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or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation

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For calendar year 2016 or tax year beginning

, and ending

Name of foundation <b>BRISTLE CONE PINE FOUNDATION</b> <b>C/O WILMINGTON TRUST CO 009266-000</b>		A Employer identification number <b>51-6508168</b>
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) <b>1100 NORTH MARKET ST., DE3 - C070</b>	Room/suite	B Telephone number <b>(302) 651-8571</b>
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code <b>WILMINGTON, DE 19890-0001</b>		C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>
G Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <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), line 16) <b>\$ 664,008.</b>	J Accounting method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____	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))		(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		82.	82.		STATEMENT 1
4 Dividends and interest from securities		12,543.	9,965.		STATEMENT 2
5a Gross rents					
b Net rental income or (loss)					
6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10		<12,611.>			
b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a		261,000.			
7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)					
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		14.	10,047.		
13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc		385.	385.		0.
14 Other employee salaries and wages					
15 Pension plans, employee benefits					
16a Legal fees					
b Accounting fees					
c Other professional fees STMT 3		144.	72.		72.
17 Interest					
18 Taxes STMT 4		1.	0.		0.
19 Depreciation and depletion					
20 Occupancy					
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings					
22 Printing and publications					
23 Other expenses STMT 5		1,471.	1,264.		0.
24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23		2,001.	1,721.		72.
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid		24,000.			24,000.
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25		26,001.	1,721.		24,072.
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements		<25,987.>			
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)			8,326.		
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 (a) Book Value	End of year (b) Book Value (c) Fair Market Value	
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing			
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	202,960.	528.	528.
	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			
	c Investments - corporate bonds			
	11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶			
Less accumulated depreciation ▶				
12 Investments - mortgage loans				
13 Investments - other	STMT 8	413,038.	592,441.	663,480.
14 Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶				
Less accumulated depreciation ▶				
15 Other assets (describe ▶)				
16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)		615,998.	592,969.	664,008.
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			
	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	615,998.	592,969.	
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund	0.	0.	
29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	0.	0.		
30 Total net assets or fund balances	615,998.	592,969.		
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	615,998.	592,969.		

## 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	615,998.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	<25,987.>
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ SEE STATEMENT 6	3	3,035.
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	593,046.
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ SEE STATEMENT 7	5	77.
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	592,969.

**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.)
<b>1a</b>				
<b>b</b> SEE ATTACHED STATEMENT				
<b>c</b>				
<b>d</b>				
<b>e</b>				
(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)	
<b>a</b>				
<b>b</b>				
<b>c</b>				
<b>d</b>				
<b>e</b> 261,000.		273,611.	<12,611.>	
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69				(i) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))
(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any		
<b>a</b>				
<b>b</b>				
<b>c</b>				
<b>d</b>				
<b>e</b>			<12,611.>	
<b>2</b> Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)		<div style="border-left: 1px solid black; padding-left: 5px;">                     If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7                      If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7                 </div>		2 <12,611.>
<b>3</b> 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		<div style="border-left: 1px solid black; padding-left: 5px;">                     If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c).                      If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8                 </div>		3 N/A

**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))
2015	47,086.	638,613.	.073732
2014	25,125.	446,877.	.056224
2013	25,144.	453,435.	.055452
2012	22,494.	472,791.	.047577
2011	30,048.	487,859.	.061592

<b>2</b> Total of line 1, column (d)	2	.294577
<b>3</b> 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	.058915
<b>4</b> Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2016 from Part X, line 5	4	636,132.
<b>5</b> Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	37,478.
<b>6</b> Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	83.
<b>7</b> Add lines 5 and 6	7	37,561.
<b>8</b> 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	24,072.

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**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)		1	167.
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			
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	167.
4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)		4	0.
5 Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-		5	167.
6 Credits/Payments:			
a 2016 estimated tax payments and 2015 overpayment credited to 2016	6a		
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		0.
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		167.
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 2017 estimated tax <input type="checkbox"/> Refunded <input type="checkbox"/>	11		

**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)? 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. ► \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers. ► \$ 0.		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. ► \$ 0.		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.		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?		
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) ► DE		
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 2016 or the taxable year beginning in 2016 (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)		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)		X
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ► <b>NO SITE</b>	X	
14 The books are in care of ► <b>WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY A PATNI</b> Telephone no. ► <b>(302) 651-8571</b> Located at ► <b>1100 NORTH MARKET STREET, WILMINGTON, DE</b> ZIP+4 ► <b>19890-0001</b>		
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	2,578.
16 At any time during calendar year 2016, 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input 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		X
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 2016?		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 2016, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2016? If "Yes," list the years ►	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
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.)	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. ►		
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 2016 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 2016.)	N/A	
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?		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 2016?		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 9		385.	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.)

