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Form **990-PF**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Return of Private Foundation**
or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation

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For calendar year 2015 or tax year beginning , and ending

Name of foundation Rocks Family Foundation			A Employer identification number 84-1282202	
Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address) co DeLorme Management LLC PO Box 75004		Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) (719) 963-4928	
City or town Colorado Springs	State CO	ZIP code 80970-5004		
Foreign country name	Foreign province/state/county	Foreign postal code	C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
G Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change			D 1. Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>	
H Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation			E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c)) 2015 863,801		J Accounting method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____		
Line 16 \$ 863,801		F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>		

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)	29,921			
	2 Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	17,589	17,589	17,589	
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	17,563			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 44,248				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		17,563		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b Less: Cost of goods sold					
c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)					
11 Other income (attach schedule)					
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	65,073	35,152	17,589		
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.				
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)				
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)	62			62
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	778	778	579	
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications	56			56
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule)				
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	896	778	579	118
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	43,600			43,600
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	44,496	778	579	43,718	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	20,577				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		34,374			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			17,010		

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Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)	Beginning of year	End of year	
			(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing	8,862	6,554	6,554
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments			
	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)	713,406	736,237	856,812
	c	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)			
	11	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶			
		Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶			
	12	Investments—mortgage loans			
	13	Investments—other (attach schedule)			
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶			
		Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶			
	15	Other assets (describe ▶ Federal Tax Deposit)	381	435	435
	16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	722,649	743,226	863,801
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 <input type="checkbox"/>			
		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 ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
		and complete lines 27 through 31.			
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund			
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	722,649	743,226	
	30	Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	722,649	743,226	
	31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	722,649	743,226	

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	722,649
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	20,577
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	743,226
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	743,226

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co.)	(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1a SPARTAN 500 269.663 SHARES	P	4/19/2007	9/29/2015
b FIDELITY SMALL CAP 222.717 SHARES	P	6/20/2007	9/29/2015
c SPARTAN EXT MKT 218.993 SHARES	P	4/19/2007	9/29/2015
d			
e Capital Gains Distributions			

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a 18,000		14,104	3,896
b 4,000		3,751	249
c 11,000		8,830	2,170
d			
e			11,248

(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any	(l) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))
a			3,896
b			249
c			2,170
d			
e			11,248

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	17,563
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	6,315

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.

(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	35,043	894,615	0.039171
2013	32,562	754,163	0.043176
2012	29,626	621,230	0.047689
2011	15,370	601,453	0.025555
2010	29,160	536,535	0.054349

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	0.209940
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	0.041988
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5	4	883,709
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	37,105
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	344
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	37,449
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate. See the Part VI instructions.	8	43,718

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

1a	Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here <input type="checkbox"/> 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 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	1		344
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		344
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		344
6	Credits/Payments:			
a	2015 estimated tax payments and 2014 overpayment credited to 2015	6a	580	
b	Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source	6b		
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c		
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d		
7	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7		580
8	Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> 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		0
10	Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10		236
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2016 estimated tax 236 Refunded	11		0

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
1a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?		X
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see Instructions for the definition)? <i>If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.</i>		X
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation. ► \$ _____ (2) On foundation managers. ► \$ _____		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. ► \$ _____		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? <i>If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.</i>		X
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? <i>If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes</i>		X
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	N/A	
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.</i>		X
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	X	
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV</i>	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ► CO		
b If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by <i>General Instruction G</i> ? <i>If "No," attach explanation</i>	X	
9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2015 or the taxable year beginning in 2015 (see instructions for Part XIV)? <i>If "Yes," complete Part XIV</i>		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses</i>	X	

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		X
12	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)	12		X
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application?	13	X	
Website address ▶ N/A				
14	The books are in care of ▶ Joseph D. DeLorme Telephone no. ▶ (719) 963-4928			
Located at ▶ 6944 Cloud Dancer Drive Colorado Springs CO ZIP+4 ▶ 80923				
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?	16	Yes	No
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶				X

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

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

		Yes	No
1a	During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):		
	(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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.) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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 ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	1b	N/A
c	Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2015?	1c	X
2	Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)):		
a	At the end of tax year 2015, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2015? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
	If "Yes," list the years ▶ 20 11, 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	X
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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
b	If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2015 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969; (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest; or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2015)	3b	X
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a	X
b	Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2015?	4b	X

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

5a During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:

(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))? ☐ Yes ☒ No

(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive? ☐ Yes ☒ No

(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes? ☐ Yes ☒ No

(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? (see instructions) ☐ Yes ☒ No

(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals? ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? **5b** N/A

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** X

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** N/A

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors**1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see instructions).**

