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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 JOHN W TRENTON BENEVOLENT TRUST		A Employer identification number 55-6136333	
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) PO BOX 458		Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) (304) 329-2752
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code KINGWOOD, WV 26537		C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐	
G Check all that apply ☐ Initial return ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Final return ☐ Amended return ☐ Address change ☐ Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here ☐ 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ☐	
H Check type of organization ☐ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation ☒ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐	
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) ▶ \$ 174,485		F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ☐	
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	1,965	1,965	1,965	
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	3,813	3,813	3,813	
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss) _____				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10				
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a _____				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		418		
	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	5,778	6,196	5,778	
	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc				
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule).				
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule).				
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	62		62	
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion . . .				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings.				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule).	140		140	140
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses.				
	Add lines 13 through 23	202	0	202	140
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	9,200			9,200
	26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	9,402	0	202	9,340
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-3,624			
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		6,196		
	c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			5,576	

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			
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	40,449	34,198	34,198
	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)	22,992	 22,992	23,087
	b	Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)			
	c	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)	20,000	 20,000	20,042
	11	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
	12	Investments—mortgage loans.			
	13	Investments—other (attach schedule)	93,885	 96,923	97,158
	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)	177,326	174,113	174,485	
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	69	62	
	18	Grants payable	9,200		
	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)	9,269	62	
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	168,057	174,051	
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund			
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds			
	30	Total net assets or fund balances(see instructions)	168,057	174,051	
31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances(see instructions)	177,326	174,113		

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	168,057
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-3,624
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____ 	3	9,618
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	174,051
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	5	
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30	6	174,051

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 (b) P—Purchase D—Donation	Date acquired (c) (mo , day, yr)	Date sold (d) (mo , day, yr)
1 a	CAPITAL GAIN DISTRIBUTIONS	P	2006-05-15	2015-12-31
b	STATE BANK OF INDIA CD	P	2013-06-20	2015-06-24
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 418	0	0	418
b 20,000	0	20,000	0
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 0	0	0	418
b 0	0	0	0
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	418
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	9,271	181,463	0 051090
2013	9,439	181,901	0 051891
2012	8,937	181,131	0 049340
2011	8,815	177,267	0 049727
2010	3,265	175,973	0 018554

2	Total of line 1, column (d).	2	0 220602
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 044120
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5.	4	176,345
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3.	5	7,780
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b).	6	62
7	Add lines 5 and 6.	7	7,842
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4.	8	9,340

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

62

4

Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)

4

5

Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-

5

62

6

Credits/Payments

a

2015 estimated tax payments and 2014 overpayment credited to 2015

6a

b

Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source.

6b

c

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

6c

62

d

Backup withholding erroneously withheld.

6d

7

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

7

62

8

Enter any **penalty** for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached.

8

9

Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter **amount owed**

9

10

Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the **amount overpaid**.

10

11

Enter the amount of line 10 to be **Credited to 2015 estimated tax** ☐ 0 **Refunded** ☒

11

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 ☐ \$ _____ **(2)** On foundation managers ☐ \$ _____

e

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

2

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

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

No

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

Yes

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 ▶N/A	13	Yes	
14	The books are in care of ▶PAMELA J SCHWER Telephone no ▶(304) 329-2752 Located at ▶316 EAST MAIN STREET KINGWOOD WV ZIP+4 ▶265370520			
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		No
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
DAVID P BROWN	TRUSTEE	0	0	0
306 SEEMONT DRIVE KINGWOOD, WV 26537	0 50			
DEBORAH T LIVENGOOD	TRUSTEE	0	0	0
121 PARKVIEW DRIVE KINGWOOD, WV 26537	0 50			
PAMELA J SCHWER	TRUSTEE	0	0	0
316 E MAIN STREET KINGWOOD, WV 26537	1 00			

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

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Part VIII

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

3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). If none, enter "NONE".		
(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services.		0

Part IX-A

Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1 FUNDING PRESTON COUNTY CHARITABLE GROUPS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS IN THE WILL OF JOHN W TRENTON	101
2 FUNDING A SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM FOR MEDICAL AND PARAMEDICAL STUDENTS IN PRESTON AND GRANT COUNTIES IN WEST VIRGINIA	101
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	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3	

Part X

Minimum Investment Return

(All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations,see instructions.)

