

Return of Private Foundation

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

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Form **990-PF**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

For calendar year 2015 or tax year beginning , and ending

Name of foundation The Francis Family Foundation		A Employer identification number 43-1492132
Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 800 W. 47th Street	Room/suite 717	B Telephone number 816-531-0077
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code Kansas City, MO 64112-1249		C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>
G Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>
H Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) \$ 103,845,457.	J Accounting method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____	F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>

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).)		(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				
	2 Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	323,386.	323,386.	323,386.	Statement 1
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	1,713,691.	1,713,691.	1,713,691.	Statement 2
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	3,721,055.			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a	41,698,106.			
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		3,721,055.		
	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)					
11 Other income	294.	294.	294.	Statement 3	
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	5,758,426.	5,758,426.	2,037,371.		
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.	103,736.	15,560.	0.	88,176.
	14 Other employee salaries and wages	191,477.	18,570.	0.	172,907.
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits	51,517.	5,957.	0.	45,560.
	16a Legal fees Stmt 4	19,216.	0.	0.	19,216.
	b Accounting fees Stmt 5	19,043.	14,282.	0.	4,761.
	c Other professional fees Stmt 6	19,094.	0.	0.	19,094.
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes Stmt 7	103,455.	29,782.	0.	19,774.
	19 Depreciation and depletion				
	20 Occupancy	93,220.	0.	0.	93,220.
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings	86,911.	0.	0.	86,911.
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses Stmt 8	612,933.	336,219.	0.	276,714.
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	1,300,602.	420,370.	0.	826,333.
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	5,734,314.			5,734,314.
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	7,034,916.	420,370.	0.	6,560,647.	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	<1,276,490.>				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		5,338,056.			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			2,037,371.		

Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only.		Beginning of year	End of year		
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value			
Assets	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing		91,901.	223,568.	223,568.	
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		3,693,211.	1,552,634.	1,552,634.	
	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					
	7	Other notes and loans receivable					
		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					
	b	Investments - corporate stock	Stmt 9		41,959,171.	38,348,230.	48,403,435.
	c	Investments - corporate bonds	Stmt 10		1,509,393.	446,356.	264,862.
	11	Investments - land, buildings, and equipment: basis					
	Less: accumulated depreciation						
12	Investments - mortgage loans						
13	Investments - other	Stmt 11		44,892,654.	50,284,065.	53,400,958.	
14	Land, buildings, and equipment: basis						
	Less: accumulated depreciation						
15	Other assets (describe)						
16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)			92,146,330.	90,854,853.	103,845,457.	
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					
22	Other liabilities (describe) Federal excise tax			22,500.	7,513.		
23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)			22,500.	7,513.		
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			0.	0.	
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund			0.	0.	
29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds			92,123,830.	90,847,340.		
30	Total net assets or fund balances			92,123,830.	90,847,340.		
31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances			92,146,330.	90,854,853.		

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	92,123,830.
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	<1,276,490.>
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize)	3	0.
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	90,847,340.
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize)	5	0.
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	90,847,340.

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse; or common stock, 200 shs. MLC Co.)		(b) How acquired P - Purchase D - Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1a		P		
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 41,698,106.			3,721,055.	
b				
c				
d				
e				
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(i) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))	
(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any		
a			3,721,055.	
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	3,721,055.
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). 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 does not 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))
2014	6,597,200.	114,417,892.	.057659
2013	6,422,714.	110,816,490.	.057958
2012	6,192,374.	103,652,606.	.059742
2011	5,547,941.	108,020,686.	.051360
2010	5,952,248.	104,323,469.	.057056
2	Total of line 1, column (d)		2 .283775
3	Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period - divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years		3 .056755
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5		4 109,933,868.
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3		5 6,239,297.
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)		6 53,381.
7	Add lines 5 and 6		7 6,292,678.
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4		8 6,560,647.

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b		1	53,381.
c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col. (b).			
2 Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)		2	0.
3 Add lines 1 and 2		3	53,381.
4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)		4	0.
5 Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-		5	53,381.
6 Credits/Payments:			
a 2015 estimated tax payments and 2014 overpayment credited to 2015	6a	46,000.	
b Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source	6b		
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c	14,000.	
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d		
7 Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7	60,000.	
8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached	8	132.	
9 Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9		
10 Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10	6,487.	
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2016 estimated tax 6,487. Refunded	11	0.	

