

For calendar year 2017, or tax year beginning 01-01-2017, and ending 12-31-2017

Name of foundation THE BEN MILLER FOUNDATION C/O HEIDI BECKER		A Employer identification number 41-1775239	
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 5307 DOMINICK DRIVE		Room/suite	
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code MINNETONKA, MN 55343		B Telephone number (see instructions) (952) 930-0807	
G Check all that apply <div><input type="checkbox"/> Initial return</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Final return</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Amended return</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Address change</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Name change</div>		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here 2 Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation	
H Check type of organization <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here	
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) \$ 1,474,160		F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here	
J Accounting method <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)			

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc , received (attach schedule)				
	2 Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	173	173		
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	43,909	43,909		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	-101,340			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a	541,245			
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		0		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
Operating and Administrative Expenses	b Less Cost of goods sold				
	c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)				
	11 Other income (attach schedule)	138	138		
	12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	-57,120	44,220		
	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0	0		0
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)				
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)	1,600	0		0
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)	17,485	17,485		0
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)				
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule)	43	18		0
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	19,128	17,503		0
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	70,000			70,000
	26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	89,128	17,503		70,000
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-146,248			
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		26,717		
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)					

Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)	Beginning of year	End of year	
			(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing	6,700	5,075	5,075
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	183,479	67,340	67,340
	3	Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	4	Pledges receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	5	Grants receivable			
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)			
	7	Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	8	Inventories for sale or use			
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10a	Investments—U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)			
	b	Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)	1,213,599	1,132,528	1,295,505
	c	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)			
	11	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
	12	Investments—mortgage loans			
	13	Investments—other (attach schedule)	50,273	102,860	106,240
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
Liabilities	15	Other assets (describe ▶ _____)			
	16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	1,454,051	1,307,803	1,474,160
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18	Grants payable			
	19	Deferred revenue			
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)			
	22	Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)			
	23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	0	0	
Net Assets or Fund Balances		Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.			
	24	Unrestricted			
	25	Temporarily restricted			
	26	Permanently restricted			
		Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 31.			
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	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	1,454,051	1,307,803	
	30	Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	1,454,051	1,307,803	
	31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions) .	1,454,051	1,307,803	

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	1,454,051
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-146,248
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	3	0
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	1,307,803
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	5	0
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30 .	6	1,307,803

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e g , real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co)	(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo , day, yr)	(d) Date sold (mo , day, yr)
1a See Additional Data Table			
b			
c			
d			
e			

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a See Additional Data Table			
b			
c			
d			
e			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(i) F M V as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	
a See Additional Data Table			
b			
c			
d			
e			

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	<div> <div>If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7</div> <div>If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7</div> </div>	2	-101,340
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6) If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8		3	

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

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

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

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



Yes



No

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

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

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col (b) divided by col (c))
2016	74,000	1,531,881	0 048307
2015	79,000	1,552,491	0 050886
2014	85,916	1,638,131	0 052448
2013	75,000	1,582,174	0 047403
2012	73,500	1,447,315	0 050784
2 Total of line 1, column (d)			2 0 249828
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period—divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years			3 0 049966
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2017 from Part X, line 5			4 1,470,416
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3			5 73,471
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)			6 267
7 Add lines 5 and 6			7 73,738
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4			8 70,000

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 <input type="checkbox"/> 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 <input type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	1	534
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	534
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	534
6	Credits/Payments		
a	2017 estimated tax payments and 2016 overpayment credited to 2017	6a	1,468
b	Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source	6b	
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c	
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d	0
7	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d.	7	1,468
8	Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> 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	934
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2018 estimated tax <input type="checkbox"/> 934 Refunded <input type="checkbox"/>	11	0

