

Form 990-PF

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 07/01, 2018, and ending 06/30, 2019

Name of foundation: SYLVIA E ROSS TRUST. A Employer identification number: 01-6017314. B Telephone number: 888-866-3275. C If exemption application is pending, check here. D 1 Foreign organizations, check here. 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.

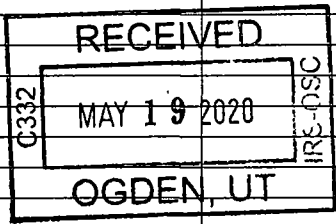
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Table with 5 columns: (a) Revenue and expenses per books, (b) Net investment income, (c) Adjusted net income, (d) Disbursements for charitable purposes. Rows include Revenue (1-12) and Operating and Administrative Expenses (13-26). Total adjusted net income is 234,918.



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 . . . . .			
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .	119,328.	13,024.	13,024.
	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) . . . . . STMT 6 . . . . .	6,083,832.	6,110,798.	6,850,986.
	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) . . . . . STMT 7 . . . . .	444,667.	457,994.	544,720.
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment basis Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶			
15	Other assets (describe ▶ )				
16	<b>Total assets</b> (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions Also, see page 1, item l) . . . . .	6,647,827.	6,581,816.	7,408,730.	
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	<b>Total liabilities</b> (add lines 17 through 22) . . . . .		NONE		
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 24 through 26, and lines 30 and 31				
	24	Unrestricted . . . . .			
	25	Temporarily restricted . . . . .			
	26	Permanently restricted . . . . .			
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 31				
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds . . . . .	6,647,827.	6,581,816.	
	28	Paid in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund . . . . .			
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds . . . . .			
	30	<b>Total net assets or fund balances</b> (see instructions) . . . . .	6,647,827.	6,581,816.	
	31	<b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b> (see instructions) . . . . .	6,647,827.	6,581,816.	

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 6,647,827.
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a . . . . .	2 -58,536.
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ TYE PSHP INCOME ADJUSTMENT	3 789.
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3 . . . . .	4 6,590,080.
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ SEE STATEMENT 8	5 8,264.
6	<b>Total net assets or fund balances at end of year</b> (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30 . . . . .	6 6,581,816.

**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)
<b>1 a PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES</b>				
<b>b OTHER GAINS AND LOSSES</b>				
<b>c</b>				
<b>d</b>				
<b>e</b>				
(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 15.			15.	
b 238,231.		122,169.	116,062.	
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			15.	
b			116,062.	
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 }		2 116,077.
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 doesn't qualify under section 4940(a) 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	358,304.	7,380,414.	0.048548	
2016	572,199.	7,018,444.	0.081528	
2015	305,733.	6,744,562.	0.045330	
2014	286,795.	7,241,701.	0.039603	
2013	257,036.	7,056,104.	0.036427	
2	Total of line 1, column (d)			2 0.251436
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 0.050287
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2018 from Part X, line 5			4 7,161,910.
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3.			5 360,151.
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)			6 2,349.
7	Add lines 5 and 6.			7 362,500.
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4			8 280,619.
If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate See the Part VI instructions				

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

1a	Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter "N/A" on line 1 . . . . . Date of ruling or determination letter _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary - see instructions)		
b	Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b . . . . .	1	4,698.
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	NONE
3	Add lines 1 and 2 . . . . .	3	4,698.
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only, others, enter -0-)	4	NONE
5	<b>Tax based on investment income</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0- . . . . .	5	4,698.
6	Credits/Payments		
a	2018 estimated tax payments and 2017 overpayment credited to 2018 . . . . .	6a	10,800.
b	Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source . . . . .	6b	NONE
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868) . . . . .	6c	NONE
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld . . . . .	6d	
7	Total credits and payments Add lines 6a through 6d . . . . .	7	10,800.
8	Enter any <b>penalty</b> for underpayment of estimated tax Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached . . . . .	8	
9	<b>Tax due</b> If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter <b>amount owed</b> . . . . .	9	
10	<b>Overpayment</b> If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the <b>amount overpaid</b> . . . . .	10	6,102.
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be <b>Credited to 2019 estimated tax</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>4,700.</b> <b>Refunded</b> <input type="checkbox"/> . . . . .	11	1,402.