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 instructions for the definition)? <i>If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.</i>		X
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL 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. ▶ \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers. ▶ \$ 0.		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. ▶ \$ 0.		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? <i>If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.</i>		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? <i>If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes</i>		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 Form 990-T for this year? N/A		
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.</i>		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? <i>If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV</i>	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ▶ MO		
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> ? <i>If "No," attach explanation</i>	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 2015 or the taxable year beginning in 2015 (see instructions for Part XIV)? <i>If "Yes," complete Part XIV</i>		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses</i>		X

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows 11-16 containing questions about controlled entities, distributions, public inspection requirements, website address, books in care, and interest in foreign countries.

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.

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows 1a-4b containing questions about disqualifying acts, taxes on failure to distribute income, and business enterprise interest.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)-(5), did **any** of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? **5b** X

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here

c If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant? Yes No

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? Yes No **7b** N/A

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

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

(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 13		103,736.	21,546.	0.

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1). 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
Kim Foster - 800 West 47th Street, Kansas City, MO 64112	Operations Manager 32.00	74,280.	13,793.	0.
Lyn Knox - 800 West 47th Street, Kansas City, MO 64112	Program Officer 32.00	65,460.	16,981.	0.
Shari Hockenberry - 800 West 47th Street, Kansas City, MO 64112	Program Specialist 32.00	51,612.	15,630.	0.

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 **0**

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

3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services. If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
Mercer PO Box 730182, Dallas, TX 75373	Investment advisor	127,821.
Jensen - 5300 Meadows Road, Suite 250, Lake Oswego, OR 97035	Investment manager	52,896.

Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services 0

Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1 N/A	
2	
3	
4	

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.	Amount
1 N/A	
2	
All other program-related investments. See instructions.	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3 0.	

Part X		Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)	
1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	111,436,571.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	171,417.
c	Fair market value of all other assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	111,607,988.
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	0.
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0.
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	111,607,988.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	1,674,120.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	109,933,868.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	5,496,693.

Part XI		Distributable Amount (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here <input type="checkbox"/> and do not complete this part.)	
1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1	5,496,693.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2015 from Part VI, line 5	2a	53,381.
b	Income tax for 2015. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	53,381.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	5,443,312.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	5,443,312.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	0.
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	5,443,312.

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	6,560,647.
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	6,560,647.
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	5	53,381.
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	6,507,266.

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 2014	(c) 2014	(d) 2015
1 Distributable amount for 2015 from Part XI, line 7				5,443,312.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015:				
a Enter amount for 2014 only			0.	
b Total for prior years:		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015:				
a From 2010	343,597.			
b From 2011	257,718.			
c From 2012	1,170,928.			
d From 2013	972,867.			
e From 2014	1,059,639.			
f Total of lines 3a through e	3,804,749.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2015 from Part XII, line 4: ▶ \$	6,560,647.			
a Applied to 2014, but not more than line 2a			0.	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions)		0.		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions)	0.			
d Applied to 2015 distributable amount				5,443,312.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	1,117,335.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2015 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)	0.			0.
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5	4,922,084.			
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 2014. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			0.	
f Undistributed income for 2015. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2016				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)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2010 not applied on line 5 or line 7	343,597.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	4,578,487.			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2011	257,718.			
b Excess from 2012	1,170,928.			
c Excess from 2013	972,867.			
d Excess from 2014	1,059,639.			
e Excess from 2015	1,117,335.			

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

N/A

1 a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2015, 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)

Table with 5 columns: (a) 2015, (b) 2014, (c) 2013, (d) 2012, (e) Total. Rows include 2a-e (Qualifying distributions) and 3a-d (Alternative tests).

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).

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.

a The name, address, and telephone number or e-mail address of the person to whom applications should be addressed: See attached statement

b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include: See attached statement

c Any submission deadlines: See attached statement

d Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors: See attached statement

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 statement				5,734,314.
Total				3a 5,734,314.
b Approved for future payment				
See attached statement				2,456,064.
Total				3b 2,456,064.

Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.

	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income
	(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclu- sion code	(d) Amount	
1 Program service revenue:					
a _____					
b _____					
c _____					
d _____					
e _____					
f _____					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
2 Membership dues and assessments					
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			14	323,386.	
4 Dividends and interest from securities			14	1,713,691.	
5 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:					
a Debt-financed property					
b Not debt-financed property					
6 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
7 Other investment income			14	294.	
8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory			18	3,721,055.	
9 Net income or (loss) from special events					
10 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
11 Other revenue:					
a _____					
b _____					
c _____					
d _____					
e _____					
12 Subtotal. Add columns (b), (d), and (e)		0.		5,758,426.	0.
13 Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e)			13	5,758,426.	

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations.)

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

Line No. ▼	Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XVI-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes).

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

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 1 Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following... a Transfers from the reporting foundation... b Other transactions... c Sharing of facilities... d If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule.

Table with 4 columns: (a) Line no., (b) Amount involved, (c) Name of noncharitable exempt organization, (d) Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements. Content: N/A

2a Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) of the Code... Yes No

Table with 3 columns: (a) Name of organization, (b) Type of organization, (c) Description of relationship. Content: N/A

Sign Here Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge. Signature of officer or trustee, Date, Title, May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instr.)? Yes No

Paid Preparer Use Only Print/Type preparer's name: Stanley H House, CPA; Preparer's signature: Stanley H House; Date: 08/02/16; Check self-employed; PTIN: P00642974; Firm's name: House Park Dobratz & Wiebler, P.C.; Firm's EIN: 43-1562209; Firm's address: 605 W. 47th Street, Suite 301, Kansas City, MO 64112; Phone no.: 816-931-3393

Name **The Francis Family Foundation** Employer identification number **43-1492132**

Note: Generally, the corporation is not required to file Form 2220 (see Part II below for exceptions) because the IRS will figure any penalty owed and bill the corporation. However, the corporation may still use Form 2220 to figure the penalty. If so, enter the amount from page 2, line 38 on the estimated tax penalty line of the corporation's income tax return, but **do not** attach Form 2220.

Part I Required Annual Payment			
1	Total tax (see instructions)	1	53,381.
2a	Personal holding company tax (Schedule PH (Form 1120), line 26) included on line 1	2a	
2b	Look-back interest included on line 1 under section 460(b)(2) for completed long-term contracts or section 167(g) for depreciation under the income forecast method	2b	
2c	Credit for federal tax paid on fuels (see instructions)	2c	
2d	Total. Add lines 2a through 2c	2d	
3	Subtract line 2d from line 1. If the result is less than \$500, do not complete or file this form. The corporation does not owe the penalty	3	53,381.
4	Enter the tax shown on the corporation's 2014 income tax return (see instructions). Caution: If the tax is zero or the tax year was for less than 12 months, skip this line and enter the amount from line 3 on line 5	4	91,667.
5	Required annual payment. Enter the smaller of line 3 or line 4. If the corporation is required to skip line 4, enter the amount from line 3	5	53,381.

Part II Reasons for Filing - Check the boxes below that apply. If any boxes are checked, the corporation **must** file Form 2220 even if it does not owe a penalty (see instructions).

