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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)

► 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 07/01/11, and ending 06/30/12

B Check if applicable

Address change
 Name change
 Initial return
 Terminated
 Amended return
 Application pending

C Name of organization THE EDWARD ORTON JR. CERAMIC FOUNDATION		D Employer identification number 31-4273500	
Doing Business As			
Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) 6991 OLD 3C HIGHWAY		Room/suite	
City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 WESTERVILLE OH 43082-9028		G Gross receipts \$ 5,483,693	
F Name and address of principal officer J GARY CHILDRESS SAME AS 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 501(c)(3) 501(c) () (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527J Website ► **WWW.ORTONCERAMIC.COM**K Form of organization Corporation Trust Association Other ► **TRUST** L Year of formation **1932** M State of legal domicile **OH**

Part I Summary

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities.
See Schedule O2 Check this box ► 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)

3 5

4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)

4 5

5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2011 (Part V, line 2a)

5 33

6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)

6 0

7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12

7a 0

b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34

7b 0

Activities & Governance			Prior Year	Current Year
	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)		0	0
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		5,558,312	5,472,761
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)		4,254	8,191
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)		13,601	0
	12 Total revenue – add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)		5,576,167	5,480,952
Revenue	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)		76,568	128,191
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		0	0
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)		2,468,380	2,565,707
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		0	0
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)		2,235,545	2,365,565
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)		4,780,493	5,059,463
	18 Total expenses Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)		795,674	421,489
	19 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12			
			Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
			4,482,479	5,127,455

Expenses			Prior Year	Current Year
	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)		76,568	128,191
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		0	0
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)		2,468,380	2,565,707
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		0	0
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)		2,235,545	2,365,565
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)		4,780,493	5,059,463
	18 Total expenses Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)		795,674	421,489
	19 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12			
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)		4,482,479	5,127,455
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)		385,143	608,630
	22 Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20		4,097,336	4,518,825

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

J GARY CHILDRESS

SECRETARY/GENERAL MANAGER

Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name C. Devon Cotterman	Preparer's signature C. Devon Cotterman	Date 10/11/12	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN P00062806
	Firm's name ► Cotterman-Wilson CPAs, Inc.			Firm's EIN ►	31-1526535
	951 High Street			Phone no	614-781-6174
	Firm's address ► Worthington, OH 43085				

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

 Yes No

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

Form 990 (2011)

Form 990 (2011) **THE EDWARD ORTON JR. CERAMIC****31-4273500**

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Part III Statement of Program Service AccomplishmentsCheck if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III

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 \$ 4,371,623 including grants of \$ 128,191) (Revenue \$)
MANUFACTURE & SALE OF ORTON STANDARD PYROMETRIC CONES & RELATED PRODUCTS TO MEASURE & CONTROL THE APPLICATION OF HEAT IN THE PROCESSING OF CERAMICS & OTHER MATERIALS & TESTING TO DETERMINE THE RESULTS THEREOF, & RESEARCH & EDUCATION RELATED TO CERAMIC ARTS & INDUSTRIES.

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$) including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

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 ►

4,371,623

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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
e	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
20a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
b	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

		Yes	No
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to any government or organization in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	21	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	22	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule J	23	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, that was issued after December 31, 2002? If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25	24a	X
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b	
c	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c	
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d	
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a	X
b	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25b	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II	26	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III	27	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):		
a	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28a	X
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b	X
c	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28c	X
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	29	X
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	30	X
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I	31	X
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II	32	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I	33	X
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1	34	X
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a	X
b	Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	35b	X
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI	37	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	38	X

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance
 Check 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	17
1b			
1c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	X	
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	33
2b	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)	X	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		
3b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O		
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)?		
4b	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.	X	
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?		
5b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	X	
5c	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?		
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?		
6b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	X	
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
7a	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?		X
7b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?		
7c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	X	
7d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year		
7e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	X	
7f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	X	
7g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		
7h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?		
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?		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.		
9a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		
9b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
10a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12		
10b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities		
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:		
11a	Gross income from members or shareholders		
11b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)		
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?		
12b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year		
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.		
13a	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.		
13b	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		
13c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand		
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?		
14b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	X	

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

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.

