Form 990-PF



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

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Nam	ne of for	indation	·	1	Employe	er identification number	er
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		street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address)	Room	v/suite E	3 Telephon	e number (see instructi	ons)
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		, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code		 ,	lf avame	tion application is pend	
ako	Orion	, MI 48362			, ii exempi	non application is penu	ing, check here
			of a former public	charity	1 Farais		hara h
-	JIIÇUK	Final return Amended r	•	Cilarity	1. Foreig	n organizations, check	nere >
		Address change Name char				n organizations meeting	
	2hook	type of organization: Section 501(c)(3) exempt pi	•	<u></u>		here and attach computed foundation status was	
		n 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust \(\subseteq \) Other tax				07(b)(1)(A), check here	>
		arket value of all assets at J Accounting method					
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	ine 16				under se	ction 507(b)(1)(B), checl	khere . ▶
			on cash basis.)			T	F
Рa	rt I	Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of	(a) Revenue and	(b) Net in	vestment	(c) Adjusted net	(d) Disbursement for charitable
		amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal	expenses per books		ome	income	purposes
		the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))					(cash basis only
		Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)	6575	 			
	2	Check ► ☐ If the foundation is not required to attach Sch B		<u> </u>			
	3	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	0		0	0	
]	4	Dividends and interest from securities	0		0		
	5a	Gross rents		_	0	0	
-	b	Net rental income or (loss) 0					
စ္	6a	Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	0				
בֻּן	b	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a					
Hevenue	7	Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)			0		
<u>٣</u>	8	Net short-term capital gain				0	
	9	Income modifications				0	
	10a	Gross sales less returns and allowances 513 10					
- 1		Less: Cost of goods sold 300.09					
- 1		Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)	213.01			213.01	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	11	Other income (attach schedule)	210.01			1	
Į	12	Total. Add lines 1 through 11	6788.01	 	0		
-	13	Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.		† 	0		
S	14	Other ampleuse enlarge and weeks			0		
2	15	Pension plans, employee benefits APR 1.7 2011	1 1 0	† · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	0		
8		Legal fees (attach schedule)	, ,	+			
ゴl	16a	Assembly (accordance (attach ashedula)	- ': 0			 	
စ္	b	Accounting fees (attach schedule)	0	+	0	 	
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≅	18	Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	0		0		
Administrative Expenses	19	Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion	0		0		
밁	20	Occupancy	0				
١	21	Travel, conferences, and meetings	0		0		
a	22	Printing and publications	1418.81		0	 	
ත	23	Other expenses (attach schedule)	0)	0)C	
票し	24	Total operating and administrative expenses.					
Operating and		Add lines 13 through 23	6,626.29	<u> </u>)C	6,626
اج	25	Contributions, gifts, grants paid	0	<u> </u>			
_	26	Total expenses and disbursements, Add lines 24 and 25	6,626.29			ol c	6,626
\neg	27	Subtract line 26 from line 12:]			1
ļ	а	Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	161.72	2			
1	b	Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)					
	-	Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)				213.01	
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D۶	ırt II	Ralance Sheets Attached schedules and amounts in the description column	Beginning of year	End o	f year
<u></u>	ICALL	Balance Sheets Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only. (See instructions.)	(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing	0	161.72	<u></u>
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	0	0	
	3	Accounts receivable ► 13.20			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ 0	0	13 20	
	4	Pledges receivable ▶0			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ 0	0	0	
	5	Grants receivable	0	0	
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other			
		disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)		0	
	7	Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ 0			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ 0			
ţ	8	Inventories for sale or use	0	575.10	575.10
Assets	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	0	0	0
As	10a	Investments – U.S. and state government obligations (attach schedule)	0	0	
	ь	Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)	0	0	
	С	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)	0	0	
	11	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶0			
		Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶0	o	0	
	12	Investments mortgage loans	0	0	
	13	Investments—other (attach schedule)	0	0	
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶			
		Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶	0	0	
	15	Other assets (describe ▶	0	0	
	16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers-see the			
		ınstructions. Also, see page 1, ıtem I)		750 02	750 02
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	-345.60	0	
' 0	18	Grants payable	0	0	
ë	19	Deferred revenue	0	0	
Liabilities	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons	0	-286.49	
ä	21	Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)	0	0	ļ
	22	Other liabilities (describe ►)	0	0	{
	23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	-345 60	-286.49	
		Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☑			
ĕ		and complete lines 24 through 26, and lines 30 and 31.			
ğ	24	Unrestricted		750.02	
ä	25	Temporarily restricted	0	0	
	26	Permanently restricted	0	0	
und Balances		Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ □			
ш		and complete lines 27 through 31.			
Net Assets or	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
ets	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund			
SS	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds			
Ā	30	Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	0	750 02	
Š	31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see			
_		instructions)		463 53	
	ırt ili	Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances			
1		al net assets or fund balances at beginning of year-Part II, colu			
	end-	-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)			450.61
2		er amount from Part I, line 27a			161.72
3	Othe	er ıncreases not included in line 2 (ıtemıze) ▶		3	0
4	Add	Hines 1, 2, and 3		4	612 33
5	Dec	reases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶		5	0
6	Tota	reases not included in line 2 (itemize) >	Part II, column (b), line	30 6	612.33

