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Form **990-PF****Return of Private Foundation**

OMB No 1545-0052

2013Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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

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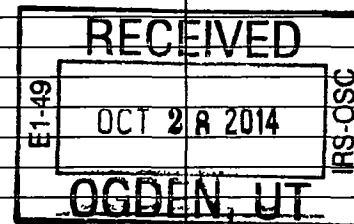
For calendar year 2013 or tax year beginning

, 2013, and ending

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Name of foundation WE SHARE A COMMON THREAD FOUNDATION, INC.		A Employer identification number 45-2916988
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address)	Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) (978) 323-4798
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City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code LOWELL, MA 01854		C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>
G Check all that apply		D 1 Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Initial return	<input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity	E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Final return	<input type="checkbox"/> Amended return	F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Address change	<input type="checkbox"/> Name change	
H Check type of organization <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) ▶ \$ 15,333.		
J Accounting method <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> 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)	149,860.			
	2 Check <input type="checkbox"/> 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)				
	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) (attach schedule)					
11 Other income (attach schedule) ATTCH. 1	17,082.				
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	166,942.	0	0		
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.	0			
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)				
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule) ATTCH. 2	1,100.			1,100.
	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) ATTCH. 3	2,746.			2,746.
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	3,846.			3,846.
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	170,924.			170,924.
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	174,770.	0	0	174,770.	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12	-7,828.				
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements		0			
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)					
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			0		



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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		23,161.	15,333.	15,333.
	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				
	10 a	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)			23,161.	15,333.	15,333.
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 ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.					
	24	Unrestricted				
	25	Temporarily restricted				
	26	Permanently restricted				
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, . . . ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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			23,161.	15,333.
	30	Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)			23,161.	15,333.
	31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)			23,161.	15,333.

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	23,161.
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-7,828.
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	15,333.
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	5	
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	15,333.

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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				
b				
c				
d				
e				
(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)	
a				
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 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	82,192.	30,265.	2.715744
2011	25,167.	10,499.	2.397085
2010			
2009			
2008			
2 Total of line 1, column (d)			5.112829
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			1.704276
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2013 from Part X, line 5			19,627.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3			33,450.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)			
7 Add lines 5 and 6			33,450.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4			174,770.

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

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

1a Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter "N/A" on line 1			
Date of ruling or determination letter _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary - see instructions)			
b Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b		1	0
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	
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 <input type="checkbox"/> 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-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 the 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. \$ (2) On foundation managers \$		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers \$		
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) MA,		
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 2013 or the taxable year beginning in 2013 (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?	13	X	
Website address WWW.WESHAREACOMMONTREAD.ORG/				
14	The books are in care of KIRK MCNEILL	Telephone no	978-323-4802	
	Located at ONE TREMONT PLACE LOWELL, MA	ZIP+4	01854	
15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here <input type="checkbox"/> 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 the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1 If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country			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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(2)	Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(3)	Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(4)	Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(5)	Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(6)	Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days.) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b	If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? <input type="checkbox"/>	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? <input type="checkbox"/>	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 2013, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2013? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," list the years		
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	X
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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2013.)	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 2013?	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)? (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)? ☐ Yes ☒ NoOrganizations 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? ☐ Yes ☒ 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? ☐ Yes ☒ No**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
ATCH 4		0	0	0

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 ☐

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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 ▶

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 N/A	
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 NONE	
2	
All other program-related investments See instructions	
3 NONE	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3 ▶	

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

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:	
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b 19,926.
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d 19,926.
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3 19,926.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2 % of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4 299.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4.	5 19,627.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6 981.

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	1 981.
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
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3 981.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5 981.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1.	7 981.

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 174,770.
b	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b
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.	4 174,770.
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.	6 174,770.

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.