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
John G. Rocks PO Box 60399 Colorado Springs, CO 80960-0399	President 1.00	0		
Lindsay Rocks 909 Koss Street Erie, CO 80156	Vice President 1.00	0		
Gibraltar Corporation PO Box 75004 Colorado Springs, CO 80970-5004	Manager 5.00	0		
Joseph D. DeLorme PO Box 75004 Colorado Springs, CO 80970-5004	Secretary/Treasure 1.00	0		

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

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

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

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		

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 NONE	
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 N/A	
2	
All other program-related investments See instructions	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3	0

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	884,653
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	12,513
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	897,166
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	897,166
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2 % of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	13,457
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	883,709
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	44,185

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	44,185
2a	Tax on investment income for 2015 from Part VI, line 5	2a	344
b	Income tax for 2015. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	344
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	43,841
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	43,841
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	43,841

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	43,718
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	43,718
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	344
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	43,374

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				43,841
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015:				
a Enter amount for 2014 only			43,498	
b Total for prior years: 20 11, 20 12, 20 13		92,616		
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: ► \$ 43,718				
a Applied to 2014, but not more than line 2a			43,718	
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	220			
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	220			
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b		92,616		
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		92,616		
e Undistributed income for 2014. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount—see instructions				0
f Undistributed income for 2015. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2016				43,621
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	220			
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	220			

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

N/A

- 1a** If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2015, enter the date of the ruling

- b**
- Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section

☐ 4942(j)(3) or ☐ 4942(j)(5)

- 2a** Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed
- 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

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Part XV **Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year—see instructions.)**

- 1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:**

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

John G. Rocks

Lindsay Rocks

Joseph DeLorme

- 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 e-mail 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 Schedule 1				43,600
Total			3a	43,600
b <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
Total			3b	0

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations.)

Line No. ▼	Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XVI-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes) (See instructions)

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Schedule B
(Form 990, 990-EZ,
or 990-PF)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

OMB No 1545-0047

2015

▶ Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.

▶ Information about Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Name of the organization

Rocks Family Foundation

Employer identification number

84-1282202

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

☐ 501(c)() (enter number) organization

☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust not treated as a private foundation

☐ 527 political organization

Form 990-PF

☒ 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

☐ 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

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 property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

Special Rules

- ☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3 % support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h, or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.
- ☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.
- ☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year ▶ \$

Caution. An organization that is not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules does not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

Employer identification number

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Part I

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Employer identification number
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Part II

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
1	50 Shares of 3M Company Stock	\$ 14,296	8/6/2015
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
1	50 Shares of 3M Company Stock	\$ 14,995	12/16/2015
(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 Rocks Family Foundation	Employer identification number 84-1282202
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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.) ► \$ 0

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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	For. Prov.	Country	
(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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	For. Prov.	Country	
(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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	For. Prov.	Country	
(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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	For. Prov.	Country	

Part I, Line 6 (990-PF) - Gain/Loss from Sale of Assets Other Than Inventory

Amount										Gain/Loss from Sale of Receivables and Other Assets									
Long Term CG Distributions										Short Term CG Distributions									
11,248										0									
Description										CUSIP #									
Check "X" to include in Part IV										Check "X" if Purchaser is a Business									
Purchaser										Acquisition Method									
Date Acquired										Date Sold									
Gross Sales Price										Cost or Other Basis									
Valuation Method										Expense of Sale and Cost of Improvements									
Depreciation										Adjustments									
Net Gain or Loss										Net Gain or Loss									

Part I, Line 16b (990-PF) - Accounting Fees

		62	0	0	62
Description		Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes (Cash Basis Only)
1	Accounting Fees	62			62

Part I, Line 18 (990-PF) - Taxes

		778	778	579	0
Description		Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
1	Income Tax	579	579	579	
2	Foreign Tax on Investments	199	199		

Part II, Line 10b (990-PF) - Investments - Corporate Stock

		713,406	736,237	896,513	856,812
		Book Value	Book Value	FMV	FMV
		Beg. of Year	End of Year	Beg. of Year	End of Year
Description		Num. Shares/ Face Value	End of Year	Beg. of Year	End of Year
1	See Schedule 2		736,237	896,513	856,812