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities.	1a	144,257
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b	34,773
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d	179,030
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation).	1e	
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets.	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	179,030
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	2,685
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	176,345
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5.	6	8,817

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

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	9,340
b	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B.	1b	
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes.	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required).	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule).	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	9,340
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	62
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4.	6	9,278

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				0
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015				
a Enter amount for 2014 only.				
b Total for prior years 20____, 20____, 20____				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015				
a From 2010.				
b From 2011.				
c From 2012.				
d From 2013.				
e From 2014.				
f Total of lines 3a through e.				
4 Qualifying distributions for 2015 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ _____				
a Applied to 2014, but not more than line 2a				
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions).				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions).				
d Applied to 2015 distributable amount.				
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus				
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2015 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)				
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5				
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b				
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed.				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount—see instructions				
e Undistributed income for 2014 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see instructions				
f Undistributed income for 2016 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2015				0
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required - see instructions).				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2010 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions). . .				
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a				
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

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)

		Prior 3 years				(e) Total
		(a) 2015	(b) 2014	(c) 2013	(d) 2012	
2a	Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed	5,576	6,419	5,240	6,095	23,330
b	85% of line 2a	4,740	5,456	4,454	5,181	19,831
c	Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed	9,340	9,340	9,500	9,000	37,180
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	9,340	9,340	9,500	9,000	37,180
3	Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon					
a	"Assets" alternative test—enter					0
	(1) Value of all assets					0
	(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					0
b	"Endowment" alternative test— enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed.	5,878	6,227	6,063	6,038	24,206
c	"Support" alternative test—enter					0
	(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					0
	(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii).					0
	(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					0
	(4) Gross investment income					0

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))

NA

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

NA

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

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

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

JOHN W TRENTON BENEVOLENT TRUST
PO BOX 458
KINGWOOD, WV 265300458
(304) 329-2752

b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include
WRITTEN REQUEST SPECIFYING PURPOSE OF ORGANIZATION AND NEED FOR ASSISTANCE

c Any submission deadlines
ANNUAL DEADLINES ARE SET FOR APPLICATIONS SEE ATTACHED LITERATURE

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

SEE ATTACHED LITERATURE FUNDING IS RESTRICTED TO PRESTON AND GRANT COUNTIES IN WV

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

Form **990-PF** (2015)

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated		Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income (See instructions)
	(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclusion code	(d) Amount		
1 Program service revenue						
a _____						
b _____						
c _____						
d _____						
e _____						
f _____						
g Fees and contracts from government agencies						
2 Membership dues and assessments.						
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments						1,965
4 Dividends and interest from securities. . . .						3,813
5 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate						
a Debt-financed property.						
b Not debt-financed property.						
6 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property						
7 Other investment income.						
8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory						418
9 Net income or (loss) from special events						
10 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory						
11 Other revenue a _____						
b _____						
c _____						
d _____						
e _____						
12 Subtotal Add columns (b), (d), and (e). . .						6,196
13 Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e).						6,196

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations)

[illegible]

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

**Sign
Here**

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

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2016-06-08

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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	

TY 2015 Investments Corporate Bonds Schedule

Name: JOHN W TRENTON BENEVOLENT TRUST

EIN: 55-6136333

Name of Bond	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
BANK OF AMERICA INTERNOTE, 5.15%, DUE 6/15/25	20,000	20,042

TY 2015 Investments Government Obligations Schedule

Name: JOHN W TRENTON BENEVOLENT TRUST

EIN: 55-6136333

**US Government Securities - End of
Year Book Value:**

22,992

**US Government Securities - End of
Year Fair Market Value:**

23,087

**State & Local Government
Securities - End of Year Book
Value:**

**State & Local Government
Securities - End of Year Fair
Market Value:**

TY 2015 Investments - Other Schedule**Name:** JOHN W TRENTON BENEVOLENT TRUST**EIN:** 55-6136333

Category/ Item	Listed at Cost or FMV	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
CAPITAL INCOME BUILDER FUND		71,559	72,472
INVESCO BUILD AMERICA BONDS (UNIT TRUST)		14,613	15,053
INCOME FUND OF AMERICA		10,751	9,633

TY 2015 Other Expenses Schedule

Name: JOHN W TRENTON BENEVOLENT TRUST

EIN: 55-6136333

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
POST OFFICE BOX	140		140	140

