

For calendar year 2016, or tax year beginning 01-01-2016, and ending 12-31-2016

Name of foundation CHARIS FOUNDATION INC C/O STEINER & ELLIS PLLC		A Employer identification number 62-1867423	
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) PO BOX 52206		Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) (865) 212-3800
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code KNOXVILLE, TN 37950		C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐	
G Check all that apply ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return ☐ Address change ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Amended return ☐ Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here ☐ 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ☐	
H Check type of organization ☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation ☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐	
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) \$ 13,759,085	J Accounting method ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)		
		F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ☐	

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (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)	450,000			
	2 Check ☐ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
	4 Dividends and interest from securities . . .	175,228	175,148		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	193,037			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2) . . .		193,037		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
Operating and Administrative Expenses	b Less Cost of goods sold				
	c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)				
	11 Other income (attach schedule)	2,627	-3,364		
	12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	820,892	364,821		
	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0	0		0
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)	522	0		0
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)	14,041	14,041		0
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
	17 Interest	68,030	1,947		0
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) . . .	21,110	21,090		20
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion . . .				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule)	67,044	66,639		250
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	170,747	103,717		270
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	1,157,002			1,157,002
	26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	1,327,749	103,717		1,157,272
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-506,857			
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		261,104		
c Adjusted net income(if negative, enter -0-)					

Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)			Beginning of year	End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value			
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing	26,221	38,304	38,304		
	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) ▶ _____ 1,625,000 Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____ 0	1,625,000	1,625,000	1,625,000		
	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)					
	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)	13,013,397	12,494,457	12,095,781		
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____					
15	Other assets (describe ▶ _____)						
16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	14,664,618	14,157,761	13,759,085			
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)	1,625,000	1,625,000			
	22	Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)					
	23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	1,625,000	1,625,000			
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☐ and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.						
	24	Unrestricted					
	25	Temporarily restricted					
	26	Permanently restricted					
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☒ and complete lines 27 through 31.						
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	0	0			
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund	0	0			
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	13,039,618	12,532,761			
30	Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	13,039,618	12,532,761				
31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions) .	14,664,618	14,157,761				

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	13,039,618
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-506,857
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	3	0
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	12,532,761
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	12,532,761

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)
1 a HASLAM FOUNDATION PARTNERSHIP	P		
b			
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			193,037
b			
c			
d			
e			

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			193,037
b			
c			
d			
e			

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	2	193,037
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6) If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8	3	

Part V Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income

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

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

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



Yes



No

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

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

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col (b) divided by col (c))
2015	1,252,412	13,139,601	0 095316
2014	799,832	13,832,857	0 057821
2013	747,270	13,349,917	0 055976
2012	754,104	12,834,001	0 058758
2011	660,270	13,196,192	0 050035

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	0 317906
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 063581
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2016 from Part X, line 5	4	11,841,293
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	752,881
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	2,611
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	755,492
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8	1,157,272

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 ☐ and enter "N/A" on line 1 Date of ruling or determination letter _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary—see instructions)		
b	Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ☒ and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	1	2,611
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	2,611
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	2,611
6	Credits/Payments		
a	2016 estimated tax payments and 2015 overpayment credited to 2016	6a	23,678
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	23,678
8	Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached	8	
9	Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9	
10	Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10	21,067
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2017 estimated tax ☐ 21,067 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?	1a	No
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see Instructions for 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>	1b	No
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?	1c	No
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year (1) On the foundation ☐ \$ 0 (2) On foundation managers ☐ \$ 0		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers ☐ \$ 0		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? <i>If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities</i>	2	No
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? <i>If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes</i>	3	No
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	4a	Yes
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	4b	Yes
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>	5	No
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	6	Yes
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Part II, col (c), and Part XV</i>	7	Yes
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ☐ TN		
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? <i>If "No," attach explanation</i> .	8b	Yes
9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2016 or the taxable year beginning in 2016 (see instructions for Part XIV)? <i>If "Yes," complete Part XIV</i>	9	No
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses</i>	10	No

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

11	At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see instructions).	11		No
12	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)	12		No
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address N/A	13	Yes	
14	The books are in care of STEINER ELLIS PLLC Telephone no (865) 212-3800			

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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 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 instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR). If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶	16	Yes	No

Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required**File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.**

1a	During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly)		Yes	No
	(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No			
	(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No			
	(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No			
	(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No			
	(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? ☐ Yes ☒ No			
	(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days). ☐ Yes ☒ No			
b	If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? ☐ Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here. ☐	1b		
c	Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2016? ☐	1c		No
2	Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5))			
a	At the end of tax year 2016, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2016? ☐ Yes ☒ No If "Yes," list the years ▶ 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
b	Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see instructions). ☐	2b		
c	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here ▶ 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
3a	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? ☐ Yes ☒ No			
b	If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 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). ☐	3b		
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a		No
b	Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2016?	4b		No

