

**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**  
Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

**2019**

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**A For the 2019 calendar year, or tax year beginning and ending**

<b>B</b> Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	<b>C</b> Name of organization <b>COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.</b>		<b>D</b> Employer identification number <b>62-0753887</b>
	Doing business as <b>COUNTRY MUSIC HALL OF FAME AND M</b>		<b>E</b> Telephone number <b>615-416-2043</b>
	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite <b>222 FIFTH AVE SOUTH</b>		<b>G</b> Gross receipts \$ <b>47,190,631.</b>
	City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code <b>NASHVILLE, TN 37203</b>		<b>H(a)</b> Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
	<b>F</b> Name and address of principal officer: <b>KYLE YOUNG</b> <b>SAME AS C ABOVE</b>		<b>H(b)</b> Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)
<b>I</b> Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) ( ) (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527			<b>H(c)</b> Group exemption number <b>▶</b>
<b>J</b> Website: <b>▶ WWW.COUNTRYMUSICHALLOFFAME.ORG</b>			
<b>K</b> Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other <b>▶</b>		<b>L</b> Year of formation: <b>1964</b>	<b>M</b> State of legal domicile: <b>TN</b>

**Part I Summary**

<b>Activities &amp; Governance</b>	<b>1</b> Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <b>IDENTIFY &amp; PRESERVE THE EVOLVING HISTORY &amp; TRADITIONS OF COUNTRY MUSIC &amp; TO EDUCATE ITS AUDIENCES.</b>		
	<b>2</b> Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.		
	<b>3</b> Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	<b>3</b>	<b>11</b>
	<b>4</b> Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	<b>4</b>	<b>11</b>
	<b>5</b> Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2019 (Part V, line 2a)	<b>5</b>	<b>515</b>
	<b>6</b> Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	<b>6</b>	<b>258</b>
	<b>7a</b> Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	<b>7a</b>	<b>12,215,160.</b>
<b>b</b> Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 39	<b>7b</b>	<b>186,636.</b>	
<b>Revenue</b>	<b>8</b> Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	<b>Prior Year</b> 3,164,719.	<b>Current Year</b> 1,790,541.
	<b>9</b> Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	31,989,033.	35,228,077.
	<b>10</b> Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	250,588.	637,943.
	<b>11</b> Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	5,332,007.	5,862,413.
	<b>12</b> Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	<b>40,736,347.</b>	<b>43,518,974.</b>
<b>Expenses</b>	<b>13</b> Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	0.	0.
	<b>14</b> Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0.	0.
	<b>15</b> Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	16,146,504.	17,958,437.
	<b>16a</b> Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	0.	0.
	<b>b</b> Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) <b>▶ 1,569,849.</b>		
	<b>17</b> Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)	19,581,041.	19,359,639.
<b>18</b> Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	<b>35,727,545.</b>	<b>37,318,076.</b>	
<b>19</b> Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	<b>5,008,802.</b>	<b>6,200,898.</b>	
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>20</b> Total assets (Part X, line 16)	<b>Beginning of Current Year</b> 105,260,475.	<b>End of Year</b> 111,642,890.
	<b>21</b> Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	22,281,929.	21,748,710.
	<b>22</b> Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	<b>82,978,546.</b>	<b>89,894,180.</b>

**Part II Signature Block**

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 officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

<b>Sign Here</b>	Signature of officer		Date		
	<b>NINA BURGHARD, SR.VP OF FINANCIAL SVCS/OPER</b> Type or print name and title				
<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	PTIN
	<b>FRANCES E. LEAHY</b>	<b>FRANCES E. LEAHY</b>	<b>11/15/20</b>		<b>P00713593</b>
Firm's name <b>▶ KRAFTCPAS PLLC</b>			Firm's EIN <b>▶ 62-0713250</b>		
Firm's address <b>▶ 555 GREAT CIRCLE ROAD</b> <b>NASHVILLE, TN 37228</b>			Phone no. <b>615-242-7351</b>		

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)  Yes  No

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III [X]

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission: THE MISSION OF THE COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC. (CMF) IS TO IDENTIFY AND PRESERVE THE EVOLVING HISTORY AND TRADITIONS OF COUNTRY MUSIC AND TO EDUCATE ITS AUDIENCES.

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? [ ] Yes [X] No

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? [ ] Yes [X] No

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses.

4a (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 32,790,658. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 28,655,446. ) FOUNDED IN 1967, THE COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC. (CMF), WHICH DOES BUSINESS AS COUNTRY MUSIC HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM (THE MUSEUM) IS A NOT-FOR-PROFIT EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION THAT PRESERVES AND INTERPRETS THE EVOLVING HISTORY AND TRADITIONS OF COUNTRY MUSIC. FUNCTIONING AS A NATIONAL HISTORY MUSEUM AND AS AN INTERNATIONAL ARTS ORGANIZATION THAT TRADITIONALLY WELCOMES 1.2 MILLION ANNUAL VISITORS AND SAFEGUARDS A DIVERSE ARTIFACT AND ARCHIVAL COLLECTION COMPRISED OF MOVING IMAGES ON FILM; VIDEO AND DIGITAL FORMATS; PHOTOGRAPHS; SOUND RECORDINGS; ORAL HISTORY INTERVIEWS; STAGE COSTUMES; MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS; POSTERS; PRINTED MATERIALS; OBJECTS ILLUSTRATING THE LIVES AND CAREERS OF MUSICIANS, INDUSTRY FIGURES AND THE CULTURE OF COUNTRY MUSIC. THROUGH 12 ANNUAL EXHIBITS, THE MUSEUM INTERPRETS ITS COLLECTION WITH SUPPORT

4b (Code: ) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

4c (Code: ) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

4d Other program services (Describe on Schedule O.) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

4e Total program service expenses 32,790,658.

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i> .....	<b>X</b>	
<b>2</b> Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> ? .....	<b>X</b>	
<b>3</b> Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>5</b> Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>6</b> Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>7</b> Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>8</b> Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i> .....	<b>X</b>	
<b>9</b> Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>10</b> Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in donor-restricted endowments or in quasi endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i> .....	<b>X</b>	
<b>11</b> If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.		
<b>a</b> Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI</i> .....	<b>X</b>	
<b>b</b> Did the organization report an amount for investments - other securities in Part X, line 12, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>c</b> Did the organization report an amount for investments - program related in Part X, line 13, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>d</b> Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>e</b> Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> .....	<b>X</b>	
<b>f</b> Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> .....	<b>X</b>	
<b>12a</b> Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>b</b> Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional</i> .....	<b>X</b>	
<b>13</b> Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>14a</b> Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States? .....		<b>X</b>
<b>b</b> Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>15</b> Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>16</b> Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>17</b> Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>18</b> Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i> .....	<b>X</b>	
<b>19</b> Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>20a</b> Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i> .....		<b>X</b>
<b>b</b> If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return? .....		
<b>21</b> Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i> .....		<b>X</b>

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules** (continued)

	Yes	No
<b>22</b> Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i> .....		X
<b>23</b> Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i> .....	X	
<b>24a</b> Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i> .....	X	
<b>b</b> Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception? .....		X
<b>c</b> Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds? .....		X
<b>d</b> Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year? .....		X
<b>25a Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> .....		X
<b>b</b> Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> .....		X
<b>26</b> Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5 or 22, for receivables from or payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i> .....		X
<b>27</b> Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity (including an employee thereof) or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i> .....		X
<b>28</b> Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions, for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):		
<b>a</b> A current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, or substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> .....	X	
<b>b</b> A family member of any individual described in line 28a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> .....		X
<b>c</b> A 35% controlled entity of one or more individuals and/or organizations described in lines 28a or 28b? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> .....	X	
<b>29</b> Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> .....	X	
<b>30</b> Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> .....	X	
<b>31</b> Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i> .....		X
<b>32</b> Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i> .....		X
<b>33</b> Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i> .....	X	
<b>34</b> Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i> .....	X	
<b>35a</b> Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? .....		X
<b>b</b> If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> .....		
<b>36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> .....		X
<b>37</b> Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i> .....		X
<b>38</b> Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? .....	X	

**Note:** All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O

**Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V

	Yes	No
<b>1a</b> Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable .....		
<b>b</b> Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable .....		
<b>c</b> Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners? .....	X	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued)

Table with columns for question number, question text, and Yes/No columns. Includes rows for employee counts (2a), tax returns (2b), unrelated business income (3a), foreign accounts (4a), prohibited transactions (5a-5c), charitable solicitations (6a-6b), deductible contributions (7a-7h), sponsoring organizations (8-9), and 501(c)(7) and (12) organizations (10-11).

**Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure** For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes on Schedule O. See instructions.

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI

**Section A. Governing Body and Management**

		Yes	No
<b>1a</b>	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain on Schedule O.		
	<b>1a</b> 11		
<b>b</b>	Enter the number of voting members included on line 1a, above, who are independent		
	<b>1b</b> 11		
<b>2</b>	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	X	
<b>3</b>	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?		X
<b>4</b>	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		X
<b>5</b>	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?		X
<b>6</b>	Did the organization have members or stockholders?		X
<b>7a</b>	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?		X
<b>b</b>	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?		X
<b>8</b>	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
<b>a</b>	The governing body?	X	
<b>b</b>	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?		X
<b>9</b>	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses on Schedule O		X

**Section B. Policies** (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

		Yes	No
<b>10a</b>	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?		X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?		
<b>10b</b>			
<b>11a</b>	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?		X
<b>b</b>	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.		
<b>12a</b>	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	X	
<b>b</b>	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	X	
<b>c</b>	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done	X	
<b>12c</b>		X	
<b>13</b>	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	X	
<b>14</b>	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	X	
<b>15</b>	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
<b>a</b>	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	X	
<b>b</b>	Other officers or key employees of the organization	X	
	If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions).		
<b>16a</b>	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?	X	
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	X	
<b>16b</b>		X	

**Section C. Disclosure**

- 17** List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed **TN**
- 18** Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A, if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.  
 Own website  Another's website  Upon request  Other (explain on Schedule O)
- 19** Describe on Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.
- 20** State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records **NINA BURGHARD - 615-416-2043**  
**222 FIFTH AVE SOUTH, NASHVILLE, TN 37203**

**Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII

**Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees**

**1a** Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations. See instructions for the order in which to list the persons above.

Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee.

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) KYLE YOUNG CEO	55.00			X			585,619.	0.	12,522.	
(2) SHARON BRAWNER SR. VP SALES AND MARKETING	55.00				X		213,803.	0.	10,771.	
(3) NINA BURGHARD SR. VP FINANCIAL SERVICES	55.00			X			211,731.	0.	10,559.	
(4) HERNANDO RODRIGUEZ SR. DIRECTOR OF EVENTS AND	40.00					X	154,179.	0.	8,608.	
(5) LISA DAVIS VP OF DEVELOPMENT, EDU & C	40.00				X		152,661.	0.	8,787.	
(6) MARK DE LELYS DIRECTOR OF MERCHANDISING	55.00					X	132,369.	0.	8,279.	
(7) BRENDA COLLADAY VP OF MUSEUM SERVICES	40.00					X	111,460.	0.	5,714.	
(8) J. WILLIAMS DENNY TRUSTEE	0.50	X					0.	0.	0.	
(9) ROD ESSIG TRUSTEE	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(10) DAVID ROSS SECRETARY	2.00	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
(11) KEN LEVITAN TRUSTEE	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(12) MARY ANN MCCREADY TRUSTEE	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(13) JODY WILLIAMS TRUSTEE	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(14) STEVE TURNER CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD	8.00	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
(15) AL GIOMBETTI EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	2.00	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
(16) ERNEST WILLIAMS, III TREASURER OF BOARD	2.00	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
(17) MARK BLOOM TRUSTEE	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	

**Part VII** Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(18) DAVID CONRAD TRUSTEE	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
<b>1b Subtotal</b>								1,561,822.	0.	65,240.
<b>c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A</b>								0.	0.	0.
<b>d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)</b>								1,561,822.	0.	65,240.

**2** Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization 7

	Yes	No
<b>3</b> Did the organization list any former officer, director, trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual		X
<b>4</b> For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual	X	
<b>5</b> Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person		X

**Section B. Independent Contractors**

**1** Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
PLEASE BE SEATED 7119 CENTENNIAL BLVD, NASHVILLE, TN 37209	EVENT RENTALS	802,675.
ALLIED UNIVERSAL SECURITY SERVICE PO BOX 828854, PHILADELPHIA, PA 19182	SECURITY SERVICES	666,131.
BEDROC PO BOX 415000, NASHVILLE, TN 37241	HARDWARE, SOFTWARE AND SUPPORT	542,773.
FRANTZ BUILDING SERVICES, INC. PO BOX 2001, OWENSBORO, KY 42302	BUILDING CLEANERS	538,679.
VIP PRODUCTION, LLC 717 BRISKBERRY CT, NASHVILLE, TN 37221	AV/PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT RENTAL	439,059.
<b>2</b> Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization		21



**Part VIII Statement of Revenue**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII

			(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
			Total revenue	Related or exempt function revenue	Unrelated business revenue	Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512 - 514	
<b>Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts</b>	<b>1 a</b> Federated campaigns	<b>1a</b>					
	<b>b</b> Membership dues	<b>1b</b>					
	<b>c</b> Fundraising events	<b>1c</b>					
	<b>d</b> Related organizations	<b>1d</b>					
	<b>e</b> Government grants (contributions)	<b>1e</b>	315,319.				
	<b>f</b> All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	<b>1f</b>	1,475,222.				
	<b>g</b> Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f	<b>1g</b>	\$ 21,470.				
	<b>h Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1f			1,790,541.			
<b>Program Service Revenue</b>	<b>2 a</b> ADMISSION FEES	<b>Business Code</b>	900099	20,078,042.	20,078,042.		
	<b>b</b> RESTAURANT AND CATERING REVENUE		722100	8,902,956.	839,503.	8,063,453.	
	<b>c</b> EVENT REVENUE		900099	6,247,079.	2,265,107.	3,981,972.	
	<b>d</b>						
	<b>e</b>						
	<b>f</b> All other program service revenue						
	<b>g Total.</b> Add lines 2a-2f			35,228,077.			
<b>Other Revenue</b>	<b>3</b> Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)			659,298.		659,298.	
	<b>4</b> Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds						
	<b>5</b> Royalties			36,260.		36,260.	
	<b>6 a</b> Gross rents	<b>6a</b>	(i) Real				
			(ii) Personal				
	<b>b</b> Less: rental expenses	<b>6b</b>					
	<b>c</b> Rental income or (loss)	<b>6c</b>					
	<b>d</b> Net rental income or (loss)						
	<b>7 a</b> Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	<b>7a</b>	(i) Securities	162,342.			
			(ii) Other				
				157,988.	25,709.		
				4,354.	-25,709.		
	<b>b</b> Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	<b>7b</b>					
<b>c</b> Gain or (loss)	<b>7c</b>						
<b>d</b> Net gain or (loss)			-21,355.		-21,355.		
<b>8 a</b> Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	<b>8a</b>		371,471.				
		<b>b</b> Less: direct expenses	<b>8b</b>	187,847.			
		<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from fundraising events			183,624.		183,624.
<b>9 a</b> Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	<b>9a</b>						
		<b>b</b> Less: direct expenses	<b>9b</b>				
<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from gaming activities							
<b>10 a</b> Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	<b>10a</b>		7,637,561.				
		<b>b</b> Less: cost of goods sold	<b>10b</b>	3,300,113.			
		<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory			4,337,448.	4,167,713.	169,735.
<b>Miscellaneous Revenue</b>	<b>11 a</b> OTHER REVENUES	<b>Business Code</b>	900099	1,305,081.	1,305,081.		
	<b>b</b>						
	<b>c</b>						
	<b>d</b> All other revenue						
	<b>e Total.</b> Add lines 11a-11d			1,305,081.			
<b>12 Total revenue.</b> See instructions			43,518,974.	28,655,446.	12,215,160.	857,827.	

**Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses**

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21				
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	1,206,453.	586,583.	301,613.	318,257.
6 Compensation not included above to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	14,427,498.	12,697,248.	1,260,889.	469,361.
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	159,568.	132,611.	18,845.	8,112.
9 Other employee benefits	1,046,604.	834,252.	141,174.	71,178.
10 Payroll taxes	1,118,314.	887,994.	152,843.	77,477.
11 Fees for services (nonemployees):				
a Management				
b Legal	195,220.	173,921.	15,618.	5,681.
c Accounting	50,176.	44,701.	4,014.	1,461.
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees	22,959.		22,959.	
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Sch O.)	449,004.	400,014.	35,914.	13,076.
12 Advertising and promotion	2,335,728.	2,080,886.	186,823.	68,019.
13 Office expenses	1,273,673.	1,220,808.	38,764.	14,101.
14 Information technology	438,111.	390,313.	35,049.	12,749.
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	2,217,480.	1,960,632.	188,294.	68,554.
17 Travel	78,961.	63,419.	10,499.	5,043.
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	5,711.	5,089.	457.	165.
20 Interest	349,728.	311,571.	27,973.	10,184.
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	4,899,316.	4,364,770.	391,872.	142,674.
23 Insurance				
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses on line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a <b>UBI TAX PAID</b>	223,649.	223,649.		
b <b>EVENT SUBCONTRACTORS</b>	4,156,489.	4,156,489.		
c <b>MUSEUM SERVICES</b>	764,085.	764,085.		
d <b>MISCELLANEOUS GRANT EXP</b>	433,514.	190,878.		242,636.
e All other expenses	1,465,835.	1,300,745.	123,969.	41,121.
25 <b>Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 1 through 24e	37,318,076.	32,790,658.	2,957,569.	1,569,849.
26 <b>Joint costs.</b> Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

**Part X Balance Sheet**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X

		(A)		(B)
		Beginning of year		End of year
<b>Assets</b>	<b>1</b> Cash - non-interest-bearing .....	10,350,399.	<b>1</b>	19,170,494.
	<b>2</b> Savings and temporary cash investments .....	949,197.	<b>2</b>	
	<b>3</b> Pledges and grants receivable, net .....	2,740,759.	<b>3</b>	2,397,996.
	<b>4</b> Accounts receivable, net .....	1,331,769.	<b>4</b>	421,134.
	<b>5</b> Loans and other receivables from any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons .....		<b>5</b>	
	<b>6</b> Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) .....		<b>6</b>	
	<b>7</b> Notes and loans receivable, net .....		<b>7</b>	
	<b>8</b> Inventories for sale or use .....	1,959,513.	<b>8</b>	1,750,906.
	<b>9</b> Prepaid expenses and deferred charges .....	189,545.	<b>9</b>	319,138.
	<b>10a</b> Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D .....	<b>10a</b> 113,675,216.		
	<b>b</b> Less: accumulated depreciation .....	<b>10b</b> 44,255,860.		
	<b>11</b> Investments - publicly traded securities .....	72,093,157.	<b>10c</b>	69,419,356.
	<b>12</b> Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11 .....	15,646,136.	<b>11</b>	18,163,866.
	<b>13</b> Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11 .....		<b>12</b>	
	<b>14</b> Intangible assets .....		<b>13</b>	
	<b>15</b> Other assets. See Part IV, line 11 .....		<b>14</b>	
<b>16</b> <b>Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33) .....	105,260,475.	<b>15</b>	111,642,890.	
<b>17</b> Accounts payable and accrued expenses .....	2,552,136.	<b>16</b>	111,642,890.	
<b>18</b> Grants payable .....		<b>17</b>	2,281,050.	
<b>19</b> Deferred revenue .....	1,345,891.	<b>18</b>		
<b>20</b> Tax-exempt bond liabilities .....	1,000,000.	<b>19</b>	1,656,377.	
<b>21</b> Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D .....		<b>20</b>	500,000.	
<b>22</b> Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons .....		<b>21</b>		
<b>23</b> Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties .....	594,289.	<b>22</b>		
<b>24</b> Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties .....		<b>23</b>	543,502.	
<b>25</b> Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D .....	16,789,613.	<b>24</b>		
<b>26</b> <b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25 .....	22,281,929.	<b>25</b>	16,767,781.	
<b>27</b> Net assets without donor restrictions .....	77,209,301.	<b>26</b>	21,748,710.	
<b>28</b> Net assets with donor restrictions .....	5,769,245.	<b>27</b>	84,002,958.	
<b>29</b> Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds .....		<b>28</b>	5,891,222.	
<b>30</b> Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund .....		<b>29</b>		
<b>31</b> Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds .....		<b>30</b>		
<b>32</b> Total net assets or fund balances .....	82,978,546.	<b>31</b>		
<b>33</b> Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances .....	105,260,475.	<b>32</b>	89,894,180.	
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>			<b>33</b>	111,642,890.

**Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI

<b>1</b>	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	<b>1</b>	43,518,974.
<b>2</b>	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	<b>2</b>	37,318,076.
<b>3</b>	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	<b>3</b>	6,200,898.
<b>4</b>	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A))	<b>4</b>	82,978,546.
<b>5</b>	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	<b>5</b>	714,736.
<b>6</b>	Donated services and use of facilities	<b>6</b>	
<b>7</b>	Investment expenses	<b>7</b>	
<b>8</b>	Prior period adjustments	<b>8</b>	
<b>9</b>	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain on Schedule O)	<b>9</b>	0.
<b>10</b>	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 32, column (B))	<b>10</b>	89,894,180.

**Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII

		Yes	No
<b>1</b>	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.		
<b>2a</b>	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? _____ If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		X
<b>b</b>	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? _____ If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis	X	
<b>c</b>	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? _____ If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain on Schedule O.	X	
<b>3a</b>	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133? _____		X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits _____		

Form 990 (2019)

**SCHEDULE A**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Public Charity Status and Public Support**

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.  
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

▶ Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for instructions and the latest information.

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2019**

Open to Public  
Inspection

Name of the organization **COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.** Employer identification number **62-0753887**

**Part I Reason for Public Charity Status** (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 12, check only one box.)