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Page **9****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				981.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2013				
a Enter amount for 2012 only				
b Total for prior years 20 <u>11</u> , 20 <u>10</u> , 20 <u>09</u>				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2013				
a From 2008				
b From 2009				
c From 2010				
d From 2011 24,940.				
e From 2012 80,679.				
f Total of lines 3a through e	105,619.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2013 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ <u>174,770.</u>				
a Applied to 2012, but not more than line 2a				
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions)				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions)				
d Applied to 2013 distributable amount				981.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	173,789.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2013 . (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))				
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	279,408.			
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b				
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				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount - see instructions				
e Undistributed income for 2012 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount - see instructions				
f Undistributed income for 2013 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2014				
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (see instructions)				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2008 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)				
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2014. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	279,408.			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2009				
b Excess from 2010				
c Excess from 2011 24,940.				
d Excess from 2012 80,679.				
e Excess from 2013 173,789.				

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

NOT APPLICABLE

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

b Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section

4942(j)(3) or

4942(j)(5)

	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 2013	(b) 2012	(c) 2011	(d) 2010	
2 a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed					
b 85% of line 2a					
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon					
a "Assets" alternative test - enter					
(1) Value of all assets					
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
b "Endowment" alternative test - enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed					
c "Support" alternative test - enter					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

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

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

NONE

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

NONE

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

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

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

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

SEE ATTACHED APPLICATION FORM

c Any submission deadlines

SEE ATTACHED APPLICATION FORM

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

SEE ATTACHED APPLICATION FORM

Part XV Supplementary Information (continued)**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

<div>Recipient</div> <div>Name and address (home or business)</div>	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
a Paid during the year SEE ATTACHED STATEMENT	NOT RELATED	PC	EXEMPT PURPOSES	170,924.
Total ▶ 3a				170,924.
b Approved for future payment ATCH 6				
Total ▶ 3b				104,499.

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations)

Line No.

Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XVI-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes) (See instructions)

1 Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?		Yes	No
a Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of:			
(1) Cash	1a(1)		X
(2) Other assets	1a(2)		X
b Other transactions			
(1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization	1b(1)		X
(2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization	1b(2)		X
(3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets	1b(3)		X
(4) Reimbursement arrangements	1b(4)		X
(5) Loans or loan guarantees	1b(5)		X
(6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations	1b(6)		X
c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees	1c		X
d If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column (b) should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting foundation. If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column (d) the value of the goods, other assets, or services received.			

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2a Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If "Yes," complete the following schedule

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship

**Sign
Here**

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


Signature of officer or trustee

10/24/14
Date

► Treasurer
Title

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instructions)? ☒ Yes ☐ No

**Paid
Preparer
Use Only**

Pnnt/Type preparer's name
MICHAEL J ROWE , CPA

Preparer's signature Harold J. Rowe

Date 9/29/14

Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN P00535831
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Firm's name	▶ WOLF & COMPANY, PC
Firm's address	▶ 99 HIGH STREET, 21ST FLOOR BOSTON, MA

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Phone no 617-439-9700

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, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.**▶ Information about Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

OMB No 1545-0047

2013

Name of the organization

WE SHARE A COMMON THREAD FOUNDATION, INC.

Employer identification number

45-2916988

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 its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

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) (2013)

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Name of organization **WE SHARE A COMMON THREAD FOUNDATION, INC.**Employer identification number
45-2916988**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	JEANNE D'ARC CREDIT UNION 658 MERRIMACK STREET LOWELL, MA 01854	\$ 145,530.	Person <input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
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Name of organization **WE SHARE A COMMON THREAD FOUNDATION, INC.**

Employer identification number

45-2916988

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
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
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Name of organization **WE SHARE A COMMON THREAD FOUNDATION, INC.**

Employer identification number

45-2916988**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 entryFor organizations completing Part III, enter the total of *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions.) ▶ \$ _____

Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee
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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
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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
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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
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ATTACHMENT 1