**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? . . . . .		X
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 published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities		X
c Did the foundation file <b>Form 1120-POL</b> for this year? . . . . .		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year (1) On the foundation <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ (2) On foundation managers <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____		
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		X
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes . . . . .		X
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? . . . . .		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on <b>Form 990-T</b> for this year? . . . . .		
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? . . . . . If "Yes," attach the statement required by <i>General Instruction T</i>		X
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument? . . . . .	X	
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col (c), and Part XV	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered See instructions <input type="checkbox"/> <u>ME</u>		
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 <i>General Instruction G</i> ? If "No," attach explanation . . . . .	X	
9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2018 or the tax year beginning in 2018? See the instructions for Part XIV. If "Yes," complete Part XIV . . . . .		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses . . . . .		X

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 . . . . .		X
12 Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement See instructions . . . . .		X
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ▶ <u>N/A</u>	X	
14 The books are in care of ▶ <u>BANK OF AMERICA</u> Telephone no ▶ <u>(888) 866-3275</u> Located at ▶ <u>P.O. BOX 1802, PROVIDENCE, RI</u> ZIP+4 ▶ <u>02901</u>		
15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - check here . . . . . ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year . . . . . ▶ <u>15</u>		
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? . . . . .		X
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114 If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶		

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

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

	Yes	No
1a During the year, did the foundation (either directly or indirectly)		
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? . . . . . <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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days) . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	1b	X
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	X
2 Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5))		
a At the end of tax year 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 ▶ _____		
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 ▶ _____		
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	
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a	X
b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2018?	4b	X

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

	Yes	No
5a During the year, did the foundation pay or incur any amount to		
(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?	<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input 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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here	<input type="checkbox"/>	
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? . . . STMT. 11	<input checked="" 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? If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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?		
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 16		59,103.		

**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		NONE	NONE	NONE

**Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000** . . . . . **NONE**

**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		NONE

Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services . . . . . NONE

**Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities**

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

	Expenses
1 NONE	
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 NONE	
2	
All other program-related investments. See instructions	
3 NONE	

Total. Add lines 1 through 3 . . . . .

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

<b>1</b>	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes		
<b>a</b>	Average monthly fair market value of securities . . . . .	<b>1a</b>	7,181,840.
<b>b</b>	Average of monthly cash balances . . . . .	<b>1b</b>	89,135.
<b>c</b>	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions). . . . .	<b>1c</b>	NONE
<b>d</b>	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, b, and c) . . . . .	<b>1d</b>	7,270,975.
<b>e</b>	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation) . . . . .	<b>1e</b>	
<b>2</b>	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets . . . . .	<b>2</b>	NONE
<b>3</b>	Subtract line 2 from line 1d . . . . .	<b>3</b>	7,270,975.
<b>4</b>	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions). . . . .	<b>4</b>	109,065.
<b>5</b>	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	<b>5</b>	7,161,910.
<b>6</b>	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% of line 5 . . . . .	<b>6</b>	358,096.

**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.)

<b>1</b>	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6 . . . . .	<b>1</b>	358,096.
<b>2a</b>	Tax on investment income for 2018 from Part VI, line 5 . . . . .	<b>2a</b>	4,698.
<b>b</b>	Income tax for 2018. (This does not include the tax from Part VI) . . . . .	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Add lines 2a and 2b. . . . .	<b>2c</b>	4,698.
<b>3</b>	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1. . . . .	<b>3</b>	353,398.
<b>4</b>	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions . . . . .	<b>4</b>	NONE
<b>5</b>	Add lines 3 and 4 . . . . .	<b>5</b>	353,398.
<b>6</b>	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions). . . . .	<b>6</b>	NONE
<b>7</b>	<b>Distributable amount as adjusted.</b> Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1. . . . .	<b>7</b>	353,398.