1a **5**

1b **5**

2 Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent

3 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?

4 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?

5 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?

6 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?

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?

b Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?

8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following

a The governing body?

b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?

9 Is there any officer, director, 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

	Yes	No
1a		
1b	5	
2		X
3		X
4		X
5		X
6		X
7a		X
7b		X
8a	X	
8b	X	
9		X

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

10a Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?

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?

b Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990

12a Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13

b Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?

c Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done

13 Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?

14 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?

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

b Other officers or key employees of the organization
 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?

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 take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?

	Yes	No
10a		X
10b		
11a	X	
12a		X
12b		
12c		
13		X
14	X	
15a	X	
15b	X	
16a		X
16b		

Section C. Disclosure

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

18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made 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 made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.

20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization. ► **CLAIRE SAMPSON**

6991 OLD 3C HIGHWAY

OH 43082

614-818-1339

Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

 Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VII
Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

1a 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 organizations 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			
(1) DR. JONATHAN HINTON CHAIRMAN	1.00	X					0	0	0
(2) DR. JIM WILLIAMS VICE CHAIR/TREAS.	1.00	X	X				0	0	0
(3) RICHARD R. STEDMAN, ESQ TRUSTEE	1.00	X					0	0	0
(4) DR. STEPHEN W. FREIMAN TRUSTEE	1.00	X					0	0	0
(5) RUDOLPH BUCHHEIT TRUSTEE	1.00	X					0	0	0
(6) J GARY CHILDRESS SECY/GEN MGR	50.00		X				219,047	0	26,828
(7) JOSEPH HOMENY DIRECTOR OF TESTING	65.00			X			135,936	0	15,476
(8) JOSEPH V ATRIA TESTING ENGINEER	40.00			X			105,496	0	21,120
(9) IRIS B. AILIN-PYZIK COMPLIANCE COORD.	40.00			X			103,920	0	25,120
(10) JIM LITZINGER	45.00			X			102,962	0	25,987
(11)									
(12)									
(13)									
(14)									

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

(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			
(15)									
(16)									
(17)									
(18)									
(19)									
(20)									
(21)									
(22)									
(23)									
(24)									
(25)									
1b Sub-total							667,361		114,531
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A									
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							667,361		114,531

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in reportable compensation from the organization ► 5

		Yes	No
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	3		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	4	X	
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	5		X

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 of 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	1a Federated campaigns	1a				
	b Membership dues	1b				
	c Fundraising events	1c				
	d Related organizations	1d				
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e				
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f				
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f	\$				
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f	►				
Program Service Revenue		Busn. Code				
	2a SALES NET OF RETURNS PFF		1,368,087	1,368,087		
	b SALES NET OF RETURNS TESTING		1,360,023	1,360,023		
	c SALES NET OF RETURNS INS		1,283,154	1,283,154		
	d SALES NET OF RETURNS CONTROLLE		786,181	786,181		
	e SALES NET OF RETURNS ACCESSOR		413,845	413,845		
	f All other program service revenue		261,471	261,471		
g Total. Add lines 2a-2f	►	5,472,761				
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)	►	4,632	4,632		
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds	►				
	5 Royalties	►				
	6a Gross rents	(i) Real	(ii) Personal			
	b Less rental exps					
	c Rental inc or (loss)					
	d Net rental income or (loss)	►				
	7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	(ii) Other			
	b Less cost or other basis & sales exps	6,300				
	c Gain or (loss)	2,741				
	d Net gain or (loss)	3,559	►	3,559	3,559	
8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	a					
b Less direct expenses	b					
c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events	►					
9a Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19	a					
b Less. direct expenses	b					
c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities	►					
10a 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	Busn Code					
11a						
b						
c						
d All other revenue						
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d	►	5,480,952	5,480,952	0	0	
12 Total revenue. See instructions	►					

