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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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2015

Open to Public Inspection

For calendar year 2015, or tax year beginning 01-01-2015, and ending 12-31-2015

Name of foundation JAMES A RUPPE FOUNDATION		A Employer identification number 52-7243982	
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 227 W MONROE STREET NO 4400		Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) (906) 337-1182
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code CHICAGO, IL 606065096			
G Check all that apply ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return ☐ Address change		☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Amended return ☐ Name change	
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	
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) ▶ \$ 6,346,207		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here	
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 <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)	321,955			
	2 Check ▶ ☐ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	2,069	2,069		
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	119,452	119,452		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss) _____				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	178,391			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 1,132,226				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2) . . .		1,011,091		
	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	621,867	1,132,612		
	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0	0		0
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule).				
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule).	1,960	1,960		0
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) . . .	5,581	23		0
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion . .				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings.				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule).	15	15		0
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	7,556	1,998		0
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	292,371			292,371
	26 Total expenses and disbursements.Add lines 24 and 25	299,927	1,998		292,371
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	321,940			
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		1,130,614		
	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	34,785	151,641	151,641
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	269,719	1,028,118	1,028,118
	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)	3,536,578	2,953,295	4,167,841
	c	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)	45,040	45,040	50,889
	11	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
	12	Investments—mortgage loans.			
	13	Investments—other (attach schedule)	568,675	629,151	947,718
	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)	4,454,797	4,807,245	6,346,207	
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	4,454,797	4,807,245	
	30	Total net assets or fund balances(see instructions)	4,454,797	4,807,245	
31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances(see instructions)	4,454,797	4,807,245		

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 4,454,797
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2 321,940
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	3 30,508
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4 4,807,245
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 4,807,245

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	1,011,091
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	200,000	5,041,922	0 039667
2013	164,444	3,977,157	0 041347
2012	142,322	3,373,570	0 042187
2011	121,586	2,936,869	0 041400
2010	103,711	2,503,107	0 041433

2	Total of line 1, column (d).	2	0 206034
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 041207
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5.	4	6,088,443
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3.	5	250,886
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b).	6	11,306
7	Add lines 5 and 6.	7	262,192
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4.	8	292,371

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

Part VI

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

11,306

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

11,306

6

Credits/Payments

a

2015 estimated tax payments and 2014 overpayment credited to 2015

6a

3,560

b

Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source

6b

c

Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868).

6c

15,500

d

Backup withholding erroneously withheld

6d

7

Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d.

7

19,060

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

7,754

11

Enter the amount of line 10 to be **Credited to 2015 estimated tax** ☒ 7,754 **Refunded** ☒

11

0

Part VII-A

Statements 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):
☒ IL _____

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

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 ▶N/A	13	Yes	
14	The books are in care of ▶JAMES A RUPPE Telephone no ▶(906) 337-1182 Located at ▶219A SIXTH STREET CALUMET MI ZIP+4 ▶49913			
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		
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		No
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
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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	6,133,263
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b	47,897
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d	6,181,160
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	6,181,160
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	92,717
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets.Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	6,088,443
6	Minimum investment return.Enter 5% of line 5.	6	304,422

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	304,422
2a	Tax on investment income for 2015 from Part VI, line 5.	2a	11,306
b	Income tax for 2015 (This does not include the tax from Part VI).	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b.	2c	11,306
3	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1.	3	293,116
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4.	5	293,116
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions).	6	0
7	Distributable amountas adjusted Subtract line 6 from line 5 Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1.	7	293,116

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	292,371
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	292,371
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	11,306
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions.Subtract line 5 from line 4.	6	281,065

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				293,116
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015				
a Enter amount for 2014 only.			245,826	
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 ▶ \$ 292,371				
a Applied to 2014, but not more than line 2a			245,826	
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.				46,545
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.				246,571
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.				