FORM 990PF, PART I - OTHER INCOME

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS</u>	<u>NET INVESTMENT INCOME</u>	<u>ADJUSTED NET INCOME</u>
FUNDRAISING INCOME	17,082.		
TOTALS	<u>17,082.</u>		

ATTACHMENT 2FORM 990PF, PART I - ACCOUNTING FEES

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS</u>	<u>NET INVESTMENT INCOME</u>	<u>ADJUSTED NET INCOME</u>	<u>CHARITABLE PURPOSES</u>
WOLF & COMPANY, P.C.	1,100.			1,100.
TOTALS	<u>1,100.</u>			<u>1,100.</u>

ATTACHMENT 3FORM 990PF, PART I - OTHER EXPENSES

DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME	ADJUSTED NET INCOME	CHARITABLE PURPOSES
MA ANNUAL FILING FEES	52.			52.
CHECK ORDERING FEES	100.			100.
FUNDRAISING EXPENSES	2,594.			2,594.
TOTALS	<u>2,746.</u>			<u>2,746.</u>

WE SHARE A COMMON THREAD FOUNDATION, INC.

45-2916988

FORM 990PF, PART VIII - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AND TRUSTEESATTACHMENT 4

<u>NAME AND ADDRESS</u>	<u>TITLE AND AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED TO POSITION</u>	<u>COMPENSATION</u>	<u>CONTRIBUTIONS TO EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS</u>	<u>EXPENSE ACCT AND OTHER ALLOWANCES</u>
MARK S COCHRAN ONE TREMONT PLACE LOWELL, MA 01854	PRESIDENT/DIRECTOR 1.00	0	0	0
SUSAN GRUBER ONE TREMONT PLACE LOWELL, MA 01854	TREASURER/DIRECTOR 1.00	0	0	0
STEPHEN JONES ONE TREMONT PLACE LOWELL, MA 01854	CLERK/DIRECTOR 1.00	0	0	0
MICHELLE SILVEIRA ONE TREMONT PLACE LOWELL, MA 01854	DIRECTOR 1.00	0	0	0
ANNE-MARIE BISSON ONE TREMONT PLACE LOWELL, MA 01854	DIRECTOR 1.00	0	0	0
GRAND TOTALS				
		0	0	0

ATTACHMENT 5

FORM 990PF, PART XV - NAME, ADDRESS AND PHONE FOR APPLICATIONS

SUSAN HANNIGAN
ONE TREMONT PLACE
LOWELL, MA 01854
978-323-4798

WE SHARE A COMMON THREAD FOUNDATION, INC

45-2916988

FORM 990PF, PART XV - CONTRIBUTIONS APPROVED FOR FUTURE PAYMENT

ATTACHMENT 6

RECIPIENT NAME AND ADDRESS	RELATIONSHIP TO SUBSTANTIAL CONTRIBUTOR AND FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT	PURPOSE OF GRANT OR CONTRIBUTION	AMOUNT
LOWELL COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER AVAILABLE UPON REQUESTED	NOT RELATED PC	LCHC EXPANSION	15,000.
D'YOUVILLE AVAILABLE UPON REQUESTED	NOT RELATED PC	D'YOUVILLE'S CONTINUUM OF CARING CAPITAL CAMPAIGN	30,000.
LOWELL GENERAL HOSPITAL AVAILABLE UPON REQUESTED	NOT RELATED PC	LEGACY FUND, TEAM/WALK CANCER, GOLF CHALLENGE	45,000.
MERRIMACK VALLEY HOSPICE HOUSE AVAILABLE UPON REQUESTED	NOT RELATED PC	ANNUAL CAMPAIGN AND CORPORATE EVENT SPONSOR	14,499
TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS APPROVED			104,499

ATTACHMENT 6

WE SHARE A COMMON THREAD FOUNDATION, INC.

