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Form 990-PF

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

OMB No 1545-0052

2012

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

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

For calendar year 2012, or tax year beginning 01-01-2012, and ending 12-31-2012

Name of foundation: EVOLVING EARTH FOUNDATION. A Employer identification number: 91-2077460. B Telephone number: (425) 831-7906. G Check all that apply: Initial return, Final return, Address change. H Check type of organization: Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation. I Fair market value of all assets at end of year: \$ 63,737. J Accounting method: Cash.

Table with 5 columns: (a) Revenue and expenses per books, (b) Net investment income, (c) Adjusted net income, (d) Disbursements for charitable purposes. Rows include Revenue (1-12), Operating and Administrative Expenses (13-26), and Summary (27-29).

Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)

Part II Balance Sheets		Beginning of year		End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value	
Assets	<b>1</b> Cash—non-interest-bearing . . . . .	38,360	61,218	61,218	
	<b>2</b> Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .	1,910	2,447	2,447	
	<b>3</b> Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____				
	<b>4</b> Pledges receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____				
	<b>5</b> Grants receivable . . . . .				
	<b>6</b> Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see page 15 of the instructions) . . . . .				
	<b>7</b> Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____				
	<b>8</b> Inventories for sale or use . . . . .				
	<b>9</b> Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . . . . .				
	<b>10a</b> Investments—U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)				
	<b>b</b> Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule) . . . . .				
	<b>c</b> Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule) . . . . .				
	<b>11</b> Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____				
	<b>12</b> Investments—mortgage loans . . . . .				
	<b>13</b> Investments—other (attach schedule) . . . . .				
	<b>14</b> Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ 10,613 Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____ 10,541	155	72	72	
<b>15</b> Other assets (describe ▶ _____)					
<b>16 Total assets</b> (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	40,425	63,737	63,737		
Liabilities	<b>17</b> Accounts payable and accrued expenses . . . . .				
	<b>18</b> Grants payable . . . . .				
	<b>19</b> Deferred revenue . . . . .				
	<b>20</b> Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons				
	<b>21</b> Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule) . . . . .				
<b>22</b> Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)	6,559	734			
<b>23 Total liabilities</b> (add lines 17 through 22) . . . . .	6,559	734			
Net Assets or Fund Balances	<b>Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here</b> ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.</b>				
	<b>24</b> Unrestricted . . . . .				
	<b>25</b> Temporarily restricted . . . . .				
	<b>26</b> Permanently restricted . . . . .				
	<b>Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here</b> ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 27 through 31.</b>				
	<b>27</b> Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds . . . . .	0	0		
	<b>28</b> Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg, and equipment fund	0	0		
	<b>29</b> Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	33,866	63,003		
<b>30 Total net assets or fund balances</b> (see page 17 of the instructions) . . . . .	33,866	63,003			
<b>31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b> (see page 17 of the instructions) . . . . .	40,425	63,737			

**Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances**

<b>1</b>	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) . . . . .	<b>1</b>	33,866
<b>2</b>	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a . . . . .	<b>2</b>	27,633
<b>3</b>	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	<b>3</b>	1,506
<b>4</b>	Add lines 1, 2, and 3 . . . . .	<b>4</b>	63,005
<b>5</b>	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	<b>5</b>	2
<b>6</b>	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30 . . . . .	<b>6</b>	63,003

**Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income**

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co)	(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo, day, yr)	(d) Date sold (mo, day, yr)
<b>1a</b> See Additional Data Table			
<b>b</b>			
<b>c</b>			
<b>d</b>			
<b>e</b>			

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
<b>a</b> See Additional Data Table			
<b>b</b>			
<b>c</b>			
<b>d</b>			
<b>e</b>			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	
<b>a</b> See Additional Data Table			
<b>b</b>			
<b>c</b>			
<b>d</b>			
<b>e</b>			

<b>2</b> 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 }	<b>2</b>	474
<b>3</b> 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		<b>3</b>	474

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

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

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

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period?  Yes  No  
 If "Yes," the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e) Do not complete this part

**1** Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year, see page 18 of 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 (col (b) divided by col (c))
2011	199,649	69,344	2.879110
2010	277,642	67,710	4.100458
2009	280,821	115,815	2.424738
2008	269,873	69,932	3.859077
2007	266,656	60,970	4.373561