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 organization 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	
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 organization 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

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 email address of the person to whom applications should be addressed

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

c Any submission deadlines

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

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 <i>Paid during the year</i> See Additional Data Table				
Total			3a	292,371
b <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
Total			3b	0

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

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

Form **990-PF** (2015)

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)
T ROWE PRICE HEALTH SCIENCES FUND - LTCG DIST	P		
92 SHS KRAFT FOODS GROUP INC	D	2002-11-27	2015-07-06
5000 SHS SIGMA-ALDRICH	D	1989-02-02	2015-11-18
VANGUARD HEALTH CARE FUND - LTCG DIST	P		
VANGUARD GROWTH AND INCOME - LTCG DIST	P		
5 782 SHS COVIDIEN PLC	D		2015-01-27
844 218 SHS COVIDIEN PLC	D		2015-01-27
26 806 SHS MEDTRONIC INC	D		2015-01-27
600 SHS SIGMA-ALDRICH	D	2003-12-17	2015-11-18
6 SHS MEDTRONIC PLC - CASH IN LIEU	P	2015-01-27	2015-01-28

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)
1,287			1,287
1,518			1,518
700,000		31,641	668,359
31,001			31,001
779			779
629		430	199
91,812		33,234	58,578
2,063		1,627	436
84,000		3,797	80,203
45		46	-1

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	
			1,287
			1,518
			668,359
			31,001
			779
			199
			58,578
			436
			80,203
			-1

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)
2847 194 SHS MEDTRONIC INC	D		2015-01-27

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

(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)
219,092		50,360	168,732

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			(I) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(i) F M V as of 12/31/69	Adjusted basis (j) as of 12/31/69	Excess of col (i) (k) over col (j), if any	
			168,732

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				
31 BACKPACKS INC 1100 CENTURY WAY SUITE C HOUGHTON,MI 49931	NONE	PUBLIC	CHILDHOOD HUNGER	2,500
BARBARA KETTLE GUNDLACH SHELTER HOME PO BOX 8 CALUMET,MI 49913	NONE	PUBLIC	DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIMS	2,500
BASCOM PALMER EYE INSTITUTE PO BOX 025388 MIAMI,FL 331029811	NONE	PUBLIC	EYE RESEARCH AND TREATMENT	1,000
BAY CLIFF HEALTH CAMP PO BOX 310 BIG BAY,MI 49808	NONE	PUBLIC	EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	19,588
BHK FOUNDATION 700 PARK AVENUE HOUGHTON,MI 49931	NONE	PUBLIC	EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	3,000
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA BAY LAKES COUNCIL PO BOX 267 APPLETON,WI 549120267	NONE	PUBLIC	YOUTH PROGRAMS	1,000
CAMP BOGGY CREEK 30500 BRANTLEY BRANCH ROAD EUSTIS,FL 32736	NONE	PUBLIC	EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	4,000
CHURCH OF ST SEBASTIAN 2000 SE 25TH AVENUE FT LAUDERDALE,FL 33316	NONE	PUBLIC	RELIGIOUS	5,000
CLK FOUNDATION 57070 MINE STREET CALUMET,MI 49913	NONE	PUBLIC	EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	3,000
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION FOR DELTA COUNTY 2420 1ST AVENUE SOUTH SUITE 101 ESCANABA,MI 49829	NONE	PUBLIC	COMMUNITY CHARITIES	3,000
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF BROWARD 910 E LAS OLAS BLVD FT LAUDERDALE,FL 33301	NONE	PUBLIC	COMMUNITY CHARITIES	5,000
COVENANT HOUSE FLORIDA PO BOX 39282 FT LAUDERDALE,FL 33339	NONE	PUBLIC	RUNAWAY/HOMELESS YOUTH	3,000
DIAL HELP 609 SHELDON AVENUE HOUGHTON,MI 49931	NONE	PUBLIC	SUICIDE PREVENTION	1,000
EL PROGRESSO MEMORIAL LIBRARY 301 WEST MAIN STREET UVALDE,TX 78801	NONE	PUBLIC	PUBLIC LIBRARY	500
FINLANDIA UNIVERSITY 601 QUINCY STREET HANCOCK,MI 49930	NONE	PUBLIC	EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	7,941
Total 3a				292,371