Part	V Capital Gains and	Losses for Tax on Investn	nent income			
		nd(s) of property sold (for example, real e use, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co		(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo , day, yr)	(d) Date sold (mo , day, yr)
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b_						
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d				<u> </u>		ļ. <u></u>
<u>e</u>				<u> </u>		
	(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)		r other basis ense of sale		in or (loss) (f) minus (g))
a						
<u>b</u>						
<u>c</u>						
<u>d</u>						
<u>e</u>	Complete only for accets she	avera gain in only ma (h) and averad	bu the formulation	10/21/60		
	Complete only for assets shi	owing gain in column (h) and owned				I (h) gain minus it less than -0-) or
	(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69		ss of col (i) I (j), if any		from col (h))
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<u> </u>			<u> </u>			
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е			<u> </u>			
2	Capital gain net income o	Nr Ingt canital Ingel ()	also enter in Pa , enter -0- in Pa		2	
3	If gain, also enter in Part	in or (loss) as defined in sections I, line 8, column (c). See instru	ictions. If (loss), enter -0- in (3	
Part		der Section 4940(e) for Redu				
_		ivate foundations subject to the				
(1 01 0	phonai use by domestic pr	ivate loundations subject to the	3ection 4540(a)	tax on het invest	unient income.)	
If sect	ion 4940(d)(2) applies, leav	e this part blank.				
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		section 4942 tax on the distribution section 4940(e). Do			base period?	☐ 163 ☐ 140
1		ount in each column for each ye			aking any entries	
	(a)		ar, see the man		aking any entries.	(d)
Cale	Base period years endar year (or tax year beginning in	Adjusted qualifying distribution	s Net value o	(c) of noncharitable-use a		stribution ratio divided by col (c))
	2016					
	2015	<u> </u>				
	2014					
	2013					
	2012	_ <u>l</u>				
_	Total office 4 column (d	,				
2 3	Total of line 1, column (d) 2	
3		oundation has been in existence				
	the number of years the i	Ouridation has been in existence	e ii iess tilali 5 y	ears	. 3	
4	Enter the net value of nor	ncharitable-use assets for 2017	from Part X, line	5	. 4	
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3				. 5	
6	Enter 1% of net investme	ent income (1% of Part I, line 27t	o)		. 6	
7	Add lines 5 and 6				. 7	
8		ons from Part XII, line 4				1% tax rate. See the
	Part VI instructions.				, 	

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1a	Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ▶ ☐ and enter "N/A" on line 1.			
L	Date of ruling or determination letter: (attach copy of letter if necessary—see instructions) Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check			
b	Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ▶ ☐ and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b		0	 -ī
С	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-)		0	
3	Add lines 1 and 2		0	
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only, others, enter -0-)		0	
5	Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0		0	
6	Credits/Payments:			Ì
a	2017 estimated tax payments and 2016 overpayment credited to 2017			
b	Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source			j
c d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld 6d 0			
7	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d		0	
8	Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here if Form 2220 is attached		0	
9	Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed		0	
10	Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid > 10		0	
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2018 estimated tax ▶ Refunded ▶ 11		0	
Part				
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 the instructions for the definition			√
	If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials	1b		<u> </u>
	published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities			j
С	Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?	1c		-
	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. ► \$			
е	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		✓
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			
40	•	3		1
4a b	Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	4a 4b		
5	Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year?	5		
•	If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.			<u> </u>
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	1	
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		1
8a	Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered. See instructions. ▶			,
	MI If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General			
b	(or designate) of each state as required by <i>General Instruction G?</i> If "No," attach explanation			1
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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	/	
10	Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their	-ئ	Ė	
· -	names and addresses	10	1	1
				

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		1
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		
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application?	13	1	
	Website address ▶ http://reckoning.press			
14	The books are in care of ► Michael J. DeLuca Telephone no. ► 78	-366-	0129	
	Located at ► 206 East Flint St, Lake Orion, MI ZIP+4 ► 48	362-3		<u></u>
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	• •		▶ □
16	At any time during calendar year 2017, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority		Yes	No
	over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country?	16		✓_
	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?			
	disqualified person?			
	(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? Yes			
	(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?			
	(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)?			1
	(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.)			
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		1
	Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here			
С	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		
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)):			
а	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?			
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		1
С	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here.			
3a	▶ 20 , 20 , 20 , 20 Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise			
-	at any time during the year?	1)
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	1	1]
	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		ļ	
_	foundation had excess business holdings in 2017.)	3b	<u> </u>	
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a	├—	-
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	ļ	-

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5a	During the year, did the foundation pay or incur									Yes	No
	(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt t	o influe	nce legislatio	n (sect	ion 4945(e))? .	☐ Yes	✓ No			
	(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public	electi	on (see secti	on 495	5); or to ca	arry on,					i
	directly or indirectly, any voter registration dr	ive?					☐ Yes	✓ No			
	(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, stu	dy, or d	other similar i	ourpose	es?		☐ Yes	✓ No			}
	(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than section 4945(d)(4)(A)? See instructions	n a cha	rıtable, etc.,	organiz	ation desci	ribed in	 ☐ Yes	✓ No			
	(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to compare the prevention of cruelty the prevention of cruelty the compare the prevention of cruelty the crue the prevention of cruelty the compare the prevention of cruelty the crue the crue the prevention of cruelty the crue the crue the prevention of cruelty the crue the	, charita	able, scientifi	c, litera	ry, or educ	ational		. No			
b									1		
U	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.										
_	If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does t	ng aisa	ster assistan	ce, cne	ck nere .			▶□			
C	because it maintained expenditure responsibility	for the	orant?	exem	olion from	tne tax		σ			
							☐ Yes	∐ No	1		i
6-	If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regula	ations s	section 53.49	45–5(d)							İ
oa	Did the foundation, during the year, receive any on a personal benefit contract?										
	•						☐ Yes	_ ✓ No			
b	Did the foundation, during the year, pay premium	ns, dire	ctly or indired	ctly, on	a personal	benefit	contract	? .	6b		✓
_	If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.										
	At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a						Yes				J
	If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds								7b		
Par	Information About Officers, Direc	tors, i	rustees, F	ounda	tion Mana	agers,	Hignly I	aid Er	npioy	ees,	
	and Contractors					10.					
1	List all officers, directors, trustees, and found										
	(a) Name and address (b) Title, and average (c) Compensation (d) Contributions to employee benefit plans					plans	(e) Expense account, other allowances				
		devot	ed to position	en	ter -0-)	and def	erred compe	ensation	Otrici	allowai	
		Directo	r and								
206 Ea	st Flint St, Lake Orion, MI 48362	Preside	ent, 15 hours		0			. 0			0
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2	Compensation of five highest-paid employee "NONE."	es (oth	er than thos	se incl	uded on li	ne 1—:	see instr	uctions). If n	one,	enter
	(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,00	00	(b) Title, and a hours per v devoted to pe	veek T	(c) Comper	nsation	(d) Contribi employee plans and compen	benefit deferred	(e) Expe	nse ac allowar	
NONE								· · · · ·			
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Total	number of other employees paid over \$50,000.		· · · · ·	<u> </u>				. ▶			

Par	t VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid En and Contractors (continued)	nployees,
3	Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services. See instructions. If none, enter "NON	E."
	(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000 (b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NON	E	
		<u> </u>
		
Tota	I number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services	
Par	t IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities	
	st the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of ganizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1	Publication of Reckoning, an annual journal of creative writing on environmental justice.	
	Contributors are paid for works of fiction, nonfiction, poetry and art, which are made freely available online, then in	
	a print edition to maximize readership.	6,626.29
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Par	t IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)	
	escribe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2	Amount
1	NONE	
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2		
	other program-related investments. See instructions	
3		1
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rota	il. Add lines 1 through 3	- 000 PF
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Part	Minimum investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreit see instructions.)	ign fo	undations,
1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
а	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	o
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	1017
C	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	575 10
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	1,592 10
е	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and	·-	1,552 10
	1c (attach detailed explanation)		
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	1592 10
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 11/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see		1002 10
	instructions)	4	23.88
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	1,568.22
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	78 41
Part	XI Distributable Amount (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating f and certain foreign organizations, check here ► ✓ and do not complete this part.)	ound	
1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1	
2a	Tax on investment income for 2017 from Part VI, line 5 2a		
b	Income tax for 2017 (This does not include the tax from Part VI.) 2b	1	/
C	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	/
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	/
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	/
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	1
7	Distributable amount as adjusted Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	
Part	XII Qualifying Distributions (see instructions)		
1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:	T	
а	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc.—total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1a	6,626 29
b	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B	1b	0,020 20
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc.,	<u> </u>	_
	purposes	2	o
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
а	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	l o
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	0
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8; and Part XIII, line 4	4	6,626 29
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	ľ
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	6,626 29
	Note: The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculatin qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years		

Part	XIII Undistributed Income (see instruction	ons)			
1	Distributable amount for 2017 from Part XI,	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2016	(c) 2016	(d) 2017
	line 7				-
2	Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2017:				
а	Enter amount for 2016 only		_		
þ	Total for prior years: 20,20,20				
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2017:				
а	From 2012				
ь	From 2013				
C	From 2014			1	
d e	From 2015				
f	Total of lines 3a through e		- 1		
4	Qualifying distributions for 2017 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$				
а	Applied to 2016, but not more than line 2a .		-	/ -	
	Applied to undistributed income of prior years		-		
	(Election required – see instructions)				
С	Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions)				
d	Applied to 2017 distributable amount				
е	Remaining amount distributed out of corpus				
5	Excess distributions carryover applied to 2017				
	(If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)				
6	Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
а	Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5				
b	Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b		,′		
С	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				
d					
	amount-see instructions				
е	Undistributed income for 2016. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount—see instructions				
f	Undistributed income for 2017. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2018				
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)				
8	Excess distributions carryover from 2012 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions).				
9	Excess distributions carryover to 2018. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a				
10	Analysis of line 9:	-			
а	Excess from 2013				
b	Excess from 2014				
С	Excess from 2015	1	1		
d	Excess from 2016				
_	Excess from 2017	1	1 1		

Part	XIV Private Operating Founda	i tions (see instruc	ctions and Part \	/II-A, question	9)	
1a	If the foundation has received a ruling foundation, and the ruling is effective fo	or determination I	etter that it is a p	orivate operating	5/26/2	2017
b	Check box to indicate whether the four				section 7 4942(j)(3	
2a	Enter the lesser of the adjusted net	Tax year	<u> </u>	Prior 3 years	100.00.1	7 5 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
	income from Part I or the minimum	(a) 2017	(b) 2016	(c) 2015	(d) 2014	(e) Total
	investment return from Part X for each year listed	 		(0) 2010	(4) 2014	70.44
_		78.41	0		 	78.41
b	85% of line 2a	66.65	0		 	66 65
С	Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed	6,626.29	2920.09			3,706 2
d	Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities .	0	0			0
е	Qualifying distributions made directly	[`			 	
_	for active conduct of exempt activities	İ				
	Subtract line 2d from line 2c .	20.20	2920 09		1 1	2 705 2
3	Complete 3a, b, or c for the	6,626.29	2920 09		 	3,706.2
5	alternative test relied upon.					
а	"Assets" alternative test - enter.	1				
	(1) Value of all assets	6788.01	3310		11	10,098 1
	(2) Value of assets qualifying under					
	section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)	6788.01	3310		1	10,098 1
b	"Endowment" alternative test-enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in					
С	Part X, line 6 for each year listed "Support" alternative test—enter			<u> </u>		
	(1) Total support other than gross				1	
	investment income (interest,				1	
	dividends, rents, payments on					
	securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)				1	
	(2) Support from general public					
	and 5 or more exempt	1			1	
	organizations as provided in					
	section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)	 			 	
	(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization .					
	· · · · ·	<u> </u>				
	(4) Gross investment income	(0 - 1 - 11			1 105 000	
Part				ne foundation	nad \$5,000 or mo	re in assets at
	any time during the year-		S.)			
1	Information Regarding Foundation					
а	List any managers of the foundation					by the foundation
	before the close of any tax year (but o	only if they have co	ntributed more tha	an \$5,000). (See	section 507(d)(2).)	
lichae	el J. DeLuca					
b	List any managers of the foundation	who own 10% or	more of the stoc	k of a corporation	on (or an equally lar	ge portion of the
	ownership of a partnership or other e			•	,	• •
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2	Information Regarding Contribution	Grant Gift Loan	Scholarship et	to Programe:		
_	<u> </u>		• •	. •	araanizations and	door not occort
	Check here ► ✓ If the foundation unsolicited requests for funds. If the f					
	complete items 2a, b, c, and d. See if		jins, grants, etc.,	to mulviduais or	organizations under	other conditions,
						
а	The name, address, and telephone no	imber or email add	ress of the persor	n to whom applic	ations should be ad	dressed:
þ	The form in which applications should	d be submitted and	information and r	materials they sh	ould include:	
С	Any submission deadlines:					
	Any restrictions or limitations on av	vards, such as hv	geographical ar	eas, charitable f	fields, kinds of inst	itutions, or other
-	factors:	,	33-ap.noa. ar			, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6,
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Part XV Supplementary Information (continued) Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor Recipient Foundation Purpose of grant or contribution status of Amount Name and address (home or business) recipient a Paid during the year За b Approved for future payment

Pa	rt XV	-A Analysis of Income-Producing Ac	tivities			_	rage 12
		s amounts unless otherwise indicated.		siness income	Excluded by sect	ion 512, 513, or 514	
1	Prog	ram service revenue:	(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclusion code	(d) Amount	(e) Related or exempt function income (See instructions)
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	b _						
	c ¯						
	d ¯						
	е _			•			
	f						
	gF	ees and contracts from government agencies					
2		bership dues and assessments					
3		est on savings and temporary cash investments					
4		lends and interest from securities					
5		ental income or (loss) from real estate:					
		Pebt-financed property					
		lot debt-financed property					
		ental income or (loss) from personal property					
_		r investment income					
8		or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory					
9		ncome or (loss) from special events			ļ		
10		s profit or (loss) from sales of inventory	-				213.01
11		r revenue: a					
	p _						
	C _			 			
	d _						
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12	Tota	otal. Add columns (b), (d), and (e)			<u> </u>	40	213 01
		sheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculation				13	213 01
	rt XVI			ent of Exemp	t Purnoses		
_	e No. ▼	Explain below how each activity for which accomplishment of the foundation's exempt pur		••••		-A contributed i	mportantly to the ctions)
	10	Distributing the journal to readers is the primary	means by which	the organization	n accomplishes	its cultural and	educational
		purposes.		<u>4</u>	•		
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Page 13 Information Regarding Transfers to and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations Part XVII

1	ın s	the organization o ection 501(c) (o inizations?	directly or indirectly other than section	y engage in a n 501(c)(3) c	ny of the foorganization	ollowing ns) or	with any in secti	y other orga on 527, re	nization de lating to	escribed political		Yes	No
а	Tran	sfers from the rea	porting foundation	to a nonchar	ıtable exen	not ora	anızation	of:			1	C. (35%)	. '-
		Cash									1a(1)		
		Other assets				• •					1a(2)	-	
b	• •	er transactions:									10(2)		
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			a noncharitable ex					• • • •			1b(1)		✓
			ets from a nonchari								1b(2)		✓_
			, equipment, or oth								1b(3)		✓
	(4) F	Reimbursement a	rrangements								1b(4)		✓
	• •	oans or loan gua									1b(5)		✓
			ervices or members								1b(6)		✓
С	Shar	ring of facilities, e	quipment, mailing	lists, other as	ssets, or pa	aid emp	loyees				1c		- ✓
			of the above is "Ye							vays sho	w the	faır m	arket
			ther assets, or sen										
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(a) Line		(b) Amount involved		charitable exemi				ription of transfe					
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2a			ectly or indirectly a										
			501(c) (other than s)(3)) or in se	ection 5	27? .			[☐ Yes	· 🗸	No
b	If "Y	es," complete the	e following schedul	le.									
•		(a) Name of organ	nization	(b)	Type of orga	nızatıon			(c) Descripti	on of relatio	nship		
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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. OMB No 1545-0047

Name of the organization Employer identification number								
Reckoning Press 81-0714895								
Organiz	Organization type (check one):							
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Filers o	1:	Section:						
Form 99	90 or 990-EZ	☐ 501(c)()	(enter number) organization					
		4947(a)(1) none:	xempt charitable trust not treated as a private fo	undation				
		☐ 527 political org	anization					
Form 99	90-PF	√ 501(c)(3) exemp	t private foundation					
		4947(a)(1) none:	xempt charitable trust treated as a private found	ation				
		☐ 501(c)(3) taxable	e private foundation					
	only a section 501(c)(7		eral Rule or a Special Rule. ation can check boxes for both the General Rule	and a Special Rule. See				
Genera	l Rule							
7	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.							
Specia	Rules							
	regulations under se 13, 16a, or 16b, and	ections 509(a)(1) and that received from a	501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 9) one contributor, during the year, total contributor, during the year, total contributor, during the year, total contributor, during the year, total contributor, during the year, total contributor, during the year, total contributor, during the year, total contributor, during the year, total contributor, during the year, total contributor, during the year, total contributor, during the year, during the year, during the year, total contributor, during the year, dur	990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line outlons of the greater of (1)				
	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							
Cardia	n. An organization the	tuen't covered by the	General Bule and/or the Special Bules 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).

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Part I	Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of	rant i it additional space is	
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	Michael J DeLuca 206 East Flint Street Lake Orion, MI 48362	\$ 5200	Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person
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Name of or			Employer identification number
Reckoning			81-0714895
Part II	Noncash Property (see instructions). Use duplicate cop	pies of Part II if additional	space is needed.
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
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		\$	
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Name of or	ganization				Employer identification number				
Reckoning					81-0714895				
Part III	Exclusively religious, charitable, et (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the following line entry. For organizat contributions of \$1,000 or less for the	the year from any cions completing Part e year. (Enter this info	one contributor. (till, enter the total ormation once. Se	Complete of of exclusi	columns (a) through (e) and ively religious, charitable, etc.,				
7 5 VNo. T	Use duplicate copies of Part III if add	itional space is need	<u>ed.</u>						
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use o	f gift	(d) Description of how gift is held					

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		(e) Transfe	er of gift						
	Transferee's name, address, ar	nd ZIP + 4	Relation	ship of tra	nsferor to transferee				
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use o	f gift	(d) Des	scription of how gift is held				
	(e) Transfer of gift								
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Ĺ	Transferee's name, address, ar	id ZIP + 4	Relation	ship of tra	nsferor to transferee				

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use o	Use of gift (d) De		scription of how gift is held				
	(e) Transfer of gift								
	Transferee's name, address, ar	nd ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee						
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-	(e) Transfer of gift								
	Transferee's name, address, a		ship of tra	nsferor to transferee					

Attached Schedule for Form 990PF Part I Line 1, Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received

Name of foundation

Reckoning Press

· EIN

81-0714895

Tax Year

2017

Attached Schedule for Form 990PF Part I Line 1, Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received

Name

Contributions

Michael J DeLuca

6500 75

Jean A Meyers

Total

6575

Attached Schedule for Form 990PF Part I Line 10, Gross profit from sales of inventory

Name of foundation	Reckoning Press
` EIN	81-0714895
Tax Year	2017
Attached Schedule for Form 990PF Part I Lin	e 10, Gross profit from sales of inventory
Gross Sales	
Books	\$370.76
Ebooks	\$142 34
Cost of Goods Sold	
Books	\$300 09
Ebooks	0
Gross sales less returns and allowances	\$513.10
Less: Cost of goods sold	\$300.09
Gross profit (or loss)	\$213 01

Attached Schedule for Form 990PF Part I Line 13c, Other Professional Fees

Name of foundation Reckoning Press
EIN 81-0714895
Tax Year 2017

Attached Schedule for Form 990PF Part I Line 13c, Other Professional Fees

Attached Schedule for Form 3501 Fart Line 130, Other Floressional Fees							
Recipient First Name	Last Name	Type of Service	Expense				
George	F	nonfiction	345 6				
Mona	Robles	art	300				
Archan	Nair	art	450				
Danika	Dinsmore	editorial	100				
Johannes	Punkt	editorial	100.5				
Goldie	Locks	editorial	100				
Aozora	Brockman	editorial and poetry	120				
Marie	Vibbert	fiction	282				
Krista Hoeppner	Leahy	poetry	20				
Pepe	Rojo	art	100				
Santiago	Belluco	fiction	212.88				
Jessica	Barber	fiction	848.76				
George	Wielgus	nonfiction	458.45				
Janet	Elliott	fiction	97.32				
Floris	Kleijne	fiction	50.16				
Monika	Bruzgaite	art	100				
Brian Francis	Slattery	nonfiction	249.36				
Annie	Sheng	fiction	59 54				
Casey June	Wolf	fiction	178.32				
K. Joann	Rixon	fiction	296 58				
Zella	Christensen	poetry	20				
Justin	Howe	nonfiction	129 3				
Mary Alexandra	Agner	poetry	20				
Yukyan	Lam	nonfiction	102.36				
Marissa	Gritter	fiction	27.6				
Innocent	Chizaram	fiction	199 75				
Mohammad Shafiqul	Islam	poetry	45				
Matt	Kressel	software subscription	50				
SPLAB		conference membership	38				
Huntington Bank		banking fee	36				
National Wildlife Federation	n	habitat certification	50				
State of Michigan		annual registration fee	20				
Total			5207.48				

Attached Schedule for Form 990PF Part II Line 3, Accounts Receivable

Name of foundation

Reckoning Press 81-0714895

EIN

Tax Year

2017

Attached Schedule for Form 990PF Part II Line 3, Accounts Receivable

DescriptionQ4 2017 Ebook Sales Name

Amount Owed

13.2

Weightless Books Total

13.2

Attached Schedule for Form 990PF Part II Line 20, Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons

Name of foundation	Reckoning Press
EIN	81-0714895
Tax Year	2017
Attached Schedule for Form	
990PF Part II Line 20, Loans	
from officers, directors,	
trustees, and other disqualified	
persons	
Original amount.	483.49
Balance due.	286.49
Date of note.	04/16/17
Maturity date.	none
Repayment terms.	none
Interest rate.	0 00%
Security provided by the borrower.	none
Purpose of the loan.	purchase ISBNs and advance reader copies
Description and fair market value	·
	Cash: \$483.49
•	Cash: \$483 49

Attached Schedule for Form 990PF Part VII-A Line 10, Substantial contributors

` Name of foundation

Reckoning Press

EIN

Name

81-0714895

Tax Year

2017

Attached Schedule for Form 990PF Part VII-A Line 10, Substantial contributors

Address

Michael J DeLuca

206 East Flint Street, Lake Orion, MI 48362