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

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 U.S. See Part IV, line 21	128,191	128,191		
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U.S. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U.S. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	890,469	723,654	166,815	
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	1,223,467	995,526	227,941	
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	53,473	45,631	7,842	
9 Other employee benefits	233,176	181,864	51,312	
10 Payroll taxes	165,122	140,904	24,218	
11 Fees for services (non-employees)				
a Management				
b Legal	4,782		4,782	
c Accounting	21,850		21,850	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees				
g Other	27,538		27,538	
12 Advertising and promotion	52,615	52,615		
13 Office expenses	2,436		2,436	
14 Information technology				
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	131,098	11,700	119,398	
17 Travel	63,052	60,776	2,276	
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	36,793	16,492	20,301	
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	161,446	111,541	49,905	
23 Insurance	46,721		46,721	
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 COGS OVERHEAD TEST	847,294	847,294		
b COGS OVERHEAD PFF	714,612	714,612		
c COGS MATERIAL CONTROLLERS	459,216	459,216		
d COGS OVERHEAD INS	351,078	351,078		
e All other expenses	-554,966	-469,471	-85,495	
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	5,059,463	4,371,623	687,840	0
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	233	1	193
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	1,622,390	2	2,239,194
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4 Accounts receivable, net	769,454	4	595,727
	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	809	7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use	938,547	8	849,579
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	87,800	9	51,178
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	3,341,546		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	1,951,288	10c	1,390,258
	11 Investments—publicly traded securities		11	
	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	1,326	15	1,326
	16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	4,482,479	16	5,127,455
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	385,143	17	545,852
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue		19	62,778
	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	385,143	26	608,630
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	4,097,336	27	4,518,825
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets		28	
	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	4,097,336	33	4,518,825
	34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	4,482,479	34	5,127,455

Part XI Reconciliation of Net AssetsCheck if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI

1 Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	5,480,952
2 Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	5,059,463
3 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	421,489
4 Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	4,097,336
5 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	5	
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	4,518,825

Part XII Financial Statements and ReportingCheck if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII

1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 Cash Accrual 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?
 b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?
 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.

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:
 Separate basis Consolidated basis 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?
 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

	Yes	No
2a		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
2c	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
3a		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3b		

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.

OMB No 1545-0047

2011**Open to Public
Inspection**

Name of the organization

**THE EDWARD ORTON JR. CERAMIC
FOUNDATION**Employer identification number
31-4273500**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 to 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 it 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?

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 col. (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col. (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col. (i) organized in the U.S.?		(vii) Amount of support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
(A)									
(B)									
(C)									
(D)									
(E)									
Total									

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

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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) ►

- 1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")
- 2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf
- 3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge
- 4 **Total.** Add lines 1 through 3
- 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)
- 6 **Public support.** Subtract line 5 from line 4

	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►

- 7 Amounts from line 4
- 8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources
- 9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on
- 10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV)
- 11 **Total support.** Add lines 7 through 10
- 12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) 12
- 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 ►

	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
7						
8						
9						
10						
11						
12						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

- 14 Public support percentage for 2011 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) 14 %
- 15 Public support percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 15 %
- 16a **33 1/3% support test—2011.** If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ►
- 16b **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 ►
- 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 ►
- 17b **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 ►
- 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 ►

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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 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.")						
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	4,688,664	4,263,574	4,581,779	5,579,344	5,477,393	24,590,754
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	4,688,664	4,263,574	4,581,779	5,579,344	5,477,393	24,590,754
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				1,458,207	1,181,492	2,639,699
c Add lines 7a and 7b				1,458,207	1,181,492	2,639,699
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						21,951,055

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6	4,688,664	4,263,574	4,581,779	5,579,344	5,477,393	24,590,754
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	46,921	31,448	15,278	7,431	8,191	109,269
c Add lines 10a and 10b	46,921	31,448	15,278	7,431	8,191	109,269
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.)	4,735,585	4,295,022	4,597,057	5,586,775	5,485,584	24,700,023
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	88.87 %
16 Public support percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	93.16 %

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	1 %
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	► <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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	► <input type="checkbox"/>	
20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions	► <input type="checkbox"/>	

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).