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

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	Yes	No
b	Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see Instructions for definition)? If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b , attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities	1b		No
c	Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?	1c		No
d	Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year (1) On the foundation <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 0 (2) On foundation managers <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 0			
e	Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 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		No
3	Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	3		No
4a	Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	4a		No
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	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		No
6	Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	6	Yes	
7	Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col (c), and Part XV	7	Yes	
8a	Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) <input type="checkbox"/> MN			
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	Yes	
9	Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2017 or the taxable year beginning in 2017 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV	9		No
10	Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses	10		No

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

11	At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see instructions).	11		No
12	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)	12		No
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address N/A	13	Yes	
14	The books are in care of HEIDI BECKER Telephone no (952) 930-0807			

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15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 —Check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 15			
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 instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR). If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶	16	Yes	No

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

1a	During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly)		Yes	No
	(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? <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)? <input type="checkbox"/> Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here. <input type="checkbox"/>	1b		
c	Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2017? <input type="checkbox"/>	1c		No
2	Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5))			
a	At the end of tax year 2017, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2017? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," list the years ▶ 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
b	Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see instructions). <input type="checkbox"/>	2b		
c	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here ▶ 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
3a	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? <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). <input type="checkbox"/>	3b		
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a		No
b	Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2017?	4b		No

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

5a	During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to			
	(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955), or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? (see instructions).	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here.	<input type="checkbox"/>	5b	
c	If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant? <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
6a	Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b	Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? <i>If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6b	No
7a	At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b	If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	7b	

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors**1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see instructions).**

(a) Name and address	Title, and average hours per week (b) devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	Expense account, (e) other allowances
DAVID DWORSKY 510 PARKVIEW TERRACE MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55416	DIRECTOR 1 00	0	0	0
JOHNATHAN DWORSKY 2804 GEORGIA AVE S ST LOUIS PARK, MN 55426	DIRECTOR 1 00	0	0	0
HEIDI BECKER 5307 DOMINICK DRIVE MINNETONKA, MN 55343	DIRECTOR 1 00	0	0	0

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

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

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000. **0****3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). If none, enter "NONE".**

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services. **0****Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities**

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1	
2	
3	
4	

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

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2	Amount
1	
2	
All other program-related investments. See instructions.	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3	0

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

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities.	1a	1,487,325
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b	5,483
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d	1,492,808
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	1,492,808
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	22,392
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4.	5	1,470,416
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5.	6	73,521

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	73,521
2a	Tax on investment income for 2017 from Part VI, line 5.	2a	534
b	Income tax for 2017 (This does not include the tax from Part VI).	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b.	2c	534
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1.	3	72,987
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4.	5	72,987
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	72,987

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	70,000
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	70,000
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see instructions).	5	0
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4.	6	70,000

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				72,987
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2017				
a Enter amount for 2016 only.			0	
b Total for prior years 20____, 20____, 20____		0		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2017				
a From 2012.	4,993			
b From 2013.	1,727			
c From 2014.	5,177			
d From 2015.	4,872			
e From 2016.				
f Total of lines 3a through e.	16,769			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2017 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ 70,000				
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.				70,000
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))	2,987			2,987
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	13,782			
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 instructions			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 (see instructions).	2,006			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2018. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	11,776			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2013.	1,727			
b Excess from 2014.	5,177			
c Excess from 2015.	4,872			
d Excess from 2016.				
e Excess from 2017.				

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

1a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2017, enter the date of the ruling. ▶					
b Check box to indicate whether the organization is a private operating foundation described in section <input type="checkbox"/> 4942(j)(3) or <input type="checkbox"/> 4942(j)(5)					
2a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 2017	(b) 2016	(c) 2015	(d) 2014	
b 85% of line 2a					
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon					
a "Assets" alternative test—enter					
(1) Value of all assets					
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
b "Endowment" alternative test— enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed. . .					
c "Support" alternative test—enter					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii). . . .					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

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

1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

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

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

2 Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:

Check here ☒ if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc. (see instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d

a The name, address, and telephone number or email address of the person to whom applications should be addressed

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	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i> See Additional Data Table				
Total			3a	70,000
b <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
Total			3b	0

