting	11,000.		11,000.	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services See Part IV, line 17	90,654.			90,654.
f Investment management fees				
g Other				
12 Advertising and promotion	195.		195.	
13 Office expenses				
14 Information technology				
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	10,742.		517.	10,225.
17 Travel	28,947.		507.	28,440.
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	22,878.	22,878.		
23 Insurance				
24 Other expenses Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O)				
a GREENVILLE PROPERTY EXPENSES	30,585.	30,585.		
b VOHOKASE CAMP EXPENSES	24,252.	24,252.		
c OTHER FUNDRAISING EXPENSES	17,766.			17,766.
d GUN SHIPPING	17,230.			17,230.
e All other expenses SEE SCH. O	96,178.	6,767.	41,954.	47,457.
25 Total functional expenses Add lines 1 through 24e	444,137.	116,859.	115,506.	211,772.
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

Part X Balance Sheet

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
ASSETS	1 Cash – non-interest-bearing	236,531.	1	299,123.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	93,032.	2	22,814.
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4 Accounts receivable, net		4	
	5 Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6 Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions)		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		9	
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment. cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a 295,123.		
	b Less accumulated depreciation	10b 35,492.	188,076.	10c 259,631.
	11 Investments – publicly traded securities	696,096.	11	751,111.
	12 Investments – other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13 Investments – program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14 Intangible assets		14	
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		15	
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	1,213,735.	16	1,332,679.	
LIABILITIES	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	2,309.	17	
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue		19	
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22 Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24	
	25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D		25	
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	2,309.	26	0.
NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29 and lines 33 and 34.			
	27 Unrestricted net assets	1,211,426.	27	1,322,679.
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets		28	10,000.
	29 Permanently restricted net assets		29	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.			
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
	33 Total net assets or fund balances	1,211,426.	33	1,332,679.
	34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	1,213,735.	34	1,332,679.

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Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI

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1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	618,371.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	444,137.
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	174,234.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	1,211,426.
5	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O) SEE SCHEDULE O	5	-52,981.
6	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3, 4, and 5 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	6	1,332,679.

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII

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	Yes	No
1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked 'Other,' explain in Schedule O		
2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?		X
b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	X	
c If 'Yes' to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O	X	
d If 'Yes' to line 2a or 2b, check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were issued on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		
3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		X
b If 'Yes,' did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits		

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SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ► See separate instructions.

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Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization

THE LIGHT FOUNDATION

Employer identification number

56-2311765

Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box.)

- 1 ☐ A church, convention of churches or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
- 2 ☐ A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E.)
- 3 ☐ A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**
- 4 ☐ A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).** Enter the hospital's name, city, and state _____
- 5 ☐ An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II.)
- 6 ☐ A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**
- 7 ☒ An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
- 8 ☐ A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
- 9 ☐ An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33-1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions – subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33-1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III.)
- 10 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4).**
- 11 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2).** See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h.
 - a ☐ Type I
 - b ☐ Type II
 - c ☐ Type III – Functionally integrated
 - d ☐ Type III – Other
- e ☐ By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2).**
- f ☐ If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that is a Type I, Type II or Type III supporting organization, check this box.
- g ☐ Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?

- (i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?
- (ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above?
- (iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?

	Yes	No
11 g (i)		
11 g (ii)		
11 g (iii)		

h Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in column (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in column (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in column (i) organized in the U.S.?		(vii) Amount of support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
(A)									
(B)									
(C)									
(D)									
(E)									
Total									

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2011

Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any 'unusual grants'.)	353,966.	568,044.	419,131.	710,319.	575,363.	2,626,823.
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						0.
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						0.
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3	353,966.	568,044.	419,131.	710,319.	575,363.	2,626,823.
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						339,864.
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						2,286,959.