Supplemental Information

THE WILL OF EDWARD ORTON JR. ESTABLISHED A TRUST IN 1932 TO BE KNOWN AS "THE EDWARD ORTON JR. CERAMIC FOUNDATION". THE FIRST AND PRIMARY PURPOSE OF THE TRUST IS TO "PROVIDE A STABLE AND DEPENDABLE ORGANIZATION FOR CONTINUING THE MANUFACTURE AND SALE OF STANDARD PYROMETRIC CONES". THE TRUST AUTHORIZES THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES TO "ALTER THE SCOPE OF THE BUSINESS AND TO EMBARK IN ALLIED OR COGNATE LINES OF MANUFACTURE WHEN AND INFSOFAR AS SAID BOARD SHALL FIND SUCH STEPS NECESSARY OR ADVISABLE OWING TO CHANGES OF INDUSTRIAL CONDITIONS OR SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERIES". THE TRUST'S SECOND AND SUBSIDIARY PURPOSE CALLS FOR "THE PROSECUTION OF STUDIES AND RESEARCHES FOR OVERCOMING TECHNICAL AND MANUFACTURING DIFFICULTIES, AND FOR THUS ADVANCING THE CERAMIC ARTS AND INDUSTRIES IN THE UNITED STATES." THESE "STUDIES AND RESEARCHES" ARE TO BE FUNDED FROM THE OPERATING SURPLUS OF THE FOUNDATION.

ALL STUDIES AND RESEARCH ACTIVITIES ARE REVIEWED ANNUALLY BY THE FOUNDATION'S RESEARCH COMMITTEE (OUTSIDE REVIEW COMMITTEES CAN BE ENLISTED BY THE COMMITTEE AS REQUIRED) AND APPROVED BY THE FOUNDATION'S BOARD OF TRUSTEES. THE GENERAL MANAGER AND/OR RESEARCH DIRECTOR MANAGE RESEARCH EXPENDITURES IN A MANNER THAT IS CONSISTENT WITH THE DIRECTIVES IN THE WILL AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN APPROVED STRATEGIC RESEARCH PLAN. THIS RESEARCH POLICY SETS FORTH THE GUIDELINES FOR ALLOCATION OF THESE RESEARCH FUNDS. THE RESEARCH PLAN DESCRIBES THE FOUNDATION'S INTERESTS AND THE REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR INITIATING FUNDED PROJECTS.

PRINCIPLES FOR DETERMINING FUNDS AVAILABLE:

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES WILL ON A YEAR-BY-YEAR BASIS DETERMINE THE FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR "STUDIES AND RESEARCH"

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF RESEARCH ACTIVITIES:

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).

1. EXPENDITURES FOR STUDIES AND RESEARCH WILL BE BASED ON A LONG-TERM STRATEGIC RESEARCH PLAN DEVELOPED BY THE RESEARCH COMMITTEE AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES.
2. ANNUALLY, THE RESEARCH COMMITTEE WILL REVIEW EXISTING AND PROPOSED EXPENDITURES, RANK THESE ACTIVITIES, AND RECOMMEND FUNDING LEVELS TO THE GENERAL MANAGER AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES. ONCE A BUDGET IS APPROVED, THE GENERAL MANAGER WILL AUTHORIZE EXPENDITURES. THE RESEARCH DIRECTOR WILL MONITOR ONGOING ACTIVITIES AND REPORT PROGRESS TO THE GENERAL MANAGER AND THE RESEARCH COMMITTEE.
3. RESEARCH WILL BE FOCUSED ON ACTIVITIES THAT OFFER THE MOST POTENTIAL BENEFIT FOR ADDRESSING THE TECHNICAL AND MANUFACTURING NEEDS OF THE FOUNDATION AND THE CERAMIC ARTS AND INDUSTRIES.
4. THE GENERAL MANAGER AND RESEARCH DIRECTOR WILL SET CRITERIA AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE AWARD OF FUNDS FOR STUDIES AND RESEARCH ACTIVITIES, WITH APPROVAL BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES. MERIT WILL BE DETERMINED BASED ON THE FOLLOWING