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations)

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Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations

		Yes	No
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1a(1)		No
1a(2)		No

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1b(1)	No
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1b(2)	No
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1b(3)		No
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1b(4)		No
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1b(5)		No
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1b(6)		No
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1c		No
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described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If "Yes," complete the following schedule

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

**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.

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2018-04-19

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May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below

(see instr)? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Signature of officer or trustee

Date _____

Title

**Paid
Preparer
Use Only**

Print/Type preparer's name COREY EDMUNDS	Preparer's Signature	Date 2018-04-19	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	PTIN P00288931
Firm's name ▶ BOECKERMANN GRAFSTROM & MAYER LLC				Firm's EIN ▶ 20-0472826
Firm's address ▶ 332 MINNESOTA STREET STE W-900 ST PAUL, MN 55101				Phone no (651) 227-9431

Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns a - d			
List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e g , real estate, (a) 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)
KELLOGG CO - 400 SHS		2016-07-06	2017-01-03
BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO - 500 SHS		2016-04-19	2017-01-17
SUPERVALU INC - 2000 SHS		2008-11-06	2017-01-20
SUPERVALU INC - 2000 SHS		2012-06-28	2017-01-20
SURMODICS INC - 1000 SHS		2016-07-26	2017-02-13
SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY - 500 SHS		2017-02-22	2017-05-30
SPS COMMERCE INC - 500 SHS		2015-04-15	2017-06-06
GEOSPACE TECHNOLOGIES CORP - 400 SHS		2012-12-05	2017-06-26
GEOSPACE TECHNOLOGIES CORP - 100 SHS		2015-04-28	2017-06-26
JOHNSON CONTROLS INTERNATIONAL PLC - 417 SHS		2016-09-06	2017-06-26

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(e) Gross sales price	Depreciation allowed (f) (or allowable)	Cost or other basis (g) plus expense of sale	Gain or (loss) (h) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
29,210		33,137	-3,927
27,686		34,470	-6,784
8,408		28,416	-20,008
8,408		10,452	-2,044
23,732		24,875	-1,143
21,410		23,811	-2,401
29,503		34,870	-5,367
5,596		30,751	-25,155
1,399		2,176	-777
17,432		19,053	-1,621

Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns i - l

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(i) F M V as of 12/31/69	Adjusted basis (j) as of 12/31/69	Excess of col (i) (k) over col (j), if any	
			-3,927
			-6,784
			-20,008
			-2,044
			-1,143
			-2,401
			-5,367
			-25,155
			-777
			-1,621

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List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e g , real estate, (a) 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)
JOHNSON CONTROLS INTERNATIONAL PLC - 333 SHS		2016-11-30	2017-06-26
TRANSOCEAN LTD NEW - 2000 SHS		2017-02-22	2017-06-26
GENERAL ELECTRIC CO - 1000 SHS		2016-07-06	2017-06-27
LNVENTURE FOODS INC - 4000 SHS		2016-06-20	2017-07-18
NCR CORP - 1000 SHS		2015-06-08	2017-07-31
CARRIZO OIL & GAS INC - 600 SHS		2016-10-11	2017-08-10
CRANE CO - 500 SHS		2016-04-11	2017-09-05
DEERE AND CO - 250 SHS		2017-05-22	2017-09-05
ATRICURE INC - 2000 SHS		2016-08-22	2017-09-06
JETBLUE AIRWAYS CORP - 1500 SHS		2017-02-22	2017-09-06

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(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
13,921		15,160	-1,239
16,052		26,394	-10,342
27,242		31,578	-4,336
13,908		32,112	-18,204
38,017		30,354	7,663
8,498		25,373	-16,875
36,751		26,880	9,871
28,987		30,337	-1,350
41,655		29,583	12,072
28,190		29,829	-1,639

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(i) F M V as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	
			-1,239
			-10,342
			-4,336
			-18,204
			7,663
			-16,875
			9,871
			-1,350
			12,072
			-1,639

