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Form **990-PF**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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 01-01-2015, and ending 12-31-2015

Name of foundation RAYMOND A & GERTRUDE D HYER FOUNDATION		A Employer identification number 45-4168812	
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 83 EDGINGTON LANE		Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) (304) 242-2300
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code WHEELING, WV 26003			
G Check all that apply ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return ☐ Address change ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Amended return ☐ Name change		C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐	
H Check type of organization ☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation ☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here ☐ 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ☐ E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐ F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ☐	
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) ▶ \$ 12,094,079		J Accounting method ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) _____ (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)	

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses <i>(The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))</i>		Revenue and expenses per books (a)	Net investment income (b)	Adjusted net income (c)	Disbursements for charitable purposes (d) (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc , received (attach schedule)				
	2 Check ▶ ☒ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	635	635		
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	262,960	262,960		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss) _____				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	81,259			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 650,258				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2) . . .		81,259		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
Operating and Administrative Expenses	b Less Cost of goods sold				
	c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)				
	11 Other income (attach schedule)				
	12 Total.Add lines 1 through 11	344,854	344,854		
	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	141,567	49,107		92,460
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule).				
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule).				
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) . . .	3,391	82		0
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion . . .				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings.				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule).	800	50		750
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	145,758	49,239		93,210
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	537,000			537,000
	26 Total expenses and disbursements.Add lines 24 and 25	682,758	49,239		630,210
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-337,904			
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		295,615		
	c Adjusted net income(if negative, enter -0-) . . .				

Part II		Balance Sheets	Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)	Beginning of year	End of year	
				(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing		3	3,488	3,488
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		920,204	894,581	894,581
	3	Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____				
	4	Pledges receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____				
	5	Grants receivable				
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions).				
	7	Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____				
	8	Inventories for sale or use				
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges				
	10a	Investments—U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)				
	b	Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)	7,148,825	7,233,059	9,178,390	
	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)	2,400,000	2,000,000	2,017,620	
	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)	10,469,032	10,131,128	12,094,079		
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses				
	18	Grants payable				
	19	Deferred revenue				
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons				
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule).				
	22	Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)				
	23	Total liabilities(add lines 17 through 22)	0	0		
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☐ and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.					
	24	Unrestricted				
	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	0	0		
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund	0	0		
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	10,469,032	10,131,128		
	30	Total net assets or fund balances(see instructions)	10,469,032	10,131,128		
31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances(see instructions)	10,469,032	10,131,128			

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	10,469,032		
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-337,904		
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	3	0		
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	10,131,128		
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	5	0		
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30	6	10,131,128		

Part IV

Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e g , real estate, (a) 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co)		How acquired P—Purchase (b) D—Donation	Date acquired (c) (mo , day, yr)	Date sold (d) (mo , day, yr)
1a	See Additional Data Table			
b				
c				
d				
e				

(e) Gross sales price	Depreciation allowed (f) (or allowable)	Cost or other basis (g) plus expense of sale	Gain or (loss) (h) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a See Additional Data Table			
b			
c			
d			
e			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or (l) Losses (from col (h))
(i) F M V as of 12/31/69	Adjusted basis (j) as of 12/31/69	Excess of col (i) (k) over col (j), if any	
a See Additional Data Table			
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	81,259
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 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	578,706	12,670,440	0 045674
2013	66,345	11,696,925	0 005672
2012	1,805	1,420,590	0 001271
2011			
2010			

2	Total of line 1, column (d).	2	0 052617
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 017539
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5.	4	12,420,649
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3.	5	217,846
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b).	6	2,956
7	Add lines 5 and 6.	7	220,802
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4.	8	630,210

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

Part VIExcise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948—see page 18 of the instructions)

1a

Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ☐ and enter "N/A" on line 1
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

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

2,956

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

2,956

6

Credits/Payments

a

2015 estimated tax payments and 2014 overpayment credited to 2015

6a

3,200

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

3,200

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

244

11

Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2015 estimated tax 244 Refunded

11

0

Part VII-AStatements Regarding Activities

1a

During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?

1a

No

b

Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see Instructions for definition)?
If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.

1b

No

c

Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?

1c

No

d

Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year:
(1) On the foundation \$ 0 (2) On foundation managers \$ 0

e

Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers \$ 0

2

Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS?
If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.

2

No

3

Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes

3

No

4a

Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?

4a

No

b

If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?

4b

5

Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year?
If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.

5

No

6

Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either:
• By language in the governing instrument, or
• By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?

6

Yes

7

Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV.

7

Yes

8a

Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions):
WV

b

If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? If "No," attach explanation .

