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Form **990-PF**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Private Foundation

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

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OMB No 1545-0052

2017

Open to Public Inspection

For calendar year 2017 or tax year beginning , and ending

Name of foundation: POSNER FOUNDATION OF PITTSBURGH

A Employer identification number: 25-6055022

Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address): 500 GREENTREE COMMONS 381 MANSFIELD AVE

Room/suite:

B Telephone number: 412-928-7700

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code: PITTSBURGH, PA 15220

C If exemption application is pending, check here ▶ ☐

G Check all that apply: ☐ Initial return ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Final return ☐ Amended return ☐ Address change ☐ 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: [X] 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) ▶$ 243,818,898.

J Accounting method: [X] 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 ▶ ☐

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Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a))	(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue				
1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received	65,141.		N/A	
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	2,643,572.	2,636,330.		STATEMENT 1
5a Gross rents	28,500.	28,500.		STATEMENT 2
b Net rental income or (loss) 28,500.				
6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	828,805.			
b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 33,961,050.				
7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		828,805.		
8 Net short-term capital gain				
9 Income modifications				
10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b Less Cost of goods sold				
c Gross profit or (loss)				
11 Other income	<349,617.>	<317,167.>		STATEMENT 3
12 **Total.** Add lines 1 through 11	3,216,401.	3,176,468.		
Operating and Administrative Expenses				
13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0.	0.		0.
14 Other employee salaries and wages				
15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
16a Legal fees STMT 4	9,920.	7,440.		2,480.
b Accounting fees STMT 5	2,192,446.	1,644,334.		548,112.
c Other professional fees STMT 6	1,326,560.	1,326,560.		0.
17 Interest				
18 Taxes STMT 7	93,233.	71,218.		15.
19 Depreciation and depletion				
20 Occupancy				
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
22 Printing and publications				
23 Other expenses STMT 8	26,021.	25,652.		0.
24 **Total operating and administrative expenses.** Add lines 13 through 23	3,648,180.	3,075,204.		550,607.
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	4,253,770.			4,253,770.
26 **Total expenses and disbursements.** Add lines 24 and 25	7,901,950.	3,075,204.		4,804,377.
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:				
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	<4,685,549.>			
b **Net investment income** (if negative, enter -0-)		101,264.		
c **Adjusted net income** (if negative, enter -0-)			N/A	

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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 (a) Book Value	End of year (b) Book Value	End of year (c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing	47,749,085.	29,893,012.	29,893,012.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments			
	3 Accounts receivable ▶ 2,618. Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶	160,786.	2,618.	2,618.
	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 ▶ 1,121,723. Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ 0.	1,121,723.	1,121,723.	1,121,723.
	8 Inventories for sale or use			
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10a Investments - U.S. and state government obligations			
	b Investments - corporate stock STMT 10	106,494,915.	121,579,461.	194,534,664.
	c Investments - corporate bonds			
	11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ Less accumulated depreciation ▶			
	12 Investments - mortgage loans			
	13 Investments - other STMT 11	17,296,195.	15,509,393.	18,266,881.
	14 Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ Less accumulated depreciation ▶			
	15 Other assets (describe ▶)			
	16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	172,822,704.	168,106,207.	243,818,898.
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	12,928.		
	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)	12,928.	0.	
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 ▶ [X] 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	172,809,776.	168,106,207.	STATEMENT 9
	30 Total net assets or fund balances	172,809,776.	168,106,207.	
	31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	172,822,704.	168,106,207.	

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	172,809,776.
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	<4,685,549.>
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	0.
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	168,124,227.
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ PRIOR YEAR ADJUSTMENTS	5	18,020.
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	168,106,207.

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	CAPITAL GAINS	D	VARIOUS	VARIOUS
b	CAPITAL GAINS	P	VARIOUS	VARIOUS
c	FROM FLOW THROUGH'S	D	VARIOUS	VARIOUS
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	12,177,252.		11,818,869.	358,383.
b	21,166,506.		21,313,376.	<146,870.>
c	617,292.			617,292.
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				358,383.
b				<146,870.>
c				617,292.
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 — 828,805.

