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Form 990-PF

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue ServiceReturn of Private Foundation
or Section 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust
Treated as a Private Foundation

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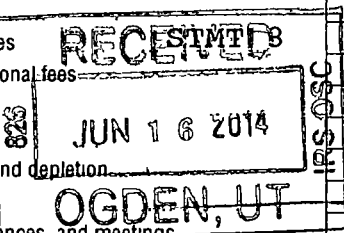
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For calendar year 2012 or tax year beginning NOV 1, 2012, and ending OCT 31, 2013

Name of foundation THE BETSY GORDON FOUNDATION C/O ELIZABETH GORDON		A Employer identification number 11-3634807
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 1537 FOURTH STREET BOX 15	Room/suite	B Telephone number 602-548-0092
City or town, state, and ZIP code SAN RAFAEL, CA 94901		C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐
G Check all that apply: ☐ Initial return ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Final return ☐ Amended return ☐ Address change ☐ Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here ☐ 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ☐
H Check type of organization ☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation ☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) \$ 127,024.	J Accounting method ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) _____	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))		(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	481,454.		N/A	
	2 Check ☐ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	1,255.	1,255.		STATEMENT 2
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	-7,319.			STATEMENT 1
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a	323,349.			
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		269,295.		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b Less Cost of goods sold					
c Gross profit or (loss)					
11 Other income					
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	475,390.	270,550.			
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0.	0.		0.
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees				
	b Accounting fees	1,246.	0.		1,246.
	c Other professional fees				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes				
	19 Depreciation and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings	1,419.	0.		1,419.
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses	4,470.	0.		4,470.
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	7,135.	0.		7,135.
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	439,815.			439,815.
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	446,950.	0.		446,950.	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12	28,440.				
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements		270,550.			
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)					
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			N/A		

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Part II Balance Sheets

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

		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	100,446.	28,100.	28,100.
	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			
	7 Other notes and loans receivable ▶			
	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			
	b Investments - corporate stock STMT 5	0.	100,786.	98,924.
	c Investments - corporate bonds			
11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶				
Less accumulated depreciation ▶				
12 Investments - mortgage loans				
13 Investments - other				
14 Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶				
Less accumulated depreciation ▶				
15 Other assets (describe ▶)				
16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers)	100,446.	128,886.	127,024.	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18 Grants payable			
	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶)			
23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	0.	0.		
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☐			
	24 Unrestricted			
	25 Temporarily restricted			
	26 Permanently restricted			
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☒			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	500.	500.	
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg, and equipment fund	0.	0.	
	29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	99,946.	128,386.	
30 Total net assets or fund balances	100,446.	128,886.		
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	100,446.	128,886.		

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	100,446.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	28,440.
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	0.
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	128,886.
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	5	0.
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	128,886.

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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.)
1a	MOODY'S CORPORATION 2,000 SHS	D	VARIOUS	03/05/13
b	MOODY'S CORPORATION 3,400 SHS	D	VARIOUS	09/06/13
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 99,928.		20,020.	79,908.
b 223,421.		34,034.	189,387.
c			
d			
e			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(i) 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	
a			79,908.
b			189,387.
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	269,295.
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) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8		3	N/A

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 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	175,485.	114,295.	1.535369
2010	544,890.	188,886.	2.884756
2009	886,173.	112,848.	7.852802
2008	945,412.	173,591.	5.446204
2007	1,145,802.	153,123.	7.482886

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	25.202017
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	5.040403
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2012 from Part X, line 5	4	86,972.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	438,374.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	2,706.
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	441,080.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8	446,950.

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.

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

1a Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ☐ and enter "N/A" on line 1 Date of ruling or determination letter _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary-see instructions)		1	2,706.
b Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ☒ and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b		2	0.
c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col (b)		3	2,706.
2 Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)		4	0.
3 Add lines 1 and 2		5	2,706.
4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)		6a	2,734.
5 Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-		6b	
6 Credits/Payments.		6c	
a 2012 estimated tax payments and 2011 overpayment credited to 2012		6d	
b Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source		7	2,734.
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)		8	
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld		9	
7 Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d		10	28.
8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached		11	0.
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 ☒ 28. Refunded ☒			

