

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

Name of foundation BATES FAMILY FOUNDATION INC		A Employer identification number 47-4005922	
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 777 W MAIN ST STE 900		Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) (208) 433-1200
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code BOISE, ID 83702		C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐	
G Check all that apply ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return ☐ Address change ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Amended return ☐ Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here ☐ 2 Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ☐	
H Check type of organization ☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation ☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐	
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) \$ 11,008,852	J Accounting method ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) _____ (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)	F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ☐	

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc , received (attach schedule)	1,000			
	2 Check ☒ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	170,796	170,796		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss) _____				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	-2,777			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 4,953,736				
	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)				
	12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	169,019	170,796	0	
	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0	0	0	0
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)				
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)				
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)	15,817	15,817	0	0
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	1,249	225	0	0
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings	7,877	0	0	7,877
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule)	1,730	0	0	0
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	26,673	16,042	0	7,877
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	250,000			250,000
	26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	276,673	16,042	0	257,877
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-107,654			
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		154,754		
	c Adjusted net income(if negative, enter -0-)			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	4,348,392	818,680	818,680
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments			
	3 Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____	220		
	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)			
	c Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)	1,704,347	201,543	198,255
	11 Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
	12 Investments—mortgage loans			
	13 Investments—other (attach schedule)	4,335,448	9,260,530	9,991,917
	14 Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
15 Other assets (describe ▶ _____)				
16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	10,388,407	10,280,753	11,008,852	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18 Grants payable			
	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)			
	23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	0	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 ▶ ☒ 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	10,388,407	10,280,753	
30 Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	10,388,407	10,280,753		
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions) .	10,388,407	10,280,753		

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	10,388,407
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-107,654
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	3	0
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	10,280,753
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	10,280,753

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) { If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }	2	-2,777
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	8,015	3,182,641	0 002518
2015	199,246	54,575	3 650866
2014			
2013			
2012			

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	3 653384
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	1 826692
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2017 from Part X, line 5	4	10,622,899
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	19,404,765
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	1,548
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	19,406,313
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8	257,877

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	3,095
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	3,095
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	3,095
6	Credits/Payments		
a	2017 estimated tax payments and 2016 overpayment credited to 2017	6a	1,000
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	18,000
8	Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☒ if Form 2220 is attached	8	6
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	14,899
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2018 estimated tax 5,000 Refunded	11	9,899

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

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

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 DOUGLAS K BATES Telephone no (208) 433-1200			

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15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 —Check here ☐ and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 15			
16	At any time during calendar year 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? ☐ 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)? ☐ 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? ☐ 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? ☐ Yes ☒ No If "Yes," list the years ▶ 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
b	Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see instructions). ☐ 2b			
c	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here ▶ 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
3a	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? ☐ Yes ☒ No			
b	If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 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). ☐ Yes ☒ No 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))?	☐ 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)?		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?	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	<i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d)</i>			
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	No
	<i>If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870</i>			
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?		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
See Additional Data Table				

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

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

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000. **0****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	9,290,869
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b	1,493,800
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d	10,784,669
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	10,784,669
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	161,770
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4.	5	10,622,899
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5.	6	531,145

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	531,145
2a	Tax on investment income for 2017 from Part VI, line 5.	2a	3,095
b	Income tax for 2017 (This does not include the tax from Part VI).	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b.	2c	3,095
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1.	3	528,050
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4.	5	528,050
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	528,050

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	257,877
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	257,877
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	257,877

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				528,050
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.				
b From 2013.				
c From 2014.				
d From 2015. 46,562				
e From 2016.				
f Total of lines 3a through e.	46,562			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2017 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ 257,877				
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.				257,877
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))	46,562			46,562
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 instructions			0	
f Undistributed income for 2017 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2018				223,611
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).	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)

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 ☐ 4942(j)(3) or ☐ 4942(j)(5)

2a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed

	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 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))
See Additional Data Table

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

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

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

a The name, address, and telephone number or 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 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 <i>Paid during the year</i> See Additional Data Table				
Total			▶ 3a	250,000
b <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
Total			▶ 3b	0

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

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

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

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

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

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

b If "Yes," complete the following schedule

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

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.	***** 2018-11-14 Date	***** Title	May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instr.)? ☐ Yes ☐ No
	Signature of officer or trustee			

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's Signature	Date	Check if self-employed ☐	PTIN
	MICHAEL R LINDSTROM		2018-11-14		P01269764
	Firm's name ▶ EIDE BAILLY LLP				Firm's EIN ▶ 45-0250958
	Firm's address ▶ 877 W MAIN ST STE 800 BOISE, ID 83702				Phone no (208) 344-7150