CRITERIA:

- ACTIVITY IS RELEVANT TO PURPOSES AND GUIDELINES OF THE EDWARD ORTON JR. WILL
- ACTIVITY OVERCOMES A TECHNICAL OR MANUFACTURING DIFFICULTY.
- TECHNICAL APPROACH AND CAPABILITIES AVAILABLE IS SUFFICIENT
- RESULTS WILL BE IMPORTANT TO THE NEEDS OF ORTON AND CERAMIC ARTS AND INDUSTRIES.
- ORTON FUNDS WILL LEVERAGE FUNDS FROM OTHER SOURCES
- ORTON'S REPUTATION CAN BE ENHANCED
- THERE IS A CLEAR PATH TO COMMERCIALIAZTION OR USE OF THE TECHNOLOGY

5. AS A GUIDELINE PROJECTS REQUIRING MORE THAN 18 MONTHS AND REPRESENTING

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).

ENABLING TECHNOLOGY WILL USUALLY BE IDENTIFIED AS RESEARCH PROJECTS.

RESEARCH PROJECTS ARE NOT INTENDED TO GENERATE PROSECUTABLE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY.

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

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

Name of the organization

**THE EDWARD ORTON JR. CERAMIC
FOUNDATION**

Employer identification number

31-4273500**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? Yes 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? Yes 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).

Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or education) Preservation of an historically important land area
 Protection of natural habitat Preservation of a certified historic structure
 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
2a	
2b	
2c	
2d	

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

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 ► \$

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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 <input type="checkbox"/> Public exhibition	d <input type="checkbox"/> Loan or exchange programs
b <input type="checkbox"/> Scholarly research	e <input type="checkbox"/> Other
c <input type="checkbox"/> 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.

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

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?

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

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

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		12,000		12,000
b Buildings		3,329,546	1,951,288	1,378,258
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment				
e Other				

Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).) ► 1,390,258

Part VII Investments—Other Securities. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(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, col. (B) line 12.) ►

Part VIII Investments—Program Related. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(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, col. (B) line 13.) ►

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

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
(10)	

Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.) ►

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

1. (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, col. (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).

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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)	1	5,480,952
2 Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	5,059,463
3 Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	421,489
4 Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	4	
5 Donated services and use of facilities	5	
6 Investment expenses	6	
7 Prior period adjustments	7	
8 Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	8	0
9 Total adjustments (net). Add lines 4 through 8	9	
10 Excess or (deficit) for the year per audited financial statements. Combine lines 3 and 9	10	421,489

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	5,480,952
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	5,480,952
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	5,480,952

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

1 Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	5,059,460
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	-3
e Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	-3
3 Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	5,059,463
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	0
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	5,059,463

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 XI, Line 8 - Reconciliation of Changes - Other**Part XIII, Line 4b - Expense Amounts Included on Return - Other****ROUNDING****-3**

Part XIV Supplemental Information (continued)

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, line 21 or 22.

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

► Attach to Form 990.

FOUNDA**THE EDWARD ORTON JR. CERAMIC****FOUNDATI****ON****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	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)	THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY RESEARCH	1960 KENNY ROAD	31-6401599	C3	128,191				RESEARCH
(2)									
(3)									
(4)									
(5)									
(6)									
(7)									
(8)									
(9)									

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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Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22.

Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					
6					
7					

Part IV Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, and any other additional information.

SCHEDULE J
(Form 990)
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service
Compensation Information
For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees
► Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 23.
► Attach to Form 990. ► See separate instructions.

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Name of the organization

THE EDWARD ORTON JR. CERAMIC FOUNDATIONEmployer identification number
31-4273500**Part I Questions Regarding Compensation**

1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.

<input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use
<input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions	<input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence
<input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments	<input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees
<input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)

b If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain

2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all officers, directors, trustees, and the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?

3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization uses to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director. Explain in Part III

<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract
<input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant	<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study
<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations	<input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee

4 During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:

a Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?
b Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?
c Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?

