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Return of Private Foundation

Form 990-PF

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

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2015

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For calendar year 2015 or tax year beginning OCT 1, 2015, and ending SEP 30, 2016

Name of foundation  
**THE SWEETGRASS FOUNDATION, INC.**

Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite  
**THE FORUM/SUITE 950, 3290 NORTHSIDE PKW**

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code  
**ATLANTA, GA 30327**

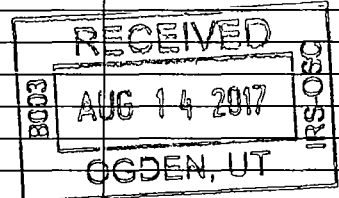
G Check all that apply: ☐ Initial return ☐ Initial return of a former public charity  
☐ Final return ☐ Amended return  
☐ Address change ☐ Name change

H Check type of organization: ☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation  
☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation

I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) J Accounting method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual  
☐ Other (specify)

\$ **3,287,988.** (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)

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))		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received				N/A	
2 Check <input checked="" 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		75,364.	75,364.		STATEMENT 1
5a Gross rents					
b Net rental income or (loss)					
6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10		102,294.			
b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a		152,117.			
7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)			102,294.		
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)					
11 Other income					
12 Total Add lines 1 through 11		177,658.	177,658.		
13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc		0.	0.		0.
14 Other employee salaries and wages					
15 Pension plans, employee benefits					
16a Legal fees STMT 2		150.	0.		150.
b Accounting fees					
c Other professional fees STMT 3		30,673.	30,673.		0.
17 Interest					
18 Taxes STMT 4		6,708.	0.		0.
19 Depreciation and depletion					
20 Occupancy					
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings					
22 Printing and publications					
23 Other expenses STMT 5		2,409.	20.		2,389.
24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23		39,940.	30,693.		2,539.
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid		151,595.			151,595.
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25		191,535.	30,693.		154,134.
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements		-13,877.			
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)			146,965.		
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)				N/A	



**Part II Balance Sheets**

Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only

Beginning of year

End of year

		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
<b>Assets</b>	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing			
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	28,476.	64,422.	64,422.
	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			
	7 Other notes and loans receivable ▶			
	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			
	b Investments - corporate stock STMT 6	1,547,089.	1,457,266.	2,501,782.
	c Investments - corporate bonds STMT 7	690,000.	730,000.	721,784.
	11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶			
Less: accumulated depreciation ▶				
12 Investments - mortgage loans				
13 Investments - other				
14 Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶				
Less: accumulated depreciation ▶				
15 Other assets (describe ▶)				
16 <b>Total assets</b> (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	2,265,565.	2,251,688.	3,287,988.	
<b>Liabilities</b>	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			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶)			
23 <b>Total liabilities</b> (add lines 17 through 22)	0.	0.		
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>			
	24 Unrestricted			
	25 Temporarily restricted			
	26 Permanently restricted			
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	0.	0.	
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund	0.	0.	
	29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	2,265,565.	2,251,688.	
	30 <b>Total net assets or fund balances</b>	2,265,565.	2,251,688.	
31 <b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b>	2,265,565.	2,251,688.		

**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	2,265,565.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-13,877.
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	0.
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	2,251,688.
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	5	0.
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	2,251,688.

**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			
b SEE ATTACHED STATEMENT			
c			
d			
e			

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a			
b			
c			
d			
e 152,117.		49,823.	102,294.

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))
(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any	
a			
b			
c			
d			
e			102,294.

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	<div> <div>If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7</div> <div>If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7</div> </div>	2	102,294.
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3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6):	<div> <div>If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c).</div> <div>If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8</div> </div>	3	N/A
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**Part V Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income**

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income.)

If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank.

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e). Do not complete this part.

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year; see the instructions before making any entries.

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col. (b) divided by col. (c))
2014	130,475.	3,351,715.	.038928
2013	173,646.	3,291,434.	.052757
2012	148,415.	2,937,544.	.050523
2011	144,073.	2,760,263.	.052195
2010	152,442.	2,813,878.	.054175

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	.248578
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	.049716
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5	4	3,197,016.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	158,943.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	1,470.
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	160,413.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8	154,134.

