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Return of Private Foundation
or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation**2015**

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For calendar year 2015 or tax year beginning

, 2015, and ending

, 20

Name of foundation Schoen Family Charitable Trust		A Employer identification number 206 771 963
Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 3552 DeKalb Lane	Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) 920-284-7480
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code Noenah, WI 54956		C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐
G Check all that apply: ☐ Initial return ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Final return ☐ Amended return ☐ Address change ☐ Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here . . . ☐ 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation . . . ☐
H Check type of organization: ☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation ☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here . . . ☐
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) ▶ \$	J Accounting method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) _____ (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)	F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here . . . ☐

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (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)	45,420			
	2 Check ☐ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			N/A	
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	41,854	41,854		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	13,954			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		13,954		
	8 Net short-term capital gain			N/A	
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b Less: Cost of goods sold					
c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)			N/A		
11 Other income (attach schedule)					
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	101,228	55,808			
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.				
	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)	750	750		
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	872	872		
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule)				
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	764	764		
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	90,149			90,149
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	92,535	2386	N/A	90,149	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	8,693				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		53,422			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			N/A		

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		45,796	47,451	47,451
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		3		
	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)		766,923	777,355	1,543,301
	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)		812,659	824,806	1,590,750
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)				
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				
	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 instructions)				
	31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)				

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)	1 812,659
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2 8,693
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ 3454 stock basis of ConocoPhillips	3 3,454
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4 824,806
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	6 824,806

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	Capital Gain Distributions	P		
b	91 shs 1 Shares US Ags Bond (AGG)	P	9/10/10	7/28/15
c	1,425 sh Loomis Sayles Bond Fund (LSBEX)	P	1/11/07	7/28/15
d	421 sh Kraft Foods Group XXYMANDATE	P	Various	7/06/15
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 6,682			6,682
b 9,937		9,796	141
c 20,000		19,816	184
d 6,946		2	6,946
e			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69

(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	(l) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))
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	13,954
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))
2014	75,229	1,435,353	.05241
2013	55,280	1,243,749	.04444
2012	51,930	1,059,371	.04902
2011	44,374	907,944	.04887
2010	22,764	562,848	.04044

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	.23518
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	.04704
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5	4	1,533,168
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	72,120
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	534
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	72,654
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 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.	8	90,149

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

1a	Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ☐ and enter "N/A" on line 1. Date of ruling or determination letter: _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary—see instructions)			
b	Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ☒ and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	1	534	-
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	534	-
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	4		
5	Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-	5	534	-
6	Credits/Payments:			
a	2015 estimated tax payments and 2014 overpayment credited to 2015	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		
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	534	-
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 2016 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?		☒
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see instructions for the definition)? <i>If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.</i>		☒
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		☒
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? <i>If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.</i>		☒
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? <i>If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes.</i>		☒
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		☒
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? <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.</i>		☒
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?		☒
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV</i>		☒
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ▶		
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 <i>General Instruction G</i> ? <i>If "No," attach explanation</i>		☒
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 2015 or the taxable year beginning in 2015 (see instructions for Part XIV)? <i>If "Yes," complete Part XIV</i>		☒
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses</i>		☒

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

	Yes	No
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)		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)		X
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ►	N/A	
14 The books are in care of ► <u>Jeff Mootz</u> Telephone no. ► <u>920-284-7481</u> Located at ► <u>3552 Dekalb Lane Neenah, WI</u> ZIP+4 ► <u>54956-9048</u>		
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 2015, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. 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? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days.) ☐ Yes ☒ No		
b If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ► ☐	1b	N/A
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 2015?	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 2015, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2015? ☐ 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	N/A
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 2015 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 2015.)	3b	N/A
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 2015?	4b	X

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 4945(d)(4)(A)? (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

5b N/A

6b

7b N/A

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
John Schoen 1225 Higwatha East Dubuque, IL 61025	Trustee 1.5 hrs/week	0	0	0
Laura Mootz 3552 DeKalb Lane Neenah, WI 54956	Trustee/MGR 5.0 hrs/wk	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
at none				

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

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

all 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		
2		
3		
4		

N/A

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		
3		

N/A

All other program-related investments. See instructions.