- 1  A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
- 2  A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ).)
- 3  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**
- 4  A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).** Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: \_\_\_\_\_
- 5  An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II.)
- 6  A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**
- 7  An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
- 8  A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
- 9  An agricultural research organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ix)** operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land-grant college of agriculture (see instructions). Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university: \_\_\_\_\_
- 10  An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions - subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III.)
- 11  An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4).**
- 12  An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2).** See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box in lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g.
  - a  **Type I.** A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.**
  - b  **Type II.** A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.**
  - c  **Type III functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.**
  - d  **Type III non-functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.**
  - e  Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.
  - f Enter the number of supported organizations
  - g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-10 above (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document?		(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
			Yes	No		
<b>Total</b>						

**Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2015	(b) 2016	(c) 2017	(d) 2018	(e) 2019	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") .....	2,410,744.	3,061,103.	3,148,337.	3,164,719.	1,790,541.	13,575,444.
<b>2</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf .....						
<b>3</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge ...						
<b>4 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3 .....	2,410,744.	3,061,103.	3,148,337.	3,164,719.	1,790,541.	13,575,444.
<b>5</b> The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f) .....						199,048.
<b>6 Public support.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4.						13,376,396.

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2015	(b) 2016	(c) 2017	(d) 2018	(e) 2019	(f) Total
<b>7</b> Amounts from line 4 .....	2,410,744.	3,061,103.	3,148,337.	3,164,719.	1,790,541.	13,575,444.
<b>8</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources ...	170,639.	235,061.	216,843.	323,226.	695,558.	1,641,327.
<b>9</b> Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on ...	87,097.	91,617.	438,469.	291,899.	370,260.	1,279,342.
<b>10</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.) .....		996,422.			1,305,081.	2,301,503.
<b>11 Total support.</b> Add lines 7 through 10						18,797,616.
<b>12</b> Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) .....					12	69,591,643.
<b>13 First five years.</b> If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and <b>stop here</b> .....						<input type="checkbox"/>

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

<b>14</b> Public support percentage for 2019 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) .....	<b>14</b>	71.16 %
<b>15</b> Public support percentage from 2018 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 .....	<b>15</b>	87.36 %
<b>16a 33 1/3% support test - 2019.</b> If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization .....		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>b 33 1/3% support test - 2018.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization .....		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>17a 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2019.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization .....		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>b 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2018.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization .....		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>18 Private foundation.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions .....		<input type="checkbox"/>

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2015	(b) 2016	(c) 2017	(d) 2018	(e) 2019	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") .....						
<b>2</b> Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose .....						
<b>3</b> Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513 .....						
<b>4</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf .....						
<b>5</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge .....						
<b>6 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5 .....						
<b>7a</b> Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons .....						
<b>b</b> Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year .....						
<b>c</b> Add lines 7a and 7b .....						
<b>8 Public support.</b> (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2015	(b) 2016	(c) 2017	(d) 2018	(e) 2019	(f) Total
<b>9</b> Amounts from line 6 .....						
<b>10a</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources .....						
<b>b</b> Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975 .....						
<b>c</b> Add lines 10a and 10b .....						
<b>11</b> Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on .....						
<b>12</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.) .....						
<b>13 Total support.</b> (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						

**14 First five years.** If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here**

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

<b>15</b> Public support percentage for 2019 (line 8, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)) .....	<b>15</b>	%
<b>16</b> Public support percentage from 2018 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 .....	<b>16</b>	%

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

<b>17</b> Investment income percentage for 2019 (line 10c, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)) .....	<b>17</b>	%
<b>18</b> Investment income percentage from 2018 Schedule A, Part III, line 17 .....	<b>18</b>	%

**19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2019.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

**b 33 1/3% support tests - 2018.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

**20 Private foundation.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions

**Part IV Supporting Organizations**

(Complete only if you checked a box in line 12 on Part I. If you checked 12a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked 12b of Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 12c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked 12d of Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

**Section A. All Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.</i>		
<b>2</b> Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).</i>		
<b>3a</b> Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? <i>If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.</i>		
<b>b</b> Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.</i>		
<b>c</b> Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.</i>		
<b>4a</b> Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? <i>If "Yes," and if you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.</i>		
<b>b</b> Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.</i>		
<b>c</b> Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.</i>		
<b>5a</b> Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).</i>		
<b>b Type I or Type II only.</b> Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?		
<b>c Substitutions only.</b> Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?		
<b>6</b> Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
<b>7</b> Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (as defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).</i>		
<b>8</b> Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).</i>		
<b>9a</b> Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
<b>b</b> Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
<b>c</b> Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
<b>10a</b> Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? <i>If "Yes," answer 10b below.</i>		
<b>b</b> Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? <i>(Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)</i>		



**Part IV Supporting Organizations** (continued)

	Yes	No
<b>11</b> Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
<b>a</b> A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (b) and (c) below, the governing body of a supported organization?		
<b>b</b> A family member of a person described in (a) above?		
<b>c</b> A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI.		

**Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the tax year? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.		
<b>2</b> Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.		

**Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).		

**Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?		
<b>2</b> Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).		
<b>3</b> By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.		

**Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations**

<b>1</b> Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions).		
<b>a</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.		
<b>b</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.		
<b>c</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see instructions).		
<b>2</b> Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.		
<b>a</b> Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.		
<b>b</b> Did the activities described in (a) constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.		
<b>3</b> Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer (a) and (b) below.		
<b>a</b> Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? Provide details in Part VI.		
<b>b</b> Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.		

**Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations**

1  Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970 (explain in Part VI). **See instructions.** All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

<b>Section A - Adjusted Net Income</b>		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Net short-term capital gain	1	
2	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2	
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3	
4	Add lines 1 through 3.	4	
5	Depreciation and depletion	5	
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6	
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7	
8	<b>Adjusted Net Income</b> (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4)	8	

<b>Section B - Minimum Asset Amount</b>		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):		
a	Average monthly value of securities	1a	
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b	
c	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c	
d	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d	
e	<b>Discount</b> claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in <b>Part VI</b> ):		
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5	
6	Multiply line 5 by .035.	6	
7	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7	
8	<b>Minimum Asset Amount</b> (add line 7 to line 6)	8	

<b>Section C - Distributable Amount</b>			Current Year
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	1	
2	Enter 85% of line 1.	2	
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	3	
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3.	4	
5	Income tax imposed in prior year	5	
6	<b>Distributable Amount.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).	6	
7	<input type="checkbox"/> Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).		

**Part V** Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations (continued)

Section D - Distributions	Current Year
<b>1</b> Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	
<b>2</b> Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	
<b>3</b> Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	
<b>4</b> Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	
<b>5</b> Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)	
<b>6</b> Other distributions (describe in <b>Part VI</b> ). See instructions.	
<b>7 Total annual distributions.</b> Add lines 1 through 6.	
<b>8</b> Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in <b>Part VI</b> ). See instructions.	
<b>9</b> Distributable amount for 2019 from Section C, line 6	
<b>10</b> Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount	

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2019	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2019
<b>1</b> Distributable amount for 2019 from Section C, line 6			
<b>2</b> Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2019 (reasonable cause required- explain in <b>Part VI</b> ). See instructions.			
<b>3</b> Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2019			
<b>a</b> From 2014			
<b>b</b> From 2015			
<b>c</b> From 2016			
<b>d</b> From 2017			
<b>e</b> From 2018			
<b>f Total</b> of lines 3a through e			
<b>g</b> Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
<b>h</b> Applied to 2019 distributable amount			
<b>i</b> Carryover from 2014 not applied (see instructions)			
<b>j</b> Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
<b>4</b> Distributions for 2019 from Section D, line 7: \$			
<b>a</b> Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
<b>b</b> Applied to 2019 distributable amount			
<b>c</b> Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
<b>5</b> Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2019, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, explain in <b>Part VI</b> . See instructions.			
<b>6</b> Remaining underdistributions for 2019. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in <b>Part VI</b> . See instructions.			
<b>7 Excess distributions carryover to 2020.</b> Add lines 3j and 4c.			
<b>8</b> Breakdown of line 7:			
<b>a</b> Excess from 2015			
<b>b</b> Excess from 2016			
<b>c</b> Excess from 2017			
<b>d</b> Excess from 2018			
<b>e</b> Excess from 2019			

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2019

**Part VI**

**Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; Part III, line 12; Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a, and 3b; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V, Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions.)