**Part XII Qualifying Distributions** (see instructions)

<b>1</b>	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes		
<b>a</b>	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc. total from Part I, column (d), line 26. . . . .	<b>1a</b>	280,619.
<b>b</b>	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B. . . . .	<b>1b</b>	
<b>2</b>	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes. . . . .	<b>2</b>	NONE
<b>3</b>	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
<b>a</b>	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required) . . . . .	<b>3a</b>	NONE
<b>b</b>	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule) . . . . .	<b>3b</b>	NONE
<b>4</b>	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	<b>4</b>	280,619.
<b>5</b>	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. . . . .	<b>5</b>	N/A
<b>6</b>	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4 . . . . .	<b>6</b>	280,619.

**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 . . . . .				353,398.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2018				
a Enter amount for 2017 only. . . . .			82,982.	
b Total for prior years 20____,20____,20____		NONE		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2018				
a From 2013 . . . . .	NONE			
b From 2014 . . . . .	NONE			
c From 2015 . . . . .	NONE			
d From 2016 . . . . .	NONE			
e From 2017 . . . . .	NONE			
f Total of lines 3a through e . . . . .	NONE			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2018 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ <u>280,619.</u>				
a Applied to 2017, but not more than line 2a . . . . .			82,982.	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions) . . . . .		NONE		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions) . . . . .	NONE			
d Applied to 2018 distributable amount . . . . .				197,637.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus . . . . .	NONE			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2018 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a) ) . . . . .	NONE			NONE
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	NONE			
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b. . . . .		NONE		
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 . . . . .		NONE		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount - see instructions . . . . .		NONE		
e Undistributed income for 2017 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount - see instructions . . . . .				
f Undistributed income for 2018 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2019. . . . .				155,761.
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) . . . . .		NONE		
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2013 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions) . . . . .		NONE		
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2019 Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a . . . . .		NONE		
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2014 . . . . .	NONE			
b Excess from 2015 . . . . .	NONE			
c Excess from 2016 . . . . .	NONE			
d Excess from 2017 . . . . .	NONE			
e Excess from 2018 . . . . .	NONE			

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

NOT APPLICABLE

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 . . . . .

b Check box to indicate whether the foundation 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) 2018	(b) 2017	(c) 2016	(d) 2015	

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)(ii) . . . . .

(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization . . . . .

(4) Gross investment income . . . . .

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

1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

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

N/A

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

N/A

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

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
<i>a Paid during the year</i>				
ROSSCARE INC ACCTG DEPT SUITE 400 43 WHITING HILL RD BREWER ME 04401	N/A	EOF	UNRESTRICTED GENERAL SUPPORT	255,903.
BANGOR HUMANE SOCIETY 693 MOUNT HOPE AVE BANGOR ME 04401	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED GENERAL SUPPORT	200.
SALVATION ARMY 440 W NYACK ROAD WEST NYACK NY 10994-1753	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED GENERAL SUPPORT	50.
UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST SOCIETY OF BANGOR 120 PARK ST BANGOR ME 04401	N/A	PC	UNRESTRICTED GENERAL SUPPORT	325.
<b>Total</b> . . . . . ▶ <b>3a</b>				256,478.
<i>b Approved for future payment</i>				
<b>Total</b> . . . . . ▶ <b>3b</b>				



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) (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?
a Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of:
(1) Cash
(2) Other assets
b Other transactions:
(1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization
(2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization
(3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets
(4) Reimbursement arrangements
(5) Loans or loan guarantees
(6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations
c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees
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...

Table with 4 columns: (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) (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? Yes No

b If "Yes," complete the following schedule

Table with 3 columns: (a) Name of organization, (b) Type of organization, (c) Description of relationship

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

Sign Here: Signature of officer or trustee, Date, Title, and a box for 'May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below?' with Yes/No options.

Paid Preparer Use Only: Print/Type preparer's name, Preparer's signature, Date, Check if self-employed, PTIN, Firm's name, Firm's address, Firm's EIN, Phone no

FORM 990PF, PART I - DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES

DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME
USGI REPORTED AS NONQUALIFIED DIVIDENDS	2,903.	2,903.
FOREIGN DIVIDENDS	34,780.	34,780.
NONDIVIDEND DISTRIBUTIONS	1,589.	
DOMESTIC DIVIDENDS	65,568.	65,568.
OTHER INTEREST	17,102.	17,102.
FOREIGN INTEREST	1,984.	1,984.
U.S. GOVERNMENT INTEREST(FEDERAL TAXABLE	4,208.	4,208.
NON-TAXABLE FOREIGN INCOME	-332.	
US GOVERNMENT INTEREST REPORTED AS QUALI	146.	146.
NONQUALIFIED FOREIGN DIVIDENDS	12,714.	12,714.
NONQUALIFIED DOMESTIC DIVIDENDS	24,765.	24,765.
SECTION 199A DIVIDENDS	1,251.	1,251.
TOTAL	166,678.	165,421.