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4	353,966.	568,044.	419,131.	710,319.	575,363.	2,626,823.
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						0.
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						0.
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						0.
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						2,626,823.
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	0.
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2011 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	87.06 %
15 Public support percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	83.08 %
16a 33-1/3% support test – 2011. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and the line 14 is 33-1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
b 33-1/3% support test – 2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33-1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test – 2011. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the 'facts-and-circumstances' test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the 'facts-and-circumstances' test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test – 2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the 'facts-and-circumstances' test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the 'facts-and-circumstances' test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2011

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal yr beginning in) ▶	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions and membership fees received. (Do not include any 'unusual grants'.)						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose.						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513.						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf.						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge.						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5.						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons.						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year.						
c Add lines 7a and 7b.						
8 Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal yr beginning in) ▶	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6.						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources.						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975.						
c Add lines 10a and 10b.						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on.						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets. (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						
14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2011 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2011 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	%

19a 33-1/3% support tests – 2011. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33-1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33-1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization. ▶ ☐

b 33-1/3% support tests – 2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33-1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33-1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization. ▶ ☐

20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions. ▶ ☐

Part IV **Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; and Part III, line 12. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

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**SCHEDULE D
(Form 990)**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

Supplemental Financial Statements

▶ Complete if the organization answered 'Yes,' to Form 990,
Part IV, lines 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.
▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year		
2 Aggregate contributions to (during year)		
3 Aggregate grants from (during year)		
4 Aggregate value at end of year		
5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of land for public use (e g , recreation or education)	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of an historically important land area
<input type="checkbox"/> Protection of natural habitat	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of a certified historic structure
<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of open space	

2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year

	Held at the End of the Tax Year
a Total number of conservation easements	2a
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	2b
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)	2c
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register	2d

3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶ _____

4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ _____

5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? ☐ Yes ☐ No

6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ _____

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \$ _____

8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

9 In Part XIV, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items

b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items

(i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ _____

(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ _____

2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items

a Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ _____

b Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ _____

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets (continued)

3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)

a ☐ Public exhibition

d ☐ Loan or exchange programs

b ☐ Scholarly research

e ☐ Other _____

c ☐ Preservation for future generations

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIV

5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian, or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b If 'Yes,' explain the arrangement in Part XIV and complete the following table

c Beginning balance

d Additions during the year

e Distributions during the year

f Ending balance

	Amount
1c	
1d	
1e	
1f	

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b If 'Yes,' explain the arrangement in Part XIV

Part V Endowment Funds. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

1a Beginning of year balance

b Contributions

c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses

d Grants or scholarships

e Other expenditures for facilities and programs

f Administrative expenses

g End of year balance

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
f					
g					

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as

a Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶ _____ %

b Permanent endowment ▶ _____ %

c Temporarily restricted endowment ▶ _____ %

The percentages in lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%

3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by

(i) unrelated organizations

(ii) related organizations

b If 'Yes' to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?

	Yes	No
3a(i)		
3a(ii)		
3b		

4 Describe in Part XIV the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings	42,148.		8,760.	33,388.
c Leasehold improvements	165,953.		9,259.	156,694.
d Equipment	87,022.		17,473.	69,549.
e Other				
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c))				259,631.

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Schedule D (Form 990) 2011

Part VII Investments – Other Securities. See Form 990, Part X, line 12. N/A

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely-held equity interests		
(3) Other		
(A) -----		
(B) -----		
(C) -----		
(D) -----		
(E) -----		
(F) -----		
(G) -----		
(H) -----		
(I) -----		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990 Part X, column (B) line 12.) ▶		

Part VIII Investments – Program Related. See Form 990, Part X, line 13. N/A

(a) Description of investment type	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
(10)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B) line 13.) ▶		

Part IX Other Assets. See Form 990, Part X, line 15 N/A

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
(10)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 15.) ▶	

Part X Other Liabilities. See Form 990, Part X, line 25

(a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
(10)	
(11)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B) line 25.) ▶	

2 FIN 48 (ASC 740) Footnote. In Part XIV, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)

Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Audited Financial Statements

1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	618,371.
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	444,137.
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year Subtract line 2 from line 1	174,234.
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	-52,981.
5	Donated services and use of facilities	
6	Investment expenses	
7	Prior period adjustments	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	
9	Total adjustments (net) Add lines 4 through 8	-52,981.
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per audited financial statements Combine lines 3 and 9	121,253.

Part XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	618,371.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a	
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	618,371.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	
5	Total revenue Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	5	618,371.

Part XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	444,137.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Other losses	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	444,137.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	5	444,137.