3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6):
If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c).
If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8 — 3 — N/A

Part 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	2,172,336.	99,324,891.	.021871
2015	2,171,733.	31,663,534.	.068588
2014	812,575.	30,309,938.	.026809
2013	1,251,046.	26,674,516.	.046900
2012	693,888.	24,164,034.	.028716

2	Total of line 1, column (d)	2	.192884
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	3	.038577
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2017 from Part X, line 5	4	215,769,042.
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	8,323,722.
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	1,013.
7	Add lines 5 and 6	7	8,324,735.
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8	4,804,377.

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	2,025.
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	2,025.
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	2,025.
6 Credits/Payments:			
a 2017 estimated tax payments and 2016 overpayment credited to 2017	6a 13,728.		
b Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source	6b 0.		
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c 60,000.		
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d 0.		
7 Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d		7	73,728.
8 Enter any **penalty** for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached		8	0.
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	71,703.
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be: **Credited to 2018 estimated tax** ▶	71,703. **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		X
b Did it spend more than $100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes? See the instructions for the definition	1b		X
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.			
c Did the foundation file **Form 1120-POL** for this year?	1c		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation. ▶ $ 0. (2) On foundation managers. ▶ $ 0.			
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. ▶ $ 0.			
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.	2		X
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	3		X
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of $1,000 or more during the year?	4a		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on **Form 990-T** for this year? N/A	4b		
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by *General Instruction T*	5		X
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	6	X	
7 Did the foundation have at least $5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV	7	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered. See instructions. ▶ PA			
b If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by *General Instruction G*? If "No," attach explanation	8b	X	
9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2017 or the tax year beginning in 2017? See the instructions for Part XIV. If "Yes," complete Part XIV	9		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses	10		X

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

			Yes	No
11	At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule. See instructions	11		X
12	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement. See instructions	12		X
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application?	13	X	

Website address ▶ N/A

14 The books are in care of ▶ THE HAWTHORNE GROUP, INC. Telephone no. ▶412-928-7700

Located at ▶381 MANSFIELD AVE, SUITE 500, PITTSBURGH, PA ZIP+4 ▶15220

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

			Yes	No
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?	16		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.

				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?	☐ 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	N/A	1b		
	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 2017?		1c		X
2	Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)):				
a	At the end of tax year 2017, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2017?	☐ Yes ☒ 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.)	N/A	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. ▶ ______, ______, ______, ______				
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 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	3b		
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?		4a		X
b	Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2017?		4b		X

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

			Yes	No
5a During the year, did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:				
(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?	☐ Yes ☒ No			
(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?	☐ Yes ☒ No			
(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?	☐ Yes ☒ No			
(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? See instructions	☐ Yes ☒ No			
(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?	☐ Yes ☒ No			
b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)-(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions	N/A	5b		
Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here	▶ ☐			
c If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant? N/A	☐ Yes ☐ No			
If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d).				
6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	☐ Yes ☒ No			
b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		6b		X
If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.				
7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	☐ Yes ☒ No			
b If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?	N/A	7b		

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

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

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
HENRY POSNER III 381 MANSFIELD AVENUE PITTSBURGH, PA 15220	TRUSTEE 1.00	0.	0.	0.
JAMES T. POSNER 381 MANSFIELD AVENUE PITTSBURGH, PA 15220	TRUSTEE 1.00	0.	0.	0.
PAUL M. POSNER 381 MANSFIELD AVENUE PITTSBURGH, PA 15220	TRUSTEE 1.00	0.	0.	0.
ANNE M. MOLLOY 381 MANSFIELD AVENUE PITTSBURGH, PA 15220	TRUSTEE 1.00	0.	0.	0.

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

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

Total number of other employees paid over $50,000 ▶ 0

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."