Total. Add lines 1 through 3



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	1512478
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	44,038
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	1,556,516
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	1,556,516
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1½% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	23,348
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	1,533,168
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	76,658

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	76,658
2a	Tax on investment income for 2015 from Part VI, line 5	2a	534
b	Income tax for 2015. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	319
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	843
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	75,815
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	-
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	75,815
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	75,815

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	90,149
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	90,149
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	534
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	89,615

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 2014	(c) 2014	(d) 2015
1 Distributable amount for 2015 from Part XI, line 7				75,815
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015:				
a Enter amount for 2014 only			14,654	
b Total for prior years: 20____, 20____, 20____		0		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015:				
a From 2010				
b From 2011				
c From 2012				
d From 2013				
e From 2014				
f Total of lines 3a through e	0			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2015 from Part XII, line 4: ► \$ <u>90,149</u>				
a Applied to 2014, but not more than line 2a			14,654	
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 2015 distributable amount				75,495
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2015 (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	0			
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 2014. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount—see instructions			0	
f Undistributed income for 2015. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2016				320
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required—see instructions)	0			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2010 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)	0			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	0			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2011				
b Excess from 2012				
c Excess from 2013				
d Excess from 2014				
e Excess from 2015				

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

1a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2015, 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)

2a 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) 2015	(b) 2014	(c) 2013	(d) 2012	
85% of line 2a	NIA	NIA	NIA	NIA
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 $\frac{2}{3}$ 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).)

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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:

Laura Mootz 3552 DeKalb Lane Neenah, WI 54956

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

written request, including name & address, purpose of request, tax exempt form

c Any submission deadlines:

June 15, 2015

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

none in 2015

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

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
a Paid during the year				
see attachment				
Total				3a
b Approved for future payment				
N/A				
Total				3b

Part XVII Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations

- | | Yes | No |
|---|--------------|----|
| 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? | | |
| 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. | | |

(a) Line no.	(b) Amount involved	(c) Name of noncharitable exempt organization	(d) Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements
		2-21-1A	

- 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

Date 2/29/16

Title Trustee

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

**Paid
Preparer
Use Only**

Print/Type preparer's name

Preparer's signature

Date _____

Check ☐ if self-employed

PTIN

Firm's name ▶

Firm's EIN ►

Firm's address ►

Phone no.

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

OMB No. 1545-0047

2015

▶ 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.

Name of the organization

Schoen Family Charitable Trust

Employer identification number

206771963

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, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

Special Rules

For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) 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), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions 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 an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *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 an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled 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 totaling \$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).

Name of organization

Schoen Family Charitable Trust

Employer identification number

206 771 963

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	John Schoen 1225 Hiawatha East Dubuque, IL 61025-1025	\$ 25,000	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
2	John Schoen 1225 Hiawatha East Dubuque, IL 61025-1025	\$ 49,956	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
3	Dan Schoen 3065 Castletwoods Lane Dubuque, IA 52001	\$ 998	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
4	Laura Mootz 3552 Dekalb Lane Neenah, WI 54956	\$ 500	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
5	Sue Coblenz 27 W 153 West St. Naperville, IL 60565	\$ 500	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
6	Pete Schoen 1952 Wedgewood Dr. Asbury, IA 52002	\$ 500	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

Name of organization

Schoen Family Charitable Trust

Employer identification number

*206771963***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
<i>7</i>	<i>Mike Schoen</i> <i>1857 Horseshoe Ct.</i> <i>Pe Pere, WI 54115-7952</i>	<i>\$ 500</i>	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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Name of organization

Schoen Family Charitable Trust

Employer identification number

206 771963

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

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
1	445 shares Powershares QQQ Trust SRS 1 FTE: (QQQ) Donor Basis #17,817	\$ 49,956	12/28/15
3	62 shares Atlantic Trust Equity INST (AWEIX) Donor Basis # 603	\$ 998	12/17/15
		\$	
		\$	
		\$	
		\$	
		\$	

Schedule of Operating and Administrative Expenses

Part 1

Line 16A		Legal Fees			
<u>CK #</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Comments</u>	
Line 16C		Other Professional Fees			
<u>CK #</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Comments</u>	
269	2/25/15	Exponentent Philantrophy	\$ 750.00	Membership Fee	
Line 18		Taxes			
<u>CK #</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Comments</u>	
N/A	N/A	Foreign Tax Paid	\$ 319.28	On 1099 Form for Schoen Charitable Trust	
272	7/13/15	United States Treasury	\$ 552.53	from Charles Schwab for 2014	
				2014 Taxes	
Line 23		Other Expenses			
<u>CK #</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Comments</u>	
270	3/19/15	US Post Office	\$ 52.85	Postage	
271	3/31/15	Best Buy	\$ 199.63	Office Supplies	
Debit	7/24/15	Verizon	\$ 405.36	Office Supplies	
Debit	10/28/15	Win Host	\$ 25.90	Office Supplies	
Debit	11/21/15	Win Host	\$ 79.85	Phone Expense	

Part 2 Schedule of Investments (1 of 2)