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FORM 990PF, PART I - OTHER INCOME

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DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME
FROM PARTNERSHIP/S-CORP		-4,731.
		-4,731.
TOTALS		

FORM 990PF, PART I - ACCOUNTING FEES

DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME	ADJUSTED NET INCOME	CHARITABLE PURPOSES
TAX PREPARATION FEE - BOA	1,250.	750.		500.
TOTALS	1,250.	750.	NONE	500.

FORM 990PF, PART I - TAXES

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DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME
FOREIGN TAXES	1,136.	1,136.
EXCISE TAX - PRIOR YEAR	8,046.	
EXCISE TAX ESTIMATES	10,800.	
FOREIGN TAXES ON QUALIFIED FOR	2,096.	2,096.
FOREIGN TAXES ON NONQUALIFIED	950.	950.
TOTALS	23,028.	4,182.

FORM 990PF, PART I - OTHER EXPENSES

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DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME
OTHER ALLOCABLE EXPENSE-PRINCI	716.	716.
OTHER ALLOCABLE EXPENSE-INCOME	716.	716.
FROM PARTNERSHIP/S-CORP		23.
TOTALS	1,432.	1,455.

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FORM 990PF, PART II - CORPORATE STOCK

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DESCRIPTION	BEGINNING BOOK VALUE	ENDING BOOK VALUE	ENDING FMV
464287507 ISHARES CORE S&P MID	504,519.	504,519.	607,257.
464287655 ISHARES RUSSELL 2000	223,682.	223,682.	313,488.
921943858 VANGUARD FTSE DEVELO	934,815.	934,815.	973,887.
922042858 VANGUARD FTSE EMERGI	342,877.	342,877.	388,639.
1261292H7 INTERNATIONAL EQUITY	73,779.	74,459.	69,088.
207543877 SMALL CAP GROWTH LEA	196,056.	219,166.	240,401.
302993993 MID CAP VALUE CTF	73,450.	73,127.	75,654.
303995997 SMALL CAP VALUE CTF	203,963.	210,114.	200,073.
99Z466163 HIGH QUALITY CORE CO	99,232.		
693390841 PIMCO HIGH YIELD FD	76,500.	76,352.	77,227.
202671913 AGGREGATE BOND CTF	538,128.	535,032.	552,333.
82599C991 SHORT TERM TAXABLE B	385,986.	382,852.	388,348.
29099J109 EMERGING MARKETS STO	150,568.	151,382.	173,240.
323991307 MID CAP GROWTH CTF	69,473.	73,848.	85,272.
99Z466197 INTERNATIONAL FOCUSE	64,536.	65,241.	71,273.
99Z501647 STRATEGIC GROWTH COM	75,600.	165,133.	84,547.
922908363 VANGUARD S&P 500 ETF	1,648,460.	1,648,460.	2,119,287.
38145C646 GOLDMAN SACHS STRATE	179,556.	179,556.	176,088.
94987W737 WELLS FARGO ABSOLUTE	99,801.	99,801.	107,506.
45399C107 DIVIDEND INCOME COMM	79,177.	86,708.	81,548.
46138B103 INVESCO DB COMMODITY	63,674.	63,674.	65,830.
TOTALS	6,083,832.	6,110,798.	6,850,986.

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FORM 990PF, PART II - OTHER INVESTMENTS

DESCRIPTION	COST/ FMV C OR F	BEGINNING BOOK VALUE	ENDING BOOK VALUE	ENDING FMV
8EQQ69994 GROSVENOR REGISTERED	C	444,667.	457,994.	544,720.
TOTALS		444,667.	457,994.	544,720.