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

5a During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to (1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))? ☐ Yes ☒ No (2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955), or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive? ☐ Yes ☒ No (3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes? ☐ Yes ☒ No (4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? (see instructions). ☐ Yes ☒ No (5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals? ☐ Yes ☒ No b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? ☐ Yes ☒ No Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here. ☐ Yes ☒ No	5b		
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? ☐ Yes ☒ No If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870	6b		No
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? ☐ Yes ☒ No	7b		

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

1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see instructions).				
(a) Name and address	Title, and average hours per week (b) devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	Expense account, (e) other allowances
WILLIAM E HASLAM 7112 SHERWOOD DRIVE KNOXVILLE, TN 37919	PRESIDENT & DIRECTOR 0 00	0	0	0
CRISTEN G HASLAM 7112 SHERWOOD DRIVE KNOXVILLE, TN 37919	VICE PRESIDENT & DIRECTOR 0 00	0	0	0
J TODD ELLIS 8351 EWALKER SPRINGS LANE SUITE 302 KNOXVILLE, TN 37923	SECRETARY, TREASURER & DIR 0 00	0	0	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	Title, and average hours per week (b) devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	Expense account, (e) other allowances
NONE				
Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000.				0

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

3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). If none, enter "NONE".

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services. ▶		0

Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.

	Expenses
1 NO DIRECT CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES DURING THE TAX YEAR	0
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 NO PROGRAM RELATED INVESTMENTS DURING THE TAX YEAR	0
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	11,945,742
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b	75,875
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d	12,021,617
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	12,021,617
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	180,324
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4.	5	11,841,293
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5.	6	592,065

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	592,065
2a	Tax on investment income for 2016 from Part VI, line 5.	2a	2,611
b	Income tax for 2016 (This does not include the tax from Part VI).	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b.	2c	2,611
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1.	3	589,454
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4.	5	589,454
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions).	6	0
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1.	7	589,454

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	1,157,272
b	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B.	1b	0
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes.	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required).	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule).	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4.	4	1,157,272
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	2,611
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4.	6	1,154,661

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 2015	(c) 2015	(d) 2016
1 Distributable amount for 2016 from Part XI, line 7				589,454
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2016				
a Enter amount for 2015 only.			0	
b Total for prior years 20____, 20____, 20____		0		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2016				
a From 2011.	14,057			
b From 2012.	125,736			
c From 2013.	115,442			
d From 2014.	124,067			
e From 2015.	603,558			
f Total of lines 3a through e.	982,860			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2016 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ <u>1,157,272</u>				
a Applied to 2015, but not more than line 2a			0	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions).		0		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions).	0			
d Applied to 2016 distributable amount.				589,454
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	567,818			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2016 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	0			0
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	1,550,678			
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b		0		
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed.		0		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount—see instructions		0		
e Undistributed income for 2015 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see instructions			0	
f Undistributed income for 2016 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2017				0
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required - see instructions).	0			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2011 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions).	14,057			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2017. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	1,536,621			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2012.	125,736			
b Excess from 2013.	115,442			
c Excess from 2014.	124,067			
d Excess from 2015.	603,558			
e Excess from 2016.	567,818			

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

1a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2016, enter the date of the ruling. ▶					
b Check box to indicate whether the organization is a private operating foundation described in section ☐ 4942(j)(3) or ☐ 4942(j)(5)					
2a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 2016	(b) 2015	(c) 2014	(d) 2013	
b 85% of line 2a					
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon					
a "Assets" alternative test—enter					
(1) Value of all assets					
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
b "Endowment" alternative test— enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed. . .					
c "Support" alternative test—enter					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii). . . .					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

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

1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:	
a List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000) (See section 507(d)(2)) See Additional Data Table	
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 J TODD ELLIS PO BOX 52206 KNOXVILLE, TN 379502206 (865) 212-3800	
b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include WRITTEN REQUEST STATING AMOUNT AND PURPOSE OF REQUEST, MOST RECENT AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, AND COPY OF TAX EXEMPT RULING	
c Any submission deadlines MAY 31, NOVEMBER 30	
d Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors ONLY TO TAX EXEMPT 501(C)(3) ORGANIZATIONS, PREFERENCE GIVEN TO ORGANIZATIONS IN THE EAST TENNESSEE AREA	

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

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i> See Additional Data Table				
Total			3a	1,157,002
b <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
Total			3b	0

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

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

Form **990-PF** (2016)

Part XVII

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

[illegible]

- 2a** Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- b** If "Yes," complete the following schedule

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship

Print/Type preparer's name AARON J STEINER CPA	Preparer's Signature	Date 2017-11-11	Check if self-employed ☒	PTIN P00286532
Firm's name ▶ STEINER & ELLIS PLLC				Firm's EIN ▶ 62-1873897
Firm's address ▶ PO BOX 52206 KNOXVILLE, TN 37950				Phone no (865) 212-3800

Form 990PF Part XV Line 1a - 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).