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
1a 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?		X
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see instructions for definition)? 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
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year (1) On the foundation ☒ \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers ☒ \$ 0.		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers ☒ \$ 0.		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.		X
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		X
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.		X
6 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?	X	
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ☒ CA		
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	X	
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		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses		X

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Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

11	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)	11		X
12	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)	12		X
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ► N/A	13	X	
14	The books are in care of ► LOUIS LEEBURG Located at ► 14441 N. 14TH STREET, PHOENIX, AZ	Telephone no ► 602-548-0092 ZIP+4 ► 85022		
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	15	N/A	
16	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 the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1 If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ►	16	Yes	No X

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
1a 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?	☐ Yes ☒ No	
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?	☐ Yes ☒ No	
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?	☐ Yes ☒ No	
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?	☐ Yes ☒ 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)?	☐ Yes ☒ 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.)	☐ Yes ☒ 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	N/A	1b
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?		1c 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 ►	☐ Yes ☒ 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.)	N/A	2b
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here ►		
3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?	☐ Yes ☒ 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.)	N/A	3b
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?		4a 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?		4b X

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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))?

☐ Yes ☒ No

(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955), or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?

☐ Yes ☒ No

(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?

☐ Yes ☒ No

(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)?

☐ Yes ☒ No

(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?

☐ Yes ☒ 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)?

N/A

5b

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?

☐ Yes ☒ No

6b

X

b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?

If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.

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

☐ Yes ☒ No

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.

(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
SEE STATEMENT 6		0.	0.	1,419.

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1). 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				

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000

▶ 0

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	1a	4,122.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	84,174.
c	Fair market value of all other assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	88,296.
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	0.
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0.
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	88,296.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	1,324.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	86,972.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	4,349.

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	4,349.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2012 from Part VI, line 5	2a	2,706.
b	Income tax for 2012 (This does not include the tax from Part VI)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	2,706.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	1,643.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	1,643.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	0.
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	1,643.

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	1a	446,950.
b	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b	0.
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)	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	446,950.
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	5	2,706.
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	444,244.

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				1,643.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2012				
a Enter amount for 2011 only			0.	
b Total for prior years		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2012				
a From 2007	1,151,129.			
b From 2008	945,414.			
c From 2009	887,292.			
d From 2010	549,190.			
e From 2011	176,923.			
f Total of lines 3a through e	3,709,948.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2012 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$	446,950.			
a Applied to 2011, but not more than line 2a			0.	
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				1,643.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	445,307.			
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:	4,155,255.			
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5				
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 instr			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)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2007 not applied on line 5 or line 7	1,151,129.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2013. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	3,004,126.			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2008	945,414.			
b Excess from 2009	887,292.			
c Excess from 2010	549,190.			
d Excess from 2011	176,923.			
e Excess from 2012	445,307.			

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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>				
PURDUE UNIVERSITY 403 WEST WOOD STREET WEST LAFAYETTE, IN 47907	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	138,134.
TIBETAN ASSOCIATION OF NO. CALIFORNIA 5200 HUNTINGTON AVE STE 200 RICHMOND, CA 94804	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	60,000.
FOUNDATION FOR SHAMANIC STUDIES PO BOX 1939 MILL VALLEY, CA 94942	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	30,000.
BREAD FOR THE JOURNEY 9 SANTA GABRIELLA COURT NOVATO, CA 94945	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	21,000.
THE FORGOTTEN INTERNATIONAL P.O. BOX 192066 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94119	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	18,000.
Total	SEE CONTINUATION SHEET(S)			439,815.
<i>b Approved for future payment</i>				
NONE				
Total				0.

Schedule B(Form 990, 990-EZ,
or 990-PF)Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Schedule of Contributors**

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

OMB No 1545-0047

2012**Name of the organization**THE BETSY GORDON FOUNDATION
C/O ELIZABETH GORDON**Employer identification number**

11-3634807

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 foundationCheck 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 1/3% 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).