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List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e g , real estate, (a) 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)
AMERISOURCEBERGEN CORP - 500 SHS		2017-07-05	2017-10-16
TCF FINANCIAL 1000/TH SER A PFD 7 5% - 1000 SHS		2012-06-21	2017-10-16
GOLDMAN SACHS GRP PFD SER I 5 95% - 1000 SHS		2015-09-14	2017-11-17
GOLDMAN SACHS GRP PFD SER I 5 95% - 1000 SHS		2012-11-14	2017-11-17

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(e) Gross sales price	Depreciation allowed (f) (or allowable)	Cost or other basis (g) plus expense of sale	Gain or (loss) (h) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
40,240		47,862	-7,622
25,000		25,232	-232
25,000		25,030	-30
25,000		24,850	150

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Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(i) F M V as of 12/31/69	Adjusted basis (j) as of 12/31/69	Excess of col (i) (k) over col (j), if any	
			-7,622
			-232
			-30
			150

Form 990PF Part XV Line 3 - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment				
Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
AMERICAN FRIENDS OF ASSAF HAROFEH MEDICAL CENTER 12367 E CORNELL AVE DENVER, CO 80222	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT	5,000
CHILDREN'S CANCER RESEARCH FUND 7301 OHMS LANE SUITE 460 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55439	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT - STEM CELL RESEARCH	10,000
COURAGE CENTER 3915 GOLDEN VALLEY RD MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55422	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT	5,000
FRIENDS OF ISRAEL DEFENSE FORCE (FIDF) 60 EAST 42ND ST NEW YORK, NY 10165	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT - WOUNDED SOLDIER PROJECT	5,000
JEWISH FAMILY AND CHILDREN'S SERVICE 5905 GOLDEN VALLEY RD GOLDEN VALLEY, MN 55422	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT	10,000
Total 				70,000
3a				

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Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
JUVENILE DIABETES RESEARCH FUND 3001 METRO DR SUITE 100 BLOOMINGTON, MN 55425	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT	2,000
MAYO CLINIC200 1ST STREET SW ROCHESTER, MN 55905	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT - STROKE RESEARCH	5,000
MINNEAPOLIS FISHER HOUSE ONE VETERAN DRIVE 136B MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55417	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT - MEAL FUND	3,000
MINNEAPOLIS JEWISH COMMUNITY 13100 WAYZATA BLVD SUITE 200 MINNETONKA, MN 55305	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT	1,000
MINNESOTA MEDICAL FOUNDATION 200 OAK ST SE SUITE 300 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 554552030	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT - PARKINSON RESEARCH	2,000
Total ▶ 3a				70,000

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Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
MN MEDICAL FOUNDATION - KAREN ASHE ALZHEIMER'S RESEARCH FUND 200 OAK ST SE SUITE 300 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 554552030	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT	2,000
MN MILITARY FAMILY FOUNDATION 620 MENDELSSOHN AVE N GOLDEN VALLEY, MN 55427	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT	5,000
PINKY SWEAR FOUNDATION 7835 TELEGRAPH RD BLOOMINGTON, MN 55438	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT	5,000
SUSAN G KOMEN - TWIN CITIES RACE FOR THE CURE 960 SOUTHDAL E CENTER EDINA, MN 55435	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT	5,000
TROOPS DIRECT 2400 CAMINO RAMON SUITE 105 SAN RAMON, CA 94583	NONE	N/A	CHARITABLE GIFT	5,000
Total 3a				70,000

TY 2017 Accounting Fees Schedule**Name:** THE BEN MILLER FOUNDATION

C/O HEIDI BECKER

EIN: 41-1775239**Accounting Fees Schedule**

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
ACCOUNTING/TAX FEES	1,600	0		0

