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Form **990-PF****Return of Private Foundation**
or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation

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For calendar year 2015 or tax year beginning

, and ending

Name of foundation SPARTANNASH FOUNDATION		A Employer identification number 20-8767495
Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address) GR761225 850 76TH ST PO BOX 8700	Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) 616-878-2000
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code GRAND RAPIDS MI 49518-8700		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) ▶ \$ 2,030,691	J Accounting method ☐ Cash ☒ Accrual ☐ Other (specify)	F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ☐

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (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)	2,356,501			
	2 Check ☒ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	2,229	2,229		
	4 Dividends and interest from securities				
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10				
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		0		
	8 Net short-term capital gain			0	
	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)					
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	2,358,730	2,229	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) Stmt 1	11,500			
	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 (att. sch) Stmt 2	37,268	4,494		
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	48,768	4,494	0	0
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	856,657			530,731
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	905,425	4,494	0	530,731	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	1,453,305				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		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 (a) Book Value	End of year (b) Book Value (c) Fair Market Value	
Assets	1 Cash – non-interest-bearing			
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	776,386	1,912,455	1,912,455
	3 Accounts receivable ▶ 118,236			
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶	91,676	118,236	118,236
	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 (att schedule) ▶			
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ 0			
	8 Inventories for sale or use			
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10a Investments – U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)			
	b Investments – corporate stock (attach schedule) See Stmt 3			
	c Investments – corporate bonds (attach schedule)			
	11 Investments – land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶			
Less accumulated depreciation (attach sch) ▶				
12 Investments – mortgage loans				
13 Investments – other (attach schedule)				
14 Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶				
Less accumulated depreciation (attach sch) ▶				
15 Other assets (describe ▶)				
16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers – see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	868,062	2,030,691	2,030,691	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	3,240	40	
	18 Grants payable	636,164	348,688	
	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)	639,404	348,728	
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	28,327	563,304	
	25 Temporarily restricted	200,331	1,118,659	
	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)	228,658	1,681,963	
	31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	868,062	2,030,691	

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	228,658
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	1,453,305
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	1,681,963
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	1,681,963

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 N/A				
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) FMV 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	
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	583,402	703,045	0.829822
2013	759,287	603,599	1.257933
2012	121,116	491,786	0.246278
2011	239,006	375,634	0.636274
2010	302,510	301,916	1.001967
2 Total of line 1, column (d)			2 3.972274
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 0.794455
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5			4 1,138,756
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3			5 904,690
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)			6
7 Add lines 5 and 6			7 904,690
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			8 530,731

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	
c	All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col (b)		
2	Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	2	0
3	Add lines 1 and 2	3	
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	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	
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?		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) MI		
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 2015 or the taxable year beginning in 2015 (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

N/A

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	Yes	No X
12	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)	12		X
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ► NONE	13	X	
14	The books are in care of ► DEBRA BUURSTRA OR ERIC TUORI 850 76TH ST SW Located at ► GRAND RAPIDS MI ZIP+4 ► 49518-4422 Telephone no ► 616-878-2000			
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 ►	16	Yes	No X

Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.

		Yes	No
1a	During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly)		
(1)	Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(2)	Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(3)	Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(4)	Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(5)	Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(6)	Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days) ☐ Yes ☒ No		
b	If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ► N/A	1b	
c	Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 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? If "Yes," list the years ► 20 , 20 , 20 , 20 ☐ Yes ☒ No		
b	Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement – see instructions.) ► N/A	2b	
c	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here ► 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) ► N/A	3b	
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes? ► 4a		X
b	Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 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)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here	N/A ☒	5b	
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? If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d).	N/A ☐ Yes ☐ No		
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? If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.		6b	X
7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	☐ Yes ☒ No		
b If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?	N/A	7b	

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors**1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (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
DENNIS EIDSON 850 76TH ST PO BOX 8700 MI 49518	PRESIDENT 0.00	0	0	0
MEREDITH GREMEL 850 76TH ST PO BOX 8700 MI 49518	VICE PRESIDE 0.00	0	0	0
DAN PERSINGER 850 76TH ST PO BOX 8700 MI 49518	SECRETARY 0.00	0	0	0
RENE HUNTER 850 76TH ST PO BOX 8700 MI 49518	TREASURER 0.00	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**0**

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)**3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."**

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services**0****Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities**

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

Expenses

1 THE FOUNDATION MAKES DIRECT CASH CONTRIBUTIONS TO VARIOUS 501(C)(3) ORGANIZATIONS.**2 ALL EXPENSES ARE INCIDENTAL AND DO NOT RELATE TO ANY PARTICULAR 501(C)(3) ORGANIZATION.****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 N/A**2**

All other program-related investments. See instructions

3**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	0
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	1,156,097
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	1,156,097
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	0
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	1,156,097
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1½% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	17,341
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	1,138,756
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	56,938

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	56,938
2a	Tax on investment income for 2015 from Part VI, line 5	2a	
b	Income tax for 2015 (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	56,938
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	56,938
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	56,938