WILLIAM E HASLAM
CRISTEN G HASLAM

Form 990PF Part XV Line 3 - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment				
Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
BLOODWATER MISSION PO BOX 60381 NASHVILLE, TN 37206	N/A	501(C)(3) 509(A)(2)	TO EMPOWER COMMUNITIES TO WORK TOGETHER AGAINST THE HIV/ AIDS AND WATER CRISES IN AFRICA	10,000
EAST TENNESSEE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION INC 2018 CLINCH AVENUE KNOXVILLE, TN 37916	N/A	501(C)(3) 509(A)(1)	TO IMPROVE THE HEALTH OF CHILDREN	55,000
ECHO RESOURCES 2820 GIBBS DR KNOXVILLE, TN 37918	N/A	501(C)(3) 509(A)(1)	TO PROVIDE RESOURCES AND SUPPORTS TO MINISTERS	1,500
EMERALD YOUTH FOUNDATION 1718 N CENTRAL ST KNOXVILLE, TN 37917	N/A	501(C)(3) 509(A)(2)	TO RAISE UP A LARGE NUMBER OF URBAN YOUTH TO LOVE JESUS CHRIST AND BECOME EFFECTIVE LEADERS WHO HELP RENEW THEIR COMMUNITIES	100,000
FROM K-1 - HASLAM FOUNDATION PARTNERSHIP PO BOX 52206 KNOXVILLE, TN 37950	N/A	N/A	N/A	2
Total ► 3a				1,157,002

Form 990PF Part XV Line 3 - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment				
Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
GREAT SMOKEY MOUNTAIN COUNCIL PO BOX 51885 KNOXVILLE, TN 37950	N/A	501(C)(3) 509(A)(1)	TO SERVE OTHERS BY HELPING INSTILL VALUES IN YOUNG PEOPLE AND PREPARE THEM TO MAKE ETHICAL CHOICES DURING THEIR LIFETIME AND ACHIEVE THEIR FULL POTENTIAL	33,000
KNOX YOUTH SPORTS INC PO BOX 10964 KNOXVILLE, TN 37939	N/A	501(C)(3) 509(A)(2)	TO PROVIDE SPORTING LEAGUE OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHILDREN AGES 4-12, INCLUDING MENTALLY AND PHYSICALLY DISABLED YOUTHS, TO ENHANCE TEAMWORK AND SOCIAL INTERACTION	5,000
LAKESHORE PARK 4823 OLD KINGSTON PIKE STE 300 KNOXVILLE, TN 37919	N/A	501(C)(3) 509(A)(1)	TO PRESERVE THE SCENIC BEAUTY OF THE SITE, OPEN THE VIEWS OF THE WATERFRONT AND PROVIDE ADDITIONAL RECREATIONAL FACILITIES AND OPPORTUNITIES	600,000
MARYVILLE COLLEGE 502 E LAMAR ALEXANDER PARKWAY MARYVILLE, TN 37804	N/A	501(C)(3) 509(A)(1)	TO MAINTAIN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION PROPERTIES	40,000
TENNESSEE STATE COLLABORATIVE ON REFORMING EDUCATION 1207 18TH AVENUE SOUTH STE 326 NASHVILLE, TN 37212	N/A	501(C)(3) 509(A)(1)	TO ENSURE EVERY TENNESSEE STUDENT GRADUATES HIGH SCHOOL PREPARED FOR COLLEGE OR A CAREER AND TO MAKE TENNESSEE'S SCHOOLS A MODEL FOR THE NATION	27,500
Total ► 3a				1,157,002