<b>2</b> Total of line 1, column (d)	<b>2</b>	17.636944
<b>3</b> Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period—divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years	<b>3</b>	3.527389
<b>4</b> Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2012 from Part X, line 5	<b>4</b>	69,389
<b>5</b> Multiply line 4 by line 3	<b>5</b>	244,762
<b>6</b> Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	<b>6</b>	5
<b>7</b> Add lines 5 and 6	<b>7</b>	244,767
<b>8</b> Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	<b>8</b>	117,156

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 page 18 of the instructions)**

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

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities**

	Yes	No
<b>1a</b> 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? . . . . .		No
<b>b</b> Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see page 19 of the instructions for definition)? . . . . . <i>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.</i>		No
<b>c</b> Did the foundation file <b>Form 1120-POL</b> for this year? . . . . .		No
<b>d</b> Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year <b>(1)</b> On the foundation <input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u> <b>(2)</b> On foundation managers <input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>		
<b>e</b> Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers <input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>		
<b>2</b> Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? . . . . . <i>If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.</i>		No
<b>3</b> 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? <i>If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes</i> . . . . .		No
<b>4a</b> Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? . . . . .		No
<b>b</b> If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on <b>Form 990-T</b> for this year? . . . . .		
<b>5</b> Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? . . . . . <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.</i>		No
<b>6</b> Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either ● By language in the governing instrument, or ● By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>7</b> Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Part II, col (c), and Part XV</i>	Yes	
<b>8a</b> Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) <input type="checkbox"/> WA _____		
<b>b</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? <i>If "No," attach explanation .</i>	Yes	
<b>9</b> 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)? <i>If "Yes," complete Part XIV</i> . . . . .	Yes	
<b>10</b> Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses</i>		No

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

<b>11</b>	At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see instructions).	<b>11</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>12</b>	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)	<b>12</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>13</b>	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address <b>WWW.EVOLVINGEARTH.ORG</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>Yes</b>	
<b>14</b>	The books are in care of <b>T DILLHOFF</b> Telephone no <b>(425) 831-7906</b> Located at <b>PO BOX 2090 ISSAQUAH WA</b> ZIP+4 <b>98027</b>			
<b>15</b>	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of <b>Form 1041</b> —Check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year <b>15</b>			
<b>16</b>	At any time during calendar year 2012, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1 If "Yes", enter the name of the foreign country	<b>16</b>		<b>No</b>

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

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.		Yes	No
<b>1a</b>	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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input 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? ( <b>Exception.</b> 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>b</b>	If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did <b>any</b> 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 page 20 of the instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here. <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>1b</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>c</b>	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?	<b>1c</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>2</b>	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))		
<b>a</b>	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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," list the years <b>20</b> , <b>20</b> , <b>20</b> , <b>20</b>		
<b>b</b>	Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is <b>not</b> 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 <b>all</b> years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see instructions).	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b>	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to <b>any</b> of the years listed in 2a, list the years here <b>20</b> , <b>20</b> , <b>20</b> , <b>20</b>		
<b>3a</b>	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>b</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? ( <i>Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2012.</i> )	<b>3b</b>	
<b>4a</b>	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	<b>4a</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>b</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?	<b>4b</b>	<b>No</b>



**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
<b>1</b> PUBLIC EDUCATION OF THE EARTH SCIENCES THROUGH RESEARCH PAPERS, PUBLICATIONS AND THE ORGANIZATIONS WEBSITE	61,767
<b>2</b> STUDENT GRANT PROGRAM PROVIDES GRANTS UP TO \$3,000 EACH TO SUPPORT COLLEGE STUDENTS RESEARCH IN THE EARTH SCIENCES THE ORGANIZATION PROVIDES GUIDANCE DURING THE GRANT RESEARCH PROJECTS THE ORGANIZATION SEEKS OUT AND DOES BACKGROUND CHECKS ON GRANT APPLICANTS SELECTING GRANT RECIPIENTS INVLOVES A DETAIL REVIEW OF THE TECHNICAL ASPECTS OF THE RESEARCH PROJECTS	54,526
<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b>	

**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
<b>1</b> N/A	0
<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b> All other program-related investments See page 24 of the instructions	