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

**Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948 - see 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 type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b		1	2,939.
c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col. (b).		2	0.
2 Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)		3	2,939.
3 Add lines 1 and 2		4	0.
4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)		5	2,939.
5 Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-			
6 Credits/Payments:			
a 2015 estimated tax payments and 2014 overpayment credited to 2015	6a	4,880.	
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	4,880.	
8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached	8	10.	
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	1,931.	
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2016 estimated tax <input type="checkbox"/> 1,931. Refunded <input type="checkbox"/>	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
1b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see instructions for the definition)? If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.		X
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation. <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers. <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 0.		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 0.		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities		X
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes		X
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		X
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.		X
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	X	
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col (c), and Part XV	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) <input type="checkbox"/> GA		
b If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? If "No," attach explanation	X	
9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2015 or the taxable year beginning in 2015 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses		X

N/A

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**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities** (continued)

	Yes	No
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? Website address ► <u>WWW.THESWEETGRASSFOUNDATION.ORG</u>	13	X
14 The books are in care of ► <u>DANA H. HALBERG</u> Telephone no. ► <u>678-538-2000</u> Located at ► <u>3290 NORTHSIDE PKWY, SUITE 950, ATLANTA, GA</u> ZIP+4 ► <u>30327</u>		
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 N/A		
16 At any time during calendar year 2015, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ►	16	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 N/A	1b	
c Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2015?	1c	X
2 Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)): a At the end of tax year 2015, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2015? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," list the years ► _____ b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is <b>not</b> 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 <b>all</b> years listed, answer "No" and attach statement - see instructions.) N/A c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here. ► _____	2b	
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 checked="" 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.) N/A	3b	
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a	X
b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2015?	4b	X

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**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)?

N/A

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?

N/A

☐ 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?

N/A

7b

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

1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation.

(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
SEE STATEMENT 8		0.	0.	0.

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

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

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

0

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**Part X****Minimum Investment Return** (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)

<b>1</b>	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
<b>a</b>	Average monthly fair market value of securities	<b>1a</b>	3,201,951.
<b>b</b>	Average of monthly cash balances	<b>1b</b>	43,751.
<b>c</b>	Fair market value of all other assets	<b>1c</b>	
<b>d</b>	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, b, and c)	<b>1d</b>	3,245,702.
<b>e</b>	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	<b>1e</b>	0.
<b>2</b>	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	<b>2</b>	0.
<b>3</b>	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	<b>3</b>	3,245,702.
<b>4</b>	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	<b>4</b>	48,686.
<b>5</b>	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	<b>5</b>	3,197,016.
<b>6</b>	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% of line 5	<b>6</b>	159,851.

**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.)

<b>1</b>	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	<b>1</b>	159,851.
<b>2a</b>	Tax on investment income for 2015 from Part VI, line 5	<b>2a</b>	2,939.
<b>b</b>	Income tax for 2015. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Add lines 2a and 2b	<b>2c</b>	2,939.
<b>3</b>	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	<b>3</b>	156,912.
<b>4</b>	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	<b>4</b>	0.
<b>5</b>	Add lines 3 and 4	<b>5</b>	156,912.
<b>6</b>	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	<b>6</b>	0.
<b>7</b>	<b>Distributable amount as adjusted.</b> Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	<b>7</b>	156,912.

**Part XII****Qualifying Distributions** (see instructions)

<b>1</b>	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:		
<b>a</b>	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc. - total from Part I, column (d), line 26	<b>1a</b>	154,134.
<b>b</b>	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	<b>1b</b>	0.
<b>2</b>	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
<b>a</b>	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	<b>3a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	<b>3b</b>	
<b>4</b>	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	<b>4</b>	154,134.
<b>5</b>	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	<b>5</b>	0.
<b>6</b>	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4	<b>6</b>	154,134.