Line 10a

U.S. and State Government Obligations

none

Line 10b

Investments Corporate Stock

<u>Symbol</u>	<u>Investment</u>	12/31/15 Cost	12/31/15 Market Value
MO	Altria Group Inc	\$47,631	\$174,395
KFT	Kraft Foods Inc	\$4,695	\$30,632
MDLZ	Mondelez Intl	\$8,689	\$56,678
PM	Philip Morris Intl Inc	\$33,830	\$167,644
NOV	National OilWell Varco	\$4,812	\$4,856
CTL	Century Tell	\$754	\$403
PFF	ISHARES S&P US PFD FUND	\$19,980	\$21,367
EFA	ISHARES TR MSCI EAFE FD	\$47,871	\$45,214
IWO	ISHARES TR RUSSELL 2000 Growth	\$24,804	\$55,712
IWM	ISHARES TR RUSSELL 2000 Index Fund	\$64,171	\$132,554
IWN	ISHARES TR RUSSELL 2000 Value Index	\$43,568	\$65,978
IJR	ISHARES TR SCAP ETF	\$34,585	\$82,583
SDY	SPDR S&P Dividend ETF	\$15,213	\$22,717
DWX	SPDR Intl Dividend	\$25,073	\$16,280
DIM	Wisdomtree Intl MDCP Div	\$12,805	\$12,935
VVO	Vanguard Emerging Market	\$25,038	\$21,229
INTC	Intel Corp	\$40,880	\$68,900
USB	US Bancorp Del New	\$20,517	\$94,907
JMCVX	Perkins Mid Cap Value Fund	\$20,872	\$15,638
SWOIX	Laudus International Mar	\$13,518	\$14,725
SWDSX	Schwab Dividend Equity Fund	\$13,926	\$13,591
HPE	Hewlett-Packard Enterprises	\$8,999	\$9,152
AGG	ISHARES TR Barclays Fund	\$10,119	\$10,153
LQD	ISHARES Iboxx Investopp	\$25,938	\$26,678
IJK	ISHARES S&P Mid-Cap 400	\$23,948	\$46,356
SCHC	Schwab Intl SCAP ETR	\$25,115	\$29,003

Part 2 Schedule of Investments (2 of 2)

Line 10b

Investments Corporate Stock (continued)

<u>Symbol</u>	<u>Investment</u>	12/31/15 Cost Basis	12/31/15 Market Value
HD	Home Depot	\$15,116	\$67,448
DD	Dupont EI DE Nemour & Co	\$14,246	\$23,643
PSX	Phillips 66	\$3,454	\$11,206
COP	Conoco Phillips	\$11,621	\$12,793
CAT	Catepillar	\$15,022	\$14,408
CAH	Cardinal Health	\$14,860	\$42,046
T	AT & T NEW	\$14,919	\$18,547
ABBV	Abbvie INC	\$7,811	\$18,720
HPQ	HP Inc	\$10,087	\$11,750
CC	Chemours Company	\$763	\$381
QQQ	Powershare QQQ Trust	\$17,817	\$49,778
AWEIX	Atlantic Trust Disc Equity	\$2,823	\$3,745
LSBRX	Loomis Sayles Bond Fund	\$31,465	\$28,556
	Total	\$777,355	\$1,543,301

Part XV
Supplementary Information
Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment
3. (1 of 4)

Name and Address	Relationship	Foundation Status	Purpose	Amount
Two by Two Character Development 470 W. 4th Street Dubuque, IA 52001	N/A	501 (c) 3	Classroom table & chairs	2,638.00
Autism Society Northeast Wisconsin 209 S Huron DePere, WI 54115	N/A	501 (c) 3	Autism Program in NE Wisconsin	3,000.00
Hills & Dales 1011 Davis Street Dubuque, IA 52001	N/A	501 (c) 3	safe & reliable transportation	1,000.00
American Diabetes Assoc 425 South Woods Mill Rd Suite 110 Town and Country, MO 63017	N/A	501 (c) 3	Camp EDI and Family Link Programs	8,000.00
Bear Necessities Pediatric Cancer Found 55 W Wacker Drive Ste 1100 Chicago, IL 60601	N/A	501 (c) 3	Bear Hugs/Discoveries /Empower	2,000.00
Community Clothes Closet 1465B Opportunity Way Menasha, WI 54952	N/A	501 (c) 3	Provide clothing to those in need.	2,000.00
Dubuque Symphony Orchestra 2728 Asbury Road Suite 900 Dubuque, IA 52001	N/A	501 (c) 3	Adopt a Musician	2,000.00
Camp Albrecht Acres PO Box 50 Sherrill, IA 52073-0050	N/A	501 (c) 3	Camp Bee a Friend	3,500.00
Boys & Girls Club of Oshkosh P.O. Box 411 Oshkosh, WI 54903	N/A	501 (c) 3	Computer Lab Upgrade	2,000.00