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than $50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
THE HAWTHORNE GROUP, INC. - 381 MANSFIELD AVE, SUITE 500, PITTSBURGH, PA 15220	FINANCIAL SERVICES	2,179,433.
PROVIDENT TRUST CO. - N16 W23217 STONE RIDGE DR, SUITE 310, WAUKESHA, WI 53188	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT	792,813.
EAGLE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC 499 PARK AVENUE, 17TH FL, NEW YORK, NY 10022	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT	88,839.
GAMCO INVESTORS, INC. ONE CORPORATE CENTER, RYE, NY 10580	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT	84,090.
MORGAN STANLEY 1585 BROADWAY, 21ST FL, NEW YORK, NY 10036	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT	76,339.
Total number of others receiving over $50,000 for professional services ▶		1

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	0.
2	
3	
4	

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.	Amount
1 NONE	0.
2	
All other program-related investments. See instructions	
3 NONE	0.
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	169,409,216.
b	Average of monthly cash balances		1b	31,579,671.
c	Fair market value of all other assets		1c	18,065,978.
d	**Total** (add lines 1a, b, and c)		1d	219,054,865.
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	219,054,865.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)		4	3,285,823.
5	**Net value of noncharitable-use assets.** Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4		5	215,769,042.
6	**Minimum investment return.** Enter 5% of line 5		6	10,788,452.

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	10,788,452.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2017 from Part VI, line 5	2a 2,025.		
b	Income tax for 2017. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b		
c	Add lines 2a and 2b		2c	2,025.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1		3	10,786,427.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions		4	0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4		5	10,786,427.
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	10,786,427.

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	4,804,377.
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	4,804,377.
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	5	0.
6	**Adjusted qualifying distributions.** Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	4,804,377.

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				10,786,427.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2017				
a Enter amount for 2016 only			2,597,599.	
b Total for prior years: ______ , ______ , ______		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2017:				
a From 2012				
b From 2013				
c From 2014				
d From 2015				
e From 2016				
f **Total** of lines 3a through e	0.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2017 from Part XII, line 4: ▶$ 4,804,377.				
a Applied to 2016, but not more than line 2a			2,597,599.	
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				2,206,778.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0.			
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	0.			
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				8,579,649.
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	0.			
9 ***Excess distributions carryover to 2018.*** Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	0.			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2013				
b Excess from 2014				
c Excess from 2015				
d Excess from 2016				
e Excess from 2017				

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	Prior 3 years			
	(a) 2017	(b) 2016	(c) 2015	(d) 2014	(e) Total
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:

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
a Paid during the year				
ACHIEVE WASHINGTON, DC	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	100,000.
AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION FOUNDATION OF PA PHILADELPHIA, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	265,000.
AMERICAN FRIENDS OF THE UNION FOR PROGRESSIVE JUDAISM PITTSBURGH, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
AMERICAN JEWISH WORLD SERVICE NEW YORK, NY	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	200,000.
AMERICARES STAMFORD, CT	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	200,000.
Total SEE CONTINUATION SHEET(S)			▶ 3a	4,253,770.
b Approved for future payment				
AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION FOUNDATION OF PA PHILADELPHIA, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	1,000,000.
WORLD UNION FOR PROGRESSIVE JUDAISM NEW YORK, NY	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	1,000,000.
Total			▶ 3b	2,000,000.

Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income
	(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclusion code	(d) Amount	
1 Program service revenue:					
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
f					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
2 Membership dues and assessments					
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments					
4 Dividends and interest from securities			14	2,643,572.	
5 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:					
a Debt-financed property					
b Not debt-financed property			16	28,500.	
6 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
7 Other investment income			01	<317,167.>	
8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory			18	828,805.	
9 Net income or (loss) from special events					
10 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
11 Other revenue:					
a FLOW THROUGH ACTIVITIES					
b UBTI	523920	<32,450.>	01		
c					
d					
e					
12 Subtotal. Add columns (b), (d), and (e)		<32,450.>		3,183,710.	0.