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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 <i>Paid during the year</i>				
GIRL SCOUTS OF THE NORTHWESTERN GREAT LAKES 4693 N LYNNDALE DRIVE APPLETON,WI 549139614	NONE	PUBLIC	EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	1,000
GREAT LAKES CENTER FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT 1175 ERIE STREET MARQUETTE,MI 49855	NONE	PUBLIC	EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	2,000
HOLY CROSS HOSPITAL 4725 NORTH FEDERAL HIGHWAY FT LAUDERDALE,FL 33308	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL MEDICAL USE	3,000
HOUGHTON COUNTY MEDICAL CARE FACILITY 1100 QUINCY STREET HANCOCK,MI 49930	NONE	PUBLIC	HANDICAP/ELDERLY CARE	4,000
KEWEENAW RACK PO BOX 343 ALLOUEZ,MI 49805	NONE	PUBLIC	COMMUNITY CARE FUND	2,500
LAKE LINDEN-HUBBELL PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOUNDATION 601 CALUMET STREET LAKE LINDEN,MI 49945	NONE	PUBLIC	EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	5,000
LITTLE BROTHERS FRIENDS OF THE ELDERLY 527 HANCOCK AVENUE HANCOCK,MI 49930	NONE	PUBLIC	HANDICAP/ELDERLY CARE	5,000
MAYO CLINIC 200 FIRST STREET SW ROCHESTER,MN 55905	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL MEDICAL USE	149,756
MICHIGAN TECH FUND 1400 TOWNSEND DRIVE HOUGHTON,MI 49931	NONE	PUBLIC	EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	9,646
NEW BEGINNINGS ANGEL MISSION 112 5TH STREET CALUMET,MI 49913	NONE	PUBLIC	CLOTHING/FEEDING THE POOR	2,500
NMU FOUNDATION 1401 PRESQUE ISLE AVENUE MARQUETTE,MI 49855	NONE	PUBLIC	EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	5,029
OMEGA HOUSE 2211 MAUREEN LANE HOUGHTON,MI 49931	NONE	PUBLIC	HOSPICE CARE	7,941
PORTAGE HEALTH FOUNDATION 500 CAMPUS DRIVE HANCOCK,MI 49930	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL MEDICAL USE	7,941
SCHOOL SISTERS OF NOTRE DAME 13105 WATERTOWN PLANK ROAD ELM GROVE,WI 53122	NONE	PUBLIC	RELIGIOUS	4,000
ST ALBERT THE GREAT UNIVERSITY PARISH 411 MACINNES DRIVE HOUGHTON,MI 49931	NONE	PUBLIC	RELIGIOUS	4,000
Total			3a	292,371

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 <i>Paid during the year</i>				
ST IGNATIUS LOYOLA PARISH 305 PORTAGE STREET HOUGHTON, MI 49931	NONE	PUBLIC	RELIGIOUS	4,000
ST JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH 701 CALUMET STREET LAKE LINDEN, MI 49945	NONE	PUBLIC	RELIGIOUS	1,000
ST PIUS X CHURCH 2500 NE 33RD AVENUE FT LAUDERDALE, FL 33305	NONE	PUBLIC	RELIGIOUS	1,000
UNITED WAY OF BROWARD COUNTY 1300 S ANDREWS AVENUE FT LAUDERDALE, FL 33316	NONE	PUBLIC	COMMUNITY CARE FUND	3,000
UPCAP PO BOX 606 ESCANABA, MI 49829	NONE	PUBLIC	DIABETES EDUCATION	3,000
GOGEBIC COMMUNITY COLLEGE E4946 JACKSON ROAD IRONWOOD, MI 499381365	NONE	PUBLIC	EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	5,029
Total			3a	292,371

TY 2015 Accounting Fees Schedule

Name: JAMES A RUPPE FOUNDATION

EIN: 52-7243982

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
MAKELA TOUTANT HILL & NARDI	1,960	1,960		0

TY 2015 Investments Corporate Bonds Schedule

Name: JAMES A RUPPE FOUNDATION

EIN: 52-7243982

Name of Bond	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
JP MORGAN CHASE & CO	45,040	50,889