TY 2015 Other Increases Schedule

Name: JOHN W TRENTON BENEVOLENT TRUST

EIN: 55-6136333

Description	Amount
CAPITAL GAIN DISTRIBUTIONS	418
GRANTS ACCRUED 2014	9,200

TY 2015 Taxes Schedule

Name: JOHN W TRENTON BENEVOLENT TRUST

EIN: 55-6136333

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
EXCISE TAX	62		62	



2015 PRESTON HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

PROMISE SCHOLARS: Alexander Barlow, Ella Betler, Cassandra Bolyard, Taya Bolyard, Brianna Braham, Adrianna Clarkson, Anna Crogan, Kieran Damm, JW Ennis, Denzil Graham III, Sarah Hart, Jacob Howell, Taylor Jennings, Shelby Johnson, William Johnson, Makayla Kelly, Patrick Kincaid, David Kirk, Paige Lancaster, Ryan Lenhart, Nicole Matthews, Tyler Mayne, Emma McClelland, Marlee McCrobie, Logan Menear, Chelsea Morris, Spencer Murphy, Josiah Nuse, Shallen Plum, Kaitlin Pompili, Jeremy Pyles, Gage Reckart, Corey Riner, Jared Ringer, Alexis Schoolcraft, Dixie Shahan, Cameron Shrout, Casey Shrout, Charity Sigley, Megan Stemple, Sarah Stone, Cheyenne Strahin, Coletton Tasker, Chelsea Taylor, Tara Taylor, Samantha Thomas, Kayla Uphold, Matt Vero, Cory White, Colton Wilson, Samantha Wolfe, Levi Wyatt

4-H: Denzil Graham, Savannah Catlett, Cheyenne Hoover

ALDER AND HELEN SPOTTE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: Caitlin May

ANGELA SHAHAN: Shane Christopher

AURORA PTO: Ashleigh Cummings, Cassandra Bolyard

BRUCETON ALUMNI: Grant Benson, Emily George, Benjamin Gorondy, Nicole Matthews, Gage Reckart, Jarod Ringer, Megan Stemple, Sarah Stone

PRESTON COUNTY BUCKWHEAT FESTIVAL ROYALTY COURT: Alexis Allen, Shane Christopher, Darby Grimm, Madison Jones, Brett Sanders, Travis Moyers

COLLIN G. CASTEEL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: Nicole Matthews

DAVID ALLAN PRETZEL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: Shane Christopher, Emily George, Cheyenne Hoover, MaryAnn Morris

DR. LEO KOTECHEK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: Shane Christopher

ED TURNER SCHOLARSHIP:

Meagan Lipscomb, Caitlin May

FELLOWSVILLE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION: Colton Bolyard, Morgan Hamilton, Emily Larew, Shaniah Tennant

FELLOWSVILLE RURITAN: Julia Miller

FINANCIAL AID/ COLLEGE DAY: Kaitlyn Pompili

HAROLD HARDESTY MATH AWARD: Samantha Wolfe

HONOR BOY AND GIRL - PRESTON HIGH REPRESENTATIVE: Taylor Jennings, Kaitlyn Pompili, Taylor Jennings (Faltis)

JAMES A GREGG MEMORIAL: Sarah Hart

JOHN R. & MARY ANNE HARDESTY JR. SCHOLARSHIP: Sabrina Cartwright, Alex Greathouse

KEVIN BEERBOWER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: David Kirk

KHS/CPHS ALUMNI: Alexander Barlow, Brianna Braham, Cheyenne Hoover, Hannah Maier, Cheyenne Stahin

KINGWOOD FOE: Alexis Allen, Alexis Bolyard, Ronald DeWitt, Jacob Howell, Ryan Lenhart, Marlee McCrobie, Spencer Murphy, Cheyenne Strahin, Coletton Tasker, Samantha Thomas, Ella Betler, Madison Jones, Taylor Paige Lancaster

KINGWOOD WOMEN'S CIVIC CLUB: Charity Sigley, Tyler Mayne

KINGWOOD HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF '59: Denzil Graham, Caitlin May

KYLE METHENY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: Logan Menear

LADY OF AGRICULTURE: Emily Larew

LEOPOLD AND ELIZABETH MARMET: Taylor Menear

LEORA & MILDRED LARUE: Maris Davenport, Robert DeWitt, Meagan Lipscomb, Emily Williams

BJORKMAN/ MESSENGER TRACK COACHES SCHOLARSHIP: Megan Stemple

MARY AGNES BORGMAN: Caitlin May

MARY E. MILLER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: Savannah Catlett, Ashlee Good, Ryan Lenhart

