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Return of Private Foundation

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

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Form 990-PF

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

For calendar year 2017 or tax year beginning

and ending

Name of foundation: STRONG REFUGE FOUNDATION
Employer identification number: 20-5874019
Telephone number: 503-603-4557
Fair market value of all assets at end of year: 3,710
Accounting method: Cash

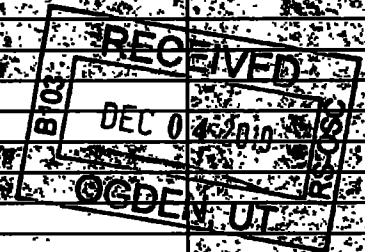
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Table with 5 columns: (a) Revenue and expenses per books, (b) Net investment income, (c) Adjusted net income, (d) Disbursements for charitable purposes. Rows include Contributions, salaries, expenses, and net income.

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Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only.		
		Beginning of year	End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing	23,364.	852.	852.
	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			
	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			
	Liabilities	11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment: basis		
Less: accumulated depreciation				
12 Investments - mortgage loans				
13 Investments - other				
14 Land, buildings, and equipment: basis				
Less: accumulated depreciation		6,228.	0.	0.
15 Other assets (describe)		7,370.	2,858.	2,858.
16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item 1)		36,962.	3,710.	3,710.
17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses		251.	44.	
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)	251.	44.		
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	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	36,711.	3,666.		
30 Total net assets or fund balances	36,711.	3,666.		
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	36,962.	3,710.		

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	36,711.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-29,064.
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize)	3	0.
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	7,647.
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) DISPOSAL OF ASSETS	5	3,981.
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	3,666.

Part IV. Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (for example, real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs. MLC Co.)		(b) How acquired P - Purchase D - Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1a				
b NONE				
c				
d				
e				
(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) ((e) plus (f) minus (g))	
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				
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) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any		
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				
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		
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		

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 doesn't 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))
2016	155,865.	107,724.	1.446892
2015	182,525.	71,488.	2.553226
2014	290,412.	155,416.	1.868611
2013	554,707.	579,478.	.957253
2012	618,077.	668,351.	.924779
2 Total of line 1, column (d)			7.750761
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period - divide the total on line 2 by 5.0, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years			1.550152
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2017 from Part X, line 5			5,998.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3			9,298.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)			1.
7 Add lines 5 and 6			9,299.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4			93,520.

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)

Table with 11 rows for excise tax calculation. Includes questions about exempt operating foundations, domestic foundations, and tax based on investment income. Total tax due is 1.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

Table with 10 rows for activity statements. Includes questions about political campaigns, unrelated business income, and substantial contributors. Includes handwritten '2' in the right margin.

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 ► WWW.MASTERSPLAN.ORG	N/A	
14 The books are in care of ► BEN HERR Telephone no. ► 503-704-9545 Located at ► 29100 SW TOWN CENTER LP W, SUITE 100, WILSONVILLE ZIP+4 ► 97070		
15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	15	N/A
16 At any time during calendar year 2017, 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 ►		X

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

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

	Yes	No
1a During the year, did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):		
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days.) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions. Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here	N/A	
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 2017?		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 2017, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2017? 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 2017 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 2017.)	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 2017?		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 N/A
- Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here ▶
- c If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant? 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? 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? N/A

	Yes	No
5a		
5b		
6a		
6b		X
7a		
7b		

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

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

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If net paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
SEE STATEMENT 7		61,768.	18,830.	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

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

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

Table with 3 columns: (a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000, (b) Type of service, (c) Compensation. All entries are NONE.

Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services 0

Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

Table with 2 columns: Description of activity, Expenses. Includes entries like 'SEE STATEMENT 8' with expenses of 0.

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments

Table with 2 columns: Description of investment, Amount. Includes entry 'N/A' and 'All other program-related investments. See instructions.'

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	0.
b Average of monthly cash balances	1b	6,089.
c Fair market value of all other assets	1c	
d Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	6,089.
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	6,089.
4 Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	91.
5 Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	5,998.
6 Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	300.

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	300.
2a Tax on investment income for 2017 from Part VI, line 5	2a	1.
b Income tax for 2017. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	1.
3 Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	299.
4 Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.
5 Add lines 3 and 4	5	299.
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	299.

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	93,520.
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	93,520.
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	1.
6 Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	93,519.

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 2016	(c) 2016	(d) 2017
1 Distributable amount for 2017 from Part XI, line 7				299.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2017:				
a Enter amount for 2016 only			0.	
b Total for prior years:		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2017:				
a From 2012	584,659.			
b From 2013	525,733.			
c From 2014	282,641.			
d From 2015	178,951.			
e From 2016	150,479.			
f Total of lines 3a through e	1,722,463.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2017 from Part XII, line 4: ▶ \$ 93,520.				
a Applied to 2016, 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 2017 distributable amount				299.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	93,221.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2017 (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	1,815,684.			
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 2016. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			0.	
f Undistributed Income for 2017. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2018				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 2012 not applied on line 5 or line 7	584,659.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2018. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	1,231,025.			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2013	525,733.			
b Excess from 2014	282,641.			
c Excess from 2015	178,951.			
d Excess from 2016	150,479.			
e Excess from 2017	93,221.			