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)
VANGUARD FIXED INCOME SECS SHORT TERM INVESTMENT	P	2017-05-02	2017-12-15
EXPORT DEVELOPMENT CORP CANADA	P	2016-09-23	2017-01-31
FEDERAL HOME LOANS	P	2016-09-26	2017-03-24
AT & T INC	P	2016-09-28	2017-03-15
CISCO SYSTEMS	P	2016-09-28	2017-03-03
EXXON MOBIL	P	2016-10-07	2017-03-15
COMMONWEALTH BANK	P	2016-09-28	2017-03-13
SHELL INTERNATIONAL	P	2016-09-28	2017-03-22
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA	P	2016-09-28	2017-04-11
AT & T INC	P	2016-03-22	2017-06-01

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

(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)
220,000		220,827	-827
249,422		249,422	0
1,995,624		1,995,624	0
250,000		251,675	-1,675
213,000		213,185	-185
250,000		250,035	-35
250,000		250,093	-93
250,000		255,130	-5,130
250,000		250,153	-153
28,000		28,127	-127

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Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(I) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(i) 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	
			-827
			0
			0
			-1,675
			-185
			-35
			-93
			-5,130
			-153
			-127

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ECOLAB INC	P	2017-02-03	2017-12-08
UNITEDHEALTH GROUP	P	2017-02-03	2017-12-15
ACUITY BRANDS INC	P	2017-01-20	2017-06-29
CONAGRA BRANDS INC	P	2017-02-01	2017-04-28
CONAGRA BRANDS INC	P	2017-02-09	2017-06-30
EQUIFAX INC	P	2017-01-20	2017-09-13
HENRY SCHEIN INC	P	2017-03-01	2017-11-29
IHS MARKIT LTD	P	2017-02-15	2017-06-07
MIDDLEBY CORP	P	2017-03-02	2017-10-11
ROCKWELL COLLINS INC	P	2017-01-20	2017-09-29

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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)
250,000		250,085	-85
250,000		250,115	-115
60,203		59,298	905
27,134		27,429	-295
25,073		27,943	-2,870
40,381		50,862	-10,481
41,883		51,532	-9,649
55,854		48,366	7,488
36,978		41,614	-4,636
65,190		45,409	19,781

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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	
			-85
			-115
			905
			-295
			-2,870
			-10,481
			-9,649
			7,488
			-4,636
			19,781

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ROPER TECHNOLOGIES INC	P	2017-01-20	2017-06-07
VERISK ANALYTICS INC	P	2017-01-20	2017-03-10
WABTEC	P	2017-01-20	2017-07-21
WELLS FARGO & CO	P	2017-01-26	2017-09-29

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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)
45,789		39,141	6,648
39,994		40,806	-812
26,166		25,443	723
33,045		34,199	-1,154

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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	
			6,648
			-812
			723
			-1,154

Form 990PF Part VIII Line 1 - List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation

(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
DOUGLAS K BATES 777 W MAIN ST STE 900 BOISE, ID 83702	PRESIDENT/TREASURER 1 00	0	0	0
BROOKE B BATES 777 W MAIN ST STE 900 BOISE, ID 83702	VICE PRESIDENT 1 00	0	0	0
MICHAEL R LINDSTROM 777 W MAIN ST STE 900 BOISE, ID 83702	SECRETARY 1 00	0	0	0
BRYNNE BATES HIGLEY 777 W MAIN ST STE 900 BOISE, ID 83702	ASSISTANT SECRETARY 1 00	0	0	0
KATIE BATES 777 W MAIN ST STE 900 BOISE, ID 83702	ASSISTANT SECRETARY 1 00	0	0	0

Form 990PF Part XV Line 1a - List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000).

DOUGLAS K BATES
BROOKE B BATES

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>				
CARING HEARTS INTERNATIONAL PO BOX 2214 AUBURN, WA 98071	NONE	PC	GENERAL PURPOSE GRANT	40,000
MARRIOTT SCHOOL NATIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL 316 TANNER BUILDING PROVO, UT 84602	NONE	PC	GENERAL PURPOSE GRANT	100,000
TIM BALLARD FOUNDATION 755 SOUTH MAIN STREET SUITE 194 CEDAR CITY, UT 84720	NONE	PC	GENERAL PURPOSE GRANT	60,000
Total ► 3a				250,000

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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>				
BYU ATHLETICS331 SAB PROVO, UT 84602	NONE	PC	GENERAL PURPOSE GRANT	10,000
LDS HUMANITARIAN 1665 BENNETT ROAD SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84104	NONE	PC	GENERAL PURPOSE GRANT	10,000
LDS PHILANTHROPIES 1450 N UNIVERSITY AVE PROVO, UT 84604	NONE	PC	GENERAL PURPOSE GRANT	10,000
Total ▶ 3a				250,000

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>				
FACES417 S 6TH STREET BOISE, ID 83702	NONE	PC	GENERAL PURPOSE GRANT	10,000
FOUNDATION FOR IDAHO HISTORY PO BOX 664 BOISE, ID 83701	NONE	PC	GENERAL PURPOSE GRANT	10,000
Total ▶ 3a				250,000

TY 2017 Investments Corporate Bonds Schedule**Name:** BATES FAMILY FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 47-4005922**Investments Corporate Bonds Schedule**