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Schedule 2

Part II, Investments Corporate Stock

Stock	Shares	2014 Cost	2014 FMV	2015 Cost	2015 FMV
3M COMPANY	400	\$ 22,671	\$ 32,864	\$ 51,962	\$ 60,476
ABBVIE INC COM.	100	\$ 2,559	\$ 6,544	\$ 2,559	\$ 5,846
ABBOTT LABORATORIES	100	\$ 2,359	\$ 4,502	\$ 2,359	\$ 4,510
AFFILIATED MANAGERS GROUP	100	\$ 10,831	\$ 21,224	\$ 10,831	\$ 16,310
APACHE CORP	70	\$ 9,174	\$ 4,387	\$ 9,175	\$ 3,206
ARTISAN INTERNAT'L INVESTOR CLASS	464,636	\$ 10,486	\$ 13,860	\$ 10,546	\$ 13,400
BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY INC DEL CL B NEW	100	\$ 8,343	\$ 15,015	\$ 8,343	\$ 13,389
CHEVRON CORP NEW	100	\$ 8,612	\$ 11,218	\$ 8,612	\$ 9,205
DISNEY WALT CO	100	\$ 3,707	\$ 9,419	\$ 3,707	\$ 10,586
EXXON MOBIL	956	\$ 74,925	\$ 88,382	\$ 74,925	\$ 75,839
FIDELITY SMALL CAP GROWTH	4,432.77	\$ 75,980	\$ 82,296	\$ 76,467	\$ 83,868
GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC	100	\$ 16,176	\$ 19,383	\$ 16,176	\$ 18,247
IBM	80	\$ 15,092	\$ 12,835	\$ 15,092	\$ 11,060
ISHARES S&P LATIN 40 INDEX	200.00	\$ 6,404	\$ 6,362	\$ 6,404	\$ 4,360
ISHARES TR MSCI EMERGING MKTS INDEX FD	100	\$ 4,648	\$ 3,929	\$ 4,648	\$ 3,265
ISHARES TR S&P MIDCAP 400 INDEX FD	100	\$ 8,861	\$ 14,480	\$ 8,861	\$ 13,757
ISHARES TR S&P MIDCAP 400 GROWTH INDEX FUND	200	\$ 19,825	\$ 31,934	\$ 19,825	\$ 31,812
ISHARES TRUST S&P SMALLCAP 600 INDEX FD	100	\$ 6,720	\$ 11,406	\$ 6,720	\$ 10,898
J P MORGAN	100	\$ 4,001	\$ 6,258	\$ 4,001	\$ 6,660
JOHNSON & JOHNSON	600	\$ 53,685	\$ 62,742	\$ 53,685	\$ 62,232
SPARTAN 500 INDEX FUND ADVANTAGE CLASS	1,877.77	\$ 107,819	\$ 152,392	\$ 97,701	\$ 135,913
SPARTAN EXT MKT INDX FID ADVANTAGE CLASS	3,253.02	\$ 131,774	\$ 180,835	\$ 132,926	\$ 165,058
SPARTAN INTL INDEX FID ADVANTAGE CLASS	2,054.09	\$ 89,276	\$ 74,393	\$ 91,235	\$ 74,379
TARGET CORP	100	\$ 5,924	\$ 7,591	\$ 5,924	\$ 7,317
UNION PACIFIC CORP	160	\$ 9,774	\$ 19,060	\$ 9,774	\$ 12,608
VANGUARD EMERGING MKTS VIPERS	80	\$ 3,780	\$ 3,202	\$ 3,780	\$ 2,611
TOTAL Investments		\$ 713,406	\$ 896,513	\$ 736,237	\$ 856,812

Part II, Line 15 (990-PF) - Other Assets

		381	435	435
		Book Value Beg of Year	Book Value End of Year	FMV End of Year
1	Federal Tax Deposit	381	435	435

Part IV (990-PF) - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

Amount		11,248		0		0		0		0		26,685		8,315		0		0		0		0		6,345							
Long Term CG Distributions		Short Term CG Distributions		Description of Property Sold		CUSIP #		Acquisition Method		Date Acquired		Date Sold		Gross Sales Price		Depreciation Allowed		Adjustments		Cost or Other Basis Plus Expense of Sale		Gain or Loss		FMV as of 12/31/69		Adjusted Basis as of 12/31/69		Excess of FMV Over Adjusted Basis		Gains Minus Excess FMV Over Adj Basis or Losses	
1	SPARTAN 500 268 663 SHARE							P		4/19/2007		9/29/2015		18,000						14,104		3,896							3,896		
2	FIDELITY SMALL CAP 222 717							P		6/20/2007		9/29/2015		4,000						3,751		249							249		
3	SPARTAN EXT MKT 218 993 S							P		4/19/2007		9/29/2015		11,000						8,830		2,170							2,170		

Part VIII, Line 1 (990-PF) - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees and Foundation Managers

	Name	Check "X" if Business	Street	City	State	Zip Code	Foreign Country	Title	Avg Hrs Per Week	Compensation	Benefits	Expense Account
1	John G Rocks		PO Box 60399	Colorado Springs	CO	80960-0399		President	1 00	0	0	0
2	Lindsay Rocks		908 Koss Street	Ene	CO	80156		Vice President	1 00	0		
3	Gibraltar Corporation	X	PO Box 75004	Colorado Springs	CO	80970-5004		Manager	5 00	0		
4	Joseph D DeLorme		PO Box 75004	Colorado Springs	CO	80970-5004		Secretary/Treasurer	1 00	0		