MARY VIRGINIA FAIRFAX:

Alexis Allen, Zachary Bryan, Denzil Graham, Spencer Lively, Levi Wyatt

MICHAEL S. MILLER: Ben Braham

MILITARY AWARDS: Spencer Lively, Kaitlyn Pompili

MONICA CHROUSSIS: Emma McClelland

MON GENERAL FOUNDATION (GLEN AND SUSAN ADRIAN SCHOLARSHIP): Jeremy Pyles, Anna Crogan

MR. NORTH PRESTON FARMER & MISS NORTH PRESTON FARMER: Shane Christopher, Nicole Matthews

NEWBURG ALUMNI: Ben Braham, Kendra Brown, Isaiah Sheets, Charity Sigley

PATTY SANDERS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS: Samantha Wolfe, Ariana Landis

PRESTON COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION: Savannah Catlett, Madison Jones, Mary Ann Morris

PCEA SCHOLARSHIP: Madison Jones

PRESTON COUNTY SCHOOL SERVICE PERSONNEL: Emma McClelland

PRESTON FEDERAL CREDIT UNION: Bethany Fairbanks

PRESTON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL HEALTH CAREERS SCHOLARSHIP: Emma McClelland, Jeremy Pyles

RYAN ALLEN RHODES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: Meagan Lipscomb

REVERAND JOHN NEGLEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: Denzil Graham

ROTARY CLUB (JACK CROGAN MEMORIAL): Cory White

ROBIN ZINN ANIMAL LOVER: Charity Sigley

ROWLESBURG PTO: Tara Taylor

SARAH CHROUSSIS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: Caitlin May

STATE EDUCATION EQT: Tyler Mayne, Taylor Jennings

SUSI MILLER MEMORIAL: Ryan Lenhart, Josiah Nuse

TERRA ALTA CIVIC CLUB/ MARCIA WEBSTER: Alexis Schoolcraft

TERRA ALTA/EAST PRESTON ALUMNI: Sarah Hart, Samantha Wolfe, Madison Pyles, Ar-

janna Landis, Alexis Schoolcraft, Cassandra Bolyard, David Kirk

TERRA ALTA/EAST PRESTON PTO: Sarah Hart, Samantha Wolfe

THOMAS PERRILL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: Ben Braham

TRIPLE A FORD COMPETITION FOURTH PLACE: Bryan Lilley, Ashton Jenkins

TRENTON MEMORIAL: Hannah Maier, Kaitlyn Pompili

VALLEY PTA: Savannah Catlett, Caitlin May

VALLEY DISTRICT LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIPS: Shallen Plum

VALLEY SPORTSMAN CLUB: Marlee McCrobie

VALLEY/WEST PRESTON ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP: Caitlin May, Bethany Fairbanks

WOODSMAN OF THE WORLD: Grant Benson

ALDERSON AND BROADDUS COLLEGE: Cassandra Bolyard, Emily Larew, Tara Taylor, Shyla Hartsell, Abigail Miller

CONCORD UNIVERSITY: Nicole Matthews

EMBRY RIDDLE AERONAUTICAL UNIVERSITY: Cory White

FAIRMONT STATE UNIVERSITY: Samantha Wolfe

GARRETT COLLEGE: Samuel Reckart

MARIETTA COLLEGE: Taylor Jennings

MARSHALL UNIVERSITY: Chelsey Taylor

PIERPONT COMMUNITY AND TECHNICAL COLLEGE: Ashleigh Cummings, Kendra Brown

SHEPHERD UNIVERSITY: Ella Betler

WEST VIRGINIA JUNIOR COLLEGE: Tasha Wolfe, Savannah Ash, Madison Pyles

WEST VIRGINIA WESLEYAN: Caitlin May, Zachary Bryan, Dixie Shahan

WEST LIBERTY UNIVERSITY: Emma McClelland, Corey Riner, Megan Stemple

WVU PRESIDENTIAL WINNERS: Tyler Mayne, Jarod Ringer, Colton Wilson

WVU RHODENDRON WINNERS: Kaitlyn Pompili, Jeremy

Pyles, Charity Sigley

WVU MOUNTAINEER WINNERS: Brianna Braham, Gage Reckart, Matt Vero

WVU VANDALIA: Alex Barlow, Sarah Hart, Adrianna Clarkson, William Johnson, Ryan Lenhart, Marlee McCrobie, Sarah Stone, Coletton Tasker, Levi Wyatt, Patrick Kincaid, Taylor Lancaster