FORM 990PF, PART III - OTHER DECREASES IN NET WORTH OR FUND BALANCES

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DESCRIPTION -----	AMOUNT -----
CTF COST ADJUSTMENT	8,116.
TYE COST ADJUSTMENT	148.
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TOTAL	8,264.
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GAINS AND LOSSES FROM PASS-THRU ENTITIES  
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NET SHORT-TERM GAIN (LOSS) FROM PARTNERSHIPS, S CORPORATIONS  
AND OTHER FIDUCIARIES

COMMON TRUST FUNDS -1,837.00  
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TOTAL NET SHORT-TERM GAIN OR LOSS (ROUNDED) -1,837.00  
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NET LONG-TERM GAIN (LOSS) FROM PARTNERSHIPS, S CORPORATIONS  
AND OTHER FIDUCIARIES

COMMON TRUST FUNDS 162,917.00  
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TOTAL NET LONG-TERM GAIN OR LOSS (ROUNDED) 162,917.00  
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FORM 990PF, PART VII-B, LN 5(c) EXPENDITURE RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

NAME:

LISA HARVEY MCPHERSON

ADDRESS:

43 WHITING HILL ROAD  
BREWER, ME 04412

GRANT DATE: 07/27/2018

GRANT AMOUNT ..... 21,325.

GRANT PURPOSE:

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING TO ELDERLY RESIDENTS OF THE SYLVIA ROSS HOME

DATES OF REPORTS BY GRANTEE:

07/30/2019

DATE OF VERIFICATION: 01/01/1900

NAME:

LISA HARVEY MCPHERSON

ADDRESS:

43 WHITING HILL ROAD  
BREWER, ME 04412

GRANT DATE: 08/28/2018

GRANT AMOUNT ..... 21,325.

GRANT PURPOSE:

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING TO ELDERLY RESIDENTS OF THE SYLVIA ROSS HOME

DATES OF REPORTS BY GRANTEE:

07/30/2019

NAME:

LISA HARVEY MCPHERSON

ADDRESS:

43 WHITING HILL ROAD  
BREWER, ME 04412

GRANT DATE: 09/28/2018

GRANT AMOUNT ..... 21,325.

GRANT PURPOSE:

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING TO ELDERLY RESIDENTS OF THE SYLVIA ROSS HOME

DATES OF REPORTS BY GRANTEE:

07/30/2019

FORM 990PF, PART VII-B, LN 5(c) EXPENDITURE RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

NAME:

LISA HARVEY MCPHERSON

ADDRESS:

43 WHITING HILL ROAD  
BREWER, ME 04412

GRANT DATE: 10/26/2018

GRANT AMOUNT ..... 21,325.

GRANT PURPOSE:

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING TO ELDERLY RESIDENTS OF THE SYLVIA ROSS HOME

DATES OF REPORTS BY GRANTEE:

07/30/2019

NAME:

LISA HARVEY MCPHERSON

ADDRESS:

43 WHITING HILL ROAD  
BREWER, ME 04412

GRANT DATE: 11/28/2018

GRANT AMOUNT ..... 21,325.

GRANT PURPOSE:

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING TO ELDERLY RESIDENTS OF THE SYLVIA ROSS HOME

DATES OF REPORTS BY GRANTEE:

07/30/2019

NAME:

LISA HARVEY MCPHERSON

ADDRESS:

43 WHITING HILL ROAD  
BREWER, ME 04412

GRANT DATE: 12/28/2018

GRANT AMOUNT ..... 21,325.

GRANT PURPOSE:

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING TO ELDERLY RESIDENTS OF THE SYLVIA ROSS HOME

DATES OF REPORTS BY GRANTEE:

07/30/2019

FORM 990PF, PART VII-B, LN 5(c) EXPENDITURE RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

NAME:

LISA HARVEY MCPHERSON

ADDRESS:

43 WHITING HILL ROAD  
BREWER, ME 04412

GRANT DATE: 01/28/2019

GRANT AMOUNT ..... 21,325.

GRANT PURPOSE:

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING TO ELDERLY RESIDENTS OF THE SYLVIA ROSS HOME

DATES OF REPORTS BY GRANTEE:

07/30/2019

NAME:

LISA HARVEY MCPHERSON

ADDRESS:

43 WHITING HILL ROAD  
BREWER, ME 04412

GRANT DATE: 02/28/2019

GRANT AMOUNT ..... 21,325.