**Total.** Add lines 1 through 3. . . . . **0**

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

<b>1</b>	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes		
<b>a</b>	Average monthly fair market value of securities. . . . .	<b>1a</b>	264
<b>b</b>	Average of monthly cash balances. . . . .	<b>1b</b>	70,111
<b>c</b>	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions). . . . .	<b>1c</b>	71
<b>d</b>	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, b, and c). . . . .	<b>1d</b>	70,446
<b>e</b>	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation). . . . .	<b>1e</b>	0
<b>2</b>	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets. . . . .	<b>2</b>	0
<b>3</b>	Subtract line 2 from line 1d. . . . .	<b>3</b>	70,446
<b>4</b>	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions). . . . .	<b>4</b>	1,057
<b>5</b>	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	<b>5</b>	69,389
<b>6</b>	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% of line 5. . . . .	<b>6</b>	3,469

**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.)

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

**Part XII Qualifying Distributions** (see instructions)

<b>1</b>	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc , purposes		
<b>a</b>	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc —total from Part I, column (d), line 26. . . . .	<b>1a</b>	117,156
<b>b</b>	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B. . . . .	<b>1b</b>	0
<b>2</b>	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes. . . . .	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
<b>a</b>	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required). . . . .	<b>3a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule). . . . .	<b>3b</b>	
<b>4</b>	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	<b>4</b>	117,156
<b>5</b>	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). . . . .	<b>5</b>	0
<b>6</b>	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4. . . . .	<b>6</b>	117,156

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

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

**1a** 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. 2002-03-19

**b** Check box to indicate whether the organization is a private operating foundation described in section  4942(j)(3) or  4942(j)(5)

	Tax year				(e) Total
	(a) 2012	(b) 2011	(c) 2010	(d) 2009	
<b>2a</b> Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0
<b>b</b> 85% of line 2a . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0
<b>c</b> Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed . . . . .	117,156	199,649	277,642	280,821	875,268
<b>d</b> Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0
<b>e</b> Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities Subtract line 2d from line 2c . . . . .	117,156	199,649	277,642	280,821	875,268
<b>3</b> Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon					
<b>a</b> "Assets" alternative test—enter					
<b>(1)</b> Value of all assets . . . . .	63,737	40,425	31,672	43,779	179,613
<b>(2)</b> Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i) . . . . .	63,737	40,425	31,672	43,779	179,613
<b>b</b> "Endowment" alternative test— enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed. . . . .					0
<b>c</b> "Support" alternative test—enter					
<b>(1)</b> Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties) . . . . .					0
<b>(2)</b> Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii). . . . .					0
<b>(3)</b> Largest amount of support from an exempt organization . . . . .					0
<b>(4)</b> Gross investment income . . . . .					0

**Part XV Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the organization 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) )

RICHARD DILLHOFF

**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

**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  
 THOMAS A DILLHOFF  
 PO BOX 2090  
 ISSAQUAH, WA 98027  
 (425) 831-7906

**b** The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include  
 THE EVOLVING EARTH FOUNDATION GRANT APPLICATION SHOULD BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED THE APPLICATION REQUESTS INFORMATION RELATED TO THE SPONSORING UNIVERSITY/ORGANIZATION AND THE RESPECTIVE APPLICANT IN ADDITION CERTAIN OTHER INFORMATION RELATED TO THE PROJECT IS REQUESTED INCLUDING THE TITLE OF THE PROJECT, A BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND THE PROJECT START AND ENDING DATES

**c** Any submission deadlines  
 NONE

**d** Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors  
 ORGANIZATIONS WITH CURRENT AND VALID TAX-EXEMPT STATUS UNDER CODE SEC 501(C)(3) AND INDIVIDUALS AFFILIATED WITH TAX-EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS WHO CONDUCT RESEARCH IN THE EARTH SCIENCES, ENHANCE PUBLIC AWARENESS IN THE EARTH SCIENCES AND ENHANCE STUDENT APPRECIATION OF THE EARTH SCIENCES

**Part XV Supplementary Information** (continued)

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

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i> See Additional Data Table				
<b>Total . . . . .</b>				<b>3a</b> 28,774
<b>b</b> <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
<b>Total . . . . .</b>				<b>3b</b> 0





**Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns a - d**

<b>(a)</b> List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e g , real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co )	<b>(b)</b> How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	<b>(c)</b> Date acquired (mo , day, yr )	<b>(d)</b> Date sold (mo , day, yr )
APPLE COMPUTER INC - 56 SHS	D	2012-01-30	2012-01-30
APPLE COMPUTER INC - 33 SHS	D	2012-10-26	2012-10-26
BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY INC CLASS B - 49 SHS	D	2012-10-26	2012-10-26
BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY INC CLASS B - 100 SHS	D	2012-10-26	2012-10-26
BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY INC CLASS B - 100 SHS	D	2012-10-26	2012-10-26
COCA COLA CO - 200 SHS	D	2012-01-30	2012-01-30
COCA COLA CO - 126 SHS	D	2012-01-30	2012-01-30
FAMILY DOLLAR STORES, INC - 127 SHS	D	2012-01-30	2012-01-30
GAP INC - 506 SHS	D	2012-10-26	2012-10-26
MERK & CO ,INC - 220 SHS	D	2012-01-30	2012-01-30
MERK & CO ,INC - 300 SHS	D	2012-01-30	2012-01-30
NIKE, INC CLASS B - 264 SHS	D	2012-01-30	2012-01-30
VISA INC CLASS A - 248 SHS	D	2012-01-30	2012-01-30
VISA INC CLASS A - 115 SHS	D	2012-10-26	2012-10-26

**Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns e - h**

<b>(e)</b> Gross sales price	<b>(f)</b> Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	<b>(g)</b> Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	<b>(h)</b> Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
25,345		25,048	297
20,108		20,115	-7
4,249		4,270	-21
8,671		8,715	-44
8,671		8,715	-44
13,470		13,488	-18
8,486		8,497	-11
7,038		7,071	-33
17,904		17,796	108
8,543		8,474	69
11,650		11,556	94
27,272		26,957	315
24,701		25,060	-359
15,946		15,818	128

**Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns i - l**

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			<b>(l)</b> Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) <b>or</b> Losses (from col (h))
<b>(i)</b> F M V as of 12/31/69	<b>(j)</b> Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	<b>(k)</b> Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	
			297
			-7
			-21
			-44
			-44
			-18
			-11
			-33
			108
			69
			94
			315
			-359
			128

**Form 990PF Part XV Line 3 - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY 45155 RESEARCH PLACE 240V ASHBURN,VA 20147	NONE	PUBLIC UNIVERSITY	STUDENT GRANTS	2,457
MUSEUM OF THE ROCKIES 600 W KAGY BLVD BOZEMAN,MT 59717	NONE	PUBLIC UNIVERSITY	STUDENT GRANTS	3,000
OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY 306 KERR ADMINISTRATION BUILDING CORVALLIS,OR 97331	NONE	PUBLIC UNIVERSITY	STUDENT GRANTS	3,000
STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY W5510 MELVILLE LIBRARY STONY BROOK,NY 11794	NONE	PUBLIC UNIVERSITY	STUDENT GRANTS	3,000
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA BERKELEY 2195 HEARST AVENUE ROOM 130 BERKELEY,CA 947201103	NONE	PUBLIC UNIVERSITY	STUDENT GRANTS	3,000
UNIVESRITY OF IOWA 5 JESSUP HALL IOWA CITY,IA 52242	NONE	PUBLIC UNIVERSITY	STUDENT GRANTS	3,000
UNIVERSITY OF OREGON PO BOX 3237 EUGENE,OR 974030327	NONE	PUBLIC UNIVERSITY	STUDENT GRANTS	2,617
UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON 12455 COLLECTIONS DRIVE CHICAGO,IL 60693	NONE	PUBLIC UNIVERSITY	STUDENT GRANTS	3,000
UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON 12456 COLLECTIONS DRIVE CHICAGO,IL 60694	NONE	PUBLIC UNIVERSITY	STUDENT GRANTS	2,700
VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY 2301 VANDERBILT PLACE VU STATION B 351805 NASHVILLE,TN 37235	NONE	PUBLIC UNIVERSITY	STUDENT GRANTS	3,000
<b>Total . . . . .</b>				28,774

**Schedule B**  
(Form 990, 990-EZ,  
or 990-PF)

**Schedule of Contributors**

OMB No 1545-0047

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

**2012**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Name of the organization**  
EVOLVING EARTH FOUNDATION

**Employer identification number**

91-2077460

**Organization type** (check one)

**Filers of:**

**Section:**

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)( ) (enter number) organization

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

**Note.** Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

**General Rule**

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

**Special Rules**

For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33<sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub>% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of **(1)** \$5,000 or **(2)** 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h, or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not total to more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year. . . . . ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Name of organization**  
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**Employer identification number**  
91-2077460