13 **Total.** Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e) 13 3,151,260.

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations.)

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

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 (other than by providing funds for such purposes).
	N/A

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

			Yes	No
1	Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?			
a	Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of:			
	(1) Cash	1a(1)		X
	(2) Other assets	1a(2)		X
b	Other transactions:			
	(1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization	1b(1)		X
	(2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization	1b(2)		X
	(3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets	1b(3)		X
	(4) Reimbursement arrangements	1b(4)		X
	(5) Loans or loan guarantees	1b(5)		X
	(6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations	1b(6)		X
c	Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees	1c		X

d If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column (b) should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting foundation. If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column (d) the value of the goods, other assets, or services received.

(a) Line no	(b) Amount involved	(c) Name of noncharitable exempt organization	(d) Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements
		N/A	

2a Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If "Yes," complete the following schedule.

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship
N/A		

Sign Here

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge

Signature of officer or trustee: [signature] Date: 11/9/18 Title: TRUSTEE

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below? See instr ☒ Yes ☐ No

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Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check ☐ if self-employed	PTIN
TRISH DILLINGER	Trish Dillinger	11-7-18		P01242479

Firm's name ▶ ERNST & YOUNG US LLP — Firm's EIN ▶ 34-6565596

Firm's address ▶ 2100 ONE PPG PLACE, PITTSBURGH, PA 15222 — Phone no. 412-644-7800

Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
BICYCLES AGAINST POVERTY NEW YORK, NY	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
BRADLEY UNIVERSITY PEORIA, IL	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
CARNEGIE LIBRARY OF PITTSBURGH PITTSBURGH, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	20,000.
CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY PITTSBURGH, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	1,075,000.
CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS FROM FLOW THROUGH'S	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	575.
DIRECT RELIEF SANTA BARBARA, CA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/GENERAL USE	200,000.
DOCTORS WITHOUT BORDERS NEW YORK, NY	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	250,000.
GLOBAL PHILANTHROPY PARTNERSHIP CHICAGO, IL	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	50,000.
GLOBALGIVING WASHINGTON, DC	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	200,000.
GRAND RIVER ACADEMY AUSTINBURG, OH	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
Total from continuation sheets				3,483,770.

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Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
GREATER PITTSBURGH COMMUNITY FOODBANK PITTSBURGH, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
HEART TO HEART INTERNATIONAL LENEXA, KS	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	200,000.
HEBREW UNION COLLEGE-JEWISH INSTITUTE OF RELIGION CINCINNATI, OH	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
JEWISH FAMILY & CHILDREN SERVICES PITTSBURGH, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
JEWISH FEDERATION OF GREATER PITTSBURGH PITTSBURGH, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	10,000.
KENYON COLLEGE GAMBIER, OH	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
NATIONAL WILDLIFE FEDERATION RESTON, VA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	100,000.
NCSEJ WASHINGTON, DC	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
NEW VENTURE FUND WASHINGTON, DC	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	75,000.
NORTH AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION WASHINGTON, DC	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	75,000.
Total from continuation sheets				

Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
NORTH COUNTRY SCHOOL LAKE PLACID, NY	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
OCEAN RESEARCH & CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION FORT PIERCE, FL	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	50,000.
PARTNERSHIP PROJECT WASHINGTON, DC	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	100,000.
PRINCETON UNIV - FRIENDS OF THE CENTER FOR JEWISH LIFE PRINCETON, NJ	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
PRINCETON UNIVERSITY PRINCETON, NJ	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
PUBLIC LABORATORY FOR OPEN TECHNOLOGY AND SCIENCE CAMBRIDGE, MA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	50,000.
ROCKY MOUNTAIN INSTITUTE BOULDER, CO	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	150,000.
RODEF SHALOM CONGREGATION PITTSBURGH, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	30,000.
SHADY SIDE ACADEMY PITTSBURGH, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
SIMMONS COLLEGE BOSTON, MA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	27,000.
Total from continuation sheets				

Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
SOIL HAITI SHERBURNE, NY	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	150,000.
SOLAR ONE NEW YORK, NY	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	50,000.
SQUIRREL HILL HEALTH CENTER PITTSBURGH, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
THE KOHALA CENTER KAMUELA, HI	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	120,695.
THE STEAMSHIP HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA WARWICK, RI	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	50,500.
TREE PITTSBURGH PITTSBURGH, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
UNION FOR REFORM JUDAISM NEW YORK, NY	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII HONOLULU, HI	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	50,000.
UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA - WHARTON SCHOOL OF BUSINESS PHILADELPHIA, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH PITTSBURGH, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
Total from continuation sheets				

Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
VIRUNGA FUND BROOKLYN, NY	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	50,000.
WINCHESTER THURSTON SCHOOL PITTSBURGH, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	50,000.
WORLD UNION FOR PROGRESSIVE JUDAISM NEW YORK, NY	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	210,000.
WQED PITTSBURGH, PA	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED/ GENERAL USE	5,000.
Total from continuation sheets				

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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	**Employer identification number**
POSNER FOUNDATION OF PITTSBURGH	25-6055022

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)(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. 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)

Name of organization	Employer identification number
POSNER FOUNDATION OF PITTSBURGH	25-6055022

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	HELEN M. POSNER MARITAL TRUST 381 MANSFIELD AVENUE, SUITE 500 PITTSBURGH, PA 15220	$ 64,053.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
2	ESTATE OF HELEN M. POSNER 381 MANSFIELD AVENUE, SUITE 500 PITTSBURGH, PA 15220	$ 1,088.	Person [X] 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.)
		$	Person [ ] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
		$	Person [ ] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

Name of organization	Employer identification number
POSNER FOUNDATION OF PITTSBURGH	25-6055022

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
		$	

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

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

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

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

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

Name of organization: POSNER FOUNDATION OF PITTSBURGH

Employer identification number: 25-6055022

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

(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

FORM 990-PF DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES STATEMENT 1

SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
DIVIDENDS-FLOW THROUGH'S	163,930.	0.	163,930.	163,930.	
DIVIDENDS-INVESTMETS	2,359,518.	0.	2,359,518.	2,359,518.	
INTEREST-FLOW THROUGH'S	111,266.	0.	111,266.	111,266.	
INTEREST-INVESTMENS	3,858.	0.	3,858.	3,858.	
OTHER PORTFOLIO INCOME FLOW THROUGH'S	<2,242.>	0.	<2,242.>	<2,242.>	
TAX EXEMPT INTEREST-FLOW THROUGH'S	3,168.	0.	3,168.	0.	
UBTI INVESTMENT INCOME	4,074.	0.	4,074.	0.	
TO PART I, LINE 4	2,643,572.	0.	2,643,572.	2,636,330.	

FORM 990-PF RENTAL INCOME STATEMENT 2

KIND AND LOCATION OF PROPERTY	ACTIVITY NUMBER	GROSS RENTAL INCOME
FROM FLOW THROUGH'S	1	28,500.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 5A		28,500.

FORM 990-PF OTHER INCOME STATEMENT 3

DESCRIPTION	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
FLOW THROUGH ACTIVITIES	<317,020.>	<317,020.>	
1231 GAIN/(LOSS) FROM FLOW THROUGH'S	<147.>	<147.>	
FLOW THROUGH ACTIVITIES UBTI	<32,450.>	0.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 11	<349,617.>	<317,167.>	

FORM 990-PF | LEGAL FEES | STATEMENT 4

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES	9,920.	7,440.		2,480.
TO FM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16A	9,920.	7,440.		2,480.

FORM 990-PF | ACCOUNTING FEES | STATEMENT 5

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
FINANCIAL SERVICES	2,192,446.	1,644,334.		548,112.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16B	2,192,446.	1,644,334.		548,112.