GRANT PURPOSE:

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING TO ELDERLY RESIDENTS OF THE SYLVIA ROSS HOME

DATES OF REPORTS BY GRANTEE:

07/30/2019

NAME:

LISA HARVEY MCPHERSON

ADDRESS:

43 WHITING HILL ROAD  
BREWER, ME 04412

GRANT DATE: 03/28/2019

GRANT AMOUNT ..... 21,325.

GRANT PURPOSE:

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING TO ELDERLY RESIDENTS OF THE SYLVIA ROSS HOME

DATES OF REPORTS BY GRANTEE:

07/30/2019

FORM 990PF, PART VII-B, LN 5(c) EXPENDITURE RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

NAME:

LISA HARVEY MCPHERSON

ADDRESS:

43 WHITING HILL ROAD  
BREWER, ME 04412

GRANT DATE: 04/26/2019

GRANT AMOUNT ..... 21,325.

GRANT PURPOSE:

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING TO ELDERLY RESIDENTS OF THE SYLVIA ROSS HOME

DATES OF REPORTS BY GRANTEE:

07/30/2019

NAME:

LISA HARVEY MCPHERSON

ADDRESS:

43 WHITING HILL ROAD  
BREWER, ME 04412

GRANT DATE: 05/28/2019

GRANT AMOUNT ..... 21,325.

GRANT PURPOSE:

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING TO ELDERLY RESIDENTS OF THE SYLVIA ROSS HOME

DATES OF REPORTS BY GRANTEE:

07/30/2019

NAME:

LISA HARVEY MCPHERSON

ADDRESS:

43 WHITING HILL ROAD  
BREWER, ME 04412

GRANT DATE: 06/28/2019

GRANT AMOUNT ..... 21,325.

GRANT PURPOSE:

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING TO ELDERLY RESIDENTS OF THE SYLVIA ROSS HOME

DATES OF REPORTS BY GRANTEE:

07/30/2019

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FORM 990PF, PART VII-B, LN 5(c) EXPENDITURE RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

NAME:

LISA HARVEY MCPHERSON

ADDRESS:

43 WHITING HILL ROAD  
BREWER, ME 04412

GRANT DATE: 05/29/2018

GRANT AMOUNT ..... 83,020.

GRANT PURPOSE:

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING TO ELDERLY RESIDENTS OF THE SYLVIA ROSS HOME

DATES OF REPORTS BY GRANTEE:

08/06/2018

FORM 990PF, PART VIII - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AND TRUSTEES

OFFICER NAME:

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.

ADDRESS:

SUITE 1700, 900 ELM STREET  
MANCHESTER, NH 03101

TITLE:

CO-TRUSTEE

AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED TO POSITION: 1

COMPENSATION ..... 41,315.

COMPENSATION EXPLANATION:

SEE ATTACHED FOOTNOTE

OFFICER NAME:

EATON PEABODY

ADDRESS:

P.O. BOX 1210  
BANGOR, ME 04402

TITLE:

CO-TRUSTEE

AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED TO POSITION: 10

COMPENSATION ..... 17,788.

TOTAL COMPENSATION:

59,103.

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FEDERAL FOOTNOTES

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THE COMPENSATION SHOWN ON THE RETURN THAT IS PAID TO BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. AS CORPORATE TRUSTEE IS NOT CALCULATED BASED UPON AN HOURLY RATE FOR TIME SPENT BY THE TRUSTEE; RATHER, BANK OF AMERICA'S COMPENSATION AS CORPORATE TRUSTEE IS CALCULATED USING A MARKET VALUE FEE SCHEDULE. THE TRUST OFFICER'S TIME SPENT PERFORMING ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THIS FOUNDATION AVERAGES ONE HOUR PER WEEK. IN ADDITION, TIME IS SPENT BY OTHER STAFF MEMBERS FOR RECORDKEEPING, INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT, INCOME COLLECTION, RENDERING STATEMENTS AND ACCOUNTINGS, REGULATORY REPORTING, REGULATORY COMPLIANCE, AND TAX SERVICES.