

Return of Private Foundation

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

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For calendar year 2016 or tax year beginning 07/01, 2016, and ending 06/30, 2017

Name of foundation
STELLA B. GROSS CHARITABLE TRUST

Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
PO BOX 60078 SC-XRD-3W-K

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
LOS ANGELES, CA 90060

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) ▶ \$ 6,551,346.

J Accounting method: Cash Accrual
 Other (specify) _____
 (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)

A Employer identification number
23-7142181

B Telephone number (see instructions)
408-490-2133

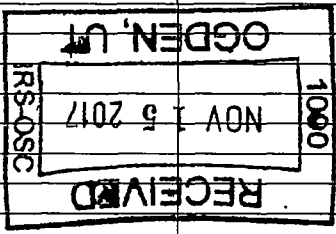
C If exemption application is pending, check here

D 1 Foreign organizations, check here
 2 Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation

E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here

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)
1	Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)				
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	169,403.	169,254.		STMT 1
5a	Gross rents				
b	Net rental income or (loss)				
6a	Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	316,356.			
b	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a <u>2,725,576.</u>				
7	Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		316,356.		
8	Net short-term capital gain				
9	Income modifications				
10a	Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b	Less Cost of goods sold				
c	Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)				
11	Other income (attach schedule)	6,124.	3,973.		STMT 2
12	Total Add lines 1 through 11	491,883.	489,583.		
13	Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.	61,625.	46,219.		15,406.
14	Other employee salaries and wages		NONE	NONE	
15	Pension plans, employee benefits		NONE	NONE	
16a	Legal fees (attach schedule) STMT 3	33,660.	8,415.	NONE	25,245.
b	Accounting fees (attach schedule) STMT 4	2,070.	NONE	NONE	2,070.
c	Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
17	Interest				
18	Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) STMT 5	1,725.	1,725.		
19	Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
20	Occupancy				
21	Travel, conferences, and meetings		NONE	NONE	
22	Printing and publications		NONE	NONE	
23	Other expenses (attach schedule) STMT 6	11.	1.		10.
24	Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23.	99,091.	56,360.	NONE	42,731.
25	Contributions, gifts, grants paid	319,500.			319,500.
26	Total expenses and disbursements Add lines 24 and 25	418,591.	56,360.	NONE	362,231.
27	Subtract line 26 from line 12				
a	Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	73,292.			
b	Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		433,223.		
c	Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)				



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Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)			
		Beginning of year (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	109,480.	135,723.	135,723.
	3	Accounts receivable ▶			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	4	Pledges receivable ▶			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	5	Grants receivable			
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)			
	7	Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶	NONE		
	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) . STMT 7	3,284,018.	3,292,726.	4,194,845.
	c	Investments - corporate bonds (attach schedule) . STMT 8	1,877,012.	1,874,765.	1,860,673.
	11	Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ Less: accumulated depreciation ▶ (attach schedule)			
12	Investments - mortgage loans				
13	Investments - other (attach schedule) STMT 9	340,047.	368,087.	360,105.	
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)	5,610,557.	5,671,301.	6,551,346.	
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18	Grants payable			
	19	Deferred revenue			
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)			
22	Other liabilities (describe ▶)				
23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)		NONE		
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 and complete lines 27 through 31. ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	5,610,557.	5,671,301.	
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg, and equipment fund			
29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds				
30	Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	5,610,557.	5,671,301.		
31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	5,610,557.	5,671,301.		

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	5,610,557.
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	73,292.
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ INCOME TIMING DIFFERENCES	3	719.
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	5,684,568.
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ SEE STATEMENT 10	5	13,267.
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	5,671,301.

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)

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b			
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(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 2,725,576.		2,409,220.	316,356.
b			
c			
d			
e			

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

(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any	(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
a			316,356.
b			
c			
d			
e			

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) { If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }	2	316,356.
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

(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	546,291.	6,330,013.	0.086302
2014	250,569.	6,954,187.	0.036031
2013	251,623.	6,829,796.	0.036842
2012	497,270.	6,658,395.	0.074683
2011	455,853.	6,453,736.	0.070634

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	0.304492
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	0.060898
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2016 from Part X, line 5	4	6,378,060.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3.	5	388,411.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b).	6	4,332.
7 Add lines 5 and 6.	7	392,743.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4. If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate. See the Part VI instructions.	8	362,231.