Part XIV Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI, line 8; Part XII, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Part XIV Supplemental Information (continued)

Area for supplemental information with horizontal dashed lines.

SCHEDULE G
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplemental Information Regarding
Fundraising or Gaming Activities**

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18,
or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

OMB No 1545-0047

2011

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Name of the organization

THE LIGHT FOUNDATION

Employer identification number

56-2311765

Part I

Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 17.
Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

1 Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.

- a ☒ Mail solicitations
b ☒ Internet and email solicitations
c ☒ Phone solicitations
d ☒ In-person solicitations
e ☒ Solicitation of non-government grants
f ☒ Solicitation of government grants
g ☒ Special fundraising events

2a Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services? ☒ Yes ☐ No

b If 'Yes,' list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization.

(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in column (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
		Yes	No			
1 GOODWIN GROUP 1600 PROVIDENCE WALPOLE MA	EVENT PLANNING		X	411,398.	72,500.	338,898.
2 GSP CONSULTING 200 N HIGH ST COLUMBUS OH 43215	GRANT CONSULT		X	33,750.	18,155.	15,595.
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
9						
10						
Total				445,148.	90,655.	354,493.

3 List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit contributions or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing.

OH RI NY MA MT

Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

REVENUE		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events
		MATT LIGHT CEL (event type)	(event type)	(total number)	(add column (a) through column (c))
	1 Gross receipts	411,398.			411,398.
	2 Less Charitable contributions				
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	411,398.			411,398.
DIRECT EXPENSES	4 Cash prizes				
	5 Noncash prizes				
	6 Rent/facility costs				
	7 Food and beverages				
	8 Entertainment				
	9 Other direct expenses				
	10 Direct expense summary Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)				
	11 Net income summary Combine line 3, column (d), and line 10				411,398.

Part III Gaming. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

REVENUE		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming
					(add column (a) through column (c))
DIRECT EXPENSES	1 Gross revenue				
	2 Cash prizes				
	3 Non-cash prizes				
	4 Rent/facility costs				
	5 Other direct expenses				
	6 Volunteer labor	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	7 Direct expense summary Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d)				
	8 Net gaming income summary Combine lines 1, column (d) and line 7				

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities _____

a Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states?

☐ Yes ☐ No

b If 'No,' explain _____

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year?

☐ Yes ☐ No

b If 'Yes,' explain _____

SCHEDULE I
(Form 990)

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,
Governments, and Individuals in the United States

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, lines 21 or 22.
▶ Attach to Form 990.

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

THE LIGHT FOUNDATION

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance?

2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Check this box if no one recipient received more than \$5,000.

Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed

1 (a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
(1) VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS		501 (C) (3)	8,699.	0.			GENERAL FUND
(2)							
(3)							
(4)							
(5)							
(6)							
(7)							
(8)							

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table

3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table

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Schedule I (Form 990) (2011)

OMB No 1545-0047

2011

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Employer identification number

56-2311765

Yes No

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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THE LIGHT FOUNDATION

Employer identification number

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FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1 - ORGANIZATION MISSION

THE LIGHT FOUNDATION STRIVES TO EMPOWER YOUNG PEOPLE TO REACH THEIR HIGHEST
POTENTIAL BY INITIATING AND SUPPORTING HANDS ON PROGRAMS AND EVENTS THAT PROMOTE THE
DEVELOPMENT OF RATIONAL MORAL VALUES AND PERSONAL FINANCIAL ACUMEN SO AS TO INSTILL
A SENSE OF SELF-RELIANCE, SUFFICIENCY AND INDEPENDENCE. WE ENDEAVOR TO ACCOMPLISH
THIS MISSION BY COMBINING TRADITIONAL OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES AND EXPERIENCES WITH
ATHLETIC ENDEAVORS ADDRESSING THE PHYSICAL AND MENTAL ASPECTS OF HUMANITY THAT MAKE
US ALL UNIQUE.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 2 - BUSINESS OR FAMILY RELATIONSHIP OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, ETC.

JENNIFER MARKER IS THE SISTER OF MATT LIGHT.