**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.

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**Part XIII** Undistributed Income (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2014	(c) 2014	(d) 2015
<b>1</b> Distributable amount for 2015 from Part XI, line 7				156,912.
<b>2</b> Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015				
<b>a</b> Enter amount for 2014 only			0.	
<b>b</b> Total for prior years:		0.		
<b>3</b> Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015:				
<b>a</b> From 2010				
<b>b</b> From 2011				
<b>c</b> From 2012				
<b>d</b> From 2013	4,946.			
<b>e</b> From 2014				
<b>f</b> Total of lines 3a through e	4,946.			
<b>4</b> Qualifying distributions for 2015 from Part XII, line 4: ► \$ 154,134.				
<b>a</b> Applied to 2014, but not more than line 2a			0.	
<b>b</b> Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions)		0.		
<b>c</b> Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions)	0.			
<b>d</b> Applied to 2015 distributable amount				154,134.
<b>e</b> Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0.			
<b>5</b> Excess distributions carryover applied to 2015 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	2,778.			2,778.
<b>6</b> Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
<b>a</b> Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	2,168.			
<b>b</b> Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b		0.		
<b>c</b> Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed		0.		
<b>d</b> Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount - see instructions		0.		
<b>e</b> Undistributed income for 2014. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			0.	
<b>f</b> Undistributed income for 2015. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2016				0.
<b>7</b> Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required - see instructions)	0.			
<b>8</b> Excess distributions carryover from 2010 not applied on line 5 or line 7	0.			
<b>9</b> Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	2,168.			
<b>10</b> Analysis of line 9:				
<b>a</b> Excess from 2011				
<b>b</b> Excess from 2012				
<b>c</b> Excess from 2013	2,168.			
<b>d</b> Excess from 2014				
<b>e</b> Excess from 2015				



**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)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
ALASKA WILDLIFE CONSERVATION CENTER P.O. BOX 949 GIRDWOOD, AK 99587	N/A	501(C)(3)	GENERAL SUPPORT FOR THE ORGANIZATION	3,000.
ATLANTA GIRLS' SCHOOL 3254 NORTHSIDE PARKWAY, NW ATLANTA, GA 30327	N/A	501(C)(3)	STUDENT FINANCIAL AID FOR GLOBAL TRAVEL	5,000.
BIRDS OF PREY FOUNDATION 2290 SOUTH 104TH STREET BROOMFIELD, CO 80020	N/A	501(C)(3)	GENERAL SUPPORT FOR THE ORGANIZATION	1,500.
CARETTA RESEARCH PROJECT P.O. BOX 9841 SAVANNAH, GA 31412	N/A	501(C)(3)	GENERAL SUPPORT FOR THE ORGANIZATION	1,500.
EAGLE'S NEST FOUNDATION P.O. BOX 5127 WINSTON-SALEM, NC 27113	N/A	501(C)(3)	STUDENT FINANCIAL AID	25,000.
<b>Total</b>	<b>SEE CONTINUATION SHEET(S)</b>			▶ <b>3a</b> 151,595.
<b>b</b> <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
NONE				
<b>Total</b>			▶ <b>3b</b>	0.





**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	100 SH ACCENTURE	P	10/02/07	08/16/16
b	100 SH ALLERGAN PLC	P	01/08/13	08/16/16
c	200 SH APPLE INC	P	07/06/09	08/16/16
d	200 SH JOHNSON & JOHNSON	P	12/14/99	08/16/16
e	100 SH MCKESSON CORPORATION	P	05/28/09	08/16/16
f	100 SH TEXAS INSTRUMENTS	P	05/11/07	08/16/16
g	100 SH TJX	P	05/09/08	08/16/16
h	500 SH WELLS FARGO	P	10/02/07	08/16/16
i	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS			
j				
k				
l				
m				
n				
o				