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

N/A

- 1 a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2017, 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) 2017	(b) 2016	(c) 2015	(d) 2014	
2 a 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).)

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- 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., to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d.

- a The name, address, and telephone number or email address of the person to whom applications should be addressed:
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- b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include:
-
- c Any submission deadlines:
-
- d Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors:
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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				
STRONG REFUGE CHARITABLE TRUST 29100 SW TOWN CENTER LP W, SUITE 100 WILSONVILLE, OR 97070		501(C)(3)	SUPPORT OPERATIONS	650.
Total				650.
b Approved for future payment				
NONE				
Total				0.

Schedule B

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

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

▶ Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.
▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.

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2017

Name of the organization

STRONG REFUGE FOUNDATION

Employer identification number

20-5874019

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)() (enter number) organization

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

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

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

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

Note: Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

General Rule

For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

Special Rules

For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(v), 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. Don't 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 isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it must answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

LHA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the instructions for Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF. Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2017)

Name of organization STRONG REFUGE FOUNDATION	Employer identification number 20-5874019
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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	JAMES BIENIUS 29100 SW TOWN CENTER LP W, SUITE 100 WILSONVILLE, OR 97070	\$ 66,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
		\$ _____	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
		\$ _____	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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Name of organization STRONG REFUGE FOUNDATION	Employer identification number 20-5874019
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Part II **Noncash Property** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		\$ _____	
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		\$ _____	

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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 info. once.) ▶ \$

Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

(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

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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
SAIF CORP	147.	147.	
TOTAL TO PART I, LINE 3	147.	147.	

FORM 990-PF ACCOUNTING FEES STATEMENT 2

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
ACCOUNTING EXPENSE	3,000.	0.		3,000.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16B	3,000.	0.		3,000.

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
PAYROLL PROCESSING FEES	1,354.	0.		1,354.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16C	1,354.	0.		1,354.

FORM 990-PF TAXES STATEMENT 4.

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
STATE TAXES	26.	0.		26.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	26.	0.		26.

FORM 990-PF

OTHER EXPENSES

STATEMENT 5

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
OFFICE EXPENSE	1,105.	0.		1,105.
BANK FEES	91.	91.		0.
SUBSCRIPTIONS	310.	0.		310.
OUTSIDE SERVICES	353.	0.		353.
MISCELLANEOUS	527.	0.		527.
GENERAL INSURANCE	1,094.	0.		1,094.
MEALS & ENTERTAINMENT	2,447.	0.		2,447.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	<u>5,927.</u>	<u>91.</u>		<u>5,836.</u>

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OTHER ASSETS

STATEMENT 6

DESCRIPTION	BEGINNING OF YR BOOK VALUE	END OF YEAR BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
PREPAID EXPENSES	6,130.	2,858.	2,858.
LOAN RECEIVABLE FROM BEN HERR	1,240.	0.	0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 15	<u>7,370.</u>	<u>2,858.</u>	<u>2,858.</u>

FORM 990-PF

PART VIII - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS
TRUSTEES AND FOUNDATION MANAGERS

STATEMENT 7

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVRG HRS/WK	COMPEN- SATION	EMPLOYEE BEN PLAN CONTRIB	EXPENSE ACCOUNT
JAMES BIENIUS 14514 SW BELL ROAD SHERWOOD, OR 97140	PRESIDENT 0.10	0.	0.	0.
JANET BIENIUS 14514 SW BELL ROAD SHERWOOD, OR 97140	VICE PRESIDENT 0.10	0.	0.	0.
CHRISTY POSTMA 29686 SW LADD HILL RD SHERWOOD, OR 97140	SECRETARY 10.00	0.	0.	0.
BEN HERR 7182 SW BOUCHAINE ST WILSONVILLE, OR 97070	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR 40.00	61,768.	18,830.	0.
PETER POSTMA 29686 SW LADD HILL RD SHERWOOD, OR 97140	TREASURER 0.10	0.	0.	0.
TOTALS INCLUDED ON 990-PF, PAGE 6, PART VIII		61,768.	18,830.	0.

ACTIVITY ONE

ADVISING GRANTS - STRONG REFUGE FOUNDATION (SRF) PROVIDES ADVICE TO THE NATIONAL CHRISTIAN FOUNDATION (NCF) REGARDING A DONOR-ADVISED FUND OF NCF. SRF PERFORMS THE ANALYSIS AND CREATES A GRANT MAKING STRATEGY FOR THE FUND. BECAUSE THE FUND ASSETS ARE LEGALLY CONTROLLED BY NCF, SRF'S FINANCIAL INFORMATION DOES NOT REFLECT THE IMPACT OF ITS WORK THROUGH THIS PROGRAM. THROUGH THE FUND THE SRF SEEKS TO ALLOCATE MONEY TO THOSE MINISTRIES WHICH CARRY OUT GOD'S PLAN FOR DISCIPLESHIP, FEEDING HIS SHEEP, MEETING THEIR PHYSICAL AND SPIRITUAL NEEDS IN THE NAME OF AND FOR THE PURPOSES OF DEMONSTRATING THE LOVE OF JESUS CHRIST TO THE WORLD.