WILLIAM LIGHT IS THE FATHER OF MATT LIGHT.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 11B - FORM 990 REVIEW PROCESS

NO REVIEW WAS OR WILL BE CONDUCTED.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 12C - EXPLANATION OF MONITORING AND ENFORCEMENT OF CONFLICTS

DIRECTORS ARE REQUIRED ON AN ANNUAL BASIS TO COMPLETE A CONFLICT OF INTERESTS
QUESTIONNAIRE.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 19 - OTHER ORGANIZATION DOCUMENTS PUBLICLY AVAILABLE

NO DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC.

THE LIGHT FOUNDATION

56-2311765

FORM 990, PART IX, LINE 24E
OTHER EXPENSES

	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
	TOTAL	PROGRAM SERVICES	MANAGEMENT & GENERAL	FUNDRAISING
AUCTION ITEMS	3,048.			3,048.
AUDIO/STAGEHANDS	11,507.			11,507.
BANK CHARGES	4,939.		4,939.	
BOARD GIFTS	4,232.		4,232.	
BOARD MEALS	882.		882.	
ENTERTAINMENT	1,175.		1,175.	
EQUIPMENT RENTAL	5,200.			5,200.
FAX SERVICE	170.		170.	
FOOD & BEVERAGES	4,176.			4,176.
FOOTBALL CAMP EXPENSES	4,088.	4,088.		
FRAMING	1,478.			1,478.
FUNDRAISING POSTAGE	443.			443.
FUNDRAISING SUPPLIES	7,891.			7,891.
GAS/FUEL	75.		75.	
GUEST ENTERTAINMENT	542.			542.
INSURANCE	9,436.		9,436.	
INTERNET EXPENSES	168.		168.	
MISCELLANEOUS	740.		740.	
OFFICE SUPPLIES	3,086.		3,086.	
OTHER TAXES & LICENSES	-170.		-170.	
PAYROLL FEES	155.		155.	
PAYROLL TAXES	7,750.	2,080.	5,670.	
PHOTOGRAPHY	10,374.			10,374.
POSTAGE				
POSTAGE AND SHIPPING	4,747.		4,747.	
PRINTING & COPYING	545.			545.
REPAIRS	128.		128.	
SPONSORSHIPS	1,000.		1,000.	
SUPPLIES	565.		565.	
TELEPHONE	34.		34.	
TROPHIES	2,253.			2,253.
UTILITIES	599.	599.		
VEHICLE EXPENSES	1,722.		1,722.	
WEBSITE DESIGN	3,200.		3,200.	
TOTAL	\$ 96,178.	\$ 6,767.	\$ 41,954.	\$ 47,457.

FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 5
OTHER CHANGES IN NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES

NET UNREALIZED GAINS OR LOSSES ON INVESTMENTS

TOTAL \$ -52,981.
TOTAL \$ -52,981.

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

OMB No. 1545-1709

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service► **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 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***Enter filer's identifying number, see instructions****Type or
print**File by the
due date for
filing your
return. See
instructions

Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions

THE LIGHT FOUNDATION

Number, street, and room or suite number. If a P.O. box, see instructions

7650 RIVERS EDGE DRIVE, SUITE 220

City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions

COLUMBUS, OH 43235

Employer identification number (EIN) or

☒ **56-2311765**

Social security number (SSN)

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

01

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 (section 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	05	Form 6069	11
Form 990-T (trust other than above)	06	Form 8870	12

- The books are in the care of ► **RUSSELL W. KESSLER**

Telephone No. ► **(614) 888-3185** FAX No. ► **(614) 433-0964**

- 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 **8/15**, 20 **12**, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for

- ☒ calendar year 20 **11** or
- ☐ tax year beginning _____, 20 _____, and ending _____, 20 _____

- 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	\$	0.
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	\$	0.
c Balance due. 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	\$	0.