FORM 990-PF | OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES | STATEMENT 6

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT FEES	1,326,560.	1,326,560.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16C	1,326,560.	1,326,560.		0.

FORM 990-PF | TAXES | STATEMENT 7

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
PA REGISTRATION FEE	15.	0.		15.
FOREIGN TAX WITHHELD ON DIVIDENDS	56,118.	56,118.		0.
FOREIGN TAXES-FLOW THROUGH'S	15,100.	15,100.		0.
FEDERAL TAXES	22,000.	0.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	93,233.	71,218.		15.

FORM 990-PF — OTHER EXPENSES — STATEMENT 8

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST-MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
INVESTMENT INTEREST EXPENSE FLOW THROUGH'S	25,439.	25,439.		0.
OTHER DEDUCTIONS	213.	213.		0.
NON DEDUCTIBLE EXPENSES	369.	0.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	26,021.	25,652.		0.

FORM 990-PF — OTHER FUNDS — STATEMENT 9

DESCRIPTION	(A) BEGINNING OF YEAR	(B) END OF YEAR
FUND BALANCE	172,809,776.	168,106,207.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 29	172,809,776.	168,106,207.

FORM 990-PF — CORPORATE STOCK — STATEMENT 10

DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
MANAGED FUND INVESTMENTS-SEE STATEMENT 16	121,579,461.	194,534,664.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10B	121,579,461.	194,534,664.

FORM 990-PF — OTHER INVESTMENTS — STATEMENT 11

DESCRIPTION	VALUATION METHOD	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
FLOW THROUGH INVESTMENTS-SEE STATEMENT 16	FMV	15,509,393.	18,266,881.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 13		15,509,393.	18,266,881.

FORM 990-PF | PART XV - LINE 1A | STATEMENT 12

LIST OF FOUNDATION MANAGERS

NAME OF MANAGER

HENRY POSNER III
JAMES T. POSNER
PAUL M. POSNER
ANNE M. MOLLOY

FORM 990-PF GRANT APPLICATION SUBMISSION INFORMATION PART XV, LINES 2A THROUGH 2D STATEMENT 13

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NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON TO WHOM APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED

HENRY POSNER III
381 MANSFIELD AVE, STE 500
PITTSBURGH, PA 15220

FORM AND CONTENT OF APPLICATIONS

APPLICANTS SHOULD SUBMIT A BRIEF STATEMENT IN WRITING, DETAILING THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH FUNDS ARE TO BE UTILIZED AND THE ACTIVITIES ENGAGED IN BY THE APPLICANT. APPLICANT'S DETERMINATION LETTER AND FINANCIAL DATA SHOULD ACCOMPANY THE REQUEST.