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Name and Address	Relationship	Foundation Status	Purpose	Amount
DBQ Mercy Health Foundation 250 Mercy Dr. Dubuque, IA 52001	N/A	501 (c) 3	Smart Board treat prog.	\$ 5,432.00
Feeding America 1700 West Fond Du Lac Ave Milwaukee, WI 53205	N/A	501 (c) 3	Meals for Hungry	\$ 2,500.00
Hospice of Dubuque 1670 JFK Road Dubuque, IA 52002	N/A	501 (c) 3	4 boxes PleurX Drain kits & implement isolation precaution kits	\$ 5,556.00
Make A Wish Foundation of Iowa 3024 104th St Urbandale, Iowa 50322-3220	N/A	501 (c) 3	Help fund a wishes	\$ 8,825.00
St Mark Youth Enrichment 1201 Locust St Dubuque, IA 52001	N/A	501 (c) 3	academic out of school learning & enrichment programs	\$ 2,500.00
Clarity Care 424 Washington Ave Oshkosh, WI 54901	N/A	501 (c) 3	Help at Home Program	\$ 2,500.00
University of Wisconsin Foundation 1848 University Avenue Madison, WI 53726	N/A	501 (c) 3	Carbone Cancer Center Fund	\$ 2,000.00
National Mississippi River Museum 350 East 3rd Street Dubuque, IA 52001	N/A	501 (c) 3	Mississippi Plaza Project	\$ 5,000 00
DBQ Community School Dist Foundation 700 Locust St Sluite 195 Dubuque, IA 52001	N/A	501 (c) 3	Sensory Rooms for DBQ public schools	\$ 2,493.00

Part XV **Supplementary Information (continued)**
3. (3 OF 4) **Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

Name and Address	Relationship	Foundation Status	Purpose	Amount
IFOPA 101 Sunnyside Rd. Suite 208 Casselberry, FL 32707	N/A	501 (c) 3	help launch global FOP patient registry	\$ 1,000.00
DuRide 2728 Asbury Road Suite 330 Dubuque, IA 52001	N/A	501 (c) 3	Surviving without driving	\$ 2,000.00
Wonder Work 420 Fifth Avenue New York, NY 10018	N/A	501 (c) 3	Fund Eye Surgery for Blind	\$ 1,000.00
Creekside Cares 182 Cherrywood Ct Romeoville, IL 60446	N/A	501 (c) 3	Weekly student backpack food program	\$ 2,350.00
Fox Valley Warming Shelter 1928 West College Ave Appleton, WI 54912-1261	N/A	501 (c) 3	help provide basic needs of food & shelter to people who are homeless	\$ 2,000.00
Lourdes Academy of Oshkosh 250 N. Sawyer St. Oshkosh, WI 54902	N/A	501 (c) 3	purchase 2 3D printers for middle school	\$ 3,348.00
Holy Family Catholic Schools 2005 Kane St Dubuque, IA 52001-0538	N/A	501 (c) 3	Holy Family capital campaign	\$ 1,000.00

Part XV**Supplementary Information (continued)****3. (4 OF 4)****Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

Mercy Health Foundation 500 S. Oakwood Rd Oshkosh, WI 54904	N/A	501 (c) 3	Enhancement of services \$ to newborns w Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome	2,500.00
St Stephens Food Bank 3145 Cedar Crest Ridge Dubuque, IA 52003	N/A	501 (c) 3	Scaling to save backs \$	6,227.00
Professional Fire Fighters of WI Foundation 7N Pinckney St. Suite 200 Madison, WI 53703	N/A	501 © 3	Summer Camp for burned and injured Youth	1,000.00
Sisters of the Presentation 2360 Carter Rd. Dubuque, IA 52001-2997	N/A	501 (c) 3	enables sister to continue \$ to help those most in need	1,000.00
St Patrick's Catholic Church 1425 Iowa St Dubuque, IA 52001	N/A	501 (c) 3	Wednesday night Meal Program	700.00
MACC Fund 10000 W Innovation Dr. Suite 135 Milwaukee, WI 53226	N/A	501 (c) 3	support research for \$ pediatric cancers and blood disorders	1,000.00
Mayo Clinic 200 First St. SW Rochester, MN 55905	N/A	501 (c) 3	help transform medicine \$ for people everywhere	1,000.00
Unbond P.O. Box 410036 Kansas City, MO 64179-9879	N/A	501 (c) 3	sponsor 3 kids in DR \$	1,080.00
TOTAL			\$	90,149.00