6 The corporation is using the adjusted seasonal installment method.

7 The corporation is using the annualized income installment method.

8 The corporation is a "large corporation" figuring its first required installment based on the prior year's tax.

Part III Figuring the Underpayment		(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
9	Installment due dates. Enter in columns (a) through (d) the 15th day of the 4th (Form 990-PF filers: Use 5th month), 6th, 9th, and 12th months of the corporation's tax year	05/15/15	06/15/15	09/15/15	12/15/15
10	Required installments. If the box on line 6 and/or line 7 above is checked, enter the amounts from Sch A, line 38. If the box on line 8 (but not 6 or 7) is checked, see instructions for the amounts to enter. If none of these boxes are checked, enter 25% of line 5 above in each column.	13,345.	13,346.	13,345.	13,345.
11	Estimated tax paid or credited for each period (see instructions). For column (a) only, enter the amount from line 11 on line 15		46,000.		
<i>Complete lines 12 through 18 of one column before going to the next column.</i>					
12	Enter amount, if any, from line 18 of the preceding column			19,309.	5,964.
13	Add lines 11 and 12		46,000.	19,309.	5,964.
14	Add amounts on lines 16 and 17 of the preceding column		13,345.		
15	Subtract line 14 from line 13. If zero or less, enter -0-	0.	32,655.	19,309.	5,964.
16	If the amount on line 15 is zero, subtract line 13 from line 14. Otherwise, enter -0-		0.	0.	
17	Underpayment. If line 15 is less than or equal to line 10, subtract line 15 from line 10. Then go to line 12 of the next column. Otherwise, go to line 18	13,345.			7,381.
18	Overpayment. If line 10 is less than line 15, subtract line 10 from line 15. Then go to line 12 of the next column		19,309.	5,964.	

Go to Part IV on page 2 to figure the penalty. Do not go to Part IV if there are no entries on line 17 - no penalty is owed.

Part IV Figuring the Penalty

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
19 Enter the date of payment or the 15th day of the 3rd month after the close of the tax year, whichever is earlier (see instructions). (Form 990-PF and Form 990-T filers: Use 5th month instead of 3rd month.)	19			
20 Number of days from due date of installment on line 9 to the date shown on line 19	20			
21 Number of days on line 20 after 4/15/2015 and before 7/1/2015	21			
22 Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 21} \times 3\%}{365}$	22	\$	\$	\$
23 Number of days on line 20 after 06/30/2015 and before 10/1/2015	23			
24 Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 23} \times 3\%}{365}$	24	\$	\$	\$
25 Number of days on line 20 after 9/30/2015 and before 1/1/2016	25			
26 Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 25} \times 3\%}{365}$	26	\$	\$	\$
27 Number of days on line 20 after 12/31/2015 and before 4/1/2016	27	See Attached Worksheet		
28 Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 27} \times 3\%}{366}$	28	\$	\$	\$
29 Number of days on line 20 after 3/31/2016 and before 7/1/2016	29			
30 Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 29} \times \%}{366}$	30	\$	\$	\$
31 Number of days on line 20 after 6/30/2016 and before 10/01/2016	31			
32 Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 31} \times \%}{366}$	32	\$	\$	\$
33 Number of days on line 20 after 9/30/2016 and before 1/1/2017	33			
34 Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 33} \times \%}{366}$	34	\$	\$	\$
35 Number of days on line 20 after 12/31/2016 and before 2/16/2017	35			
36 Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 35} \times \%}{365}$	36	\$	\$	\$
37 Add lines 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, and 36	37	\$	\$	\$
38 Penalty. Add columns (a) through (d) of line 37. Enter the total here and on Form 1120; line 33; or the comparable line for other income tax returns	38			\$ 132.

* Use the penalty interest rate for each calendar quarter, which the IRS will determine during the first month in the preceding quarter. These rates are published quarterly in an IRS News Release and in a revenue ruling in the Internal Revenue Bulletin. To obtain this information on the Internet, access the IRS website at www.irs.gov. You can also call 1-800-829-4933 to get interest rate information.

Form 990-PF
UNDERPAYMENT OF ESTIMATED TAX WORKSHEET

Name(s) The Francis Family Foundation					Identifying Number 43-1492132
(A) *Date	(B) Amount	(C) Adjusted Balance Due	(D) Number Days Balance Due	(E) Daily Penalty Rate	(F) Penalty
		-0-			
05/15/15	13,345.	13,345.	28	.000082192	31.
06/12/15	<46,000.>	<32,655.>			
06/15/15	13,346.	<19,309.>			
09/15/15	13,345.	<5,964.>			
12/15/15	13,345.	7,381.	16	.000082192	10.
12/31/15	0.	7,381.	91	.000081967	55.
03/31/16	0.	7,381.	45	.000109290	36.

Penalty Due (Sum of Column F). 132.

* Date of estimated tax payment, withholding credit date or installment due date.