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Form 990-PF

Return of Private Foundation

or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

For calendar year 2013, or tax year beginning 01-01-2013 , and ending 12-31-2013

Name of foundation RYMAN HOSPITALITY PROPERTIES FOUNDATION		A Employer identification number 20-2573370	
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) ONE GAYLORD DRIVE		B Telephone number (see instructions) (615) 316-6000	
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code NASHVILLE, TN 37214		C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐	
G Check all that apply ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return ☐ Address change ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Amended return ☐ 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) ☒ \$ 419,786		F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ☐	
J Accounting method ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) _____ (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)			

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc , received (attach schedule)	600,000			
	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.				
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss) _____				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10				
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a _____				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV , line 2)		0		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
Operating and Administrative Expenses	b Less Cost of goods sold				
	c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)				
	11 Other income (attach schedule)				
	12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	600,000	0		
	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0	0		0
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)				
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)				
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)				
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion . . .				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule)	56	0		56
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses.				
	Add lines 13 through 23	56	0		56
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	253,950			253,950
	26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	254,006	0		254,006
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	345,994			
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		0		
	c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)				

Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)	Beginning of year	End of year	
			(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing	73,792	419,786	419,786
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments			
	3	Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	4	Pledges receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	5	Grants receivable			
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)			
	7	Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	8	Inventories for sale or use			
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10a	Investments—U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)			
	b	Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)			
	c	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule).			
	11	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
	12	Investments—mortgage loans			
	13	Investments—other (attach schedule)			
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
	15	Other assets (describe ▶ _____)			
	16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	73,792	419,786	419,786
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 (attach schedule)			
	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 ▶ ☒ and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.			
	24	Unrestricted	73,792	419,786	
	25	Temporarily restricted			
	26	Permanently restricted			
		Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☐ and complete lines 27 through 31.			
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund			
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds			
	30	Total net assets or fund balances (see page 17 of the instructions)	73,792	419,786	
	31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see page 17 of the instructions)	73,792	419,786	

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	73,792
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	345,994
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	3	0
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	419,786
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	419,786

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				
(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				
b				
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) F M V as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any		
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				
2	Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) { If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }		2	
3	Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6) If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8 }		3	

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))
2012	306,500	97,763	3 135133
2011	453,405	280,267	1 617761
2010	580,125	322,615	1 798196
2009	608,475	121,324	5 015290
2008	573,187	335,005	1 710980
2	Total of line 1, column (d).		2 13 277360
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 2 655472
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2013 from Part X, line 5.		4 465,190
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3.		5 1,235,299
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b).		6 0
7	Add lines 5 and 6.		7 1,235,299
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4.		8 254,006
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 VIExcise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948—see page 18 of the instructions)

1a		Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ☐ and enter "N/A" on line 1		1	0
b		Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ☐ and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b			
c		All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col. (b)			
2		Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)		2	0
3		Add lines 1 and 2.		3	0
4		Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)		4	0
5		Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-		5	0
6		Credits/Payments			
a	2013 estimated tax payments and 2012 overpayment credited to 2013	6a			
b	Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source	6b			
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c			
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d			
7		Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d.		7	0
8		Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached.		8	
9		Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed		9	0
10		Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid.		10	
11		Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2014 estimated tax Refunded		11	

Part VII-AStatements Regarding Activities

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?	1a	Yes	No
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)? 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.	1b		No
c	Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?	1c		No
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.	2		No
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	3		No
4a	Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	4a		No
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	4b		
5	Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.	5		No
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?	6		No
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.	7	Yes	
8a	Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions): TN			
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 .	8b	Yes	
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 2013 or the taxable year beginning in 2013 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV	9		No
10	Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses.	10		No

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		No
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		No
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application?	13	Yes	
Website address ▶N/A				
14	The books are in care of ▶SHANNON SULLIVAN Telephone no ▶(615) 316-6725			
	Located at ▶ONE GAYLORD DRIVE NASHVILLE TN ZIP +4 ▶37214			
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		
16	At any time during calendar year 2013, 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?	16	Yes	No
	See instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1 If "Yes", enter the name of the foreign country ▶			

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 page 20 of the instructions)?. . . Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here. ▶ ☐	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 2013?.	1c		No
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 2013, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2013?. ☐ Yes ☒ No			
	If "Yes," list the years ▶ 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
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).	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 ▶ 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
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 2013 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 2013.</i>).	3b		
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a		No
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 2013?	4b		No

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)? (see instructions).

