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

2012

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

For calendar year 2012, or tax year beginning

, 2012, and ending

GENERAL CHARITABLE FUND, INC
C/O FIRST FINANCIAL 100 ERDMAN WAY
LEOMINSTER, MA 01453

G Check all that apply Initial return Initial return of a former public charity
 Final return Amended return
 Address change Name change

H Check type of organization Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation
 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust Other taxable private foundation

I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, column (c), line 16) J Accounting method Cash Accrual
 Other (specify) Other (specify)

► \$ 343,628. (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)

A Employer identification number 04-6048360
B Telephone number (see the instructions) 978 840-3624
C If exemption application is pending, check here ►
D 1 Foreign organizations, check here ►
2 Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ►
E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ►
F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ►

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))

		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
REVENUE	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc, received (attach schedule)				
	2 Ck ► <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not req to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	16.	16.	16.	
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	9,496.	9,496.	9,496.	
	5 a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6 a Net gain/(loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	764.			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a	10,533.			
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		764.		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	10 a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
	b Less Cost of goods sold				
	c Gross profit/(loss) (attach schedule)				
	11 Other income (attach schedule)				
	SEE STATEMENT 1	2.	2.	2.	
	12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	10,278.	10,278.	9,514.	
	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0.			
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16 a Legal fees (attach schedule)				
OPERATING EXPENSES	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)	SEE ST 2	1,500.	1,125.	375.
	c Other prof fees (attach schedule)				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	SEE STM 3	141.	106.	35.
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule)				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule)				
	SEE STATEMENT 4	2,050.	1,538.	512.	
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	3,691.	2,769.	922.	
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid PART XV	20,000.		20,000.	
	26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	23,691.	2,769.	0.	20,922.
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-13,413.			
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		7,509.		
	c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			9,514.	

Part II	Balance Sheets	Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions.)	Beginning of year	End of year	
			(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
ASSETS	1 Cash – non-interest-bearing				
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments		12,839.	9,195.	9,195.
	3 Accounts receivable ▶				
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶				
	4 Pledges receivable ▶				
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶				
	5 Grants receivable				
	6 Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)				
	7 Other notes and loans receivable (attach sch) ▶				
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶				
	8 Inventories for sale or use				
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges				
	10a Investments – U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)				
	b Investments – corporate stock (attach schedule)		170,924.	170,924.	312,716.
	c Investments – corporate bonds (attach schedule)		30,000.	20,231.	21,717.
	11 Investments – land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶				
	Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶				
	12 Investments – mortgage loans				
	13 Investments – other (attach schedule)				
	14 Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶				
	Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶				
	15 Other assets (describe ▶))				
	16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers – see the instructions Also, see page 1, item 1)		213,763.	200,350.	343,628.
LIABILITIES	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses				
	18 Grants payable				
	19 Deferred revenue				
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, & other disqualified persons				
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)				
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶))				
	23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)		0.	0.	
NET FUND BALANCES	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31. ▶	<input type="checkbox"/>			
	24 Unrestricted				
	25 Temporarily restricted				
	26 Permanently restricted				
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 27 through 31. ▶	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds		127,807.	127,807.	
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, and equipment fund				
	29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds		85,956.	72,543.	
	30 Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)		213,763.	200,350.	
	31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)		213,763.	200,350.	

Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances

1 Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year – Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	1	213,763.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-13,413.
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	200,350.
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	5	
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) – Part II, column (b), line 30	6	200,350.

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shares MLC Company)			(b) How acquired P — Purchase D — Donation	(c) Date acquired (month, day, year)	(d) Date sold (month, day, year)
1a 917 FEDERATED TOTAL RETURN BOND FUND			P	1/01/10	5/08/12
b					
c					
d					
e					
(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)		
a 10,533.		9,769.	764.		
b					
c					
d					
e					
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(i) Gains (Column (h) gain minus column (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from column (h))		
(i) Fair Market Value as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of column (i) over column (j), if any			
a			764.		
b					
c					
d					
e					
2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss). If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7			2	764.	
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6) If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8			3	0.	

Part V Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income)

N/A

If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period?

 Yes No

If 'Yes,' the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e). Do not complete this part

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year, see the instructions before making any entries.

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (column (b) divided by column (c))
2011			
2010			
2009			
2008			
2007			

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period— divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years	3
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2012 from Part X, line 5	4
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8

If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate. See the Part VI instructions.