45-2916988

FORM 990-PF, PART XVI-A - ANALYSIS OF OTHER REVENUE

ATTACHMENT 7

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>BUSINESS CODE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>EXCLUSION CODE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>RELATED OR EXEMPT FUNCTION INCOME</u>
FUNDRAISING INCOME					17,082.
TOTALS					<u>17,082.</u>

We Share a Common Thread

2013 Donation detailed

Date	Amount	Description
6/20/2013	1,000	Dana Farber Breast Cancer Research
6/20/2013	500	St. Patrick Parish - Shantytown
6/20/2013	250	Lowell Transitional Living Center
6/20/2013	150	The Jimmy Fund
6/20/2013	100	Star of Life Charities, LLC
7/5/2013	2,500	Merrimack Valley Food Bank
7/5/2013	1,500	The Renaissance Club (Give A Click)
7/5/2013	1,000	Ste Jeanne d'Arc School
7/5/2013	300	American Hellenic Educational Progressive Association
7/5/2013	250	Alternative House
7/5/2013	100	Central Congregational Church
7/8/2013	250	Lowell Transitional Living Center
7/16/2013	1,004	W/D Oriental Trading (Beads, S&H, Tax) - Lowell Folk Festival
7/31/2013	1,500	March of Dimes
7/31/2013	1,250	Community Teamwork Inc - BBBS
7/31/2013	250	Friends of Lowell Community Charter Public School
7/31/2013	200	Tiger Football Club - Get Jack Better Fund
7/31/2013	200	Lowell Catholic High School
8/7/2013	250	Friends of Lowell Community Charter Public School
8/7/2013	250	Lowell Transitional Living Center
8/27/2013	1,000	Lowell Sun Charities
9/8/2013	1,000	D'Youville Foundation
9/9/2013	250	Lowell Transitional Living Center
9/13/2013	250	Pink Links "Fore" A Cure
9/13/2013	250	Lowell Youth Lacrosse
9/24/2013	2,500	Boys & Girls Club of Greater Lowell
9/24/2013	500	Women Working Wonders Fund
9/24/2013	500	Franco American School
9/24/2013	500	Mill City Grows
9/24/2013	250	Operation Delta Dog
9/24/2013	250	The Wish Project
9/24/2013	100	St. Margaret School
9/24/2013	100	Helping Hand Veteran Fund
9/25/2013	325	W/D - Boston Athletic Association
10/3/2013	1,500	Lucy's Love Bus Charitable Trust
10/10/2013	1,000	Table of Plenty (replaces ck 1295)
10/10/2013	250	Lowell Transitional Living Center
10/23/2013	2,800	D'Youville Foundation
10/23/2013	2,500	Catie's Closet
10/23/2013	1,500	Cambodian Mutual Assistance Association
10/23/2013	1,000	Salvation Army
10/23/2013	850	Merrimack Valley River House

We Share a Common Thread
2013 Donation detailed

Date	Amount	Description
10/23/2013	250	Challenge Unlimited
10/23/2013	200	Dracut Special Education Parent Advisory Council
11/1/2013	1,000	Kids At Heart
11/4/2013	500	Lincoln School
11/4/2013	200	Jericho Road Lawrence
11/4/2013	100	LifeLinks, Inc.
11/4/2013	100	Manolis Family Foundation, Inc.
11/4/2013	100	Saint Louis School
11/13/2013	350	Girls Inc.
11/18/2013	250	Lowell Transitional Living Center
11/20/2013	140	Girls Inc - Donation of Holiday Bags
11/22/2013	2,000	Merrimack Valley Housing Partnership
11/22/2013	500	The SUN Santa
11/22/2013	500	The Salvation Army
11/22/2013	500	ABS-CBN Foundation International
11/22/2013	500	Community Teamwork
12/12/2013	3,400	Catie's Closet
12/12/2013	1,000	Credit Union's Kids At Heart
12/3/2014	1,500	Salvation Army
170,924		