SRF ADVISES GRANTS TO MINISTRIES OPERATING INTERNATIONALLY THAT ARE FOCUSED ON MAKING DISCIPLES. GRANTS ARE BROKEN DOWN INTO THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES: YOUTH (55%), HOLISTIC (14%), EVANGELISM (13%) LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT (10%), AND CHURCH PLANTING (8%).

EXPENSES

TO FORM 990-PF, PART IX-A, LINE 1

0.

ACTIVITY TWO

LOCAL YOUTH INITIATIVE - SRF STAFF IS WORKING WITH YOUNG LIFE, OTHER YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS AND CHURCHES WITHIN OREGON AND SW WASHINGTON TO IMPLEMENT WHAT WE ARE CALLING "THE BIG VISION". THE BIG VISION GOAL IS THAT EVERY HIGH SCHOOL AND MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT IN OREGON AND SW WASHINGTON (APPROXIMATELY 400,000) WOULD HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO HEAR AND RESPOND TO THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS CHRIST AND LIFE IN HIM. WE INVEST OUR TIME, EXPERTISE AND FINANCES TO TRAIN, EQUIP AND PARTNER WITH ORGANIZATIONS FOR THIS PURPOSE. WE PROPOSE TO SEE A GROUP OF INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS AND CHURCHES ORGANIZE AROUND EACH MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE PURPOSE OF SEEING KIDS REACHED WITH THE GOSPEL.

EXPENSES

TO FORM 990-PF, PART IX-A, LINE 2

0.

FORM 990-PF

SUMMARY OF DIRECT CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

STATEMENT 10

ACTIVITY THREE

CONFERENCES - SRF HOSTS AND RUNS A YEARLY DISCIPLESHIP CAMP AT YOUNG LIFE'S WASHINGTON FAMILY RANCH IN THE SPRING WHICH HAS HISTORICALLY BEEN ATTENDED BY 350-500 PEOPLE. WE WORK CLOSELY WITH A TEAM OF VOLUNTEERS FROM LOCAL CHURCHES AND MINISTRIES TO PUT THIS EVENT ON IN THE HOPES OF SEEING A MOVEMENT OF DISCIPLE MAKERS GROW THROUGHOUT OREGON AND SOUTHWEST WASHINGTON. THROUGHOUT THE YEAR WE WORK CLOSELY WITH INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE THIS SAME VISION TO HELP THEM IMPLEMENT DISCIPLE MAKING WITHIN THEIR CHURCH AND ORGANIZATION.

SRF HAS CREATED A WEBSITE THAT SERVES AS A DISCIPLESHIP RESOURCE CENTER AND INCLUDES A DISCIPLESHIP TOOL WE CREATED CALLED "COME AND SEE" THAT IS AVAILABLE FREE TO DOWNLOAD. THE WEBSITE AND COME AND SEE TOOL ARE CONTINUALLY UPDATED AS NEW AND BETTER TOOLS AND INFORMATION BECOME AVAILABLE.

EXPENSES

TO FORM 990-PF, PART IX-A, LINE 3

0.

FORM 990-PF

SUMMARY OF DIRECT CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

STATEMENT 11

ACTIVITY FOUR

OTHER WORKS - SRF IS COMMITTED TO SERVING THE LOCAL CHURCH, FURTHERING THE BIBLICAL MESSAGE OF GENEROSITY, AND ENCOURAGING KINGDOM COLLABORATION. THIS IS ACCOMPLISHED THROUGH A VARIETY OF MEANS INCLUDING HOSTING PASTORAL RETREATS, HOSTING EVENTS FOR CHURCHES IN THE PORTLAND METRO AREA, AND SPONSORING GENEROUS GIVING EVENTS. WE CONVENE KINGDOM-MINDED INDIVIDUALS WITH THE HOPE OF ENCOURAGING THEM TO LIVE OUT THEIR FAITH AND MAKE A DIFFERENCE. OUR GOAL IS TO LIVE OUT WHAT IS WRITTEN IN HEBREWS 10:23-25:

LET US HOLD UNSWERVINGLY TO THE HOPE WE PROFESS, FOR HE WHO PROMISED IS FAITHFUL. AND LET US CONSIDER HOW WE MAY SPUR ONE ANOTHER ON TOWARD LOVE AND GOOD DEEDS, NOT GIVING UP MEETING TOGETHER, AS SOME ARE IN THE HABIT OF DOING, BUT ENCOURAGING ONE ANOTHER, AND ALL THE MORE AS YOU SEE THE DAY APPROACHING.

EXPENSES

TO FORM 990-PF, PART IX-A, LINE 4

0.