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)?

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?

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

b

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

6b

No

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?

7b

Part VIII

Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors

1

List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see instructions).

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
See Additional Data Table				

2

Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1—see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."

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

Total

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

0

Part VIII

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

3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). If none, enter "NONE".		
(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services.		0

Part IX-A

Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1	
2	
3	
4	

Part IX-B

Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2	Amount
1	
2	
All other program-related investments. See page 24 of the instructions.	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3.	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	0
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b	472,274
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d	472,274
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	472,274
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	7,084
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	465,190
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5.	6	23,260

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	23,260
2a	Tax on investment income for 2013 from Part VI, line 5.	2a	
b	Income tax for 2013 (This does not include the tax from Part VI).	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b.	2c	0
3	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1.	3	23,260
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4.	5	23,260
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	23,260

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	254,006
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	254,006
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see instructions).	5	0
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4.	6	254,006
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 2012	(c) 2012	(d) 2013
1 Distributable amount for 2013 from Part XI, line 7				23,260
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2013				
a Enter amount for 2012 only.			0	
b Total for prior years 20____, 20____, 20____		0		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2013				
a From 2008.	556,781			
b From 2009.	602,409			
c From 2010.	563,994			
d From 2011.	439,392			
e From 2012.	301,612			
f Total of lines 3a through e.	2,464,188			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2013 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ 254,006				
a Applied to 2012, 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 2013 distributable amount.				23,260
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	230,746			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2013 (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:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	2,694,934			
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 2012 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see instructions			0	
f Undistributed income for 2013 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2014				0
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (see instructions).	0			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2008 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions). . . .	556,781			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2014. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	2,138,153			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2009. . . .	602,409			
b Excess from 2010. . . .	563,994			
c Excess from 2011. . . .	439,392			
d Excess from 2012. . . .	301,612			
e Excess from 2013. . . .	230,746			

If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2013, enter the date of the ruling.

Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 2013	(b) 2012	(c) 2011	(d) 2010	

85% of line 2a					
Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon					
"Assets" alternative test—enter					
(1) Value of all assets					
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
"Endowment" alternative test— enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed.					
"Support" alternative test—enter					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii).					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

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))

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

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 2 a, b, c, and d.

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

SHANNON SULLIVAN
ONE GAYLORD DRIVE
NASHVILLE, TN 37214
(615) 316-6000

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

PROPOSALS ARE REVIEWED ON A MONTHLY BASIS WE GENERALLY DO NOT APPROVE REQUESTS FOR MULTI-YEAR COMMITMENTS ORGANIZATIONS ARE TYPICALLY NOTIFIED OF THE GRANT DECISION WITHIN 30 DAYS OF RECEIPT OF THE APPLICATION THE PROPOSAL SHOULD INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING * ORGANIZATION NAME, ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBER AND NAME OF THE CONTACT TO WHICH ALL CORRESPONDENCE SHOULD BE ADDRESSED * PURPOSE AND AMOUNT OF CONTRIBUTION REQUEST * DESCRIPTION OF THE ORGANIZATION'S OBJECTIVE * ORGANIZATION'S TAX EXEMPTION LETTER * LISTING OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS * GOAL OF INTENDED USE AND WHO WILL BENEFIT

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 REQUESTING FUNDS MUST BE TAX EXEMPT UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AND ALIGNED WITH ONE OF OUR FOCUS AREAS. ORGANIZATIONS RECEIVING CONTRIBUTIONS MUST BE IN COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY LAWS AND ALL OTHER FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS. IN ADDITION, THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF ORGANIZATIONS ARE INELIGIBLE: INDIVIDUALS, TRUSTS OR ENDOWMENTS, INTERNATIONAL/FOREIGN INSTITUTES, POLITICAL, LOBBYING, VETERAN OR LABOR PROGRAMS, RELIGIOUS, CIVIC, SOCIAL OR FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS.