LHA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF. Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2012)

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11-3634807**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	ELIZABETH GORDON 1537 FOURTH STREET BOX 15 SAN RAFAEL, CA 94901	\$ 431,454.	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☒ (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
2	ELIZABETH GORDON 1537 FOURTH STREET BOX 15 SAN RAFAEL, CA 94901	\$ 50,000.	Person ☒ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
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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) ▶ \$ _____

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

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Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

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
NORTH KOHALA COMM. RESOURCE CENTER PO BOX 519 HAWI, HI 96719	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	15,000.
LOS ANGELES BIO-MEDICAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE 1124 W CARSON ST BLDG N-14 TORRANCE, CA 90502	NONE	SO III FI	GENERAL OPERATIONS	15,000.
HEFFTER RESEARCH INSTITUTE 369 MONTEZUMA AVENUE 153 SANTA FE, NM 87501	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	11,481.
WOMENS EARTH ALLIANCE 2150 ALLSTON WAY, STE. 460 BERKELEY, CA 94704	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	10,000.
HEIFER INTERNATIONAL P O BOX 727 LITTLE ROCK, AR 72203	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	10,000.
TIBET ORAL HISTORY PROJECT PO BOX 6464 MORAGA, CA 94570	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	10,000.
WAIMEA MIDDLE SCHOOL 67-1229 MAMALAHOA HIGHWAY KAMUELA, HI 96743	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	10,000.
BIONEERS 1607 PASEO DE PERALTA STE 3 SANTA FE, NM 87501	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	10,000.
BECKLEY AREA FOUNDATION INC 129 MAIN STREET, SUITE 203 BECKLEY, WV 25801	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	10,000.
DESTINY ARTS CENTER 1000 42ND STREET OAKLAND, CA 94608	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	10,000.
Total from continuation sheets				172,681.

Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

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
BREAST CANCER FUND 1388 SUTTER ST, STE. 400 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	10,000.
THE THRESHOLD FOUNDATION PO BOX 29903 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94129	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	6,200.
GYUTO FOUNDATION 1439 OLD PIEDMONT RD SAN JOSE, CA 95132	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	5,000.
UC BERKELEY GREATER GOOD SCIENCE CENTER 2425 ATHERTON STREET #6070 BERKELEY, CA 94720	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	5,000.
NEW LEAF FOUNDATION 868 E UNIVERSITY MESA, AZ 85203	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	5,000.
TURN ON TO AMERICA PO BOX 643 LAFAYETTE, CA 94549	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	5,000.
SEARCH FOR COMMON GROUND 1601 CONNECTICUT WASHINGTON, DC 20009	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	5,000.
LOVE SERVE REMEMBER FOUNDATION HIGHWAY # 762 MALIBU, CA 90265	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	5,000.
MANAV SADHNA-GANDHI ASHRAM 1916 PASTORAL LN HANOVER PARK, IL 60133	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	5,000.
WOMENS VISIONARY COUNCIL 1994 GROVE ST SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94117	NONE	PC	GENERAL OPERATIONS	4,000.
Total from continuation sheets				

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3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

Total from continuation sheets

FORM 990-PF	GAIN OR (LOSS) FROM SALE OF ASSETS	STATEMENT	1
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(A) DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY		MANNER ACQUIRED	DATE ACQUIRED	DATE SOLD
MOODY'S CORPORATION 2,000 SHS		DONATED	VARIOUS	03/05/13
(B) GROSS SALES PRICE	(C) VALUE AT TIME OF ACQ.	(D) EXPENSE OF SALE	(E) DEPREC.	(F) GAIN OR LOSS
99,928.	94,980.	0.	0.	4,948.

(A) DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY		MANNER ACQUIRED	DATE ACQUIRED	DATE SOLD
MOODY'S CORPORATION 3,400 SHS		DONATED	VARIOUS	09/06/13
(B) GROSS SALES PRICE	(C) VALUE AT TIME OF ACQ.	(D) EXPENSE OF SALE	(E) DEPREC.	(F) GAIN OR LOSS
223,421.	235,688.	0.	0.	-12,267.

CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS FROM PART IV	0.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 6A	-7,319.

FORM 990-PF	DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES	STATEMENT	2
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SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	COLUMN (A) AMOUNT
BMO HARRIS	1,250.	0.	1,250.
NORTHERN TRUST	5.	0.	5.
TOTAL TO FM 990-PF, PART I, LN 4	1,255.	0.	1,255.