We Share a Common Thread
2013 Donation detailed

Date	Amount	Description
4/5/2013	1,000	Servants for Haiti
4/8/2013	250	Lowell Transitional Living Center
4/9/2013	5,000	My Father's House
4/16/2013	10,000	EasCorp FBO Kids at Heart
4/22/2013	1,000	Merrimack Valley Food Bank
4/22/2013	1,000	Food Pantry of Pelham
4/22/2013	1,000	Dracut Food Pantry
4/22/2013	1,000	Girls Incorporated of Greater Lowell
4/22/2013	1,000	Alternative House
4/22/2013	500	Acre Family Day Care
4/22/2013	500	St. Paul's Soup Kitchen
4/22/2013	500	Life Links
4/22/2013	500	The Paul Center
4/22/2013	500	Big Brothers/Big Sisters
4/22/2013	500	Center for Hope and Healing
4/22/2013	500	The Wish Project
4/22/2013	500	Brigid's Crossing
4/22/2013	500	Milly's Place Family Shelter
4/22/2013	500	Merrimack House
4/30/2013	850	W/D LGH Walkers
5/6/2013	5,000	Owl Dine Charities
5/6/2013	5,000	D'Youville Foundation
5/6/2013	2,500	Micky Ward Charities
5/6/2013	1,150	Immaculate Conception Parish
5/6/2013	500	Budget Buddies
5/6/2013	400	Walkers
5/6/2013	250	Lowell High School BPA
5/6/2013	200	Methuen Scholarship Foundation
5/6/2013	100	National Youth Leadership Forum
5/13/2013	250	Lowell Transitional Living Center
5/14/2013	5,000	LGH Cancer Walk
5/20/2013	275	W/D LGH Walkers
5/31/2013	4,500	Celeste and Sydney Fund
6/4/2013	1,000	The Jeff Bauman Fund (Boston Marathon Bombing Victim)
6/4/2013	100	Shannon Davis Fundraiser (Gift Card - BMB Victim)
6/6/2013	2,500	My Father's House
6/6/2013	1,080	Massachusetts Credit Union League
6/6/2013	500	Lowell Community Health Center
6/6/2013	500	The International Institute of New England
6/6/2013	250	In It For Ian Foundation
6/6/2013	250	The Wish Project
6/6/2013	250	Above The Clouds

We Share a Common Thread
2013 Donation detailed

Date	Amount	Description
1/4/2013	2,500	D'Youville Life & Wellness Foundation
1/4/2013	300	Boston Athletic Association
1/10/2013	2,500	Catie's Closet
1/10/2013	500	Coalition for a Better Acre
1/10/2013	500	Lowell Parks & Conservation Trust
1/10/2013	500	Town of Chelmsford Scholarship Fund, Inc.
1/10/2013	250	The Catholic School Foundation
1/10/2013	250	The Paul Center
1/10/2013	200	Teamwalk for CancerCare
1/14/2013	250	Lowell Transitional Living Center
1/18/2013	1,500	Brigid's Crossing
1/23/2013	2,900	Lowell General Hospital
1/23/2013	500	Woodcrest Fire Relief Fund
1/23/2013	500	Merrimack Valley Food Bank
1/23/2013	200	St. Patrick's Parish
1/29/2013	500	Get Better Jack Fund
1/31/2013	550	Lowell Community Healthcare Center - Teen Coalition
2/7/2013	1,000	ReBuilding Together Lowell
2/7/2013	250	Charlotte M. Murkland School
2/7/2013	250	Lowell Association for the Blind
2/11/2013	250	Lowell Transitional Living Center
2/14/2013	15,000	Lowell General Hospital
2/28/2013	10,000	D'Youville Foundation
3/5/2013	1,500	Community Teamwork, Inc.
3/5/2013	300	Big Brothers, Big Sisters
3/5/2013	300	Dracut Scholarship Foundation
3/5/2013	250	American Cancer Society
3/5/2013	250	American Cancer Society
3/7/2013	1,000	Merrimack Valley Hospice
3/11/2013	250	Lowell Transitional Living Center
3/22/2013	5,000	Catie's Closet
3/25/2013	5,000	Boys & Girls Club of Greater Lowell
3/25/2013	5,000	Lowell Community Healthcare Center
3/25/2013	1,000	Caring Partners, Inc.
3/25/2013	250	Light of Cambodian Children
3/27/2013	1,500	Living Waters
3/27/2013	1,000	Girls Inc
3/27/2013	1,000	Massachusetts Credit Union League
3/27/2013	500	Harvard Summer School Program (fbo Brittany Petros)
3/27/2013	250	Methuen Arlington Neighborhood
3/27/2013	200	Greater Lowell Derby Party
4/2/2013	1,500	Lowell Day Nursery