Name of Bond	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
CATERPILLAR	8,075	8,013
CITIGROUP INC.	28,418	28,080
JP MORGAN CHASE	46,588	45,086
JOHN DEERE	47,879	47,149
CHEVRON CORP	19,835	19,841
DOMINION GAS HOLDINGS LLC	30,285	30,047
WISCONSIN ENERGY CORP	20,463	20,039

TY 2017 Investments - Other Schedule

Name: BATES FAMILY FOUNDATION INC
EIN: 47-4005922

Investments Other Schedule 2

Category/ Item	Listed at Cost or FMV	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
JANUS INVESTMENT FUND GLOBAL LIFE SCIENCES	FMV	90,876	86,739
ISHARES RUSSELL 2000 VALUE	FMV	63,292	102,091
ISHARES RUSSELL 2000 GROWTH	FMV	139,430	150,235
ISHARES GLOBAL FINANCIALS	FMV	89,145	121,594
SELECT SECTOR SPDR	FMV	279,795	376,722
SPDR DOWN JONES	FMV	249,336	338,409
SPDR S&P 500	FMV	369,778	458,027
VANGUARD SECTOR	FMV	193,933	208,568
VANGUARD SPECIALIZED	FMV	405,593	497,377
VANGUARD INDEX FUNDS MIDCAP VALUE	FMV	84,169	101,941
VANGUARD INDEX FUNDS MIDCAP GROWTH	FMV	126,247	154,175
VANGUARD GNMA FUND PROSPECTUS	FMV	31,039	29,961
BANK OF AMERICA MTN	FMV	251,550	249,928
CVS CAREMARK CORP	FMV	201,900	200,266
GEORGIA POWER	FMV	212,678	207,546
MORGAN STANLEY MTN	FMV	204,648	205,442
US BANCORP MTN	FMV	200,594	200,034
WELLS FARGO MTN	FMV	250,448	249,615
STATOIL ASA	FMV	171,731	169,986
VANGUARD FIXED INC SECS FD	FMV	24,320	24,231
VANGUARD FIXED INCOME SECS SHORT-TERM INVT GRADE	FMV	3,826,891	3,808,935
AMETEK INC	FMV	52,398	72,470
AMPHENOL CORP CLASS A	FMV	53,931	70,240
APTARGROUP INC	FMV	52,074	60,396
ARAMARK	FMV	53,185	64,110
ARTHUR J GALLAGHER	FMV	53,965	63,280
CANADAIAN NATL RAILWY	FMV	49,006	57,750
CHURCH & DWIGHT	FMV	64,479	70,238
DANAHER CORP	FMV	65,829	74,256
DENTSPLY SIRONA INC	FMV	54,240	59,247

Investments Other Schedule 2

Category/ Item	Listed at Cost or FMV	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
DONALDSON COMPANY	FMV	55,088	63,635
ECOLAB INCOME	FMV	48,776	53,672
FASTENAL CO	FMV	31,197	32,814
FIDELITY NATL INFO	FMV	54,982	65,863
FISERV INC	FMV	55,131	65,565
FORTIVE CORPORATION	FMV	55,858	72,350
GREAT WESTERN BANCO	FMV	59,738	55,720
HD SUPPLY HOLDINGS	FMV	59,718	56,042
HOME BANCSHARES	FMV	60,124	58,125
IDEX CORP	FMV	54,285	79,182
LANDSTAR SYSTEM INC	FMV	58,649	72,870
MSC INDL DIRECT	FMV	70,150	77,328
PINNACLE FINL PARTNER	FMV	51,353	53,040
PENTAIR PLC	FMV	48,240	56,496
RPM INTERNATIONAL	FMV	52,337	52,420
SNAP ON INC	FMV	67,025	69,720
SUNTRUST	FMV	45,512	51,672
THERMO FISHER SCNTFC	FMV	52,714	66,458
UGI CORPORATION	FMV	58,605	56,340
VANTIV INC	FMV	51,573	58,840
VERISK ANALYTICS INC CLASS A	FMV	53,085	57,600
WABTEC	FMV	31,869	32,572
WESTERN ALLIANCE BNC	FMV	59,325	67,944
XYLEM INC	FMV	58,696	81,840

TY 2017 Other Expenses Schedule**Name:** BATES FAMILY FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 47-4005922**Other Expenses Schedule**

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
MISCELLANEOUS	1,730	0	0	0

TY 2017 Other Professional Fees Schedule**Name:** BATES FAMILY FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 47-4005922

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
INVESTMENT FEES	15,817	15,817	0	0

**TY 2017 Substantial Contributors
Schedule****Name:** BATES FAMILY FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 47-4005922**Name****Address**

DOUGLAS BROOKE BATES

4333 E WILDHORSE LANE
BOISE, ID 83712

TY 2017 Taxes Schedule**Name:** BATES FAMILY FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 47-4005922

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
FEDERAL EXCISE TAX	1,024	0	0	0
FOREIGN TAX EXPENSE	225	225	0	0