8b

Yes

9

Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2015 or the taxable year beginning in 2015 (see instructions for Part XIV)?
If "Yes," complete Part XIV

9

No

10

Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses.

10

No

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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		No
12	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)	12		No
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ▶NONE	13	Yes	
14	The books are in care of ▶THE FOUNDATION Located at ▶83 EDGINGTON LANE WHEELING WV Telephone no ▶(304) 242-2300 ZIP+4 ▶26003			
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 instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR) If "Yes", enter the name of the foreign country ▶	16	Yes	No

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		No
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		No
2	Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5))			
a	At the end of tax year 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		
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?(<i>Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2015.</i>).	3b		
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a		No
b	Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2015?	4b		No

Part VII-B

Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required (Continued)

5a

During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to

(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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

☐ Yes ☒ No

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

☐ Yes ☒ No

(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc , organization described in section 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)?

5b

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here.

☐

c

If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d).

6a

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

☐ Yes ☒ No

b

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

6b

No

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

7a

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

☐ Yes ☒ No

b

If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?

7b

Part VIII

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

1

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

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

2

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

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

Total

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

0

Part VIII

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
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Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

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

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2	Amount
1	
2	
All other program-related investments See instructions	
3	

[illegible]

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	11,576,736
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b	1,033,060
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d	12,609,796
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	12,609,796
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	189,147
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	12,420,649
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5.	6	621,032

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	621,032
2a	Tax on investment income for 2015 from Part VI, line 5.	2a	2,956
b	Income tax for 2015 (This does not include the tax from Part VI).	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b.	2c	2,956
3	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1.	3	618,076
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4.	5	618,076
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions).	6	0
7	Distributable amount as adjusted Subtract line 6 from line 5 Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1.	7	618,076

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	630,210
b	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B.	1b	0
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes.	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required).	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule).	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	630,210
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	2,956
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4.	6	627,254
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				618,076
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015				
a Enter amount for 2014 only.			629,987	
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 ▶ \$ 630,210				
a Applied to 2014, but not more than line 2a			629,987	
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.				223
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 2016 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2015.				617,853
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

b Check box to indicate whether the organization is a private operating foundation described in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)

b 85% of line 2a

d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities

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

1

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

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

2

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

ROBERT J KRALL TREASURER
83 EDGINGTON LANE
WHEELING, WV 260031541
(304) 242-2300

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

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS FROM THE FOUNDATION SHOULD BE MADE BY COMPLETING THE HYER FOUNDATION GRANT APPLICATION FORM, WHICH CAN BE OBTAINED BY CONTACTING THE FOUNDATION TREASURER (SEE PART XV, LINE 2(A)) THE APPLICATION FORM REQUESTS VARIOUS INFORMATION AND MATERIALS, INCLUDING GENERAL INFORMATION RELATING TO THE ORGANIZATION, OPERATIONS AND EXEMPT STATUS OF THE REQUESTING ORGANIZATION, INFORMATION RELATED TO THE PROPOSED USE AND PURPOSE OF THE REQUESTED GRANT

c Any submission deadlines

NO

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

GRANTS MADE BY THE FOUNDATION "SHALL BE MADE FOR THE ACCOMPLISHMENT OF CHARITABLE, RELIGIOUS, SCIENTIFIC, LITERARY, OR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES OR FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN OR ANIMALS IN ANY AREAS OF THE UNITED STATES, HOWEVER, PREFERENCE SHALL BE AFFORDED TO QUALIFYING ORGANIZATIONS AND USES LOCATED IN OHIO COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA, AND ITS CONTIGUOUS COUNTIES " (ARTICLE III(B) OF THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE FOUNDATION, AND SECTION 1 4(B) OF THE FOUNDATION BYLAWS)

Part XV

Supplementary Information(continued)

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year See Additional Data Table				
Total			3a	537,000
b Approved for future payment				
Total			3b	0

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

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

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

[illegible]

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

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.

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2016-06-24

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Signature of officer or trustee

Date

Title

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

Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns a - d

List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e g , real estate, (a) 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)
1200 SHS MEDTRONIC	P	2010-01-20	2015-01-27
100K SALLIE MAE BANK CD 25%	P		2015-02-19
1000 SHS MYLAN MERGER	P		2015-03-02
20 SHS COMMUNICATIONS SALES	P		2015-04-27
333 SHS WINDSTREAM HOLDINGS INC	P		2015-04-28
100K BANK OF INDIA CD 3%	P		2015-05-20
100K GOLDMAN SACHS BANK CD 1 1%	P		2015-06-08
8888 SHS TOPBUILD CORP	P		2015-07-01
100K ALLY BANK CD 7%	P		2015-08-21
75K GOLDMAN SACHS BANK CD 35%	P		2015-11-19

Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns e - h

(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)
92,340		50,367	41,973
100,000		100,000	0
57,702		18,609	39,093
6			6
4		13	-9
100,000		100,000	0
100,000		100,000	0
25		10	15
100,000		100,000	0
75,000		75,000	0

Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns i - l

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) 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	
			41,973
			0
			39,093
			6
			-9
			0
			0
			15
			0
			0

Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns a - d

List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e g , real estate, (a) 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co)	(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	Date acquired (c) (mo , day, yr)	(d) Date sold (mo , day, yr)
25K SAFRA NATIONAL BANK 35%	P		2015-11-27
56 SHS RMR GROUP	P		2015-12-15
CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	P		

Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns e - h

(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)
25,000		25,000	0
			0
181			181

Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns i - l

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) 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	
			0
			0
			181

Form 990PF Part VIII Line 1 - List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation

(a) Name and address	Title, and average hours per week (b) devoted to position	(c) Compensation(If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	Expense account, (e) other allowances
WILLIAM J YAEGER JR	TRUSTEE 3 00	47,189	0	0
83 EDGINGTON LANE WHEELING, WV 26003				
ROBERT J KRALL	TRUSTEE 2 00	47,189	0	0
83 EDGINGTON LANE WHEELING, WV 26003				
R CLARK MORTON	TRUSTEE 0 50	0	0	0
83 EDGINGTON LANE WHEELING, WV 26003				
ROBERT P FITZSIMMONS	TRUSTEE 0 50	0	0	0
83 EDGINGTON LANE WHEELING, WV 26003				
HOLLY S PLANINSIC	TRUSTEE 1 50	47,189	0	0
83 EDGINGTON LANE WHEELING, WV 26003				

Form 990PF Part XV Line 3 - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year				
BETHLEHAM APOSTOLIC TEMPLE 330 NORTH MAIN STREET WHEELING, WV 26003	N/A	CHURCH	EASTER FOOD DISTRIBUTION	4,000
BRAIN INJURY RESEARCH INSTITUTE 5309 LANDING LN MOON, PA 15108	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSES	10,000
CENTRAL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL 75 14TH STREET WHEELING, WV 26003	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	DEVELOPMENT POSITION FUNDING, MUSIC DEPARTMENT AND BOARD ROOM RENOVATIONS	147,500
CORPUS CHRISTI GRADE SCHOOL 1512 WARWOOD AVENUE WHEELING, WV 26003	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSES	28,500
CRITTENTON HOME 2606 NATIONAL ROAD WHEELING, WV 26003	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	FURNITURE & OTHER IMPROVEMENTS FOR TRANSITIONAL LIVING FACILITY	20,000
FAITH IN ACTION CAREGIVERS INC 38 N 4TH STREET MARTINS FERRY, OH 43935	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL CHARITABLE PURPOSES	5,000
GOOD SHEPHERD NURSING HOME 159 EDGINGTON LANE WHEELING, WV 26003	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	RESIDENT ASSISTANCE	5,000
SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CHILDREN 3229 BURNET AVNEUE CINCINNATI, OH 45229	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL CHARITABLE PURPOSES	10,000
ST JOHN HOME FOR CHILDREN 141 KEY AVENUE WHEELING, WV 26003	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL CHARITABLE PURPOSES	5,000
WEST VIRGINIA CATHOLIC FOUNDATION 1311 BYRON STREET WHEEING, WV 26003	N/A	CHURCH	FIRE SPECIAL NEEDS PROGRAM	27,000
WHEELING JESUIT UNIVERSITY 316 WASHINGTON AVE WHEELING, WV 26003	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	RESIDENCE HALL	50,000
YOUTH SERVICES SYSTEMS 1050 EOFF STREET WHEELING, WV 26003	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	BOILER & OVENS FOR JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER, WINTER FREEZE SHELTER, FURNITURE FOR YOUTH ACTIVITY CENTER	100,000
YWCA 1100 CHAPLINE STREET WHEELING, WV 26003	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS, TEEN DATING EDUCATION PROGRAM, & GENERAL OPERATIONS	125,000
Total				537,000