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

1 a	Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> and enter 'N/A' on line 1 Date of ruling or determination letter (attach copy of letter if necessary— see instrs)	1	150.
b	Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b		
c	All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, column (b)		
2	Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)	2	0.
3	Add lines 1 and 2		
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)		
5	Tax based on investment income Subtract line 4 from line 3 If zero or less, enter -0-		
6	Credits/Payments		
a	2012 estimated tax pmts and 2011 overpayment credited to 2012	6 a	150.
b	Exempt foreign organizations – tax withheld at source		
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)		
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld		
7	Total credits and payments Add lines 6a through 6d	7	0.
8	Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> If Form 2220 is attached		
9	Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed		
10	Overpayment If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid		
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2013 estimated tax ► Refunded		

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

1 a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?

	Yes	No
1 a		X

b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see the instructions for definition)?

		X
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If the answer is 'Yes' to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities

		X
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c Did the foundation file **Form 1120-POL** for this year?

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d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year:

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(1) On the foundation ► \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers ► \$ 0.

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e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers ► \$ 0.

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2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS?

		X
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If 'Yes,' attach a detailed description of the activities

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3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If 'Yes,' attach a conformed copy of the changes

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4 a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?

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b If 'Yes,' has it filed a tax return on **Form 990-T** for this year?

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5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year?

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If 'Yes,' attach the statement required by General Instruction T

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6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either

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- By language in the governing instrument, or
- By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?

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7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If 'Yes,' complete Part II, column (c), and Part XV

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8 a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ►

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b If the answer is 'Yes' to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? If 'No,' attach explanation

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9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2012 or the taxable year beginning in 2012 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If 'Yes,' complete Part XIV

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10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If 'Yes,' attach a schedule listing their names and addresses

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Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

11		X
12		X
13	X	
Website address ► <u>N/A</u>		
14	The books are in care of ► <u>PETER ARMBRUSTER, TREASURER</u> Located at ► <u>100 ERDMAN WAY LEOMINSTER MA</u>	Telephone no ► <u>978 840-3624</u> ZIP + 4 ► <u>01453</u>
15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 – Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year ► <u>15</u> <u>0</u>	
16	Yes	No
16	X	
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-221. If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country ►		

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

	Yes	No
1 a During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):		
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? Exception. Check 'No' if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
b If any answer is 'Yes' to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here. ► <input type="checkbox"/>	1 b	N/A
c Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2012?	1 c	X
2 Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5))		
a At the end of tax year 2012, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2012? If 'Yes,' list the years ► <u>20</u> <u> </u> , <u>20</u> <u> </u> , <u>20</u> <u> </u> , <u>20</u> <u> </u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer 'No' and attach statement— see instructions)	2 b	N/A
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here ► <u>20</u> <u> </u> , <u>20</u> <u> </u> , <u>20</u> <u> </u> , <u>20</u> <u> </u>		
3 a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
b If 'Yes,' did it have excess business holdings in 2012 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969, (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest, or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2012)	3 b	N/A
4 a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4 a	X
b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2012?	4 b	X

Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required (continued)

5a During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:

- (1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?
- (2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?
- (3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?
- (4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc, organization described in section 509(a)(1), (2), or (3), or section 4940(d)(2)? (see instructions)
- (5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?

<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

b If any answer is 'Yes' to 5a(1)-(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)?

5b N/A

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ►

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

N/A Yes No

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

6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?

<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?

6b X

If 'Yes,' file Form 8870

7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?

<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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b If 'Yes,' did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?

N/A

7b

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

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
WILLIAM R. FREEMAN 855 JOHN FITCH HIGH FITCHBURG, MA 01420.	PRESIDENT 0	0.	0.	0.
PETER ARMBRUSTER 144 MAPLE ST W. BOYLSTON, MA 01583	TREASURER 0	0.	0.	0.
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2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1 see instructions). If none, enter 'NONE.'

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

0

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

3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). If none, enter 'NONE.'

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services		►
		0

Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

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

Expenses

1	<u>N/A</u>
2	
3	
4	

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)

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

Amount

1	<u>N/A</u>
2	

All other program related investments. See instructions

Total Add lines 1 through 3 ► 0

Total. Add lines 1 through 3

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

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

Part XI Distributable Amount (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here ► and do not complete this part.)

1 Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1
2 a Tax on investment income for 2012 from Part VI, line 5	2 a 150.
b Income tax for 2012 (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2 b
c Add lines 2a and 2b	2 c 150.
3 Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3 -150.
4 Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4
5 Add lines 3 and 4	5 -150.
6 Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6
7 Distributable amount as adjusted Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7 0.

Part XII Qualifying Distributions (see instructions)

1 Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc, purposes: a Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc— total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1 a 20,922.
b Program-related investments – total from Part IX-B	1 b
2 Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc, purposes	2
3 Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the a Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3 a
b Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3 b
4 Qualifying distributions Add lines 1a through 3b Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4 20,922.
5 Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see instructions)	5
6 Adjusted qualifying distributions Subtract line 5 from line 4	6 20,922.