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	530,731
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	530,731
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	530,731

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				56,938
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015:				
a Enter amount for 2014 only				
b Total for prior years 20____, 20____, 20____				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015:				
a From 2010	287,414			
b From 2011	220,224			
c From 2012	96,527			
d From 2013	729,107			
e From 2014	548,250			
f Total of lines 3a through e	1,881,522			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2015 from Part XII, line 4: ▶ \$ 530,731				
a Applied to 2014, 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 2015 distributable amount				56,938
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	473,793			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2015 (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	2,355,315			
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 2014 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount – see instructions				
f Undistributed income for 2015 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2016				0
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)				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2010 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)	287,414			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	2,067,901			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2011	220,224			
b Excess from 2012	96,527			
c Excess from 2013	729,107			
d Excess from 2014	548,250			
e Excess from 2015	473,793			

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)

	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 2015	(b) 2014	(c) 2013	(d) 2012	
2a 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))
N/A

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
N/A

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
N/A

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

c Any submission deadlines
N/A

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

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

Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment					
Recipient		If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)					
a Paid during the year See Statement 4					530,731
Total					530,731
b Approved for future payment N/A					
Total					

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

(2) Other assets

b Other transactions

(1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization

(2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization

(3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets

(4) Reimbursement arrangements

(5) Loans or loan guarantees

(6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations

c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees

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.

	Yes	No
1a(1)		X
1a(2)		X
1b(1)		X
1b(2)		X
1b(3)		X
1b(4)		X
1b(5)		X
1b(6)		X
1c		X

[illegible]

☐ Yes ☒ No

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship
N/A		

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instructions)? ☒ Yes

Signature of officer or trustee

11/15/16
Date

VICE PRESIDENT

Print/Type preparer's name

Preparer's signature _____

Date _____

Check ☐ if self-employed

Leslie N. Prangley, CPA

Firm's name ▶ Prangley Marks

Firm's address ▶ 333 Bridge Street NW # 1120
Grand Rapids, MI 49504-5363

PTIN P00061488

Firm's EIN ▶ 38-1880845

Phone no **616-774-9004**

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Statement 1 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 16b - Accounting Fees

Description	Total	Net Investment	Adjusted Net	Charitable Purpose
ACCOUNTING	\$ 11,500	\$	\$	\$
Total	\$ 11,500	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

Statement 2 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 23 - Other Expenses

Description	Total	Net Investment	Adjusted Net	Charitable Purpose
Expenses				
BANK FEES	4,494	4,494		
GRANT EXPENSE	32,524			
FUNDRAISING	250			
Total	\$ 37,268	\$ 4,494	\$ 0	\$ 0

Statement 3 - Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 10b - Corporate Stock Investments

Description	Beginning of Year	End of Year	Basis of Valuation	Fair Market Value
FIDELITY	\$	\$	Market	\$
Total	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0

Statement 4 - Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 3a - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year

Name	Address	Relationship	Status	Purpose	Amount
ACCESS OF WEST MICHIGAN	2850 KALAMAZOO AVE				
GRAND RAPIDS MI 49507	NONE		501(C) (3)	DONATION	5,000
AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY	129 JEFFERSON SE				
GRAND RAPIDS MI 49503	NONE		501(C) (3)	DONATION	32,000

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Statement 4 - Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 3a - Grants and Contributions Paid During the
Year (continued)

Name		Address		Relationship	Status	Purpose	Amount
Address							
AQUINAS COLLEGE		1607 ROBINSON RD				DONATION	10,000
GRAND RAPIDS MI 49506	NONE	501(C) (3)					
ARENAC COUNTY 4H		P.O. BOX 745				DONATION	750
STANDISH MI 48658	NONE	501(C) (3)					
BCPS CARSON SCHOLARS FUND		305 W. CHESAPEAKE #310				DONATION	500
TOWSON MD 21204	NONE	501(C) (3)					
BRANCH COUNTY 4H LIVESTOCK ASSOC.		P.O. BOX 294				DONATION	623
COLDWATER MI 49036	NONE	501(C) (3)					
CHEMICAL BANK OF MIDLAND 4H		333 E MAIN				DONATION	808
MIDLAND MI 48640	NONE	501(C) (3)					
CLAIRE COUNTY JUNIOR LIVESTOCK ASSO		P.O. BOX 198				DONATION	1,415
GLADWIN MI 48624	NONE	501(C) (3)					
GLADWIN 4H LIVESTOCK ASSOC		P.O. BOX 198				DONATION	857
GLADWIN MI 48624	NONE	501(C) (3)					
GREENSTONE FARM CREDIT SERVICES 4H		525 N OKEMOS RD				DONATION	697
MASON MI 48854	NONE	501(C) (3)					
HEART OF WEST MICHIGAN UNITED WAY		118 COMMERCE AVE SW				DONATION	100,000
GRAND RAPIDS MI 49503	NONE	501(C) (3)					
MANISTEE COUNTY 4H LIVESTOCK		P.O. BOX 207				DONATION	2,989
BEAR LAKE MI 49614	NONE	501(C) (3)					
MARION FAIR 4H		P.O. BOX 259				DONATION	992
MARION MI 49665	NONE	501(C) (3)					
NORTHWEST MICHIGAN 4H		P.O. BOX 134				DONATION	2,990
GRAWN MI 49637	NONE	501(C) (3)					
SIBLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL		947 SIBLEY NW				DONATION	14,450
GRAND RAPIDS MI 49504	NONE	501(C) (3)					
WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY		1903 W MICHIGAN AVE				DONATION	15,000
KALAMAZOO MI 49008	NONE	501(C) (3)					
HABITAT FOR HUMANITY		425 PLEASANT ST SW				DONATION	20,000
GRAND RAPIDS MI 49503	NONE	501(C) (3)					
YMCA		475 LAKE MICHIGAN DR NW				DONATION	300,000
GRAND RAPIDS MI 49504	NONE	501(C) (3)					
4H LIVESTOCK CLUB HUDSONVILLE		12220 FILLMORE ST.				DONATION	1,285
WEST OLIVE MI 49460	NONE	501(C) (3)					
ALLEN COUNTY FAIR		150 DOUGLAS ST.				DONATION	1,200
ALLEGAN MI 49010	NONE	501(C) (3)					