FORM 990-PF	ACCOUNTING FEES			STATEMENT	3
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
ACCOUNTING FEES	1,246.	0.		1,246.	
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16B	1,246.	0.		1,246.	

FORM 990-PF	OTHER EXPENSES			STATEMENT	4
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
CSC CORP	674.	0.		674.	
TAXES AND LICENSES	147.	0.		147.	
INSURANCE	3,634.	0.		3,634.	
BANK CHARGES	15.	0.		15.	
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	4,470.	0.		4,470.	

FORM 990-PF	CORPORATE STOCK		STATEMENT	5
DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE		
SECURITIES	100,786.	98,924.		
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10B	100,786.	98,924.		

FORM 990-PF PART VIII - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS STATEMENT 6
 TRUSTEES AND FOUNDATION MANAGERS

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVRG HRS/WK	COMPEN- SATION	EMPLOYEE BEN PLAN CONTRIB	EXPENSE ACCOUNT
ELIZABETH GORDON 1537 FOURTH STREET BOX 15 SAN RAFAEL, CA 94901	PRESIDENT 0.25	0.	0.	0.
JEAN MERLIN 1537 FOURTH STREET BOX 15 SAN RAFAEL, CA 94901	SECRETARY 0.25	0.	0.	0.
LOUIS LEEBURG 14441 N. 14TH STREET PHOENIX, AZ 85022	TREASURER 0.25	0.	0.	919.
ANGELES ARRIEN P.O. BOX 1278 SAUSALITO, CA 94966	TRUSTEE 0.25	0.	0.	0.
FRANCES VAUGHAN, PHD 10 MILLWOOD STREET, SUITE 3 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941	TRUSTEE 0.25	0.	0.	0.
RICCI CODDINGTON 65-1158 MANALAHOA HWY PMB #220 KAMAULA, HI 96743	TRUSTEE 0.25	0.	0.	500.
TOTALS INCLUDED ON 990-PF, PAGE 6, PART VIII		0.	0.	1,419.

Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

OMB No. 1545-1709

► **File a separate application for each return.**

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** and check this box ☒
- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** (on page 2 of this form).

Do not complete Part II unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

Electronic filing (e-file) You can electronically file Form 8868 if you need a 3-month automatic extension of time to file (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T), or an additional (not automatic) 3-month extension of time. You can electronically file Form 8868 to request an extension of time to file any of the forms listed in Part I or Part II with the exception of Form 8870, Information Return for Transfers Associated With Certain Personal Benefit Contracts, which must be sent to the IRS in paper format (see instructions). For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit www.irs.gov/efile and click on **e-file for Charities & Nonprofits**

Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time. Only submit original (no copies needed).

A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension - check this box and complete Part I only ☐

All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns.

Type or print File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions	Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions. THE BETSY GORDON FOUNDATION C/O ELIZABETH GORDON	Employer identification number (EIN) or 11-3634807
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 1537 FOURTH STREET BOX 15	Social security number (SSN)
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. SAN RAFAEL, CA 94901	

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

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Application Is For	Return Code	Application Is For	Return Code
Form 990 or Form 990-EZ	01	Form 990-T (corporation)	07
Form 990-BL	02	Form 1041-A	08
Form 4720 (individual)	03	Form 4720	09
Form 990-PF	04	Form 5227	10
Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	05	Form 6069	11
Form 990-T (trust other than above)	06	Form 8870	12

LOUIS LEEBURG

- The books are in the care of ► **14441 N. 14TH STREET - PHOENIX, AZ 85022**
Telephone No. ► **602-548-0092** FAX No. ►

- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box ☐
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) . If this is for the whole group, check this box ► ☐ . If it is for part of the group, check this box ► ☐ and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for.

- 1** I request an automatic 3-month (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until **JUNE 15, 2014**, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:
► ☐ calendar year _____ or
► ☒ tax year beginning **NOV 1, 2012**, and ending **OCT 31, 2013**.

- 2** If the tax year entered in line 1 is for less than 12 months, check reason: ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return
☐ Change in accounting period

3a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	3a	\$	2,706.
b If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit	3b	\$	2,734.
c Balance due. Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions	3c	\$	0.

Caution. If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions.

LHA **For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see instructions.**

Form **8868** (Rev. 1-2013)