TY 2015 Investments Corporate Stock Schedule

Name: JAMES A RUPPE FOUNDATION
EIN: 52-7243982

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
ALTRIA	3,498	23,284
AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP	16,701	806
BAXTER INTERNATIONAL	10,145	22,890
BEST BUY	103,168	70,674
DISNEY	18,097	84,064
EXXONMOBIL	37,170	78,418
GENERAL ELECTRIC	17,376	19,936
IBM	628,494	565,618
KEWEENAW FINANCIAL CORP	1,199,505	1,931,451
MERCK	17,009	15,846
PHH CORPORATION	3,603	1,912
WELLS FARGO AND COMPANY	17,190	32,616
AMGEN	25,263	60,874
DOMINION RESOURCES	26,663	57,494
NEXTERA ENERGY	95,414	229,181
INTUIT	25,689	101,325
PHILIP MORRIS	7,969	35,164
AIG WARRANTS	98	143
BRINKER INTERNATIONAL	268,208	363,845
EXPRESS SCRIPTS	55,787	61,274
MONDELEZ INTERNATIONAL	2,323	12,376
PERRIGO	35,573	33,136
BAXALTA	8,233	23,418
ALLERGAN PLC	47,950	51,875
MEDTRONIC PLC	280,913	283,527
KRAFT HEINZ	1,256	6,694

TY 2015 Investments - Other Schedule**Name:** JAMES A RUPPE FOUNDATION**EIN:** 52-7243982

Category/ Item	Listed at Cost or FMV	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
ISHARES CORE US GROWTH ETF	AT COST	14,501	29,844
ISHARES CORE S&P MIDCAP ETF	AT COST	30,264	57,121
VANGUARD 500 INDEX ADMIRAL	AT COST	183,734	288,241
VANGUARD GROWTH & INCOME FUND	AT COST	15,129	18,036
VANGUARD HEALTH CARE ADMIRAL	AT COST	368,329	538,688
T ROWE PRICE HEALTH SCIENCES FUND	AT COST	17,194	15,788

TY 2015 Other Expenses Schedule

Name: JAMES A RUPPE FOUNDATION

EIN: 52-7243982

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
IL ANNUAL REPORT FEE	15	15		0

TY 2015 Other Increases Schedule

Name: JAMES A RUPPE FOUNDATION

EIN: 52-7243982

Description	Amount
STOCK CONTRIBUTION - FMV OVER BOOK	30,508

TY 2015 Taxes Schedule

Name: JAMES A RUPPE FOUNDATION

EIN: 52-7243982

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
FEDERAL EXCISE TAX	5,558	0		0
FOREIGN TAX	23	23		0

Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	Schedule of Contributors ▶ Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF. ▶ Information about Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.	OMB No 1545-0047 2015
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Name of the organization JAMES A RUPPE FOUNDATION	Employer identification number 52-7243982
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Organization type (check one)

Filers of: Form 990 or 990-EZ Form 990-PF	Section: ☐ 501(c)() (enter number) organization ☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust not treated as a private foundation ☐ 527 political organization ☒ 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation ☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation ☐ 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation
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Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.
Note. Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

General Rule

- ☒ For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or other 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 33¹/₃% 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 990PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

Name of organization JAMES A RUPPE FOUNDATION	Employer identification number 52-7243982
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Part I Contributors (see instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	JAMES A RUPPE	\$ 100,000	Person ☒
	2500 E LAS OLAS BLVD		Payroll ☐
	FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33301		Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
2	JAMES A RUPPE	\$ 86,455	Person ☒
	2500 E LAS OLAS BLVD		Payroll ☐
	FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33301		Noncash ☒ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
3	JAMES A RUPPE	\$ 135,500	Person ☒
	2500 E LAS OLAS BLVD		Payroll ☐
	FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33301		Noncash ☒ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person ☐
			Payroll ☐
			Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person ☐
			Payroll ☐
			Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person ☐
			Payroll ☐
			Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)

Name of organization JAMES A RUPPE FOUNDATION	Employer identification number 52-7243982
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Part II

Noncash Property

(see instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed

(a) No.from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
2	500 SHS KEWEENAW FINANCIAL CORPORATION	\$ 86,455	2015-12-30
(a) No.from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
3	1000 SHS IBM	\$ 135,500	2015-12-18
(a) No.from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
		\$	
(a) No.from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
		\$	
(a) No.from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
		\$	
(a) No.from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
		\$	

Name of organization JAMES A RUPPE FOUNDATION	Employer identification number 52-7243982
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Part III

Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions.) ▶ \$ _____

Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed

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