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	630,326.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	15,493.
c	Fair market value of all other assets	1c	
d	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	645,819.
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	0.
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0.
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	645,819.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	9,687.
5	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	636,132.
6	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% of line 5	6	31,807.

**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	31,807.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2016 from Part VI, line 5	2a	167.
b	Income tax for 2016. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	167.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	31,640.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	31,640.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	0.
7	<b>Distributable amount as adjusted.</b> Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	31,640.

**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	24,072.
b	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b	0.
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	24,072.
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	5	0.
6	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	24,072.

**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 2015	(c) 2015	(d) 2016
<b>1</b> Distributable amount for 2016 from Part XI, line 7				31,640.
<b>2</b> Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2016				
<b>a</b> Enter amount for 2015 only			0.	
<b>b</b> Total for prior years:		0.		
<b>3</b> Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2016:				
<b>a</b> From 2011				
<b>b</b> From 2012				
<b>c</b> From 2013				
<b>d</b> From 2014				
<b>e</b> From 2015				832.
<b>f</b> Total of lines 3a through e	832.			
<b>4</b> Qualifying distributions for 2016 from Part XII, line 4: ► \$				24,072.
<b>a</b> Applied to 2015, 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 2016 distributable amount				24,072.
<b>e</b> Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0.			
<b>5</b> Excess distributions carryover applied to 2016 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	832.			832.
<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	0.			
<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 2015. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			0.	
<b>f</b> Undistributed income for 2016. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2017				6,736.
<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 2011 not applied on line 5 or line 7	0.			
<b>9</b> Excess distributions carryover to 2017. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	0.			
<b>10</b> Analysis of line 9:				
<b>a</b> Excess from 2012				
<b>b</b> Excess from 2013				
<b>c</b> Excess from 2014				
<b>d</b> Excess from 2015				
<b>e</b> Excess from 2016				

N/A

- ☐ 4942(1)(3) or ☐ 4942(1)(5)

(5) Gross investment income		
<b>Part XV</b>	<b>Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year-see instructions.)</b>	

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

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

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.

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

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**Part XV** Supplementary Information (continued)**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year				
BUSINESS UNITED IN INVESTING LENDING 2385 BAY ROAD REDWOOD CITY, CA 94063	GENERAL AND/OR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	PUBLIC CHARITY		3,500.
CONNECTICUT PUBLIC BROADCASTING INC. 1049 ASYLUM AVENUE HARTFORD, CT 06106	GENERAL AND/OR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	PUBLIC CHARITY		500.
FREE MINDS BOOK CLUB & WRITING 2201 P STREET NW WASHINGTON, DC 20037	GENERAL AND/OR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	PUBLIC CHARITY		3,000.
GIRLS INC. OF THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST 4800 SW MACADAM AVE. STE 309 PORTLAND, OR 97206	GENERAL AND/OR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	PUBLIC CHARITY		2,500.
NEW BRITAIN MUSEUM OF AMERICAN ART 56 LEXINGTON STREET NEW BRITAIN, CT 06052	GENERAL AND/OR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	PUBLIC CHARITY		6,000.
Total			SEE CONTINUATION SHEET(S)	24,000.
b Approved for future payment				
NONE				
Total				0

3a

3b

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

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**Part XVII Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations**

- |  |              |     |
|--|--------------|-----|
| <p><b>1</b> Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?</p> <p><b>a</b> Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of:</p> <p>(1) Cash</p> <p>(2) Other assets</p> <p><b>b</b> Other transactions:</p> <p>(1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization</p> <p>(2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization</p> <p>(3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets</p> <p>(4) Reimbursement arrangements</p> <p>(5) Loans or loan guarantees</p> <p>(6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations</p> <p><b>c</b> Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees</p> <p><b>d</b> 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.</p> |              | Yes |
|  | <b>1a(1)</b> |     |
|  | <b>1a(2)</b> |     |
|  | <b>1b(1)</b> |     |
|  | <b>1b(2)</b> |     |
|  | <b>1b(3)</b> |     |
|  | <b>1b(4)</b> |     |
|  | <b>1b(5)</b> |     |
|  | <b>1b(6)</b> |     |
|  | <b>1c</b>    |     |

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

[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
N/A		

**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.

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.