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**BAA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see Instructions.**Form **8868** (Rev. 1-2012)

THE LIGHT FOUNDATION
FINANCIAL REPORT
DECEMBER 31, 2011 AND 2010



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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Trustees
The Light Foundation
Greenville, Ohio

We have audited the accompanying statements of financial position of The Light Foundation, a nonprofit corporation, as of December 31, 2011 and 2010, and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Foundation's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The Light Foundation as of December 31, 2011 and 2010, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Fry & Company

Greenville, Ohio
August 7, 2012

THE LIGHT FOUNDATION
STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION
December 31, 2011 and 2010

	2011	2010
ASSETS		
Cash	\$ 311 937	\$ 329 563
Cash restricted	10 000	-
Investments at fair value	751 111	696 096
Property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation	<u>259 631</u>	<u>188 076</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 1 332 679</u>	<u>\$ 1 213 735</u>
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ <u>2 309</u>
NET ASSETS		
Unrestricted net assets	\$ 1 322 679	\$ 1 211 426
Temporarily restricted net assets	10 000	-
Permanently restricted net assets	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
TOTAL NET ASSETS	<u>\$ 1 332 679</u>	<u>\$ 1 211 426</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	<u>\$ 1 332 679</u>	<u>\$ 1 213 735</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements

THE LIGHT FOUNDATION
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
For the Year ended December 31, 2011

	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily Restricted</u>	<u>Permanently Restricted</u>	<u>Total</u>
Revenues				
Contributions	\$ 153 965	\$ 10 000	\$ -	\$ 163 965
Fundraising	411 398	-	-	411 398
Investment return	18 209	-	-	18 209
Gain on sale of investments	24 799	-	-	24 799
Total revenues and gains	<u>\$ 608 371</u>	<u>\$ 10 000</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 618 371</u>
Expenses				
Program services				
Youth programs	\$ 58 924	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 58 924
Contributions and grants	7 328	-	-	7 328
Total program services	<u>\$ 66 252</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 66 252</u>
Supporting services				
Fundraising	\$ 121 116	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 121 116
General and administrative	256 769	-	-	256 769
Total supporting services	<u>\$ 377 885</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 377 885</u>
Total expenses	<u>\$ 444 137</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 444 137</u>
Excess of revenues over expenses	\$ 164 234	\$ 10 000	\$ -	\$ 174 234
Change in net unrealized gains on marketable securities	<u>(52 981)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(52 981)</u>
Increase in net assets	\$ 111 253	\$ 10 000	\$ -	\$ 121 253
Net assets at beginning of year	<u>1 211 426</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1 211 426</u>
Net assets at end of year	<u>\$ 1 322 679</u>	<u>\$ 10 000</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 1 332 679</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements

THE LIGHT FOUNDATION
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
For the Year ended December 31, 2010

	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily Restricted</u>	<u>Permanently Restricted</u>	<u>Total</u>
Revenues				
Contributions	\$ 434 377	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 434 377
Fundraising	272 316	-	-	272 316
Investment return	6 988	-	-	6 988
Other income	3 626	-	-	3 626
Loss on sale of investments	(43 980)	-	-	(43 980)
Total revenues and gains	\$ 673 327	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 673 327
Expenses				
Program services				
Youth programs	\$ 59 597	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 59 597
Contributions and grants	11 145	-	-	11 145
Total program services	\$ 70 742	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 70 742
Supporting services				
Fundraising	\$ 140 202	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 140 202
General and administrative	158 632	-	-	158 632
Total supporting services	\$ 298 834	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 298 834
Total expenses	\$ 369 576	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 369 576
Excess of revenues over expenses	\$ 303 751	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 303 751
Change in net unrealized gains on marketable securities	91 789	-	-	91 789
Increase in net assets	\$ 395 540	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 395 540
Net assets at beginning of year	815 886	-	-	815 886
Net assets at end of year	\$ 1 211 426	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1 211 426

See accompanying notes to financial statements

THE LIGHT FOUNDATION

STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
Years ended December 31, 2011 and 2010

	2011	2010
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Excess of revenues over expenses	\$ 174 234	\$ 303 751
Adjustments to reconcile increase in net assets to cash provided by operating activities		
Depreciation	22 878	12 126
Noncash contributions	-	(62 093)
(Gain)loss on sale of investment securities	(24 799)	43 980
Changes in:		
Accounts payable	(2 309)	2 202
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$ 170 004	\$ 299 966
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchase of fixed assets	\$ (94 433)	\$ (99 597)
Purchase of investment securities	(350 275)	(654 525)
Restricted contributions for property improvements	(10 000)	
Sale of investment securities	267 078	232 344
NET CASH USED BY INVESTING ACTIVITIES	\$ (187 630)	\$ (521 778)
NET DECREASE IN CASH	\$ (17 626)	\$ (221 812)
CASH AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	329 563	551 375
CASH AT END OF YEAR	\$ 311 937	\$ 329 563
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE		
Noncash donated items at fair value	\$ -	\$ 62 093