ANY SUBMISSION DEADLINES

NONE

RESTRICTIONS AND LIMITATIONS ON AWARDS

NONE

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FORM 990-PF PART II BALANCE SHEETS - INVESTMENT DETAIL
12/31/2017

INVESTMENT		COST BASIS	MARKET VALUE
INVESTMENTS - CORPORATE STOCK			
PROVIDENT INVESTORS, LLC - STATEMENT 13 ATTACHMENT A		89,540,745	154,844,925
EAGLE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT - STATEMENT 13 ATTACHMENT B		8,141,099	11,293,193
1492 CAPITAL MANAGEMENT - STATEMENT 13 ATTACHMENT C		2,317,138	3,502,604
1492 CAPITAL MGMT SMALL CAP VALUE - STATEMENT 13 ATTACHMENT D		1,057,484	1,381,090
GABELLI - STATEMENT 13 ATTACHMENT E		7,341,327	8,098,183
WELLS FARGO (HORIZON) - STATEMENT 13 ATTACHMENT F		1,108,449	1,199,435
WILLIAMS JONES - STATEMENT 13 ATTACHMENT G		4,510,526	5,130,709
WELLS FARGO (CAPITAL GROUP) - STATEMENT 13 ATTACHMENT H		1,203,563	1,474,603
GOLDMAN SACHS - STATEMENT 13 ATTACHMENT I		5,208,374	6,393,164
PROFUNDS			
Shares	Investment		
2,530	Bull-Inv	252,517	309,726
6,463	Access Flex High Yield-Inv	216,649	213,661
4,852	Precious Metals	180,792	187,157
3,027	Real Estate-Inv	136,856	135,198
3,280	Oil & Gas	118,750	125,347
7,093	Falling US Dollar	124,693	125,331
1,433	Small Cap	120,499	120,338
		1,150,756	1,216,758
	TOTAL CORPORATE STOCK	121,579,461	194,534,664
CASH			
	Checking account	285,107	285,107
	Northern Institutional Treasury Portfolio PROVIDENT INVESTORS	22,509,466	22,509,466
	Morgan Stanley Bank	245,006	245,006
	Morgan Stanley Private Bank	14,698	14,698
	BMO Govt Money Market Fd Y #605 1492 CAPITAL MGMT	70,973	70,973
	BMO Govt Money Market Fd Y #605 1492 CAP MGMT SMALL CAP VAL	18,840	18,840
	Gabelli Cash	2,824	2,824
	Gabelli US Treasury	976,634	976,634
	Wells Fargo Bank Deposit Sweep (Horizon)	194,349	194,349
	Govt Money Mkt Profund-Inv	199,936	199,936
	WJA CASH	2,111	2,111
	WJA STIP 1 US TREASURY ONLY DTD	53,500	53,500
	Wells Fargo (Capital Group) Sweep	52,399	52,399
	Goldman Sachs Bank Deposit	145,059	145,059
	Goldman Sachs US Deposit	2,794	2,794
	Goldman Sachs Bank Deposit	118,393	118,393
	Morgan Stanley CD	5,000,923	5,000,923
	TOTAL CASH	29,893,012	29,893,012
FLOW THROUGH INVESTMENTS			
	ALD Co-Investor, LLC	-	-
	Altenergy Storage	995,187	960,171
	Altenergy Storage II	1,939,654	1,858,398
	Aurora Ventures V, LP	1,402,107	1,455,279
	Axiom Asia Private Capital Fund	621,544	341,483
	Buckingham Partners II	1,708,554	2,027,511
	The Cassique Fund, LP - FINAL 2017	-	-
	GS Capital Partners 2000	51,771	20,528
	Harbert Power Fund III	1,073,198	1,657,497

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INVESTMENT	COST BASIS	MARKET VALUE
Harbert Power Fund V	900,792	1,630,127
Harbert Venture Partners, LLC	-	544,341
Harbert Venture Partners II, LP	633,946	1,126,625
Harbert Venture Partners III, LP	1,574,378	1,680,282
Harbert Venture Partners Annex Fund, LLC	-	83,559
Medrespond	-	-
Morgan Stanley Private Equity Asia, LP	627,801	686,336
Peninsula-KCG, LP	1,169,929	1,089,074
ValStone Opportunity Fund III, LLC	72,547	68,033
ValStone Opportunity Fund III-AIV, LLC	-	-
Viridity	-	-
WJA Alternative In Strat I Series I-2-Aurelius	334,182	328,605
WJA Alternative In Strat I Series I-7 D Kempner	703,600	722,635
Fernwood Associates (WJ&A #7 - 5)	520,368	557,664
Sandalwood Fund (WJA, Series I-9)	193,210	208,556
WJA Value Equity	986,625	1,220,177
TOTAL FLOW THROUGH'S	15,509,393	18,266,881
TOTAL INVESTMENTS	166,981,866	242,694,557
DISTRIBUTIONS RECEIVABLE FROM FLOW THROUGH'S	2,618	2,618
NOTE RECEIVABLE R TALARICO	1,121,723	1,121,723
TOTAL ASSETS	168,106,207	243,818,898