Note. The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years.

Part XIII Undistributed Income (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2011	(c) 2011	(d) 2012
1 Distributable amount for 2012 from Part XI, line 7				0.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2012			0.	
a Enter amount for 2011 only				
b Total for prior years 20 ___, 20 ___, 20 ___		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2012:				
a From 2007				
b From 2008				
c From 2009				
d From 2010	1,053.			
e From 2011	4,342.			
f Total of lines 3a through e	5,395.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2012 from Part XII, line 4 ► \$ 20,922.			0.	
a Applied to 2011, but not more than line 2a				
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required – see instructions)		0.		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required – see instructions)	0.			
d Applied to 2012 distributable amount			0.	
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	20,922.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2012 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	0.			0.
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:	26,317.			
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5		0.		
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b		0.		
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed		0.		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount – see instructions		0.		
e Undistributed income for 2011 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount – see instructions			0.	
f Undistributed income for 2012. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2013				0.
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (see instructions)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2007 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)	0.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2013. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	26,317.			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2008				
b Excess from 2009				
c Excess from 2010	1,053.			
d Excess from 2011	4,342.			
e Excess from 2012	20,922.			

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Part XIV Private Operating Foundations (see instructions and Part VII-A, question 9)

N/A

1 a	If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2012, enter the date of the ruling			
b	Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section <input type="checkbox"/> 4942(j)(3) or <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 4942(j)(5)			
2 a	Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed			
b	85% of line 2a			
c	Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed			
d	Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities			
e	Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c			
3	Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon			
a	'Assets' alternative test – enter			
(1)	Value of all assets			
(2)	Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)			
b	'Endowment' alternative test – enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed			
c	'Support' alternative test – enter			
(1)	Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)			
(2)	Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)			
(3)	Largest amount of support from an exempt organization			
(4)	Gross investment income			

Part XV Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year – see instructions.)**1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:**

- a List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000) (See section 507(d)(2))

NONE

- b List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest

NONE

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

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

- a The name, address, and telephone number or e-mail of the person to whom applications should be addressed

SEE STATEMENT 5

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

SEE STATEMENT FOR LINE 2A

- c Any submission deadlines

SEE STATEMENT FOR LINE 2A

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

SEE STATEMENT FOR LINE 2A

Part XV **Supplementary Information** (continued)

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
<i>a Paid during the year</i> SEE STATEMENT 6				
Total			► 3a	20,000.
<i>b Approved for future payment</i>				
Total			► 3b	

Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities

	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income (See instructions)
	(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclu- sion code	(d) Amount	
1 Program service revenue					
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
f					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
2 Membership dues and assessments					
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			14	16.	
4 Dividends and interest from securities			14	9,496.	
5 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate					
a Debt-financed property					
b Not debt-financed property					
6 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
7 Other investment income					
8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory					764.
9 Net income or (loss) from special events					
10 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
11 Other revenue					
a MISC			1	2.	
b					
c					
d					
e					
12 Subtotal Add columns (b), (d), and (e)				9,514.	764.
13 Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e)				13	10,278.

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations)

Part XVI-B Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes

Line No. ▼	Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XVI-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes). (See instructions.)
N/A	

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

- 1 Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?

- a Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of

- (1) Cash
 - (2) Other assets

- b Other transactions

 - (1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization
 - (2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization
 - (3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets
 - (4) Reimbursement arrangements
 - (5) Loans or loan guarantees
 - (6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations

c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees

	Yes	No
1 a (1)		X
1 a (2)		X
1 b (1)		X
1 b (2)		X
1 b (3)		X
1 b (4)		X
1 b (5)		X
1 b (6)		X
1 c		X

- d If the answer to any of the above is 'Yes,' complete the following schedule. Column(b) should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting foundation. If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column(d) the value of the goods, other assets, or services received.

(a) Line no	(b) Amount involved	(c) Name of noncharitable exempt organization	(d) Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements
N/A			

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

Yes No

- b If 'Yes,' complete the following schedule

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

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge

Sign
Here



John C. Compton

✓ 27/3
Date

TREASURER

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

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name KENNETH P. BASQUE CPA	Preparer's signature 	Date 2/12/13	Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN P00207776
	Firm's name ► REAGAN & CO PC	Firm's EIN ► 27-1462802			
	Firm's address ► ONE WOOD PLACE	Phone no 978-343-6458			
	FITCHBURG, MA 01420-3166				

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STATEMENT 1
FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 11
OTHER INCOME

	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
MISC	\$ 2.	\$ 2.	\$ 2.
TOTAL	\$ 2.	\$ 2.	\$ 2.

