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THE MARGARET L WENDT FOUNDATION
40 FOUNTAIN PLAZA STE 227
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DECLARATION

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Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined the return identified in this letter, including any accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct and complete. I understand that this declaration will become a permanent part of that return.

Robert J. Kresse

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Signature of Officer or Trustee

11/19/13
Date

Secretary/Trustee
Title

The Margaret L. Wendt Foundation
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Form 990-PF, Part XV, line 3 a

Recipient -- see note A	If individual show relationship	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Erie County SPCA	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	3,500.00
Niagara Lutheran Home	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Annual Grant	15,000.00
Holy Trinity Church	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Annual Grant	40,000.00
United Way of Buffalo and Erie County	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Annual Grant	230,000.00
Boys & Girls Clubs of Buffalo, Inc.	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	40,000.00
Brothers of Mercy	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	100,000.00
Buffalo & Erie Co. Botanical Gardens Society	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	62,094.41
Buffalo City Swim Racers	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Support in second year for operational expenses commencing April 2011	10,000.00
Buffalo Fine Arts Academy	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	To continue service for low income families who can't afford dance tuition	50,000.00
Buffalo Inner City Ballet	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	5,000.00
Buffalo Lighthouse Association	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Host the 2011 National Preservation Conference in Buffalo	46,500.00
Buffalo Niagara Convention & Visitors Bureau	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Conference in Buffalo	15,000.00
Buffalo Niagara Riverkeeper	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Loan guaranteed to cover salaries of personnel for two months	90,000.00
Buffalo Olmsted Parks Conservancy	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	To meet operational goals, cover significant one-time transitional costs & lay a strong foundation for the coming year.	112,751.06
Buffalo Opera Unlimited	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	To help cover the cost to mount a production of Gounod's Faust	5,000.00
Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra Endowment	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Endowment Fund	81,887.00
Buffalo Place Foundation	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	16,409.95
Buffalo Prep	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Expansion of the Middle School Prep program	35,000.00
Buffalo Society of Natural Science	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	300,000.00
Campaign for Gr. Buffalo History, Architecture &	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Improvements & Updates to the Open-Air Autobus	1,140.82
Central Terminal Restoration Corporation	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Funding a newly created Executive Director position for first year	82,533.00
CEPA f/b/o A Musical Feast	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Underwrite some part of their three 2011-2012 season concerts	5,000.00
Chameleon Community Schools Project	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Develop a Charter Restart proposal for a Buffalo Public Schools High School	10,000.00
Children's Hospital of Buffalo	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	500,000.00
City Mission Society, Inc. aka Buffalo City Mission	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Pre-production cost for "The Urban Aid Concert"	85,000.00
Community Foundation for Greater Buffalo	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Support for the Fund for the Arts new Art Services Initiative of Western New York	10,782.00
Community Missions of Niagara Frontier	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Improvements to Onesimus House, a transitional residence for homeless adults	9,511.00
Daemen College	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Renovate the former library to become a Visual and Performing Arts Center	75,000.00
Erie County SPCA	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Purchased new X-ray machine & update electrical system in the X-ray room	217,416.97
Erie Regional Housing Development Corp.	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Personnel, Contracted Services, Capital Development, Buffalo AmeriCorps Match and General Operating Support over two years	203,560.00
Explore & More A Children's Museum	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	150,000.00
Forest Lawn Heritage Foundation	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	57,036.41
Genesee Country Museum	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	43,000.00
Graycliff Conservancy, Inc.	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	To complete Phase III of the restoration of the Graycliff estate	18,282.46
Harvest House of South Buffalo, Inc.	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Expansion for the New Hope Education Center	50,000.00
Hull House Foundation	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	21,453.07

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Investigative Post	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	To help fund establishment of a newsroom to produce investigative journalism & mentor journalism students	120,000.00
Jericho Road Ministries, Inc.	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	150,000.00
Just Buffalo Literary Center	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Funds to purchase Raiser's Edge software	25,000.00
Kaleida Health Foundation	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	500,000.00
Locust Street Neighborhood Art Classes, Inc.	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	To help implement a three-year Succession Plan	41,000.00
Martin Luther King Jr. Community Dev. Corp.	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Grant to be donated to Habitat For Humanity to purchase, rehab & resell two City of Buffalo Properties	4,147.00
Network of Religious Communities	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Support for the Casino Litigation	321,000.00
Old Fort Niagara	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Funds over 3 years in support of the educational spring & summer program, Brining History Alive	150,000.00
Olmsted Center for the Visually Impaired	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Cover the cost of necessary capital repairs to the Olmsted Center for Sight	50,000.00
Opera Socra, Inc.	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	10,000.00
Paradise Opportunities	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	23,500.00
Park School of Buffalo	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	50,000.00
Partnership for the Public Good, Inc.	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Policy research & advancement on gambling, public education, the Buffalo Niagara Medical Campus & the Niagara River Greenway	22,500.00
Preservation League of New York State	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Continue general programming and permit greater involvement in Buffalo to welcome the National Trust	25,000.00
Read to Succeed Buffalo	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Salary & benefits for the Database Administrator and the Director of Resource & Grant Development	70,000.00
Riviera Theatre	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	22,786.00
Roswell Park Alliance Foundation	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	250,000.00
Roycroft Campus Corp.	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Operating Support for 2012 & Power House Furniture and Equipment Needs	191,871.00
Saint Paul's Cathedral	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	85,000.00
The BISON Scholarship Fund	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Funds to Support the Scholarship Program	30,000.00
The Boys & Girls Club of Holland	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Toward the relocation & expansion of the club	85,000.00
The Foundation Center	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Renew Annual Support for 2011	2,500.00
The Gow School	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	The Gow School Science and Technology Initiative	100,000.00
The Jewish Community Center of Greater Buffalo	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Expansion of the early childhood and after-school education classrooms	50,000.00
The Nature Conservancy	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Prevent & control aquatic invasive species and restore native fish to the Great Lakes	511,500.00
Theodore Roosevelt Inaugural Site	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Toward cost of demolition of the Bank of America building and Delaware driveway & parking lot improvements	80,000.00
Torn Space Theatre (American Grains Project)	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Support for the American Grain Project	2,000.00
University Neurology, Inc.	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Study with a primary objective of reversing elevated glucose levels	10,000.00
Valla Maria College	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Establish a second animation studio & upgrade a software package in the existing studio	14,264.00
Western New York Railway Historical Society Inc	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	81,864.55
Westside Ministries	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	25,000.00
WHY Grantmakers Association	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Annual Membership Contribution for 2013	2,500.00

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WNY Heritage Press, Inc.	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	40,010.00
WNY Heroes, Inc.	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Salary & Benefits of Program Coordinator, & President, Office Supplies and Financial Grants to Veterans	500.00
WNY Public Broadcasting Association	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	To complete production of Frederick Law Olmstead: Designing America and Frederick Law Olmstead's Buffalo documentaries	200,000.00
WNY Sustainable Energy Association	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Unrestricted operations	2,836.53
Wyoming Community Hospital Foundation	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Funds to help cover the cost of the Obstetrical & Gynecology Unit renovation project	250,000.00
YMCA Buffalo Niagara	N/A	\$ 501(c)(3) public charity	Construction of a new full-facility branch adjacent to ECC North Campus in Amherst	375,000.00
Present Value Adjustment to payables	N/A	N/A	N/A	38,391.27
Total Form 990PF, Part XV, Line 3a				6,811,028.50

NOTE A: Addressees of grantees are available upon request