Part XV

Supplementary Information (continued)

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)				
a Paid during the year See Additional Data Table				
Total			3a	253,950
b Approved for future payment				
Total			3b	0

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

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

Form **990-PF** (2013)

Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	Schedule of Contributors ▶ Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF. ▶ Information about Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) and its instructions is at <u>www.irs.gov/form990</u>.	OMB No 1545-0047 2013
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Name of the organization RYMAN HOSPITALITY PROPERTIES FOUNDATION	Employer identification number 20-2573370
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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 33¹/₃% 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 for 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 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 its Form 990PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

Name of organization RYMAN HOSPITALITY PROPERTIES FOUNDATION	Employer identification number 20-2573370
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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
<u>1</u>	RYMAN HOSPITALITY PROPERTIES INC ONE GAYLORD DRIVE NASHVILLE, TN 37214 	\$ 600,000	Person ☒ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
 	 	\$ 	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
 	 	\$ 	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
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Name of organization RYMAN HOSPITALITY PROPERTIES FOUNDATION	Employer identification number 20-2573370
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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
_____	_____ _____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
_____	_____ _____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
_____	_____ _____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
_____	_____ _____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
_____	_____ _____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
_____	_____ _____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____

Name of organization RYMAN HOSPITALITY PROPERTIES FOUNDATION	Employer identification number 20-2573370
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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 <i>exclusively</i> 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
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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(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
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(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
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(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
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(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	

Form 990PF Part VIII Line 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
COLIN V REED	CHAIRMAN 0 25	0	0	0
ONE GAYLORD DRIVE NASHVILLE,TN 37214				
MARK FIORAVANTI	PRESIDENT 0 25	0	0	0
ONE GAYLORD DRIVE NASHVILLE,TN 37214				
SCOTT J LYNN	SECRETARY 0 25	0	0	0
ONE GAYLORD DRIVE NASHVILLE,TN 37214				
BRIAN ABRAHAMSON	ASST SECRETARY 0 25	0	0	0
ONE GAYLORD DRIVE NASHVILLE,TN 37214				
JENNIFER HUTCHESON	TREASURER 0 25	0	0	0
ONE GAYLORD DRIVE NASHVILLE,TN 37214				
TODD SIEFERT	ASST TREASURER 0 25	0	0	0
ONE GAYLORD DRIVE NASHVILLE,TN 37214				

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)				
a Paid during the year				
100 BLACK MEN OF MIDDLE TENNESSEE INC PO BOX 140789 NASHVILLE,TN 37214	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH EDUCATION AND MENTORING	3,000
ADVENTURE SCIENCE CENTER 800 FORT NEGLEY BLVD NASHVILLE,TN 37203	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR EDUCATION AND YOUTH ENRICHMENT	3,000
ADVENTURE SCIENCE CENTER 800 FORT NEGLEY BLVD NASHVILLE,TN 37203	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH ENRICHMENT	250
AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION 1818 PATTERSON STREET NASHVILLE,TN 37203	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR HEALTH	3,000
ASMBBA STAR FOUNDATION 1000 NORTHCASE DRIVE NASHVILLE,TN 37216	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR COMMUNITY - VETERANS SERVICES	1,000
BARON HIRSCH CONGREGATION 400 S YATES RD MEMPHIS,TN 38120	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	COMMUNITY GRANT FOR GENERAL SUPPORT	1,000
BARUCH COLLEGE FUND ONE BERNARD BARUCH WAY BOX A-1603 NEWYORK,NY 100105585	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	MATCHING GRANT FOR GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
BEST BUDDIES TENNESSEE 116 WILSON PIKE CIR BRENTWOOD,TN 37027	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH	3,500
BOY SCOUTS OF MIDDLE TENNESSEE 3414 HILLSBORO ROAD NASHVILLE,TN 37215	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH	7,500
BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF MIDDLE TN 1704 CHARLOTTE AVENUE SUITE 200 NASHVILLE,TN 37203	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH	5,000
BRIGHTSTONE INC 140 SOUTHEAST PARKWAY COURT FRANKLIN,TN 37064	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH	5,000
COMMUNITY RESOURCE & DEVELOPMENT CENTER 1919 CHARLOTTE AVE 310 NASHVILLE,TN 37203	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR EDUCATION	5,000
CREATING AN ENVIRONMENT OF SUCCESS 3518 WEST HAMILTON AVENUE NASHVILLE,TN 37218	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH	10,000
DREAMBUILDERS FOUNDATION 2020 WILLOWMET LANE BRENTWOOD,TN 37027	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR HEALTH / COMMUNITY	3,000
DUCKS UNLIMITED ONE WATERFOWL WAY MEMPHIS,TN 38120	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR CONSERVATION EDUCATION	10,000
Total  3a				253,950