See accompanying notes to financial statements

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Note 1 Nature of Activities

The Light Foundation (the "Foundation") is a not-for-profit corporation, established in 2001, and is governed by a volunteer board of trustees. The Foundation's mission is to promote student participation in unique outdoor learning experiences that assist them in becoming responsible members of their communities. This mission is focused on students in Southwestern Ohio and the Greater Boston area. The Foundation accomplishes its mission either by directly organizing and coordinating training programs and outdoor camps, or by contributing funding to other qualifying organizations that meet the Foundation's criteria. The Foundation's support comes from individual and corporate donors, and from fundraising events.

Note 2 Significant Accounting Policies

The summary of significant accounting policies of the Foundation is presented to assist in understanding the organization's financial statements. The financial statements and notes are representations of the Foundation's management, who is responsible for their integrity and objectivity. These accounting policies conform to generally accepted accounting principles and have been consistently applied in the preparation of the financial statements.

Basis of accounting

The accounts are maintained and the financial statements are presented on the accrual basis.

Use of estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Excess of revenues over expenses

The statement of activities includes excess of revenues over expenses. Changes in unrestricted net assets which are excluded from excess of revenues over expenses, consistent with industry practice, include unrealized gains and losses on investments.

Income taxes

The Foundation is a tax exempt organization as described under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3), and, as such, is not subject to income taxes on income received for exempt purposes.

The Foundation's Forms 990, *Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax*, for tax years ending on or after December 31, 2008, remain subject to examination by the Internal Revenue Service.

Investments

Investments in marketable securities with readily determinable fair values are reported at their fair values in the statement of financial position. Unrealized gains and losses are included in the change in unrestricted net assets.

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Note 2 Significant Accounting Policies (cont.)*Advertising costs*

Advertising costs are expensed in the year incurred. During 2011 and 2010, \$864 and \$0 were paid for advertising costs.

Functional expense reporting

The cost of providing program and supporting services has been summarized by function, based on estimates developed by management.

Property and equipment

Purchased property and equipment is recorded at cost. Donations of equipment are recorded as contributions at their estimated fair value. Depreciation is accounted for on the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets. Depreciation expense for the years ended December 31, 2011 and 2010 was \$22,878 and \$12,126, respectively.

Expenditures for maintenance and repairs are deducted from income in the period incurred. Expenditures for major items are capitalized. Costs of assets sold or retired and the related amounts of accumulated depreciation are eliminated from the accounts in the year of sale or retirement.

Concentration of credit risk

The Foundation, at times, has cash deposits in excess of federally insured limits. It also maintains cash in a money market account with a brokerage firm. These accounts may exceed the maximum limit which is guaranteed by the Securities Investors Protection Corporation. FASB ASC 825 *Financial Instruments* identifies these items as a concentration of credit risk requiring disclosure, regardless of the degree of risk. The risk is managed by maintaining all deposits in high quality financial institutions.

Cash and cash equivalents

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Foundation considers funds in the money market account to be cash equivalents.

Contributions

The Foundation does not solicit pledged contributions; therefore, contributions are recognized at time of actual receipt. Depending on the existence or nature of any donor restrictions, contributions received are required to be recorded as unrestricted, temporarily restricted, or permanently restricted.

Contributed Services

No amounts have been reflected in the financial statements for donated services. The Foundation generally pays for services requiring specific expertise. However, many individuals volunteer their time and perform a variety of tasks that assist the Foundation in various ways, but these services do not meet the criteria for recognition as contributed services.