**Part I Contributors** (see instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	RICHARD DILLHOFF PO BOX 2090 ISSAQUAH, WA 98027	\$ 126,152	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
2	RICHARD DILLHOFF PO BOX 2090 ISSAQUAH, WA 98027	\$ 75,429	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )

Name of organization  
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Part II Noncash Property (see instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
1	RICHARD DONATED VARIOUS SHARES OF STOCK ON 1/30/12 SEE PART IV FOR A LIST OF THE STOCK DONATED	\$ 126,152	2012-01-30
2	RICHARD DONATED VARIOUS SHARES OF STOCK ON 10/26/12 SEE PART IV FOR A LIST OF THE STOCK DONATED	\$ 75,429	2012-10-26
_____	_____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____

Name of organization  
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**Part III** Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., individual contributions to section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organizations that total more than \$1,000 for the year. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry  
For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year (Enter this information once. See instructions.) \$  
Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

## TY 2012 Accounting Fees Schedule

**Name:** EVOLVING EARTH FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 91-2077460

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
ACCOUNTING FEES	3,210	0	3,210	0

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## TY 2012 Depreciation Schedule

**Name:** EVOLVING EARTH FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 91-2077460

Description of Property	Date Acquired	Cost or Other Basis	Prior Years' Depreciation	Computation Method	Rate / Life (# of years)	Current Year's Depreciation Expense	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Cost of Goods Sold Not Included
COMPUTER	2000-11-27	1,786		200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
COMPUTER	2001-03-30	1,683		200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
SCANNER	2001-07-10	607		200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
SOFTWARE	2001-07-09	746	746	SL	3 000000000000	0	0	0	
SOFTWARE	2001-12-28	276	276	SL	3 000000000000	0	0	0	
DELL COMPUTER	2003-04-24	2,337		200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
SOFTWARE	2003-04-06	653		SL	3 000000000000	0	0	0	
SOFTWARE	2004-10-07	359	179	SL	3 000000000000	0	0	0	
SOFTWARE	2005-06-10	434	434	SL	3 000000000000	0	0	0	
QUICKBOOK UPGRADE	2007-12-04	218	218	SL	3 000000000000	0	0	0	
COMPUTER	2008-12-08	1,514	602	200DB	5 000000000000	83	0	303	

**TY 2012 Land, Etc. Schedule**

**Name:** EVOLVING EARTH FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 91-2077460

<b>Category / Item</b>	<b>Cost / Other Basis</b>	<b>Accumulated Depreciation</b>	<b>Book Value</b>	<b>End of Year Fair Market Value</b>
COMPUTER	1,786	1,786	0	
COMPUTER	1,683	1,683	0	
SCANNER	607	607	0	
SOFTWARE	746	746	0	
SOFTWARE	276	276	0	
DELL COMPUTER	2,337	2,337	0	
SOFTWARE	653	653	0	
SOFTWARE	359	359	0	
SOFTWARE	434	434	0	
QUICKBOOK UPGRADE	218	218	0	
COMPUTER	1,514	1,442	72	

## TY 2012 Other Decreases Schedule

**Name:** EVOLVING EARTH FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 91-2077460

Description	Amount
FEDERAL INCOME TAXES	2

## TY 2012 Other Expenses Schedule

**Name:** EVOLVING EARTH FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 91-2077460

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
INTERNET	648	0	0	648
INSURANCE	706	0	71	635
BANK CHARGES	84	30	54	0
DUES & SUBSCRIPTIONS	1,282	0	1,016	266
MISCELLANEOUS	196	0	196	0

## TY 2012 Other Income Schedule

**Name:** EVOLVING EARTH FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 91-2077460

Description	Revenue And Expenses Per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income
MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	203		203

**TY 2012 Other Increases Schedule**

**Name:** EVOLVING EARTH FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 91-2077460

Description	Amount
ACCRUED PAYROLL TAXES	1,506

## TY 2012 Other Liabilities Schedule

**Name:** EVOLVING EARTH FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 91-2077460

Description	Beginning of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Book Value
PAYROLL TAXES WITHHELD AND PAYABLE	6,559	734

# TY 2012 Taxes Schedule

**Name:** EVOLVING EARTH FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 91-2077460

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
PAYROLL TAXES	8,901	0	3,806	5,095