Signature of officer or trustee Peter M. Holt Date 5/12/17

Officer or Trustee W.F. Title OFFICER WIL TR

Signature of officer or trustee \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Officer or Trustee \_\_\_\_\_ Title TRUSTEE

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 <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
Firm's name ▶			Firm's EIN ▶	
Firm's address ▶			Phone no.	

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**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
OREGON MUSEUM OF SCIENCE AND 1945 SE WATER AVE. PORTLAND, OR 97214	GENERAL AND/OR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	PUBLIC CHARITY		1,000.
OREGON PUBLIC BROADCASTING 7140 SW MACADAM AVENUE PORTLAND, OR 97219	GENERAL AND/OR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	PUBLIC CHARITY		2,000.
PLANNED PARENTHOOD FEDERATION OF ATTN: ONLINE SERVICES NEW YORK, NY 10038	GENERAL AND/OR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	PUBLIC CHARITY		2,000.
REAL ART WAYS INC. 56 ARBOR ST. HARTFORD, CT 06106	GENERAL AND/OR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	PUBLIC CHARITY		2,500.
YOUNG MUSICIANS AND ARTISTS P.O. BOX 86034 PORTLAND, OR 97286	GENERAL AND/OR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES	PUBLIC CHARITY		1,000.
<b>Total from continuation sheets</b>				<b>8,500.</b>

## FORM 990-PF INTEREST ON SAVINGS AND TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS STATEMENT 1

SOURCE	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
STIF INTEREST, CORPORATE	1.	1.	
STIF INTEREST, U S GOVERNMENT	81.	81.	
TOTAL TO PART I, LINE 3	82.	82.	

## FORM 990-PF DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES STATEMENT 2

SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
LTIF MUNI INTEREST	2,578.	0.	2,578.	0.	
LTIF OTHER INTEREST	22.	0.	22.	22.	
LTIF U S GOV INTEREST	58.	0.	58.	58.	
SYLVAN PARTNERS IV LLC DIVIDENDS ON K1 LINE 6	9,879.	0.	9,879.	9,879.	
SYLVAN PARTNERS IV LLC INTEREST ON K1 LINE 5	6.	0.	6.	6.	
TO PART I, LINE 4	12,543.	0.	12,543.	9,965.	

## 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
ADMINISTRATIVE FEES	144.	72.		72.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16C	144.	72.		72.



FORM 990-PF	TAXES	STATEMENT	4
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DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
PRIOR YEAR 990PF TAX BALANCE DUE	1.	0.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	1.	0.		0.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER EXPENSES	STATEMENT	5
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DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
L. T. I. .F FEE (COL B IS DEDUCTIBLE AMOUNT)	220.	13.		0.
SYLVAN PARNTERS IV LLC FEES ON K1 LINE 13	1,251.	1,251.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	1,471.	1,264.		0.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER INCREASES IN NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES	STATEMENT	6
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DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
LTIF ADJUSTMENT SEE ATTACHED W/P	270.
SYLVAN INVEST \$450,000 LESS \$(623) K-1 LOSS LESS \$8,391	
DISTB LESS \$443,751	2,765.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART III, LINE 3	3,035.

**Attachment to Form 990PF: Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax****Part III, Page 2 Lines 3 & 5 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (required explanation)**

Foundation Name: Bristle Cone Pine Foundation p m h  
 EIN: 51 - 6508168 4/18/2017  
 Wilmington Trust Account 009266-000  
 Capital Adjustments (year ending 12/31/2016)

**Common Fund Distribution and Attribute Differences**

Income Summary (cash received code 986)	\$ 2,585 43	+	
Fund Sheet (Income, gain and fee attributes reported)* {see below}	(2,320.98)	-	
SUBTOTAL	264 45		\$ 264 45

**Common Fund Gain and Loss Differences**

C T F units held

Ending Balance 12/31/2016 @ cost	\$ 148,690 00	+	
Less Fund Purchases (code 946)	0 00	-	
Add Cost Basis of C T Fund Units sold this year (sales grid)	264,237 61	+	
Less Beginning Cost Basis Balance 1 / 1 / 2016 (use 12/31/2015)	(413,038 00)	-	
SUBTOTAL	(110 39)		\$ (110 39)

Common fund passed through loss	116 26	+	
Common fund passed through gain	(0 01)	-	
SUBTOTAL			\$ 116 25

**Net Capital {fund balance} Adjustment, total of the above****\$ 270.31**

\*Details of tax attributes received from common trust funds

Dividends	\$ -	code 5
Corp Inter	\$ 22 17	code 7
Muni Inter	\$ 2,578 31	code 11
U S Inter	\$ 57 74	code 13
Less (fees)	\$ (220 99)	code 23
short gain	\$ 0 01	code 46
shrt gn dvd	\$ -	code 126
long gain	\$ (116 26)	code 510
Total	<b>\$ 2,320.98</b>	carry to above*

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FORM 990-PF	OTHER DECREASES IN NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES	STATEMENT	7
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DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
S. T. I .F. CASH RCVD IN JAN FOR DEC (DIFF BETW 01/2016 & 01/2017)	37.
OTHER PRIOR YEAR ADJUSTMENT	40.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART III, LINE 5	77.