TY 2015 Investments Corporate Stock Schedule

Name: RAYMOND A & GERTRUDE D
HYER FOUNDATION
EIN: 45-4168812

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
800 SHS ABBOTT LABORATORIES	19,981	35,928
800 SHS ABBVIE INC	21,668	47,392
1,700 SHS AFLAC INC	90,108	101,830
4,829 SHS AT&T INC.	146,132	166,166
286 SHS AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER	10,071	16,665
1,500 SHS AMERICAN EXPRESS	66,466	104,325
600 SHS AMGEN INCORPORATED	34,858	97,398
1,500 SHS APACHE CORP	126,958	66,705
200 SHS AVALONBAY CMNTYS INC	26,609	36,826
6,000 SHS BANK OF AMERICA CORP	75,226	100,980
1,000 SHS BB&T CORP	34,869	37,810
800 SHS BHP BILLITON LTD	71,496	20,608
908 SHS BOEING CO	59,618	131,288
3,840 SHS BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO	105,178	264,154
600 SHS CAMPBELL SOUP COMPANY	20,225	31,530
700 SHS CATERPILLAR INC	67,668	54,368
60 SHS CHEMOURS COMPANY	845	322
4,000 SHS CISCO SYSTEMS INC	91,183	108,620
1,206 SHS CITIGROUP INC	56,085	62,411
800 SHS COCA COLA COMPANY	26,914	34,368
450 SHS COCA COLA ENT	12,387	22,158
630 SHS COMCAST CORP	15,592	35,551
341 SHS COMMUNICATIONS SALES	13,679	6,373
2,300 SHS CONOCOPHILLIPS	131,909	107,387
472 SHS CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC	23,913	30,335
600 SHS DEVON ENERGY	41,871	19,200
925 SHS DISNEY	34,870	97,199
15,128.7210 SHS DODGE & COX INTL STOCK	538,427	551,896
800 SHS DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY	30,647	41,184
1,300 SHS DUKE ENERGY CORP	23,912	27,326

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
300 SHS DU PONT E I DEMOUR & CO	15,771	19,980
3,400 SHS EMC CORP MASS	74,908	87,312
500 SHS EMERSON ELECTRIC	22,109	23,915
1,620 SHS EQT CORP	50,406	53,173
3,000 SHS EXXON MOBIL	256,883	233,850
594 SHS FIRST ENERGY CORP	21,960	18,848
1,000 FIRST TRUST ABA COMTY BK	34,869	38,980
700 SHS FOOT LOCKER INC	14,464	45,563
2,279 SHS FORD MOTOR COMPANY	32,270	32,111
1,200 SHS FREEPORT MCMORAN COPPER	65,984	8,124
5,300 SHS GENERAL ELECTRIC CO	107,378	165,095
400 SHS GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC	56,665	72,092
802 SHS GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER	11,994	26,201
2,306 SHS GUGGENHEIM ETF	227,361	287,535
1,200 SHS HCP INC	39,890	45,888
300 SHS WELLTOWER INC	22,619	20,409
400 SHS HERSHEY CO	22,386	35,708
1,000 SHS HOME DEPOT INC	31,853	132,250
1,600 SHS HOSPITALITY PPTYS TRUST	38,729	41,840
700 SHS IBM	109,706	96,334
14,200 SHS ISHARES MSCI EMRG MRKT	638,473	457,098
4,340 SHS ISHARES S&P MIDCAP 400	379,442	508,648
28 SHS INTERNATIONAL PAPER CO	824	1,056
300 SHS JOHNSON & JOHNSON	19,230	30,816
2,000 SHS JP MORGAN CHASE	85,011	132,060
300 SHS KELLOGG COMPANY	16,268	21,681
1,000 LIBERTY PROPERTY TRUST	34,468	31,050
800 SHS LILLY ELI & CO	28,642	67,408
1,474 SHS LIVE NATION ENTMT INC	13,725	36,216
1,400 SHS MACK CALI REALTY CORP	46,885	32,690