WVU SHENANDOAH WINNERS: Grant Benson, Kieran Damm, Chelsea Gibson, Makaylah Kelly, Sabrina Cartwright

WVU ENGINEERING ACHIEVEMENT: Colton Wilson

WVU ENGINEERING EXCELLENCE: Tyler Mayne

WVU TOP SCHOLAR: Jeremy Pyles

WHEELING JESUIT UNIVERSITY: Logan Menear, Shallen Plum, Anna Crogan

HSTA: Grant Benson, Courtney Boring, Makayla Kelly, Devon Larew, Nicole Matthews, Amber McDonald, Chelsea Morris, Cory White

U.S. MARINES SCHOLASTICS, ATHLETIC, AND SEMPER FIDELIS AWARDS: Three certificates

KNIGHTS HONORS CLASS OF 2015: The administration of Preston High School would like to announce the students receiving "knights honors" for the senior class of 2015. This honor is bestowed upon the top 2 percent of the graduating class. They include Taylor Jennings, valedictorian, Jeremy Pyles, co-salutatorian, Jarod Ringer, co-salutatorian, Kaitlyn Pompili, Emma McClelland, Brianna Braham, Dixie Shahan, and Cory White

PRESTON HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2015: President: Levi Wyatt, Vice President: Caitlin May, Class Colors: gold and white, Class Flower: forget-me-not, Class Motto: "Nothing we do changes the past, everything we do changes the future", Class Song: "Good Riddance" - Green Day

Dominion Post
of Morgantown, WV
news article from
Saturday, May 16, 2015

JOHN W. TRENTON BENEVOLENT TRUST

The John W. Trenton Benevolent Trust (the Trust) is an irrevocable trust created under the will of Dr. John W. Trenton to benefit the citizens of Kingwood and Preston County in the furtherance of community recreation facilities, scholarships, and similar charitable, scientific, literary, and educational purposes. The Trust's funds may be used for the purchase of ground and erection of buildings, for improvements to the land and buildings, equipment, and facilities that will be used to benefit needy and deserving persons and/or projects, as well as enhance existing local charities. These local charities include but are not limited to, projects or undertakings such as Habitat for Humanity or similar charitable scientific, literacy, educational, or benevolent purposes as may be determined and selected by the Board of Trustees, and may further include medical or paramedical scholarships to deserving students from Preston or Grant Counties in West Virginia. The Trust may also be used to help apply for matching grants through governmental agencies and other private foundations. No part of any proceeds of the Trust may be used for political, illegal, or immoral purposes, and funds from the Trust shall not be used in furtherance of projects where the spending and use of Trust funds is directed by governmental agencies or regulations as opposed to the discretion and judgement of the Board of Trustees.

It was Dr. John Trenton's wish to recognize that the people of Preston County provided a place in which he could live and participate in his profession; and in appreciation for that privilege, it was his belief that he could best repay the privilege by supporting organizations and undertakings which are dedicated toward providing their resources unselfishly to the citizens of the County in which he lived.

Annually, the Board of Trustees of the Trust will file with the County Clerk of Preston County, West Virginia, an annual statement showing all receipts and expenditures in detail, together with a statement of all assets in the Trust. It is anticipated that approximately \$8,000 - \$10,000 of funding will be available on an annual basis from the Trust. The current Trustees are Debbie Livengood, David Brown and Pamela Schwer.

Applications for grant funds can be obtained by writing to John W. Trenton Benevolent Trust, P.O. Box 458, Kingwood, WV 26537 or by calling Pamela Schwer at (304) 329-2752.

JOHN W. TRENTON BENEVOLENT TRUST APPLICATION FOR FUNDING

Funding Available:

Application Due Date: **April 30, 2015**

Please attach additional pages where necessary. Return completed application to:

John W. Trenton Benevolent Trust
Funding Application
P.O. Box 458
Kingwood, WV 26537

Applicant Name:

Applicant Address:

Contact Person:

Phone Number:

Board Officers/Directors:

501(c)(3) Status:

Attach copy of 501(c)(3) exemption from IRS if applicable

Amount Requested:

Planned Use of Funds:

Please explain how your organization fits the criteria set forth in the trust statement.

Will these funds generate matching dollars? If so, how much?