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

Table with 11 rows and 2 columns. Row 1: Exempt operating foundations... 8,664. Row 2: Tax under section 511... 2. Row 3: Add lines 1 and 2... 8,664. Row 4: Subtitle A (income) tax... NONE. Row 5: Tax based on investment income... 8,664. Row 6: Credits/Payments. Row 7: Total credits and payments... 2,604. Row 8: Enter any penalty... 8. Row 9: Tax due... 6,060. Row 10: Overpayment... 10. Row 11: Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2017 estimated tax... NONE Refunded 11.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

Table with 10 rows and 3 columns (Yes, No). Row 1a: During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation... X. Row 1b: Did it spend more than \$100 during the year... X. Row 1c: Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year? X. Row 2: Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? X. Row 3: Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS... X. Row 4a: Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? X. Row 4b: If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year? X. Row 5: Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? X. Row 6: Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either... X. Row 7: Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? X. Row 8a: Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) CA. Row 8b: If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General... X. Row 9: Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation... X. Row 10: Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? X.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

11 At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see instructions). 11 Yes No 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 Yes No X
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address N/A 13 Yes No X
14 The books are in care of BANK OF THE WEST Telephone no (408) 490-2133 Located at 50 W SAN FERNANDO ST, STE 425, SAN JOSE, CA ZIP+4 95113
15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here 15 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? 16 Yes No X See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114 If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country

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)
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? Yes X No
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? Yes X No
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? Yes X No
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? X 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 X 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 X 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)? 1b Yes No X Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here
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 Yes No 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(i)(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 X No If "Yes," list the years
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) STMT 11 2b Yes No X
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here
3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? Yes X 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 Yes No X
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes? 4a Yes No 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? 4b Yes No X

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)-(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? Yes No

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here

c If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant? Yes No

If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d)

6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? Yes No

b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? Yes No

If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870

7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? Yes No

b If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction? Yes No

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

1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see instructions).

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (if not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
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2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1 - see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
NONE		-0-	-0-	-0-

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 NONE

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		NONE
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services		NONE

Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1 NONE	
2	
3	
4	

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2	Amount
1 NONE	
2	
All other program-related investments See instructions	
3 NONE	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3	

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

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	5,875,447.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	285,209.
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c	314,532.
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	6,475,188.
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	NONE
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	6,475,188.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	97,128.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	6,378,060.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	318,903.

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	318,903.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2016 from Part VI, line 5	2a	8,664.
b	Income tax for 2016 (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	8,664.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	310,239.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	NONE
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	310,239.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions).	6	NONE
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1.	7	310,239.

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	362,231.
b	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b	
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	NONE
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	NONE
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	NONE
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	362,231.
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	N/A
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	362,231.

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				310,239.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2016				
a Enter amount for 2015 only.			NONE	
b Total for prior years 20 <u>14</u> , 20 <u> </u> , 20 <u> </u>		NONE		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2016				
a From 2011	136,539.			
b From 2012	168,896.			
c From 2013	NONE			
d From 2014	NONE			
e From 2015	234,992.			
f Total of lines 3a through e	540,427.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2016 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ <u>362,231.</u>				
a Applied to 2015, but not more than line 2a			NONE	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions)		NONE		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions)	NONE			
d Applied to 2016 distributable amount.				310,239.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus.	51,992.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2016 . (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	NONE			NONE
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	592,419.			
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b.		NONE		
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		NONE		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount - see instructions		NONE		
e Undistributed income for 2015 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount - see instructions			NONE	
f Undistributed income for 2016 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2017.				NONE
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)	NONE			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2011 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)	136,539.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2017. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	455,880.			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2012	168,896.			
b Excess from 2013	NONE			
c Excess from 2014	NONE			
d Excess from 2015	234,992.			
e Excess from 2016	51,992.			

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

NOT APPLICABLE

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 foundation is a private operating foundation described in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)

	Tax year				(e) Total
	(a) 2016	(b) 2015	(c) 2014	(d) 2013	
2a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed					
b 85% of line 2a					
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
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 foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year - see instructions.)

1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

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

NONE

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.

NONE

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:

SEE STATEMENT 12

b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include:

SEE ATTACHED STATEMENT FOR LINE 2

c Any submission deadlines:

SEE ATTACHED STATEMENT FOR LINE 2

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

SEE ATTACHED STATEMENT FOR LINE 2

Part XV Supplementary Information (continued)

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

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
<p>a Paid during the year</p> <p>SEE STATEMENT 21</p>				319,500.
Total				▶ 3a 319,500.
<p>b Approved for future payment</p>				
Total				▶ 3b

Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

Table with 5 main columns: (a) Business code, (b) Amount, (c) Exclusion code, (d) Amount, (e) Related or exempt function income. Rows include Program service revenue, Membership dues, Interest on savings, Dividends, Net rental income, Gain or loss from sales, and Subtotal.