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Note 3 Investments Securities

Investments

Marketable securities are held as available-for-sale and are shown on the statements of financial position at fair value. Cost, fair value, and investment returns at December 31, 2011 and 2010 are summarized as follows

2011				
	<u>Fair Value</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Net realized and Unrealized Loss</u>	<u>Income</u>
Unrestricted funds	\$751 111	\$761 824	\$ (28 182)	\$ 18 209
2010				
	<u>Fair Value</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Net realized and Unrealized Gain</u>	<u>Income</u>
Unrestricted funds	\$696 096	\$653 827	\$ 47 809	\$ 6 988

Proceeds from the sale of investment securities available for sale were \$267,078 in 2011 and \$232,344 in 2010.

The Foundation owns shares in Industrial Income Trust, which is a nontraded real estate investment trust (REIT) organized as a corporation. The fair value of the investment at December 31, 2011 and 2010 was \$71,171 and \$65,875, respectively. The REIT's share redemption program provides a limited opportunity in which to redeem its common stock. Shares purchased and held less than four years are subject to a discount from the purchase price of the common stock when redeemed, although shares purchased through the reinvestment program may not be subject to the discount, upon the discretion of the REIT's board of directors. The shares subject to the discount were purchased in June and December, 2010

Note 4 Property and Equipment

Property and equipment consist of the following.

	2011	2010
Buildings	\$ 42 148	\$ 42 148
Equipment	87 022	87 022
Land Improvements	<u>165 953</u>	<u>71 520</u>
	\$ 295 123	\$ 200 690
Accumulated depreciation	<u>(35 492)</u>	<u>(12 614)</u>
	<u>\$ 259 631</u>	<u>\$ 188 076</u>

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Note 5 Description of Leasing Arrangements

The Foundation has two leasing arrangements with Lighthawk, LLC, whose owner is a major donor. These leasing arrangements cover an exclusive use of 5 acres, and a non-exclusive use of 79 acres, with both tracts of land located in Darke County, Ohio. The Foundation has constructed land improvements on these tracts. Both leases do not require the payment of any rent, expire in June, 2018, and contain options to continually renew the leases for periods of ten years.

Note 6 Fair Value Measurements

Generally accepted accounting principles define fair value, establish a framework for measuring fair value, and establish a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. A fair value measurement assumes that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability occurs in the principal market for the asset or liability or, in the absence of a principal market, the most advantageous market. Valuation techniques that are consistent with the market, income, or cost approach are used to measure fair value.

The fair value hierarchy prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value into three broad levels:

- Level 1 - Inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities the Foundation has the ability to access.
- Level 2 - Inputs (other than quoted prices included within level 1) that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3 - Inputs that are unobservable and rely on management's own assumptions in assessing the fair value measurement.

The following sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the plan's assets at fair value as of December 31, 2011 and 2010:

Fair Value Measurements on a Recurring Basis

	2011			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Publicly traded mutual funds	\$628 960	-	-	\$628 960
Limited partnership interest	-	50 980	-	50 980
Real estate investment trust	-	71 171	-	71 171
	<u>\$628 960</u>	<u>122 151</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>\$751 111</u>

	2010			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Publicly traded mutual funds	\$574 106	-	-	\$574 106
Limited partnership interest	-	56 115	-	56 115
Real estate investment trust	-	65 875	-	65 875
	<u>\$574 106</u>	<u>121 990</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>\$696 096</u>

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Note 7 Restrictions on Net Assets

Temporary restrictions on net assets in the amount of \$10,000 at the end of December 31, 2011 are related to funds granted by the Ohio Department of Natural Resources Division of Wildlife Division to build a trap shooting range on the Greenville property. Any of these restricted funds not used for this purpose must be returned to the Division. Therefore, they are not available for operating purposes.

Note 8 Subsequent Events

The Foundation's management evaluated subsequent events through August 7, 2012, the date these financial statements were available to be issued, to evaluate whether any such events warrant adjustment to any reported amounts or inclusion of additional disclosures.

Management has determined that no events have occurred that would warrant adjustment to amounts reported in these statements as of December 31, 2011.

In 2012, a pavilion shelter, new restrooms, and other improvements were constructed on the Greenville property. The expenditures for these improvements through the date of this report is in the amount of approximately \$365,000. Proceeds received in February, 2012, from a Super Bowl ticket raffle in the amount of \$206,326 were used to help offset these expenditures.