Part VI, Line 6a (990-PF) - Estimated Tax Payments

	Date	Amount
1 Credit from prior year return		1
2 First quarter estimated tax payment	5/15/2015	2 145
3 Second quarter estimated tax payment	6/15/2015	3 145
4 Third quarter estimated tax payment	9/15/2015	4 145
5 Fourth quarter estimated tax payment	1/15/2016	5 145
6 Other payments		6
7 Total		7 580

Part XIII, Line 2b, Column B (990-PF) - Undistributed Income for Prior Years

1 Undistributed income for the 3rd year 2013	1	34,389
2 Undistributed income for the 4th year 2012	2	29,750
3 Undistributed income for the 5th year 2011	3	28,477
4 Total	4	92,616

Dividends Summary (1099DIV (Worksheet))**Ordinary Dividends**

From 1099-DIV inputs
 From K-1 inputs
 From Form(s) 8621
 From Form(s) 8814
 Subtotal.

Adjustments

Nominee distribution (code N)
 Other adjustments (code J)
 Total adjustments

Total ordinary dividends

Total	Filer	Spouse
17,589	17,589	0
0	0	0
0	0	0
0	0	0
17,589	17,589	0
0	0	0
0	0	0
0	0	0
17,589	17,589	0

Qualified Dividends

From 1099-DIV inputs
 From K-1 inputs
 From Form(s) 8814
 Subtotal.

Adjustments

Nominee distribution (code N)
 Other adjustments (code J)
 Total adjustments

Total qualified dividends

Total	Filer	Spouse
15,503	15,503	0
0	0	0
0	0	0
15,503	15,503	0
0	0	0
0	0	0
0	0	0
15,503	15,503	0

Capital Gains

From 1099-DIV inputs

Adjustments

Nominee distribution (code N)
 Other adjustments (code J)
 Total adjustments

Total capital gains

Unrecaptured sec. 1250 gain included in capital gains

Total	Filer	Spouse
11,248	11,248	0
0	0	0
0	0	0
0	0	0
11,248	11,248	0
27	27	0

Other Dividend Information

Foreign tax paid

Total	Filer	Spouse
199	199	0

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Schedule 1

Part XV, Grants and Contributions Paid during the Year

Name and Address	Status	Purpose	Amount
Childrens Literacy Center 2928 Straus Ln # 100 Colorado Springs, CO 80907	Tax Exempt Org	Chanty	\$ 3,000 00
Grayhawk Classic Foundation 7501 E Thompson Peak Parkway Scottsdale, Az 85255	Tax Exempt Org	Chanty	\$ 1,000 00
Community Partnership For Childhood Development 2330 Robinson Street Colorado Springs, CO 80904	Tax Exempt Org	Chanty	\$ 4,000 00
Craig Hospital Foundation 3425 South Clarkson Street Englewood, CO 80113	Tax Exempt Org	Chanty	\$ 8,000 00
Crossfire Ministries 2120 East LaSalle Street Colorado Springs, CO 80909	Tax Exempt Org	Chanty	\$ 1,000 00
MacularVision Research Foundation 100 Front Street, Suite 300 W Conshohocken, PA 19428	Tax Exempt Org	Chanty	\$ 500 00
Mayo Foundation PO Box 450 Albert Lea, MN 56007-9849	Tax Exempt Org	Chanty	\$ 1,000 00
Pikes Peak Community College Foundation 5675 S Academy Boulevard Colorado Springs, CO 80906-5422	Tax Exempt Org	Chanty	\$ 8,000 00
Pikes Peak Therapeutic Riding Center 13620 Halleluiah Trail Elbert, CO 80106	Tax Exempt Org	Chanty	\$ 2,000 00
Salvation Army 501 S Weber Colorado Springs, Co 80903	Tax Exempt Org	Chanty	\$ 2,000 00
TESSA PO Box 2662 Colorado Springs, Co 80901	Tax Exempt Org	Chanty	\$ 2,000 00
The See the Future Fund 5636 N Union Blvd Colorado Springs, Co 80918	Tax Exempt Org	Chanty	\$ 9,000 00
Youth for Chnst 2120 Academy Cir # G, Colorado Springs, CO 80909	Tax Exempt Org	Chanty	\$ 100 00
Springs Rescue Mission 5 W Las Vegas St, Colorado Springs, CO 80903 Colorado Springs, CO 80903	Tax Exempt Org	Chanty	\$ 2,000 00
Total			\$ 43,600.00