(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 11,357.		3,853.	7,504.
b 25,472.		14,401.	11,071.
c 21,672.		4,058.	17,614.
d 24,721.		3,987.	20,734.
e 19,565.		4,068.	15,497.
f 6,984.		3,514.	3,470.
g 8,136.		1,602.	6,534.
h 24,060.		14,340.	9,720.
i 10,150.			10,150.
j			
k			
l			
m			
n			
o			

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

(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any	(l) Losses (from col. (h)) Gains (excess of col. (h) gain over col. (k), but not less than "-0-")
a			7,504.
b			11,071.
c			17,614.
d			20,734.
e			15,497.
f			3,470.
g			6,534.
h			9,720.
i			10,150.
j			
k			
l			
m			
n			
o			

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	102,294.
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). If (loss), enter "-0-" in Part I, line 8	3	N/A

**Part XV** Supplementary Information**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)**

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	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
ECOTRUST 721 NW 9TH AVE #200 PORTLAND, OR 97209	N/A	501(C)(3)	ASSIST TRIBES WITH LAND ACQUISITION - ELLIOTT STATE FOREST	25,000.
GEORGIA RIVER NETWORK 2225 JEFFERSON DRIVE ATLANTA, GA 30350	N/A	501(C)(3)	2016 ENGAGE, EMPOWER & ADVOCATE PROGRAM	5,000.
GEOS INSTITUTE 84 FOURTH STREET ASHLAND, OR 97520	N/A	501(C)(3)	GENERAL SUPPORT FOR THE ORGANIZATION	2,000.
HESPERIAN HEALTH GUIDES 1919 ADDISON STREET, SUITE 304 BERKELEY, CA 94704	N/A	501(C)(3)	TRANSLATION, PUBLICATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF HEALTH GUIDE (HEALTH ACTIONS FOR WOMEN: PRACTICAL	11,500.
JEKYLL ISLAND FOUNDATION P.O. BOX 13002 JEKYLL ISLAND, GA 31527	N/A	501(C)(3)	MOSIAC: THE ISLAND, THE PEOPLE, THE LEGACY	5,000.
OSSABAW ISLAND FOUNDATION 305 FAHM STREET SAVANNAH, GA 31401	N/A	501(C)(3)	ECOLOGICAL PROGRAMMING, CULTURE PRESERVATION AND YOUTH EDUCATION	5,000.
RAPTOR EDUCATION FOUNDATION P.O. BOX 200400 DENVER, CO 80220	N/A	501(C)(3)	GENERAL SUPPORT FOR THE ORGANIZATION	1,500.
RIVER NETWORK P.O. BOX 21387 BOULDER, CO 80308	N/A	501(C)(3)	FINANCIAL AID TO ALLOW UNDERSERVED COMMUNITIES TO ATTEND RIVER RALLY	10,000.
THE HIMAL ASSOCIATION GPO 7251 KATHMANDU, NEPAL	N/A	FOREIGN TAX-EXEMPT ORG	GENERAL SUPPORT FOR THE ORGANIZATION	1,500.
THE MOM FOUNDATION - NEPAL (FORMERLY NDSBP) POST BOX 8975, EVERST POSTAL CARE 5647 KATHMANDU, NEPAL	N/A	FOREIGN TAX-EXEMPT ORG	EDUCATION AND HEALTHCARE	41,000.
<b>Total from continuation sheets</b>				<b>115,595.</b>



**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)****Total from continuation sheets**

**Part XV** Supplementary Information

3a Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year Continuation of Purpose of Grant or Contribution

NAME OF RECIPIENT - HESPERIAN HEALTH GUIDES

TRANSLATION, PUBLICATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF HEALTH GUIDE (HEALTH  
ACTIONS FOR WOMEN: PRACTICAL STRATEGIES TO MOBILIZE FOR CHANGE)

FORM 990-PF                      DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES                      STATEMENT      1

SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
BNY MELLON - NOMINEE	85,514.	10,150.	75,364.	75,364.	
TO PART I, LINE 4	85,514.	10,150.	75,364.	75,364.	

FORM 990-PF                      LEGAL FEES                      STATEMENT      2

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
LEGAL FEES	150.	0.		150.
TO FM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16A	150.	0.		150.