Charitable Contribution Request Form

1 Tremont Place, Lowell, MA 01854 • 978-452-5001

www.weshareacommonthread.org

Prior to completing this form, please refer to We Share A Common Thread Charitable Contribution Guidelines on www.weshareacommonthread.org to determine if your organization qualifies for consideration.

Date of Request: _____ Date Funds Needed: _____

Name of Organization: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Area Your Organization Services: _____

Name of Contact Person: _____

Title: _____

Phone #: _____ Fax #: _____

Email Address: _____

Does this organization have a non-profit tax-exempt classification under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code? Yes _____ No _____ (place a check mark next to answer)

Name of the Event: _____

Date of Event: _____ Amount Requested: _____

Purpose of Funds: _____

Foundation Use Only:

Approved: _____ Denied: _____

Amount: _____ Date: _____

Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

► **File a separate application for each return.**
► **Information about Form 8868 and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form8868.**

OMB No. 1545-1709

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** and check this box ☒ X
 • 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, REMCs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns. Enter filer's identifying number, see instructions.

Enter filer's identifying number, see instructions

Type or print File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.	Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions.	Employer identification number (EIN) or
	WE SHARE A COMMON THREAD FOUNDATION, INC.	45-2916988
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions	Social security number (SSN)
	ONE TREMONT PLACE	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions.	
	LOWELL, MA 01854	

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 (other than individual)	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

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Telephone No. ► 978 323-4802

FAX No. ► 978 323-3277

- 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 08/15, 2014, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:
- ▶ ☒ calendar year 2013 or
- ▶ ☐ tax year beginning _____, 20____, and ending _____, 20____.

- 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	\$	0
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	\$	0
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 funds withdrawal (direct debit) with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions.

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

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• If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** and check this box. ☒ **X**

Note. Only complete Part II if you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

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Part II Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time. Only file the original (no copies needed).

Type or print	Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions.		Enter filer's identifying number, see instructions	
	WE SHARE A COMMON THREAD FOUNDATION, INC.		Employer identification number (EIN) or	
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions.		45-2916988	
	ONE TREMONT PLACE		Social security number (SSN)	
File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions.			
	LOWELL, MA 01854			

Enter the Return code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return) **0 4**

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STOP! Do not complete Part II if you were not already granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

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• 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.

4 I request an additional 3-month extension of time until **11/17**, 20 **14**

5 For calendar year **2013**, or other tax year beginning **20**, and ending **20**

6 If the tax year entered in line 5 is for less than 12 months, check reason: ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return

☐ Change in accounting period

7 State in detail why you need the extension **ADDITIONAL TIME IS NEEDED TO GATHER NECESSARY INFORMATION TO COMPLETE AN ACCURATE TAX RETURN**

8a If this application is for Forms 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	8a \$	0
b If this application is for Forms 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 and any amount paid previously with Form 8868.	8b \$	0
c Balance Due. Subtract line 8b from line 8a. Include your payment with this form, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	8c \$	0

Signature and Verification must be completed for Part II only.

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form.

Signature **Harry A. Kalajian Jr**

Title **SR. TAX MANAGER**

Date **07/28/2014**

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