Form 990PF Part XV Line 3 - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year				
THE UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE FOUNDATION INC 4708 PAPERMILL DRIVE KNOXVILLE, TN 37909	N/A	501(C)(3) 509(A)(1)	TO SUPPORT UNIVERSITY ATHLETIC PROGRAMS	50,000
TNACHIEVES 10427 PETSAFE WAY KNOXVILLE, TN 37932	N/A	501(C)(3) 509(A)(1)	TO ESTABLISH SCHOLARSHIP AND MENTORING PROGRAMS DESIGNED TO PROVIDE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR TENNESSEE PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES SUPPORT FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE TUITION	75,000
UNITED WAY OF GREATER KNOXVILLE INC 1301 HANNAH AVENUE KNOXVILLE, TN 37921	N/A	501(C)(3) 509(A)(1)	TO BRING VOLUNTEERS AND COMPANIES TOGETHER IN ORDER TO IMPROVE PEOPLE'S LIVES	130,000
VOLUNTEER MINISTRY CENTER INC 511 NORTH BROADWAY KNOXVILLE, TN 37917	N/A	501(C)(3) 509(A)(1)	TO SUPPORT THE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW BUILDINGS FOR KNOXVILLE'S HOMELESS	5,000
WEBB SCHOOL OF KNOXVILLE 9800 WEBB SCHOOL DRIVE KNOXVILLE, TN 37923	N/A	501(C)(3) 509(A)(1)	TO FULLY NURTURE THE POTENTIAL OF EACH INDIVIDUAL AND TO PREPARE OUR STUDENTS TO SERVE AS LEADERS IN TOMORROW'S WORLD THIS PREPARATION EMPHASIZES THE DEVELOPMENT OF CRITICAL, CREATIVE, AND SOCIALLY CONSCIOUS THINKING, A STRONG SENSE OF HONOR AND PERSONAL INTEGRITY, THE ABILITY TO INTERACT WITH OTHERS IN A RESPECTFUL AND PRODUCTIVE MANNER, AND THE DESIRE TO MAKE A CONTRIBUTION TO THE WORLD COMMUNITY	25,000
Total ► 3a				1,157,002

TY 2016 Accounting Fees Schedule

Name: CHARIS FOUNDATION INC
C/O STEINER & ELLIS PLLC

EIN: 62-1867423

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
ACCOUNTING	14,041	14,041		0

TY 2016 Investments - Other Schedule

Name: CHARIS FOUNDATION INC
C/O STEINER & ELLIS PLLC
EIN: 62-1867423

Category/ Item	Listed at Cost or FMV	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
INVESTMENT IN HASLAM FOUNDATIONS PARTNERSHIP	AT COST	12,494,457	12,095,781

TY 2016 Legal Fees Schedule

Name: CHARIS FOUNDATION INC
C/O STEINER & ELLIS PLLC

EIN: 62-1867423

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
LEGAL	522	0		0

TY 2016 Other Expenses Schedule

Name: CHARIS FOUNDATION INC
C/O STEINER & ELLIS PLLC

EIN: 62-1867423

Other Expenses Schedule

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
INVESTMENT EXPENSES	66,496	66,496		0
NONDEDUCTIBLE EXPENSES	155	0		0
SECTION 59(E)(2) EXPENDITURES	142	142		0
DUES AND SUBSCRIPTIONS	250	0		250
SECTION 179 DEDUCTION	1	1		0

TY 2016 Other Income Schedule

Name: CHARIS FOUNDATION INC
C/O STEINER & ELLIS PLLC
EIN: 62-1867423

Other Income Schedule

Description	Revenue And Expenses Per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income
OTHER INVESTMENT	2,627	-3,364	2,627

TY 2016 Taxes Schedule

Name: CHARIS FOUNDATION INC
C/O STEINER & ELLIS PLLC

EIN: 62-1867423

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
FOREIGN TAXES	5,178	5,178		0
TENNESSEE ANNUAL REPORT FEE	20	0		20
STATE AND LOCAL	15,912	15,912		0

Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	Schedule of Contributors ▶ Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF ▶ Information about Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) and its instructions is at <u>www.irs.gov/form990</u>	OMB No 1545-0047 2016
	Name of the organization CHARIS FOUNDATION INC C/O STEINER & ELLIS PLLC	Employer identification number 62-1867423

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

Special Rules

☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33¹/₃% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h, or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.

☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year. ▶ \$ _____

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

Name of organization
CHARIS FOUNDATION INC
C/O STEINER & ELLIS PLLC**Employer identification number**
62-1867423**Part I** **Contributors** (see instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	WILLIAM E HASLAM 1640 LYONS BEND ROAD KNOXVILLE, TN 37919	\$ 450,000	Person ☒ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
-		\$	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
-		\$	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
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-		\$	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)

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Part II

(a) No.from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given (see instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
		\$ _____	_____
		\$ _____	_____
		\$ _____	_____
		\$ _____	_____
		\$ _____	_____

Name of organization CHARIS FOUNDATION INC C/O STEINER & ELLIS PLLC	Employer identification number 62-1867423
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Part III	Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions.) ► \$ _____ Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee	
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee	
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee	
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee	
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee	
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee	
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	(e) Transfer of gift		
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee	