

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

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For calendar year **2018** or tax year beginning **2018**, and ending **20**

Name of foundation: **The Wendy's Foundation (fka Wendy's International Foundation)**
 Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address): **One Dave Thomas Blvd**
 City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code: **Dublin, OH 43017**

Room/suite: _____

A Employer identification number **31-1807834**

B Telephone number (see instructions) **614-764-3100**

C If exemption application is pending, check here

D 1. Foreign organizations, check here
2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation

E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here

F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here

G Check all that apply: Initial return Initial return of a former public charity
 Final return Amended return
 Address change Name change

H Check type of organization: Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation **01**
 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust Other taxable private foundation

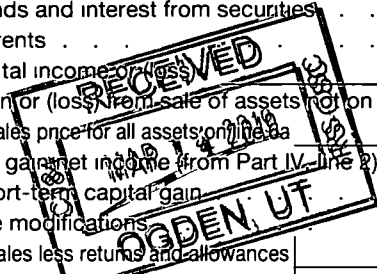
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) ▶ \$ **640,654**

J Accounting method: Cash Accrual
 Other (specify) _____ (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)

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Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (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)	100,000			
	2 Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	8,810	8,810		
	4 Dividends and interest from securities				
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10				
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a				
	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				
b Less: Cost of goods sold					
c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)	0				
11 Other income (attach schedule)					
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	108,810	8,810	0		
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.				
	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)				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) Stmt 1	248			248
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule) Stmt 2	1,333			1,333
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	1,581	0	0	1,581
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	215,000			215,000
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	216,581	0	0	216,581	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-107,771				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		8,810			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			0		

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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	310,642	194,061	194,061
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	437,783	446,593	446,593
	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)			
	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)				
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)	748,425	640,654	640,654	
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 ▶ Pledges Payable)	125,000	125,000	
	23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	125,000	125,000	
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 type="checkbox"/>			
	and complete lines 27 through 31.			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund				
29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	623,425	515,654		
30 Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	623,425	515,654		
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	748,425	640,654		

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	623,425
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-107,771
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	515,654
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	5	
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30	6	515,654

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (for example, real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co)		(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo, day, yr)	(d) Date sold (mo, day, yr)
1a				
b				
c				
d				
e				
(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) ((e) plus (f) minus (g))	
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69				(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any		
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				
2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	{ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }		2	0
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	{ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c). See instructions. If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8 }		3	0

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

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

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

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period? Yes No
 If "Yes," the foundation doesn't qualify under section 4940(e). Do not complete this part.

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

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col (b) divided by col (c))
2017	294,799	608,024	0.4848
2016	467,229	784,829	0.5953
2015	202,171	595,244	0.3396
2014	91,900	631,469	0.1455
2013	1,516	662,310	0.0023
2 Total of line 1, column (d)			2 1.5675
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period—divide the total on line 2 by 5.0, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years			3 0.3135
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2018 from Part X, line 5			4 670,120
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3			5 210,083
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)			6 88
7 Add lines 5 and 6			7 210,171
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 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.			8 216,581

Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948—see instructions)

Table with 11 rows and 3 columns. Rows include: 1a Exempt operating foundations, b Domestic foundations, 2 Tax under section 511, 3 Add lines 1 and 2, 4 Subtitle A (income) tax, 5 Tax based on investment income, 6 Credits/Payments (6a-6d), 7 Total credits and payments, 8 Enter any penalty, 9 Tax due, 10 Overpayment, 11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be credited to 2019 estimated tax.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

Table with 10 rows and 3 columns (Yes, No). Rows include: 1a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation... 1b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year... 1c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL... 2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS... 3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS... 4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more... 4b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T... 5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction... 6 Are the requirements of section 508(e)... 7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets... 8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports... 8b If the answer is "Yes" to line 7... 9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation... 10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year?

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		✓
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		✓
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ▶ N/A	✓	
14	The books are in care of ▶ Taxpayer Telephone no ▶ 614-764-3100 Located at ▶ One Dave Thomas Blvd, Dublin, OH ZIP+4 ▶ 43017		
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		<input type="checkbox"/>
16	At any time during calendar year 2018, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶		✓

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

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

		Yes	No
1a	During the year, did the foundation (either directly or indirectly). (1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days.) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b	If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here ▶ <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 2018?	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))		
a	At the end of tax year 2018, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2018? <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.)	2b	N/A
c	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here. ▶ 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 2018 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 2018.)	3b	N/A
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 2018?	4b	✓

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:		Yes	No
(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		N/A	
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?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d).			
6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	<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?		6b	✓
If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.			
7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	<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?		7b	
8 Is the foundation subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or excess parachute payment(s) during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		

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

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

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (if not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
See Statement 3				

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	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
None				

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

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

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

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
	
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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
	
3	All other program-related investments See instructions
	

Total. Add lines 1 through 3 ▶

0

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

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	442,203
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	238,122
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	680,325
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	680,325
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1½% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	10,205
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	670,120
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	33,506

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	33,506
2a	Tax on investment income for 2018 from Part VI, line 5	2a	88
b	Income tax for 2018. (This does not include the tax from Part VI)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	88
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	33,418
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	33,418
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	33,418

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	216,581
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	216,581
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	88
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	216,493

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 2017	(c) 2017	(d) 2018
1 Distributable amount for 2018 from Part XI, line 7				33,418
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2018				
a Enter amount for 2017 only				
b Total for prior years: 20 ____, 20 ____, 20 ____				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2018:				
a From 2013				
b From 2014	60,330			
c From 2015	172,421			
d From 2016	428,030			
e From 2017	264,494			
f Total of lines 3a through e	925,275			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2018 from Part XII, line 4. ▶ \$ <u>216,581</u>				
a Applied to 2017, but not more than line 2a				
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions)				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions)				
d Applied to 2018 distributable amount				33,418
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	183,163			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2018 (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:				
a Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5	1,108,438			
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 2017. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount—see instructions			0	
f Undistributed income for 2018. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2019				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)				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2013 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)				
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2019. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	1,108,438			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2014	60,330			
b Excess from 2015	172,421			
c Excess from 2016	428,030			
d Excess from 2017	264,494			
e Excess from 2018	183,163			

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 2018, enter the date of the ruling ▶ N/A
- b** Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)

	Tax year				(e) Total
	(a) 2018	(b) 2017	(c) 2016	(d) 2015	
2a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed					0
b 85% of line 2a	0	0	0	0	0
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					0
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					0
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities Subtract line 2d from line 2c	0	0	0	0	0
3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon:					
a "Assets" alternative test—enter:					
(1) Value of all assets					0
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					0
b "Endowment" alternative test—enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed					0
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)					0
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)					0
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					0
(4) Gross investment income					0

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

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

None

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

None

- 2 Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:**
- Check here if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc., to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d See instructions

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

Mary Schell Winters, One Dave Thomas Blvd, Dublin, OH 43017 614-764-3100 N/A

- b** The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include.

Written request with background literature included for the prospective donee charitable organization

- c** Any submission deadlines:

None

- d** Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors.

Organization must be a qualified IRC Sec. 501(c)(3) organization

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 Statement 4			See Statement 4	215,000
Total ▶				3a 215,000
b <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
See Statement 4			See Statement 4	125,000
Total ▶				3b 125,000

Schedule B

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

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

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

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2018

Name of the organization

The Wendy's Foundation (fka Wendy's International Foundation)

Employer identification number

31-1807834

Organization type (check one).

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)() (enter number) organization

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

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

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

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

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

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

General Rule

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

Special Rules

- For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000, or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.
- For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I (entering "N/A" in column (b) instead of the contributor name and address), II, and III.
- For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received, from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year ▶ \$

Caution: An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

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Part I Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	The Wendy's Company ----- One Dave Thomas Blvd ----- Dublin, OH 43017 -----	\$ 100,000	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
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Part II Noncash Property (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions)	(d) Date received
-----	----- ----- ----- -----	\$ -----	-----
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Part III Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions of **\$1,000 or less** for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions) ▶ \$ _____
 Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
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Statement 1
Form 990PF, Part I- Taxes

Description	Revenue & Expenses Per Books	Charitable Purposes
Federal Excise Taxes	48	48
State Taxes	200	200
	<u>248</u>	<u>248</u>

Statement 2
Form 990PF, Part I- Other Expenses

Description	Revenue & Expenses Per Books	Charitable Purposes
Bank Charges	1,264	1,264
Other	69	69
	<u>1,333</u>	<u>1,333</u>

Statement 3

Form 990PF, Part VIII- List of Officers, Directors, and Trustees

Name & Address	Title & Average Hours Per Week Devoted to Position	Compensation	Contributions to Employee Benefit Plans	Expense Account & Other Allowances
Liliana Esposito One Dave Thomas Blvd Dublin, OH 43017	President & Director Ave Weekly Hours 1	-	-	-
Leigh Burnside One Dave Thomas Blvd Dublin, OH 43017	Treasurer & Director Ave Weekly Hours 1	-	-	-
Mary Schell Winters One Dave Thomas Blvd Dublin, OH 43017	Sr VP, Corporate Public Affairs & Gov't Relations Ave Weekly Hours 1	-	-	-
Todd A Penegor One Dave Thomas Blvd Dublin, OH 43017	Chief Executive Officer & Director Ave Weekly Hours 1	-	-	-
Kirk A Vidra One Dave Thomas Blvd Dublin, OH 43017	Secretary Ave Weekly Hours 1	-	-	-
		-	-	-

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Statement 4

Form 990-PF, Part XV - Supplementary Information

Line 3a - Purpose of Grant or Contribution:

Recipients	Foundation Status	EIN #	Purpose of Grant or Contribution	Amount	Website
Dartmouth School Music Association P O Box 80019 S Dartmouth, MA 02748	PC	23-7290853	For more than 25 years, the DSMA has been providing vital support to the entire music program of the Dartmouth Schools. When budget cuts threatened school music programs, DSMA acted to ensure their survival.	2,500	www.dsmahome.org
Lakeland Fire District 929 Johnson Ave Ronkonkoma, NY 11779	PC	11-1899318	The Lakeland Fire Department is an all volunteer fire department serving the Lakeland Fire District. The department solicits funds for training and education of its members as well as the residents of the district.	2,500	N/A
Life Town Columbus Lori Schottenstein Chabad Center 6220 E Dublin Granville Road New Albany, OH 43054	PC	81-2505414	Life Town is a realistic indoor city designed specifically for children with special needs to have fun while practicing important life skills through role-play. Developed in consultation with parents of children with special needs, therapists, educators, and professionals, Life Town is a place where students can learn in a supportive, positive, and structured environment.	2,500	www.lifetowncolumbus.org
Samaritan's Purse P O Box 3000 Boone, NC 28607	PC	58-1437002	Samaritan's Purse is a nondenominational Christian organization providing spiritual and physical aid to victims of war, natural disasters, disease, famine, poverty, and persecution in more than 100 countries with the purpose of sharing God's love through His son, Jesus Christ.	2,500	www.samaritanspurse.org
Kaleidoscope Youth Center 603 E Town Street Columbus, OH 43215	PC	31-1411495	For youth across the spectrum of sexual orientation and gender identity to live healthy, whole lives with acceptance and freedom from oppression.	2,500	www.kycohoio.org
Heart of Ohio Ferret Association & Rescue, Inc P O Box 298206 Columbus, OH 43229	PC	73-1655714	HOFA is committed to being the premier rescue organization where ferret enthusiasts can find education, information, advice, friendship, competition, and camaraderie.	2,500	www.hofarescue.org
Run Down the Demons 7386 Scroto Parkway Powell, OH 43065	PC	47-3676082	Our mission is to address issues surrounding suicides, post-traumatic stress disorder, and other mental health disorders related to veterans, active service members, and/or their family members by providing education, raising awareness and providing resources to those we serve.	2,500	www.rundownthedemons.org
The Human Impact 9540 Garland Road Suite 381-398 Dallas, TX 75218	PC	47-3506016	The Human Impact exists to befriend the homeless and bridge the relational gap to change lives.	2,500	www.thehumanimpact.org
KidSMILES Pediatric Dental Clinic 770 Bethel Rd Columbus, OH 43214	PC	26-3706958	A nonprofit organization dedicated to providing quality dental care and education to children at an affordable cost to their families, KidSMILES operates two primary programs—"Providing a Dental Home to Children in Need" and "Educational Outreach to At-Risk Children."	12,500	www.kidsmilesclinic.org
Bernice E Holland Foundation 1515 North Academy Blvd Suite 400 Colorado Springs, CO 80909	PF	84-1513144	The Bernice E Holland Foundation was established in 1999 and is committed to raising funds to further colon cancer research and to promote awareness of this devastating disease.	7,500	http://hollandfoundation.org

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Statement 4

Form 990-PF, Part XV - Supplementary Information

Line 3a - Purpose of Grant or Contribution:

Recipients	Foundation Status	EIN #	Purpose of Grant or Contribution	Amount	Website
The Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption 716 Mt Airyshire Blvd, Ste 100 Columbus, OH 43235	PC	31-1356151	To contribute towards expenses incurred to support a foster care adoption agency dedicated to finding adoptive homes for children waiting in North America's foster care system	175,000	https://davethomasfoundation.org

215,000

Total

Line 3b - Approved For Future Payment

Recipients	Foundation Status	EIN #	Purpose of Grant or Contribution	Amount	Website
Wendy's We Care Fund Through Tulsa Community Foundation 7030 South Yale Avenue, Suite 600 Tulsa, OK 74136	PC	73-1554474	This fund is designed to provide short-term financial assistance to employees who are experiencing a financial need due to federally and state-declared natural disasters. This program is administered by a third-party organization, but is entirely funded by The Wendy's Company, franchise organizations, employees, and others affiliated with Wendy's	125,000	https://tulsacf.org/wecarefund