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

Table with 2 columns: Line No., Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XVI-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes.

NOT APPLICABLE

FORM 990PF, PART I - DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES

DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME
TOTAL	169,403.	169,254.

FORM 990PF, PART I - OTHER INCOME
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DESCRIPTION -----	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS -----	NET INVESTMENT INCOME -----
OTHER INCOME	3,973.	3,973.
FEDERAL TAX REFUND	2,151.	
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TOTALS	6,124.	3,973.
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FORM 990PF, PART I - LEGAL FEES
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DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME	ADJUSTED NET INCOME	CHARITABLE PURPOSES
LEGAL FEES - PRINCIPAL (ALLOCA	33,660.	8,415.		25,245.
TOTALS	33,660.	8,415.	NONE	25,245.

FORM 990PF, PART I - ACCOUNTING FEES

DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME	ADJUSTED NET INCOME	CHARITABLE PURPOSES
TAX PREPARATION FEE (NON-ALLOC	2,070.			2,070.
TOTALS	2,070.	NONE	NONE	2,070.

FORM 990PF, PART I - TAXES

DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME
FOREIGN TAXES ON QUALIFIED FOR	1,545.	1,545.
FOREIGN TAXES ON NONQUALIFIED	180.	180.
TOTALS	1,725.	1,725.

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FORM 990PF, PART I - OTHER EXPENSES
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DESCRIPTION -----	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS -----	NET INVESTMENT INCOME -----	CHARITABLE PURPOSES -----
FRANCHISE TAX BOARD	10.		10.
OTHER NONALLOCABLE EXPENSES	1.	1.	
TOTALS	11.	1.	10.
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FORM 990PF, PART II - CORPORATE STOCK
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DESCRIPTION -----	ENDING BOOK VALUE -----	ENDING FMV ---
TOTAL STOCK VALUE	3,292,726.	4,194,845.
TOTALS	3,292,726.	4,194,845.
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FORM 990PF, PART II - CORPORATE BONDS

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DESCRIPTION	ENDING BOOK VALUE	ENDING FMV
TOTAL BOND VALUE	1,874,765.	1,860,673.
TOTALS	1,874,765.	1,860,673.

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FORM 990PF, PART II - OTHER INVESTMENTS
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DESCRIPTION -----	COST/ FMV C OR F -----	ENDING BOOK VALUE -----	ENDING FMV -----
TOTAL ALT VALUE	C	368,087.	360,105.
TOTALS		368,087.	360,105.
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FORM 990PF, PART III - OTHER DECREASES IN NET WORTH OR FUND BALANCES

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DESCRIPTION -----	AMOUNT -----
UNITED STATES OIL FUND LP ADJUSTMENT	3,973.
MUTUAL FUNDS TIMING DIFFERENCE	1,601.
BASIS ADJUSTMENT FOR US OIL FUND SALE	7,693.

TOTAL	13,267.
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990PF, PART VII-B LINE 2b - SECTION 4942a2 EXPLANATION STATEMENT
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This question does not apply. The foundation does not have any undistributed income from last year.

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RECIPIENT NAME:

BANK OF THE WEST

ADDRESS:

50 W FERNANDO ST STE 425

SAN JOSE, CA 95113

RECIPIENT'S PHONE NUMBER: 408-490-2133

FORM, INFORMATION AND MATERIALS:

NO SET FORMAT

SUBMISSION DEADLINES:

NONE

RESTRICTIONS OR LIMITATIONS ON AWARDS:

ORGANIZATIONS MUST BE EXEMPT FROM TAX UNDER IRC SEC. 501 (C)3

ORGANIZATIONS MUST BE LOCATED IN SANTA CLARA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

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RECIPIENT NAME:

NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 15,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:

SANTA CLARA UNIVERSITY

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 65,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:

PRESENTATION HIGH SCHOOL

ADDRESS:

2821 PLUMMER AVENUE
SAN JOSE, CA 95125

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 15,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:

SACRED HEART COMMUNITY
SERVICES

ADDRESS:

1381 SOUTH FIRST STREET
SAN JOSE, CA 95110

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 7,000.

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FORM 990PF, PART XV, LINE 3a - CONTRIBUTIONS, GIFTS, GRANTS PAID

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RECIPIENT NAME:

ST FRANCIS HIGH SCHOOL

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 7,500.