Multiple horizontal lines for supplemental information.

**Schedule A**

**Identification of Excess Contributions  
Included on Part II, Line 5**

**2019**

**\*\* Do Not File \*\***

**\*\*\* Not Open to Public Inspection \*\*\***

Contributor's Name	Total Contributions	Excess Contributions
WILLARD & PAT WALKER CHARITABLE FOUNDATION	575,000.	199,048.
Total Excess Contributions to Schedule A, Part II, Line 5 .....		199,048.

**Schedule B**

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

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Schedule of Contributors**

▶ Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.  
▶ Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for the latest information.

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2019**

Name of the organization

COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.

Employer identification number

62-0753887

Organization type (check one):

**Filers of:**

**Section:**

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)( 3 ) (enter number) organization

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

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

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

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

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

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

**General Rule**

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

**Special Rules**

For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000; or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.

For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year ..... ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	_____ _____ _____	\$ 61,033.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
2	_____ _____ _____	\$ 40,211.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
3	_____ _____ _____	\$ 65,660.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
4	_____ _____ _____	\$ 50,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
5	_____ _____ _____	\$ 148,960.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
6	_____ _____ _____	\$ 52,600.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7	 <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>141,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
8	 <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>237,336.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
9	 <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>100,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
10	 <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>100,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
11	 <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>81,300.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
12	 <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>97,500.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)



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

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
13	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 41,016.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
14	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 75,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
15	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 51,116.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
16	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 288,860.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
17	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 37,682.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
18	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 40,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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**Part II Noncash Property** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

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

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
<b>(e) Transfer of gift</b>			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
<b>(e) Transfer of gift</b>			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
<b>(e) Transfer of gift</b>			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
<b>(e) Transfer of gift</b>			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
<b>(e) Transfer of gift</b>			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	

**SCHEDULE D**  
**(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplemental Financial Statements**

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.**

▶ **Attach to Form 990.**

▶ **Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for instructions and the latest information.**

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**Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year .....		
2 Aggregate value of contributions to (during year) .....		
3 Aggregate value of grants from (during year) .....		
4 Aggregate value at end of year .....		
5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? .....		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit? .....		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

**Part II Conservation Easements.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply).  
 Preservation of land for public use (for example, recreation or education)  Preservation of a historically important land area  
 Protection of natural habitat  Preservation of a certified historic structure  
 Preservation of open space

2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year.

	Held at the End of the Tax Year
a Total number of conservation easements .....	2a
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements .....	2b
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a) .....	2c
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 7/25/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register .....	2d

3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? .....

6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? .....

9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements.

**Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide in Part XIII the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items.

b If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items:

(i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 .....

(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X .....

2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under FASB ASC 958 relating to these items:

a Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 .....

b Assets included in Form 990, Part X .....

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**Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets** (continued)

- 3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that make significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):
- a  Public exhibition
  - b  Scholarly research
  - c  Preservation for future generations
  - d  Loan or exchange program
  - e  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.
- 5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?  Yes  No

**Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

- 1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?  Yes  No
- b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table:
- |                                 | Amount |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| c Beginning balance             | 1c     |
| d Additions during the year     | 1d     |
| e Distributions during the year | 1e     |
| f Ending balance                | 1f     |
- 2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability?  Yes  No
- b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided on Part XIII

**Part V Endowment Funds.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	3,122,145.	3,372,722.	3,048,679.	2,897,051.	2,979,608.
b Contributions			30,000.		35,000.
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses	798,026.	-95,848.	460,006.	238,339.	-39,312.
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs	162,333.	131,756.	-144,085.	86,711.	78,245.
f Administrative expenses	22,959.	22,973.	-21,878.		
g End of year balance	3,734,879.	3,122,145.	3,372,722.	3,048,679.	2,897,051.

- 2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:
- a Board designated or quasi-endowment  \_\_\_\_\_ %
  - b Permanent endowment  100.00 %
  - c Term endowment  \_\_\_\_\_ %
- The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.
- 3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:
- |  | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----|
| (i) Unrelated organizations  | X   |    |
| (ii) Related organizations   |     | X  |
| b If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? |     |    |
- 4 Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

**Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		3,926,300.		3,926,300.
b Buildings		83,739,524.	29,104,315.	54,635,209.
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		11,450,318.	6,931,668.	4,518,650.
e Other		14,559,074.	8,219,877.	6,339,197.
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.)				69,419,356.

**Part VII Investments - Other Securities.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives .....		
(2) Closely held equity interests .....		
(3) Other .....		
(A)		
(B)		
(C)		
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
<b>Total.</b> (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) ▶		

**Part VIII Investments - Program Related.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
<b>Total.</b> (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.) ▶		

**Part IX Other Assets.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.) ▶	

**Part X Other Liabilities.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2) CAPITAL LEASE OBLIGATION	16,767,781.
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) ▶	16,767,781.

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FASB ASC 740. Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII...

**Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

<b>1</b>	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	<b>1</b>	47,835,346.
<b>2</b>	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:		
<b>a</b>	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	<b>2a</b>	714,736.
<b>b</b>	Donated services and use of facilities	<b>2b</b>	136,635.
<b>c</b>	Recoveries of prior year grants	<b>2c</b>	
<b>d</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	<b>2d</b>	187,847.
<b>e</b>	Add lines <b>2a</b> through <b>2d</b>	<b>2e</b>	1,039,218.
<b>3</b>	Subtract line <b>2e</b> from line <b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	46,796,128.
<b>4</b>	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:		
<b>a</b>	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	<b>4a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	<b>4b</b>	-3,277,154.
<b>c</b>	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b>	<b>4c</b>	-3,277,154.
<b>5</b>	Total revenue. Add lines <b>3</b> and <b>4c</b> . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)	<b>5</b>	43,518,974.

**Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

<b>1</b>	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	<b>1</b>	40,919,712.
<b>2</b>	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:		
<b>a</b>	Donated services and use of facilities	<b>2a</b>	136,635.
<b>b</b>	Prior year adjustments	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Other losses	<b>2c</b>	
<b>d</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	<b>2d</b>	
<b>e</b>	Add lines <b>2a</b> through <b>2d</b>	<b>2e</b>	136,635.
<b>3</b>	Subtract line <b>2e</b> from line <b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	40,783,077.
<b>4</b>	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
<b>a</b>	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	<b>4a</b>	22,959.
<b>b</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	<b>4b</b>	-3,487,960.
<b>c</b>	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b>	<b>4c</b>	-3,465,001.
<b>5</b>	Total expenses. Add lines <b>3</b> and <b>4c</b> . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	<b>5</b>	37,318,076.

