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Form **990-PF**

Return of Private Foundation

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

OMB No 1545-0052

2018Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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For calendar year 2018 or tax year beginning , and ending

Name of foundation JOHN & CATHERINE SHULER CHARITABLE		A Employer identification number 42-6076704
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) PO BOX 803878	Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) 312-630-6000
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code CHICAGO IL 60680		C If exemption application is pending check here ☐ le
G Check all that apply ☐ Initial return ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Final return ☐ Amended return ☐ Address change ☐ Name change		D 1 Foreign organizations, check here ☐ 2 Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test check here and attach computation ☐
H Check type of organization ☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation 04 ☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) ▶ \$ 725,325	J Accounting method ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify)	F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B) check here ☐

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)				
	2 Check ☒ if the foundation is not required to attach Schedule B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	21,049	21,049		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	25,412			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a	227,520			
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		25,412		
	8 Net short-term capital gain			0	
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b Less Cost of goods sold					
c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)					
11 Other income (attach schedule)					
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	46,461	46,461	0		
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0			
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)				
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule) STMT 1	1,345			
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule) STMT 2	2,451	2,451		
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) STMT 3	1,978	478		
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (att sch)				
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses Add lines 13 through 23	5,774	2,929	0	0
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	33,000			33,000
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	38,774	2,929	0	33,000	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	7,687				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		43,532			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			0		

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see instructions.

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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	24,897	26,665	26,665
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments			
	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 (att. schedule) ▶			
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶	0		
	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) SEE STMT 4	351,870	303,300	317,091
	c Investments – corporate bonds (attach schedule) SEE STMT 5	265,400	323,857	320,014
	Liabilities	11 Investments – land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶		
Less accumulated depreciation (attach sch.) ▶				
12 Investments – mortgage loans				
13 Investments – other (attach schedule) SEE STATEMENT 6		50,793	46,917	61,555
14 Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶				
Less accumulated depreciation (attach sch.) ▶				
15 Other assets (describe ▶)				
16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers – see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)		692,960	700,739	725,325
Net Assets or Fund Balances	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18 Grants payable			
	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶)			
	23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	0	0	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 24 through 26, and lines 30 and 31 ☐			
	24 Unrestricted			
	25 Temporarily restricted			
	26 Permanently restricted			
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 27 through 31. ☒			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	630,189		
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund			
	29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	62,771	700,739	
30 Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	692,960	700,739		
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	692,960	700,739		

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	692,960
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	7,687
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ SEE STATEMENT 7	3	92
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	700,739
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	700,739

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 ► N/A	X	
14 The books are in care of ► THE NORTHERN TRUST COMPANY PO BOX 803878 Located at ► CHICAGO IL ZIP+4 ► 60680 Telephone no ► 312-630-6000		
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 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 ►		X

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?	☐ Yes	☒ No
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?	☐ Yes	☒ No
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?	☐ Yes	☒ No
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?	☐ Yes	☒ No
(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)?	☐ Yes	☒ No
(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days)	☐ Yes	☒ No
b If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here	N/A	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?	N/A	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? If "Yes," list the years ► 20 , 20 , 20 , 20	☐ Yes	☒ No
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)	N/A	2b
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here ► 20 , 20 , 20 , 20		
3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?	☐ Yes	☒ No
b If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 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)	N/A	3b
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?		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?		X

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

5a During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to

(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))? ☐ Yes ☒ No

(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955), or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive? ☐ Yes ☒ No

(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes? ☐ Yes ☒ No

(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? See instructions ☐ Yes ☒ No

(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals? ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions. Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here **N/A** ☒ **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? **N/A** ☐ Yes ☐ 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? ☐ Yes ☒ No

b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? **6b** ☒ X

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? ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction? **N/A** **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? ☐ Yes ☒ 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
GIVIN CHASE 14324 WEST THORNE LANE SW LAKEWOOD WA 98498	TRUSTEE	0.00	0	0

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

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(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

0

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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 Paid during the year SEE ATTACHED - VARIOUS				33,000
Total			▶ 3a	33,000
b Approved for future payment N/A				
Total			▶ 3b	

Form 990-PF	Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income	2018
For calendar year 2018, or tax year beginning _____, and ending _____		

Name **JOHN & CATHERINE SHULER CHARITABLE** Employer Identification Number **42-6076704**