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
3,500 SHS MASCO CORP	40,787	99,050
1,200 SHS MEDTRONIC INC	92,340	92,304
2,500 SHS MICROSOFT INC	67,797	138,700
550 SHS 3M COMPANY	53,824	82,852
207 SHS MONDELEZ INTL INC	4,275	9,282
1,000 SHS MYLAN INC	57,702	54,070
2,300 SHS PAYCHEX INC	73,690	121,647
1,400 SHS PEPSICO INCORPORATED	91,399	139,888
9,000 SHS PFIZER	161,312	290,520
650 SHS PHILLIPS 66	22,100	53,170
1,800 SHS PLUM CREEK TIMBER CO	73,578	85,896
600 SHS PRAXAIR INC	56,191	61,440
1,418 SHS PROCTOR & GAMBLE	88,743	112,603
6,696.561 SHS PRUDENTIAL NATIONAL MUNI	93,366	101,654
1,600 SHS REALTY INCOME CORP	48,672	82,608
26 SHS RMR GROUP INC	309	375
550 SHS SCHLUMBERGER LTD	38,765	38,363
150 SHS SIMON PPTY GROUP	14,952	29,166
2,600 SHS SECTOR SPDR CONSUMER FD	155,225	203,218
4,460 SHS SECTOR SPRD TECH SELECT	143,183	191,022
5,200 SHS SPDR S&P REGIONAL BANKING	176,051	217,984
400 SHS THE SOUTHERN COMPANY	15,300	18,716
320 SHS SOUTH32 LTD	2,880	1,221
700 SHS TARGET CORP	38,082	50,827
400 SHS TEVA PHARM INDS LTD	20,055	26,256
2,200 SHS TJX COS INC	52,954	156,002
388 SHS TOPBUILD CORP	4,975	11,939
902 SHS TRAVELERS COMPANIES INC	52,507	101,800
300 SHS UNION PACIFIC CORP	19,421	46,920
1,750 SHS UNITED BANKSHARES INC.	46,690	64,733

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
900 SHS UNITED TECHNOLOGIES	69,493	86,463
1,920 SHS VANGUARD INFO TECHNOLOGY	150,691	207,917
1,802 SHS VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS	65,226	83,288
300 SHS VISA INC	22,488	93,060
290 SHS VODAFONE GROUP	15,507	9,355
2,200 SHS WALGREEN COMPANY	84,930	187,341
75 SHS WP GLIMCHER INCORPORATED	952	796
1,900 SHS WASHINGTON REAL EST INV TR	54,917	51,414
2,000 SHS WELLS FARGO & CO	63,471	108,720
25,150.905 SHS WELLS FARGO ADVTG SHORT	248,239	250,261
1,600 SHS WEYERHAEUSER CO.	35,007	47,968
284 SHS WINDSTREAM CORP	4,393	1,829
200 SHS WP CAREY INC	14,960	11,800
600 SHS XCEL ENERGY INC	14,306	21,546
684 SHS ZIMMER HOLDINGS INC.	40,816	70,172

TY 2015 Investments - Other Schedule**Name:** RAYMOND A & GERTRUDE D

HYER FOUNDATION

EIN: 45-4168812

Category / Item	Listed at Cost or FMV	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
100K ALLY BANK CD .55%	AT COST	100,000	100,048
50K ALLY BANK CD .9%	AT COST	50,000	50,127
100K BMW BANK NO. AMERICA CD 1%	AT COST	100,000	100,306
100K CIT BANK CD 2%	AT COST	100,000	100,140
100K COMENITY CAPITAL BANK CD 1.1%	AT COST	100,000	100,377
100K DISCOVER BANK CD 1.35%	AT COST	100,000	100,861
60K DISCOVER BANK CD 2.5%	AT COST	60,000	60,062
60K FIRST BUSINESS CD 2%	AT COST	60,000	60,174
60K FIRST MERCHANTS CD 2.85%	AT COST	60,000	60,678
125K GE CAPITAL BANK CD 3.3%	AT COST	125,000	129,763
100K GOLDMAN SACHS BANK CD 2%	AT COST	100,000	100,684
70K GOLDMAN SACHS BANK CD 3.1%	AT COST	70,000	71,050
200K MERRICK BANK SO JOR CD .9%	AT COST	200,000	200,435
200K SAFTA NATIONAL BANK CD .45%	AT COST	200,000	200,082
100K SALLIE MAE BANK CD .25%	AT COST	100,000	100,629
50K SALLIE MAE BANK CD 1.8%	AT COST	50,000	50,338
100K STATE BANK OF INDIA CD 1.5%	AT COST	100,000	100,333
100K STATE BANK OF INDIA CD 2.2%	AT COST	100,000	101,389
50K SYNCHRONY BANK CD .85%	AT COST	50,000	50,114
50K SYNCHRONY BANK CD 1.8%	AT COST	50,000	50,267
125K SYNCHRONY BANK CD 3.3%	AT COST	125,000	129,763

TY 2015 Other Expenses Schedule

Name: RAYMOND A & GERTRUDE D
HYER FOUNDATION

EIN: 45-4168812

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
ASSOC OF SMALL FOUNDATION MEMBERSHIP	750	0		750
SECURITY ADR FEES	50	50		0

TY 2015 Taxes Schedule

Name: RAYMOND A & GERTRUDE D
HYER FOUNDATION

EIN: 45-4168812

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
FOREIGN TAX WITHHELD	82	82		0
ESTIMATED TAX PAYMENTS	3,200	0		0
2013 TAX LIABILITY	109	0		0