**Part XIII Supplemental Information.**

Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

**PART III, LINE 1A:**

THE FOUNDATION'S COLLECTIONS ARE MADE UP PRINCIPALLY OF RECORDINGS, BOOKS, FILMS AND PERIODICALS THAT ARE HELD FOR EDUCATIONAL AND CURATORIAL PURPOSES. THESE ITEMS ARE CATALOGED, PRESERVED, AND CARED FOR, AND ACTIVITIES VERIFYING THEIR EXISTENCE AND ASSESSING THEIR CONDITION ARE PERFORMED CONTINUOUSLY. IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF GAAP, THE FOUNDATION DOES NOT CAPITALIZE DONATED ARTIFACTS OR RECOGNIZE THEM AS REVENUES OR GAINS. GAAP PROVIDES THAT SUCH DONATIONS NEED NOT BE RECOGNIZED IF THEY ARE ADDED TO COLLECTIONS THAT ARE HELD FOR PUBLIC EXHIBITION, EDUCATION, OR RESEARCH IN FURTHERANCE OF PUBLIC SERVICE RATHER THAN FINANCIAL GAIN; ARE PROTECTED, KEPT UNENCUMBERED, CARED FOR, AND PRESERVED; AND ARE SUBJECT TO A POLICY THAT REQUIRES THE PROCEEDS FROM

**Part XIII** Supplemental Information (continued)

SALES OF COLLECTION ITEMS TO BE USED TO ACQUIRE OTHER ITEMS FOR COLLECTIONS. THE ESTIMATED FAIR VALUE OF THE DONATED ARTIFACTS IN THE YEAR 2019 IS \$943,738 AND FOR THE YEAR 2018 IS \$460,683.

PART V, LINE 4:

THE ORGANIZATION HAS AN ENDOWMENT POLICY AND INVESTMENT POLICY. THE CORPUS IS HELD AND THE EARNINGS OF A ROLLING 3 YEAR AVERAGE UP TO 5% ARE DISTRIBUTED TO OPERATIONS. ANY RESTRICTED FUNDING IS USED AS DESIGNATED. THE ENDOWMENT FUNDS ARE FUNDS THAT GROW IN VALUE AND PROVIDE A SOURCE OF INCOME PRIMARILY FOR THE SUPPORT OF OPERATING COSTS.

PART X, LINE 2:

MANAGEMENT PERFORMS AN EVALUATION OF ALL INCOME TAX POSITIONS TAKEN OR EXPECTED TO BE TAKEN IN THE COURSE OF PREPARING THE FOUNDATION'S INCOME TAX RETURNS TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE INCOME TAX POSITIONS MEET A "MORE LIKELY THAN NOT" STANDARD OF BEING SUSTAINED UNDER EXAMINATION BY THE APPLICABLE TAXING AUTHORITIES. MANAGEMENT HAS PERFORMED ITS EVALUATION OF ALL INCOME TAX POSITIONS TAKEN ON ALL OPEN INCOME TAX RETURNS AND HAS DETERMINED THAT THERE WERE NO POSITIONS TAKEN THAT DO NOT MEET THE "MORE LIKELY THAN NOT" STANDARD. ACCORDINGLY, THERE ARE NO PROVISIONS FOR INCOME TAXES, PENALTIES OR INTEREST RECEIVABLE OR PAYABLE RELATING TO UNCERTAIN INCOME TAX POSITIONS IN THE ACCOMPANYING CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

PART XI, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

SPECIAL FUNDRAISING EVENTS 187,847.

PART XI, LINE 4B - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:



**Part XIII** Supplemental Information (continued)

RECLASS OF INVESTMENT FEES	22,959.
COST OF GOODS SOLD RECLASS	-3,300,113.
TOTAL TO SCHEDULE D, PART XI, LINE 4B	-3,277,154.

PART XII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

RECLASS OF INVESTMENT FEES	
COST OF GOODS SOLD RECLASS	
SPECIAL FUNDRAISING EVENTS	

PART XII, LINE 4B - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

SPECIAL FUNDRAISING EVENTS	-187,847.
COST OF GOODS SOLD RECLASS	-3,300,113.
TOTAL TO SCHEDULE D, PART XII, LINE 4B	-3,487,960.

**SCHEDULE G**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

**Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities**  
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

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Name of the organization

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Employer identification number

**62-0753887**

**Part I Fundraising Activities.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 17. Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

**1** Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.

- a**  Mail solicitations
- b**  Internet and email solicitations
- c**  Phone solicitations
- d**  In-person solicitations
- e**  Solicitation of non-government grants
- f**  Solicitation of government grants
- g**  Special fundraising events

**2 a** Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees, or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services?  **Yes**  **No**

**b** If "Yes," list the 10 highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization.

(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col. (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
		Yes	No			
<b>Total</b> .....						

**3** List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit contributions or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing.

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**Part II Fundraising Events.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events (add col. (a) through col. (c))
		AFTH NY (event type)	(event type)	NONE (total number)	
Revenue	<b>1</b> Gross receipts .....	321,960.			321,960.
	<b>2</b> Less: Contributions .....				
	<b>3</b> Gross income (line 1 minus line 2) .....	321,960.			321,960.
Direct Expenses	<b>4</b> Cash prizes .....				
	<b>5</b> Noncash prizes .....				
	<b>6</b> Rent/facility costs .....	51,465.			51,465.
	<b>7</b> Food and beverages .....	71,225.			71,225.
	<b>8</b> Entertainment .....				
	<b>9</b> Other direct expenses .....	65,157.			65,157.
	<b>10</b> Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) .....				187,847.
<b>11</b> Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d) .....				134,113.	

**Part III Gaming.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col. (a) through col. (c))
Revenue	<b>1</b> Gross revenue .....				
	<b>2</b> Cash prizes .....				
Direct Expenses	<b>3</b> Noncash prizes .....				
	<b>4</b> Rent/facility costs .....				
	<b>5</b> Other direct expenses .....				
Revenue	<b>6</b> Volunteer labor .....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	<b>7</b> Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d) .....				
	<b>8</b> Net gaming income summary. Subtract line 7 from line 1, column (d) .....				

**9** Enter the state(s) in which the organization conducts gaming activities: \_\_\_\_\_  
**a** Is the organization licensed to conduct gaming activities in each of these states?  Yes  No  
**b** If "No," explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**10a** Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended, or terminated during the tax year?  Yes  No  
**b** If "Yes," explain: \_\_\_\_\_

- 11 Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers?  Yes  No
- 12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust, or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming?  Yes  No

- 13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity conducted in:
- |                               |            |   |
|-------------------------------|------------|---|
| a The organization's facility | <b>13a</b> | % |
| b An outside facility         | <b>13b</b> | % |

14 Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:

Name ► \_\_\_\_\_

Address ► \_\_\_\_\_

15a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue?  Yes  No

- b If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- c If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party:

Name ► \_\_\_\_\_

Address ► \_\_\_\_\_

16 Gaming manager information:

Name ► \_\_\_\_\_

Gaming manager compensation ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Description of services provided ► \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Director/officer     Employee     Independent contractor

17 Mandatory distributions:

- a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license?  Yes  No
- b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Part IV Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v); and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also provide any additional information. See instructions.

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**SCHEDULE J  
(Form 990)**

**Compensation Information**

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2019**

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.

▶ Attach to Form 990.

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Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization  
**COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.**

Employer identification number  
**62-0753887**

**Part I Questions Regarding Compensation**

**1a** Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments | <input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account            | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (such as maid, chauffeur, chef) |

**b** If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain .....

**2** Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, and officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked on line 1a? .....

**3** Indicate which, if any, of the following the organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee   | <input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant | <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee |

**4** During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:

- a** Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment? .....
- b** Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan? .....
- c** Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement? .....
- If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.

**Only section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.**

**5** For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:

- a** The organization? .....
- b** Any related organization? .....
- If "Yes" on line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.

**6** For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:

- a** The organization? .....
- b** Any related organization? .....
- If "Yes" on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.

**7** For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any nonfixed payments not described on lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III .....

**8** Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III .....

**9** If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)? .....

	Yes	No
<b>1b</b>		
<b>2</b>	X	
<b>4a</b>		X
<b>4b</b>		X
<b>4c</b>		X
<b>5a</b>		X
<b>5b</b>		X
<b>6a</b>		X
<b>6b</b>		X
<b>7</b>		X
<b>8</b>		X
<b>9</b>		

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Schedule J (Form 990) 2019

**Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees.** Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported on Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that aren't listed on Form 990, Part VII.

**Note:** The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
(1) KYLE YOUNG CEO	(i)	563,504.	22,115.	0.	8,400.	4,122.	598,141.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(2) SHARON BRAWNER SR. VP SALES AND MARKETING	(i)	205,245.	8,558.	0.	6,649.	4,122.	224,574.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(3) NINA BURGHARD SR. VP FINANCIAL SERVICES	(i)	203,462.	8,269.	0.	6,437.	4,122.	222,290.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(4) HERNANDO RODRIGUEZ SR. DIRECTOR OF EVENTS AND	(i)	147,448.	6,731.	0.	4,486.	4,122.	162,787.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(5) LISA DAVIS VP OF DEVELOPMENT, EDU & C	(i)	145,738.	6,923.	0.	4,665.	4,122.	161,448.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
	(i)							
	(ii)							
	(i)							
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	(i)							
	(ii)							
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	(ii)							

**Part III Supplemental Information**

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

(This area contains horizontal lines for entering supplemental information.)



**Supplemental Information on Tax-Exempt Bonds**

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 24a. Provide descriptions, explanations, and any additional information in Part VI.**

▶ **Attach to Form 990.** ▶ **Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for instructions and the latest information.**

Name of the organization **COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.** Employer identification number **62-0753887**

<b>Part I Bond Issues</b>											
<b>SEE PART VI FOR COLUMN (A) CONTINUATIONS</b>											
(a) Issuer name	(b) Issuer EIN	(c) CUSIP #	(d) Date issued	(e) Issue price	(f) Description of purpose	(g) Defeased		(h) On behalf of issuer		(i) Pooled financing	
						Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
<b>A</b> INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BOARD OF THE METRO GOVERNMENT	52-1789764	NONEAVAIL	03/22/10	23,035,000.	REFUNDING OF 1999 BOND ISSUE		X		X		X
<b>B</b>											
<b>C</b>											
<b>D</b>											

<b>Part II Proceeds</b>										
	A		B		C		D			
<b>1</b> Amount of bonds retired .....	22,535,000.									
<b>2</b> Amount of bonds legally defeased .....										
<b>3</b> Total proceeds of issue .....	23,035,000.									
<b>4</b> Gross proceeds in reserve funds .....										
<b>5</b> Capitalized interest from proceeds .....										
<b>6</b> Proceeds in refunding escrows .....										
<b>7</b> Issuance costs from proceeds .....										
<b>8</b> Credit enhancement from proceeds .....										
<b>9</b> Working capital expenditures from proceeds .....										
<b>10</b> Capital expenditures from proceeds .....										
<b>11</b> Other spent proceeds .....										
<b>12</b> Other unspent proceeds .....										
<b>13</b> Year of substantial completion .....	2001									
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
<b>14</b> Were the bonds issued as part of a refunding issue of tax-exempt bonds (or, if issued prior to 2018, a current refunding issue)? .....	X									
<b>15</b> Were the bonds issued as part of a refunding issue of taxable bonds (or, if issued prior to 2018, an advance refunding issue)? .....		X								
<b>16</b> Has the final allocation of proceeds been made? .....	X									
<b>17</b> Does the organization maintain adequate books and records to support the final allocation of proceeds? .....	X									

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Schedule K (Form 990) 2019

<b>Part III Private Business Use</b>								
	A		B		C		D	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Was the organization a partner in a partnership, or a member of an LLC, which owned property financed by tax-exempt bonds? .....		X						
<b>2</b> Are there any lease arrangements that may result in private business use of bond-financed property? .....		X						
<b>3a</b> Are there any management or service contracts that may result in private business use of bond-financed property? .....		X						
<b>b</b> If "Yes" to line 3a, does the organization routinely engage bond counsel or other outside counsel to review any management or service contracts relating to the financed property?								
<b>c</b> Are there any research agreements that may result in private business use of bond-financed property? .....		X						
<b>d</b> If "Yes" to line 3c, does the organization routinely engage bond counsel or other outside counsel to review any research agreements relating to the financed property? .....								
<b>4</b> Enter the percentage of financed property used in a private business use by entities other than a section 501(c)(3) organization or a state or local government .....		%		%		%		%
<b>5</b> Enter the percentage of financed property used in a private business use as a result of unrelated trade or business activity carried on by your organization, another section 501(c)(3) organization, or a state or local government .....		%		%		%		%
<b>6</b> Total of lines 4 and 5 .....		%		%		%		%
<b>7</b> Does the bond issue meet the private security or payment test? .....		X						
<b>8a</b> Has there been a sale or disposition of any of the bond-financed property to a non-governmental person other than a 501(c)(3) organization since the bonds were issued?		X						
<b>b</b> If "Yes" to line 8a, enter the percentage of bond-financed property sold or disposed of .....		%		%		%		%
<b>c</b> If "Yes" to line 8a, was any remedial action taken pursuant to Regulations sections 1.141-12 and 1.145-2? .....								
<b>9</b> Has the organization established written procedures to ensure that all nonqualified bonds of the issue are remediated in accordance with the requirements under Regulations sections 1.141-12 and 1.145-2? .....		X						

<b>Part IV Arbitrage</b>								
	A		B		C		D	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Has the issuer filed Form 8038-T, Arbitrage Rebate, Yield Reduction and Penalty in Lieu of Arbitrage Rebate? .....		X						
<b>2</b> If "No" to line 1, did the following apply?								
<b>a</b> Rebate not due yet? .....		X						
<b>b</b> Exception to rebate? .....	X							
<b>c</b> No rebate due? .....		X						
If "Yes" to line 2c, provide in Part VI the date the rebate computation was performed .....								
<b>3</b> Is the bond issue a variable rate issue? .....		X						

**Part IV Arbitrage** (continued)

	A		B		C		D	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
<b>4a</b> Has the organization or the governmental issuer entered into a qualified hedge with respect to the bond issue? .....		X						
<b>b</b> Name of provider .....								
<b>c</b> Term of hedge .....								
<b>d</b> Was the hedge superintegrated? .....								
<b>e</b> Was the hedge terminated? .....								
<b>5a</b> Were gross proceeds invested in a guaranteed investment contract (GIC)? .....		X						
<b>b</b> Name of provider .....								
<b>c</b> Term of GIC .....								
<b>d</b> Was the regulatory safe harbor for establishing the fair market value of the GIC satisfied? .....								
<b>6</b> Were any gross proceeds invested beyond an available temporary period? .....		X						
<b>7</b> Has the organization established written procedures to monitor the requirements of section 148? .....		X						

**Part V Procedures To Undertake Corrective Action**

	A		B		C		D	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
Has the organization established written procedures to ensure that violations of federal tax requirements are timely identified and corrected through the voluntary closing agreement program if self-remediation isn't available under applicable regulations? .....		X						

**Part VI Supplemental Information.** Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule K. See instructions

**SCHEDULE K, PART I, BOND ISSUES:**

**(A) ISSUER NAME:**

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BOARD OF THE METRO GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE/DAVIDSON

**SCHEDULE L**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

**Transactions With Interested Persons**

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2019**

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Internal Revenue Service

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a, 25b, 26, 27, 28a, 28b, or 28c, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a or 40b.**  
▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**  
▶ **Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for instructions and the latest information.**

Name of the organization

COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.