TY 2017 Investments Corporate Stock Schedule**Name:** THE BEN MILLER FOUNDATION

C/O HEIDI BECKER

EIN: 41-1775239

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
AFLAC INC. - 500 SHS	31,416	43,890
ANI PHARMACEUTICALS - 500 SHS	29,858	32,225
AT & T INC. - 1000 SHS	32,757	38,880
ABBVIE INC. - 500 SHS	29,487	48,355
ABBOTT LABORATORIES - 750 SHS	30,007	42,803
ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN HOLDING LP - 1000 SHS	25,808	25,050
ALTRIA GROUP INC. - 500 SHS	30,047	35,705
ANTARES PHARMA INC. - 7500 SHS	22,677	14,925
BANK OF AMERICA CORP - 1000 SHS	28,449	29,520
BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO. - 500 SHS	30,086	30,640
C H ROBINSON WORLDWIDE INC - 300 SHS	25,302	26,727
CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL PFD B - 2000 SHS	50,600	50,620
CITIGROUP INC PFD - 2000 SHS	49,879	50,920
CVS HEALTH CORP - 350 SHS	28,616	25,375
COMSTOCK RESOURCES INC. - 200 SHS	23,475	1,692
DELUXE CORP - 400 SHS	29,299	30,736
DEPOMED INC - 1500 SHS	33,094	12,075
DONALDSON COMPANY INC - 400 SHS	19,326	19,580
ELI LILLY & CO. - 1000 SHS	33,867	84,460
EXPEDITORS INTL WASHINGTON INC - 600 SHS	28,934	38,814
FASTENAL COMPANY MM - 500 SHS	25,953	27,345
FLEXION THERAPUETICS INC	25,500	25,040
FULLER H B COMPANY - 600 SHS	26,085	32,322
INTEGER HOLDING CORP (FORMERLY GREAT BATCH INC.) - 600 SHS	29,148	27,180
JP MORGAN CHASE & CO DEP SHRS REP PFD - 2000 SHS	51,600	53,860
KIMBERLY CLARK CORP - 250 SHS	26,349	30,165
MERCK & CO INC - 500 SHS	30,594	28,135
MICROSOFT CORP - 500 SHS	23,780	42,770
PFIZER INC. - 1500 SHS	34,252	54,330
RING ENERGY INC - 2000 SHS	26,390	27,800

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
STANLEY BLACK & DECKER - 400 SHS	32,433	67,876
SUNTRUST BKS PFD - 1000 SHS	25,220	25,230
TCF FINANCIAL PFD - 1000 SHS	25,952	25,730
TARGET CORP - 500 SHS	29,642	32,625
THE BLACKSTONE GROUP LP	30,421	32,020
VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS - 500 SHS	26,025	26,465
WELLS FARGO & CO DEP SHRS REP PFD - 2000 SHS	50,200	53,620

TY 2017 Investments - Other Schedule

Name: THE BEN MILLER FOUNDATION
C/O HEIDI BECKER

EIN: 41-1775239

Investments Other Schedule 2

Category/ Item	Listed at Cost or FMV	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
GMAC CAPITAL TRUST 8.125% - 2000 SHS	AT COST	52,587	51,900
MERRILL LYNCH CAPITAL TR - 2000 SHS	AT COST	50,273	54,340

TY 2017 Other Expenses Schedule

Name: THE BEN MILLER FOUNDATION
C/O HEIDI BECKER

EIN: 41-1775239

Other Expenses Schedule

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
MN ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEE	25	0		0
PORTFOLIO DEDUCTIONS	18	18		0

TY 2017 Other Income Schedule

Name: THE BEN MILLER FOUNDATION
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EIN: 41-1775239

Other Income Schedule

Description	Revenue And Expenses Per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income
PORFOLIO INCOME	138	138	138

TY 2017 Other Professional Fees Schedule

Name: THE BEN MILLER FOUNDATION
C/O HEIDI BECKER

EIN: 41-1775239

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
INVESTMENT FEES	17,485	17,485		0