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold, e.g., real estate 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock 200 shs MLC Co	(b) How acquired P-Purchase D-Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
(1) NORTHERN TRUST - LT COVERED	P	VARIOUS	VARIOUS
(2) 95.88 SH MFB NORTHN MID CAP INDEX FD	P	12/28/10	08/21/18
(3) 1.79 SH MFB NORTHERN FDS GLBL RE	P	05/19/09	08/21/18
(4) 391.13 SH MFB NORTHN FDS SM CAP IND	P	VARIOUS	08/21/18
(5) 976.35 SH MFB NORTHN FDS EMERG MKTS	P	08/25/11	09/12/18
(6)			
(7)			
(8)			
(9)			
(10)			
(11)			
(12)			
(13)			
(14)			
(15)			

(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)
(1) 200,832		186,961	13,871
(2) 2,000		1,151	849
(3) 19		9	10
(4) 6,000		3,296	2,704
(5) 11,082		10,691	391
(6) 7,587			7,587
(7)			
(8)			
(9)			
(10)			
(11)			
(12)			
(13)			
(14)			
(15)			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69

(i) F M V as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(1)			13,871
(2)			849
(3)			10
(4)			2,704
(5)			391
(6)			7,587
(7)			
(8)			
(9)			
(10)			
(11)			
(12)			
(13)			
(14)			
(15)			

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Statement 1 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 16b - Accounting Fees

Description	Total	Net Investment	Adjusted Net	Charitable Purpose
ACCOUNTING FEES	\$ 1,345	\$	\$	\$
TOTAL	\$ 1,345	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

Statement 2 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 16c - Other Professional Fees

Description	Total	Net Investment	Adjusted Net	Charitable Purpose
TRUSTEE FEES	\$ 2,451	\$ 2,451	\$	\$
TOTAL	\$ 2,451	\$ 2,451	\$ 0	\$ 0

Statement 3 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 18 - Taxes

Description	Total	Net Investment	Adjusted Net	Charitable Purpose
FOREIGN TAX	\$ 478	\$ 478	\$	\$
EXCISE TAX	1,500			
TOTAL	\$ 1,978	\$ 478	\$ 0	\$ 0

Statement 4 - Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 10b - Corporate Stock Investments

Description	Beginning of Year	End of Year	Basis of Valuation	Fair Market Value
EQUITY SECURITIES (SEE ATTACHED)	\$ 351,870	\$ 303,300	COST	\$ 317,091
TOTAL	\$ 351,870	\$ 303,300		\$ 317,091

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Statement 5 - Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 10c - Corporate Bond Investments

Description	Beginning of Year	End of Year	Basis of Valuation	Fair Market Value
FIXED INCOME SECURITIES (SEE ATTACHE	\$ 265,400	\$ 323,857	COST	\$ 320,014
TOTAL	\$ 265,400	\$ 323,857		\$ 320,014

Statement 6 - Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 13 - Other Investments

Description	Beginning of Year	End of Year	Basis of Valuation	Fair Market Value
REAL ESTATE SECURITIES (SEE ATTACHED	\$ 15,275	\$ 11,399	COST	\$ 22,964
COMMODITY SECURITIES (SEE ATTACHED)	35,518	35,518	COST	38,591
TOTAL	\$ 50,793	\$ 46,917		\$ 61,555

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<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
TIMING DIFFERENCES-BOOK/TAX	\$ 92
TOTAL	\$ 92

Statement 8 - Form 990-PF, Part VII-A, Line 8b - Not Filing with Attorney General
ExplanationDescription

NO, BECAUSE THE ATTORNEY GENERAL DOES NOT REQUIRE A COPY OF THE
FOUNDATION'S 990-PF

Form 990-PF	Underdistribution and Excess Distributions for Part XIII	2018
For calendar year 2018, or tax year beginning , ending		
Name JOHN & CATHERINE SHULER CHARITABLE		Employer Identification Number 42-6076704

Undistributed Income Carryovers

Form 990-PF, Part XIII

Tax Year	Prior Undistributed Income			Current Year Decreases	Next Year Carryover	
	Nontaxable or Previously Taxed	Taxable in 2018	Total per Year		Nontaxable or Previously Taxed	Taxable in 2019
Years prior						
20 14						
20 15						
20 16						
2017						
2018			37,022	37,022		
Total Carryover to Next Year						0

* Carryover amount includes 4942(a) amounts

Excess Distribution Carryovers

Form 990-PF, Part XIII

	Current Year	Next Year
Preceding Tax Year Excess Distributions	Decreases	Carryover
2013 463	463	
2014 1,540	1,540	
2015 5,077	2,019	3,058
2016 4,676		4,676
2017 5,026		5,026
Current Year Excess Distribution Generated (2018)		0
Total Carryover to Next Year		12,760