If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.

Only section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete lines 5-9.

5 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:

a The organization?
b Any related organization?

If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.

6 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:

a The organization?
b Any related organization?

If "Yes" to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.

7 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III

8 Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III

9 If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?

	Yes	No
1b		
2		
4a		X
4b		X
4c		X
5a	X	
5b	X	
6a		X
6b		X
7		X
8		X
9		

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Schedule J (Form 990) 2011
Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported in Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII.

Note. The sum of columns (B)(i)–(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual

(A) Name	(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)–(D)	(F) Compensation reported as deferred in prior Form 990
	(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
J GARY CHILDRESS	149,047	70,000	0	26,828	0	245,875	0
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JOSEPH HOMENY	121,412	14,524	0	15,476	0	151,412	0
2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3							
4							
5							
6							
7							
8							
9							
10							
11							
12							
13							
14							
15							
16							

Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Part I, Line 5a - Compensation Contingent upon Revenues of Organization

KEY EMPLOYEE PAY FOR PERFORMANCE PLAN: THE GOAL IS TO PROVIDE AN INDIVIDUAL THE OPPORTUNITY TO EARN UP TO AN ADDITIONAL 12.5% OF THE INDIVIDUAL'S BASE PAY DETERMINED BY MEETING SPECIFIC GOALS AGREED TO BY THE EMPLOYEE & GENERAL MANAGER. TO EMPHASIZE THE IMPORTANCE OF TEAMWORK, THE KEY EMPLOYEE PLAN WILL REVERT TO A POTENTIAL OF 5% EARNING OPPORTUNITY IF ORTON'S BUDGETED OVERALL REVENUES & MARGINS ARE NOT MET. THE ACCRUAL RATE FOR THE KEY EMPLOYEE PLAN WILL BE DETERMINED EACH MONTH DEPENDING ON THE OVERALL PERFORMANCE OF THE FOUNDATION. BONUSES ARE NORMALLY PAID DURING THE SECOND MONTH FOLLOWING THE END OF THE PRIOR FISCAL YEAR.

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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Name of the organization

**THE EDWARD ORTON JR. CERAMIC
FOUNDATION**Employer identification number
31-4273500
Form 990 - Organization's Mission or Most Significant Activities

TO PROVIDE HIGH QUALITY PRODUCTS, EQUIPMENT AND TESTING SERVICES FOR
 EVALUATING AND VALIDATING THERMAL PROCESSING OF MATERIALS. TO BE A
 SUSTAINING RESOURCE FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF THE MATERIALS COMMUNITY THROUGH
 EDUCATION AND RESEARCH.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 11b - Organization's Process to Review Form 990
 ACCOUNTING MANAGER, GENERAL MANAGER, BOARD OF TRUSTEES CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF
 TRUSTEES TREASURER AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES ATTORNEY REVIEW THE 990 PRIOR TO
 FILING.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 15a - Compensation Process for Top Official
 BOARD OF TRUSTEES REVIEW THE GENERAL MANGER'S COMPENSATION. GENERAL
 MANAGER REVIEWS THE KEY EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION. DURING THE REVIEW PRIOR
 YEAR GOALS AND CURRENT YEAR GOALS ARE DISCUSSED. THE GENERAL MANAGER
 UTILIZES SALARY SURVEY DATA FOR THE GEOGRAPHIC AREA.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 15b - Compensation Process for Officers
 SEE RESPONSE TO PART A.

Form 990, Part VI, Line 19 - Governing Documents Disclosure Explanation
 GOVERNING DOCUMENTS (EDWARD ORTON, JR WILL), ARE ONFILE WITH THE PROBATE
 COURT OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO. NO CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY CURRENTLY
 EXISTS. EMPLOYEE POLICIES ARE STATED IN THE EMPLOYEE HANDBOOK. FINANCIAL
 STATEMENTS ARE FILED WITH DUN & BRADSTREET & AVAILABLE VIA GUIDESTAR.

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Employer identification number

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