RECIPIENT NAME:

VIA REHAB SERVICES

ADDRESS:

2851 PARK AVENUE
SANTA CLARA, CA 95050

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 15,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

ADDRESS:

2625 ZANKER ROAD, #200
SAN JOSE, CA 95134

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 25,000.

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RECIPIENT NAME:

HISTORY OF SAN JOSE

ADDRESS:

1650 SENTER ROAD
SAN JOSE, CA 95112

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 10,666.

RECIPIENT NAME:

BELLARMINE COLLEGE PREP

ADDRESS:

960 W HEDDING STREET
SAN JOSE, CA 95126

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 15,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:

SAN JOSE AUXILIARY TO
LUCILE PACKARD

ADDRESS:

400 HAMILTON AVE, STE 340
PALO ALTO, CA 94301

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 15,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:
SALVATION ARMY
ADDRESS:
359 NORTH 4TH STREET
SAN JOSE, CA 95112
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
GENERAL SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
EXEMPT
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 10,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:
SPARTAN FOUNDATION
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
GENERAL SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
EXEMPT
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 20,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:
UNITED VETERANS COUNCIL
OF SANTA CLARA
ADDRESS:
12 S FIRST STREET, #219
SAN JOSE, CA 95113
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
GENERAL SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
EXEMPT
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 5,833.

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RECIPIENT NAME:
 ABILITIES UNITED
 RELATIONSHIP:
 NONE
 PURPOSE OF GRANT:
 GENERAL SUPPORT
 FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
 EXEMPT
 AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 5,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:
 HEALTH TRUST
 ADDRESS:
 2105 S BASCOM AVE, STE 220
 CAMPBELL, CA 95008
 RELATIONSHIP:
 NONE
 PURPOSE OF GRANT:
 GENERAL SUPPORT
 FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
 EXEMPT
 AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 8,334.

RECIPIENT NAME:
 HABITAT FOR HUMANITY
 ADDRESS:
 513 VALLEY WAY
 MILPITAS, CA 95035
 RELATIONSHIP:
 NONE
 PURPOSE OF GRANT:
 GENERAL SUPPORT
 FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
 EXEMPT
 AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 5,000.

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RECIPIENT NAME:

CHILD ADVOCATES

ADDRESS:

2401 PORTSMOUTH ST
HOUSTON, TX 77098

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 17,500.

RECIPIENT NAME:

RESOURCSE AREA FOR TEACHING

ADDRESS:

1355 RIDDER PARK DR
SAN JOSE, CA 95131

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

CHARITABLE

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 2,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:

SAN JOSE STATE UNIVERSITY

ADDRESS:

1 WASHINGTON SQ
SAN JOSE, CA 95192

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 5,000.

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RECIPIENT NAME:

SJSU MARCHING BAND

ADDRESS:

1 WASHINGTON SQ
SAN JOSE, CA 95192

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 8,167.

RECIPIENT NAME:

CRISTO REY SAN JOSE JESUIT HIGH SCHOOL

ADDRESS:

1389 E SANTA CLARA ST
SAN JOSE, CA 95116

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 10,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:

PROGRAMA VELASCO

ADDRESS:

1191 RANDOL AVE
San Jose, CA 95126

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

NON EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 5,000.

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RECIPIENT NAME:

SANTA CLARA LAW SCHOOL

ADDRESS:

500 EL CAMINO REAL
SANTA CLARA, CA 95050

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

CHARITABLE

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

NON EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 5,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:

MEALS ON WHEELS SNP

ADDRESS:

333 WEST JULIAN ST 4TH FL
SAN JOSE, CA 95110

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

CHARITABLE

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

NON EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 1,667.

RECIPIENT NAME:

LADIES OF CHARITY

ADDRESS:

1345 ECHO VALLEY DRIVE
SAN JOSE, CA 95120

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

CHARITABLE

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

NON EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 6,833.

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RECIPIENT NAME:

HOME FIRST SOBRATO HOUSE YOUTH CENTER

ADDRESS:

496 S 3RD ST
SAN JOSE, CA 95112

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 5,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:

SAN JOSE CATHEDRAL FOUNDATION

ADDRESS:

80 S MARKET STREET
SAN JOSE, CA 85113

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 4,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:

RIEKES CENTER

ADDRESS:

3455 EDISON WAY
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

RELATIONSHIP:

NONE

PURPOSE OF GRANT:

GENERAL SUPPORT

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:

EXEMPT

AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 5,000.

TOTAL GRANTS PAID:

319,500.

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