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Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year				
EAST NASHVILLE HOPE EXCHANGE PO BOX 68423 NASHVILLE,TN 37206	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH / ARTS	1,000
FRIENDS OF SHELBY PARK PO BOX 68499 NASHVILLE,TN 37206	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	COMMUNITY GRANT FOR GENERAL SUPPORT	2,500
FRIENDS OF TWO RIVERS MANSION 3130 MCGAVOCK PIKE NASHVILLE,TN 37214	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	COMMUNITY GRANT FOR GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000
GIRL SCOUTS OF MIDDLE TENNESSEE 4522 GRANNY WHITE PIKE NASHVILLE,TN 37204	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH	7,500
HARDING ACADEMY 170 WINDSOR DRIVE NASHVILLE,TN 37205	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR EDUCATION	1,000
HARDING ACADEMY 170 WINDSOR DRIVE NASHVILLE,TN 37205	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	MATCHING GRANT FOR GENERAL SUPPORT	1,000
HARPETH HALL SCHOOL 3801 HOBBS ROAD NASHVILLE,TN 37215	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	MATCHING GRANT FOR GENERAL SUPPORT	1,000
HOPE CLINIC FOR WOMEN 1810 HAYES STREET NASHVILLE,TN 37203	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR HEALTH AND COMMUNITY	2,500
INTERFACE MINISTRIES INC PO BOX 450816 ATLANTA,GA 311450816	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR COMMUNITY - YOUTH ENRICHMENT	1,000
JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT 120 POWELL PLACE NASHVILLE,TN 37204	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR EDUCATION - YOUTH PROGRAMMING	10,000
KIPP ACADEMY NASHVILLE PO 78126 NASHVILLE,TN 37207	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	MATCHING GRANT FOR GENERAL SUPPORT	1,000
LADIES HERMITAGE ASSOCICATION 4850 RACHELS LN HERMITAGE,TN 37076	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR EDUCATION	5,000
LEADERSHIP DONELSON HERMITAGE PO BOX 8387 HERMITAGE,TN 37076	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS	2,000
LEADERSHIP NASHVILLE FOUNDATION PO BOX 190498 NASHVILLE,TN 372190498	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	COMMUNITY GRANT FOR GENERAL SUPPORT	500
LIPSCOMB ELEMENTARY 8011 CONCORD RD BRENTWOOD,TN 37027	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR EDUCATION	200
Total  3a				253,950

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Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year				
MARTHA O'BRYAN CENTER 711 SOUTH 7TH ST NASHVILLE,TN 37206	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH AND COMMUNITY	1,000
MENTAL HEALTH ASSOC OF MIDDLE TN 295 PLUS PARK BLVD SUITE 201 NASHVILLE,TN 37217	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR HEALTH - MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS	2,000
METROPOLITAN NASHVILLE SCHOOLS 2601 BRANSFORD AVE NASHVILLE,TN 37204	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR EDUCATION	3,000
MONTGOMERY BELL ACADEMY 4001 WEST END AVENUE NASHVILLE,TN 37205	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	MATCHING GRANT FOR GENERAL SUPPORT	1,000
MUSICARES 1904 WEDGEWOOD AV NASHVILLE,TN 37212	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION BENEFITTING THE MUSIC COMMUNITY	5,000
MISSISSIPPI WILDLIFE FISHERIES & PARKS FOUNDATION PO BOX 14194 JACKSON,MS 39236	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR COMMUNITY - CONSERVATION EDUCATION	5,000
NASHVILLE CHAMBER PUBLIC BENEFIT FOUNDATION 211 COMMERCE STREET STE 100 NASHVILLE,TN 37201	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR COMMUNITY - HISTORY / EDUCATION	2,500
NASHVILLE BALLET 3630 REDMON STREET NASHVILLE,TN 37209	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR ARTS	5,000
NASHVILLE CHESS CENTER 2911 BELMONT BLVD NASHVILLE,TN 37212	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH	500
NASHVILLE CHILDREN'S THEATRE 25 MIDDLETON STREET NASHVILLE,TN 37210	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH / ARTS	2,500
NASHVILLE CHILDREN'S THEATRE 25 MIDDLETON STREET NASHVILLE,TN 37210	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH / ARTS	1,000
NASHVILLE OPPORTUNITIES INDUSTRIALIZATION CENTER PO BOX 280507 NASHVILLE,TN 37228	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR COMMUNITY - YOUTH ENRICHMENT	1,000
NASHVILLE OPERA 3622 REDMON STREET NASHVILLE,TN 37209	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR ARTS	5,000
NASHVILLE PUBLIC EDUCATION FOUNDATION 2400 FAIRFAX AVENUE NASHVILLE,TN 37212	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR EDUCATION	5,000
NASHVILLE SYMPHONY ASSOCIATION 1 SYMPHONY PLACE NASHVILLE,TN 37201	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR ARTS	15,000
Total  3a				253,950