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**Statement 4 - Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 3a - Grants and Contributions Paid During the
Year (continued)**

Name		Address		Relationship	Status	Purpose	Amount
Address							
FATHER FLANAGANS BOYS CLUB		14100 CRAWFORD ST.				DONATION	
BOYS TOWN NE 68010	NONE	501(C) (3)					10,000
HARDIN CO AG SOCIETY		14134 FAIRGROUND RD				DONATION	
KENTON OH 43326	NONE	501(C) (3)					200
4H LIVESTOCK CLUB HASTINGS		206 WEST COURT ST.				DONATION	
HASTINGS MI 49058	NONE	501(C) (3)					593
HONOR AND REMEMBER		PO BOX 16834				DONATION	
CHESAPEAKE VA 23328	NONE	501(C) (3)					6,500
OTSEGO COUNTY FAIR		895 N. CENTER AVE.				DONATION	
GAYLORD MI 49735	NONE	501(C) (3)					1,347
VETERANS HOME		3000 MONROE AVE NE				DONATION	
GRAND RAPIDS MI 49505	NONE	501(C) (3)					535
Total							530,731

Form 990PF

Two Year Comparison Report

2014 & 2015

For calendar year 2015, or tax year beginning , ending

Name

Taxpayer Identification Number

20-8767495

SPARTANNAASH FOUNDATION

	2014				2015				Differences	
	Revenue and expenses per books	Net investment income	Revenue and expenses per books	Net investment income	Revenue and expenses per books	Net investment income	Revenue and expenses per books	Net investment income	Revenue and expenses per books	Net investment income
1. Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1,334,033		2,356,501		1,022,468					
2. Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	1,403	1,403	2,229	2,229	826	826				
3. Dividends and interest from securities	299	299			-299	-299				
4. Gross rents										
5. Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets	-2,363				2,363					
6. Capital gain net income										
7. Gross profit or (loss)										
8. Other income										
9. Total. Add lines 1 through 8	1,333,372	1,702	2,358,730	2,229	1,025,358	527				
10. Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc										
11. Other employee salaries and wages										
12. Pension plans, employee benefits										
13. Professional fees	11,000		11,500		500					
14. Interest										
15. Taxes										
16. Depreciation and depletion										
17. Occupancy										
18. Other expenses	58,664	3,805	37,268	4,494	-21,396	689				
19. Contributions, gifts, grants paid	781,058		856,657		75,599					
20. Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 10 through 19	850,722	3,805	905,425	4,494	54,703	689				
21. Net income (if negative investment activity, enter -0-)	482,650	0	1,453,305	0	970,655					
22. Excise Tax										
23. Section 511 Tax										
24. Subtitle A income tax										
25. Total Taxes										
26. Estimates and overpayments credited										
27. Foreign tax withheld										
28. Other Payments										
29. Total payments and credits										
30. Balance due / (Overpayment)		0		0						
31. Overpayment credited to next year										
32. Penalty										
33. Net due / (Refund)		0		0						
34. Total assets	868,062		2,030,691		0					
35. Total liabilities	639,404		348,728		0					
36. Net assets	228,658		1,681,963		0					

Federal Statements**Direct Public Support**

<u>Contributor</u>	<u>Cash Contribution</u>	<u>Noncash Contribution</u>
	<u>2,356,501</u>	
Total	<u>2,356,501</u>	<u>0</u>

Taxable Interest on Investments

<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Unrelated Business Code</u>	<u>Exclusion Code</u>	<u>Postal Code</u>	<u>US Obs (\$ or %)</u>
CHECKING ACCOUNT	\$ <u>2,229</u>			14	
Total	\$ <u>2,229</u>				