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FORM 990-PF	OTHER INVESTMENTS	STATEMENT	8
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DESCRIPTION	VALUATION METHOD	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
LONG TERM INVESTMENT FUND	COST	148,690.	144,362.
SYLVAN PARTNERS LLC SERIES IV	COST	443,751.	519,118.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 13		592,441.	663,480.

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FORM 990-PF                      PART VIII - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS                      STATEMENT                      9  
    TRUSTEES AND FOUNDATION MANAGERS

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NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVRG HRS/WK	COMPEN- SATION	EMPLOYEE BEN PLAN CONTRIB	EXPENSE ACCOUNT
WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY 1100 N. MARKET STREET WILMINGTON, DE 19890	TRUSTEE 1.00	385.	0.	0.
STEPHEN MILLIKEN P.O. BOX 1926 SPARTANBURG, SC 29304	ADVISOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
REBECCA C MILLIKEN P.O. BOX 1926 SPARTANBURG, SC 29304	ADVISOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
JOHN W MILLIKEN P.O. BOX 1926 SPARTANBURG, SC 29304	ADVISOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
JESSE C MILLIKEN P.O. BOX 1926 SPARTANBURG, SC 29304	ADVISOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
LOGAN TYLER-COATES MILLIKEN P.O. BOX 1926 SPARTANBURG, SC 29304	ADVISOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
PETER NOBLE ROGERS P.O. BOX 1926 SPARTANBURG, SC 29304	ADVISOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
MEGAN MILLIKEN P.O. BOX 1926 SPARTANBURG, SC 29304	ADVISOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
TOTALS INCLUDED ON 990-PF, PAGE 6, PART VIII		385.	0.	0.

## Supporting Detail 990PF Part II Page 2 Balance Sheet

Account: 009266-000 THE BRISTLE CONE PINE FOUNDATION

As of Date 12/31/2016

Description	CUSIP	Quantity	Market Value	Federal Tax Cost
RESTRICTED LONG TERM INVESTMENT FUND				
	997611108	14,350 0533	144,361 54	148,690 22
RESTRICTED SHORT TERM INVESTMENT FND				
	821400009	443 3300	443 33	443 33
SYLVAN PARTNERS LLC - SERIES IV				
	99Y800DD6	5 4285	519,118.28	443,750 86
<b>TOTAL Principal Portfolio -</b>		<b>14,798.8118</b>	<b>663,923.15</b>	<b>592,884.41</b>
RESTRICTED SHORT TERM INVESTMENT FND				
	821400009	84 1700	84 17	84.17
<b>TOTAL Income Portfolio -</b>		<b>84.1700</b>	<b>84.17</b>	<b>84.17</b>
<b>TOTAL 009266-000</b>			<b>664,007.32</b>	<b>592,968.58</b>
recap				
Partnerships			\$663,480	\$592,441
Cash			\$528	\$528
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$664,007</b>	<b>\$592,969</b>

**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	RESTRICTED L. T.I. F.	P	06/06/02	01/31/16
b	RESTRICTED L. T.I. F.	P	06/06/02	12/15/16
c	L T I F PASSED THROUGH LONG TERM LOSS	P	VARIOUS	12/31/16
d	SYLVAN PARTNERS IV LLC SHORT TERM LOSS ON K1 LINE	P	VARIOUS	12/31/16
e	SYLVAN PARTNERS IV LLC LONG TERM LOSS ON K1 LINE	P	VARIOUS	12/31/16
f				
g				
h				
i				
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 250,000.		252,897.	<2,897.>
b 11,000.		11,341.	<341.>
c		116.	<116.>
d		5,474.	<5,474.>
e		3,783.	<3,783.>
f			
g			
h			
i			
j			
k			
l			
m			
n			
o			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Losses (from col. (h)) Gains (excess of col. (h) gain over col. (k), but not less than "-0-")
(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			<2,897.>
b			<341.>
c			<116.>
d			<5,474.>
e			<3,783.>
f			
g			
h			
i			
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	<12,611.>
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