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Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year				
NASHVILLE ZOO 3777 NOLENSVILLE PIKE NASHVILLE,TN 37211	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR CHILDREN'S ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS	5,000
PENCIL FOUNDATION 421 GREAT CIRCLE ROAD SUITE 100 NASHVILLE,TN 37228	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR EDUCATION	10,000
ROANE COUNTY HERITAGE COMMISSION 119 COURT ST KINGSTON,TN 37763	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR COMMUNITY - HISTORICAL PRESERVATION	2,500
RUBINSTEIN-TAYBI SYNDROME CHILDREN'S FOUN 33 MYERS FARM RD HINGHAM,MA 02043	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR HEALTH	5,000
SALAMA 1205 8TH AVENUE SOUTH NASHVILLE,TN 37203	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH - EDUCATION ENRICHMENT AND MENTORING	2,500
SIMON YOUTH FOUNDATION INC 225 WEST WASHINGTON ST INDIANAPOLIS,IN 46204	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH EDUCATION	2,500
SRVS GROUP HOME 3971 KNIGHT ARNOLD RD MEMPHIS,TN 38118	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR COMMUNITY - ADULTS WITH MENTAL DISABILITIES	1,000
TENNESSEE GOLF FOUNDATION 400 FRANKLIN ROAD FRANKLIN,TN 37069	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH ENRICHMENT	2,000
TENNESSEE PERFORMING ARTS CENTER 505 DEADERICK STREET NASHVILLE,TN 37216	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR ARTS	15,000
TENNESSEE REPERTORY THEATRE 161 RAINS AVE NASHVILLE,TN 37203	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR ARTS	5,000
TENNESSEE STATE MUSEUM 505 DEADERICK STREET NASHVILLE,TN 37243	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR ARTS	1,000
THE CONSERVANCY FOR THE PARTHENON PO BOX 196340 NASHVILLE,TN 37219	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR ARTS	2,000
TIDES FOUNDATION PO BOX 29903 SAN FRANCISCO,CA 941290903	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF NAACP FREEDOM FUND	3,500
TIDES FOUNDATION PO BOX 29903 SAN FRANCISCO,CA 941290903	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF NAACP FREEDOM FUND	3,000
VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL PMB 4077272301 VANDERBILT PLACE NASHVILLE,TN 372407727	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	MATCHING GRANT FOR GENERAL SUPPORT	1,000
Total  3a				253,950

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Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY-BLAIR SCH OF MUSIC PMB 4077272301 VANDERBILT PLACE NASHVILLE,TN 372407727	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR EDUCATION	5,000
WO SMITH MUSIC SCHOOL PO BOX 121348 NASHVILLE,TN 37212	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR ARTS	5,000
WILLIAMSON COUNTY CASA 101 FORREST CROSSING BLVD SUITE 108A FRANKLIN,TN 37064	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH	5,000
YMCA CAMP WIDJIWAGAN 3088 SMITH SPRINGS ROAD ANTIOCH,TN 37013	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH	15,000
YOUTH ENCOURAGEMENT SERVICES 521 MCIVER STREET NASHVILLE,TN 37211	N/A	501(C)(3) PUBLIC CHA	GRANT FOR SUPPORT OF PROGRAM MISSION FOR YOUTH	2,000
Total  3a				253,950

TY 2013 General Explanation Attachment

Name: RYMAN HOSPITALITY PROPERTIES FOUNDATION

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Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
COMPENSATION	FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 13	FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 13 ALL OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS SERVE ON A VOLUNTEER BASIS WITHOUT COMPENSATION THEREFORE, NO COMPENSATION OR OTHER BENEFITS HAVE BEEN REPORTED ON PART I, LINES 13 OR 14

TY 2013 Other Expenses Schedule

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Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
SECRETARY OF STATE FILING FEES	20	0		20
BANK CHARGES	36	0		36