FORM 990-PF                      OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES                      STATEMENT      3

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
INVESTMENT FEES	30,673.	30,673.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16C	30,673.	30,673.		0.

FORM 990-PF                      TAXES                      STATEMENT      4

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
SECT 4940 TAX	6,708.	0.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	6,708.	0.		0.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER EXPENSES			STATEMENT	5
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
ADR FEES	20.	20.		0.	
ANNUAL REGISTRATION	30.	0.		30.	
OTHER	2,359.	0.		2,359.	
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	2,409.	20.		2,389.	

FORM 990-PF	CORPORATE STOCK		STATEMENT	6
DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE		
CORPORATE STOCK	1,457,266.	2,501,782.		
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10B	1,457,266.	2,501,782.		

FORM 990-PF	CORPORATE BONDS		STATEMENT	7
DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE		
CORPORATE BONDS	730,000.	721,784.		
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10C	730,000.	721,784.		

FORM 990-PF	PART VIII - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS TRUSTEES AND FOUNDATION MANAGERS	STATEMENT 8
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NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVRG HRS/WK	COMPEN- SATION	EMPLOYEE BEN PLAN CONTRIB	EXPENSE ACCOUNT
THOMAS FULLER, IV 3290 NORTHSIDE PARKWAY, NW, SUITE 950 ATLANTA, GA 30327	CHAIRMAN  0.50	  0.	  0.	  0.
DANA H. HALBERG 3290 NORTHSIDE PARKWAY, NW, SUITE 950 ATLANTA, GA 30327	ASST. TREAS.  0.50	  0.	  0.	  0.
DR. SAMUEL P. FULLER 3290 NORTHSIDE PARKWAY, NW, SUITE 950 ATLANTA, GA 30327	DIRECTOR  0.50	  0.	  0.	  0.
KENNETH R. MARGOLIS 3290 NORTHSIDE PARKWAY, NW, SUITE 950 ATLANTA, GA 30327	DIRECTOR  0.50	  0.	  0.	  0.
SARAH G. CANDLER 3290 NORTHSIDE PARKWAY, NW, SUITE 950 ATLANTA, GA 30327	DIRECTOR  0.50	  0.	  0.	  0.
CYNTHIA A. FULLER 3290 NORTHSIDE PARKWAY, NW, SUITE 950 ATLANTA, GA 30327	DIRECTOR  0.50	  0.	  0.	  0.
AULBREY F. DRISALDI 3290 NORTHSIDE PARKWAY, NW, SUITE 950 ATLANTA, GA 30327	DIRECTOR  0.50	  0.	  0.	  0.
TOTALS INCLUDED ON 990-PF, PAGE 6, PART VIII		0.	0.	0.

FORM 990-PF

GRANT APPLICATION SUBMISSION INFORMATION  
PART XV, LINES 2A THROUGH 2D

STATEMENT 9

NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON TO WHOM APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED

THOMAS FULLER, IV, C/O BNY MELLON  
3290 NORTHSIDE PARKWAY, NW, SUITE 950  
ATLANTA, GA 30327

TELEPHONE NUMBER

678-538-2000

FORM AND CONTENT OF APPLICATIONS

NO SPECIFIC FORMS OR MATERIALS ARE REQUIRED.

ANY SUBMISSION DEADLINES

APPLICATIONS SHOULD GENERALLY BE SUBMITTED BY MARCH 15.

RESTRICTIONS AND LIMITATIONS ON AWARDS

AWARDS ARE RESTRICTED TO INDIVIDUALS AND ORGANIZATIONS WORKING DIRECTLY FOR ECOLOGICAL HEALTH AND CULTURAL DIVERSITY AND PRESERVATION. THE FOUNDATION HAS A SPECIAL INTEREST IN THE PROTECTION OF PRISTINE WILDERNESS AREAS AND IN WORK THAT SUPPORTS YOUNG PEOPLE IN GAINING RESPECT FOR THE EARTH.