STATEMENT 2
FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 16B
ACCOUNTING FEES

	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
TOTAL	\$ 1,500.	\$ 1,125.	\$ 0.	\$ 375.

STATEMENT 3
FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 18
TAXES

	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
TOTAL	\$ 141.	\$ 106.	\$ 0.	\$ 35.

STATEMENT 4
FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 23
OTHER EXPENSES

	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
FEES TO BANKNORTH	\$ 2,000.	\$ 1,500.	\$ 0.	\$ 500.
FILING FEES	\$ 50.	\$ 38.	\$ 0.	\$ 12.
TOTAL	\$ 2,050.	\$ 1,538.	\$ 0.	\$ 512.

STATEMENT 5
FORM 990-PF, PART XV, LINE 2A-D
APPLICATION SUBMISSION INFORMATION

NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM: SCHOLARSHIPS
 NAME: PETER AMBRUSTER, TREASURER
 CARE OF: FIRST FINANCIAL TRUST
 STREET ADDRESS: 100 ERDMAN WAY

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STATEMENT 5 (CONTINUED)
FORM 990-PF, PART XV, LINE 2A-D
APPLICATION SUBMISSION INFORMATION

CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE: LEOMINSTER, MA 01453
 TELEPHONE:
 E-MAIL ADDRESS:
 FORM AND CONTENT: SEE ATTACHED APPLICATION
 SUBMISSION DEADLINES:
 RESTRICTIONS ON AWARDS:

STATEMENT 6
FORM 990-PF, PART XV, LINE 3A
RECIPIENT PAID DURING THE YEAR

NAME AND ADDRESS	DONEE RELATIONSHIP	FOUND- ATION STATUS	PURPOSE OF GRANT	AMOUNT
ZARA ASHFAQ , MA 01453	NONE	N/A	SCHOLARSHIP	\$ 1,500.
HAILEIGH M CRAWFORD , MA 01453	NONE	N/A	SCHOLARSHIP	2,000.
EMMANUEL AMOAKO , MA 01453	NONE	N/A	SCHOLARSHIP	1,500.
REICHARD MEIGS , MA 01453	NONE	N/A	SCHOLARSHIP	2,500.
ROS POTVIN , MA 01453	NONE	N/A	SCHOLARSHIP	2,000.
SHANE WEITZMAN , MA 01453	NONE	N/A	SCHOLARSHIP	2,000.
JOSEPH R CANEDO , MA 01453	NONE	N/A	SCHOLARSHIP	2,000.
JACOB M FLEMING , MA 01453	NONE	N/A	SCHOLARSHIP	1,500.
JEREMY BOUDREAU , MA 01453	NONE	N/A	SCHOLARSHIP	1,500.
SARAH E DOYLE , MA 01453	NONE	N/A	SCHOLARSHIP	1,500.
ISABEL PAIVA , MA 01453	NONE	N/A	SCHOLARSHIP	2,000.
TOTAL				\$ <u>20,000.</u>

APPLICATION FOR LOAN

GENERAL CHARITABLE TRUST LOAN FUND

Information Re Applicant

Applicant's Full Name (Print) _____ Age _____ Date of Birth _____
Place of Birth _____ Citizenship _____ Social Security # _____
Sex _____ Marital Status: Single Married
Present Residence Address _____ (No.) _____ (Street) _____ (City or Town) _____ (State)
Permanent Home Address _____ (No.) _____ (Street) _____ (City or Town) _____ (State)
Years Lived at Permanent Home Address _____ Home Phone No. _____
Last Previous Address _____
Are you a Veteran? _____ If not, what are your plans regarding military service, if any?

Information Re Applicant's Program of Higher Education and Cost Thereof

Name of School at which you are enrolled _____
Address _____
Year in which now enrolled Freshman Soph Graduate 1 Course
 Junior 2 of Study _____ 3 _____ 4 _____ Expected date of graduation _____
 Senior _____ Month Year _____
How many more years to you plan to spend in this program: In present school? _____ In other schools? _____
(List names and addresses of other schools) _____

Estimated yearly cost of attending school in which enrolled:

Tuition & Fees \$ _____ Books \$ _____ Room \$ _____ Board \$ _____

Travel Expense \$ _____ Clothing Expense \$ _____ Personal Expense \$ _____ TOTAL \$ _____

Total resources available to applicant for expenses of school year for which loan is desired:

From Summer Employment \$ _____ From Savings \$ _____

From Scholarships \$ _____ From Parents or Guardians \$ _____

From Work While Attending School \$ _____ GI Benefits \$ _____ Other \$ _____ TOTAL \$ _____

By signing this application, I authorize the Lender to obtain from the school in which I am enrolled such additional information about my program of higher education.