Employer identification number  
**62-0753887**

**Part I Excess Benefit Transactions** (section 501(c)(3), section 501(c)(4), and section 501(c)(29) organizations only).

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a or 25b, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 40b.

1	(a) Name of disqualified person	(b) Relationship between disqualified person and organization	(c) Description of transaction	(d) Corrected?	
				Yes	No

- 2 Enter the amount of tax incurred by the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under section 4958 ..... ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 Enter the amount of tax, if any, on line 2, above, reimbursed by the organization ..... ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Part II Loans to and/or From Interested Persons.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a or Form 990, Part IV, line 26; or if the organization reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 5, 6, or 22.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship with organization	(c) Purpose of loan	(d) Loan to or from the organization?		(e) Original principal amount	(f) Balance due	(g) In default?		(h) Approved by board or committee?		(i) Written agreement?	
			To	From			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
Total .....							▶ \$					

**Part III Grants or Assistance Benefiting Interested Persons.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 27.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of assistance	(d) Type of assistance	(e) Purpose of assistance

**Part IV Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 28a, 28b, or 28c.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of transaction	(d) Description of transaction	(e) Sharing of organization's revenues?	
				Yes	No
ERNIE WILLIAMS	BOARD MEMBER AND ME	22,959.	CMF'S ENDOW		X
KEN LEVITAN	BOARD MEMBER AND PA	96,452.	CMF OWNS 40		X

**Part V Supplemental Information.**

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule L (see instructions).

SCH L, PART IV, BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS INVOLVING INTERESTED PERSONS:

(A) NAME OF PERSON: ERNIE WILLIAMS

(B) RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN INTERESTED PERSON AND ORGANIZATION:

BOARD MEMBER AND MEMBER OF ENDOWMENT INVESTMENT MANAGER

(D) DESCRIPTION OF TRANSACTION: CMF'S ENDOWMENT IS MANAGED BY THE INVESTMENT MANAGER OF WHICH MR. WILLIAMS IS A PART OWNER. TRANSACTION AMOUNT IS MANAGEMENT FEES PAID TO THE INVESTMENT MANAGER

(A) NAME OF PERSON: KEN LEVITAN

(B) RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN INTERESTED PERSON AND ORGANIZATION:

BOARD MEMBER AND PART OWNER OF BAJO SEXTO

(D) DESCRIPTION OF TRANSACTION: CMF OWNS 40% OF BAJO SEXTO, MR. LEVITAN IS ONE OF THE OTHER OWNERS WHOSE OWNERSHIP INTEREST MAKE UP THE REMAINING 60% OWNERSHIP INTEREST IN BAJO SEXTO. TRANSACTION AMOUNT IS CMF'S CURRENT YEAR EARNINGS FROM BAJO SEXTO.

**SCHEDULE M  
(Form 990)**

**Noncash Contributions**

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2019**

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- ▶ Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.
- ▶ Attach to Form 990.
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Name of the organization **COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.** Employer identification number **62-0753887**

Part I Types of Property	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts
1 Art - Works of art				
2 Art - Historical treasures				
3 Art - Fractional interests				
4 Books and publications				
5 Clothing and household goods				
6 Cars and other vehicles				
7 Boats and planes				
8 Intellectual property				
9 Securities - Publicly traded				
10 Securities - Closely held stock				
11 Securities - Partnership, LLC, or trust interests				
12 Securities - Miscellaneous	X	1	52,332.	FAIR MARKET VALUE
13 Qualified conservation contribution - Historic structures				
14 Qualified conservation contribution - Other				
15 Real estate - Residential				
16 Real estate - Commercial				
17 Real estate - Other				
18 Collectibles	X	78	943,738.	FAIR MARKET VALUE
19 Food inventory	X	13	21,470.	FAIR MARKET VALUE
20 Drugs and medical supplies				
21 Taxidermy				
22 Historical artifacts				
23 Scientific specimens				
24 Archeological artifacts				
25 Other ( )				
26 Other ( )				
27 Other ( )				
28 Other ( )				

29 Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee Acknowledgement **29**

	Yes	No
30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1 through 28, that it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which isn't required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period?		X
b If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II.		
31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any nonstandard contributions?	X	
32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash contributions?		X
b If "Yes," describe in Part II.		
33 If the organization didn't report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II.		

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**Part II** **Supplemental Information.** Provide the information required by Part I, lines 30b, 32b, and 33, and whether the organization is reporting in Part I, column (b), the number of contributions, the number of items received, or a combination of both. Also complete this part for any additional information.

SCHEDULE M, LINE 33:

IN ACCORDANCE WITH PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS, THE ORGANIZATION HAS ELECTED THAT CERTAIN OBJECTS ACQUIRED THROUGH PURCHASES AND CONTRIBUTIONS SINCE THE ASSOCIATION'S INCEPTION NOT BE VALUED ON THE BALANCE SHEET. THE COST OF SUCH OBJECTS PURCHASED ARE REFLECTED AS PROGRAM EXPENSES AND TREATED AS DECREASES IN UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS IN THE YEAR IN WHICH THE ITEMS ARE ACQUIRED OR AS DECREASES IN TEMPORARILY OR PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS IF THE ASSETS USED TO PURCHASE THE ITEMS ARE RESTRICTED BY DONORS. PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE OF ANY DEACCESSIONED ITEMS ARE CLASSIFIED AS TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS, TO BE APPLIED TOWARD FUTURE COLLECTION ACQUISITIONS. THE VALUE OF COLLECTION ITEMS CONTRIBUTED EACH YEAR BY DONORS IS NOT RECORDED IN THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

**SCHEDULE O**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

Department of the Treasury  
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**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ**

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on  
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

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62-0753887

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION:

FUNCTIONING AS A LOCAL HISTORY MUSEUM AND AS AN INTERNATIONAL ARTS

ORGANIZATION, THE CMF SERVES VISITING AND NON-VISITING AUDIENCES

INCLUDING FAMILIES, STUDENTS, SCHOLARS, MEMBERS OF THE MUSIC INDUSTRY,

AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC, IN THE NASHVILLE AREA, THE NATION, AND THE

WORLD.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4A, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

OF THE MORE THAN 1400 ANNUAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS.

THE COUNTRY MUSIC HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING

RESULTS "BY THE NUMBERS" IN 2019.

" 1,297,433 PEOPLE VISITED THE MUSEUM.

" 109,844 PEOPLE VISITED HISTORIC RCA STUDIO B.

" 12 EXHIBITIONS WERE CURATED AND PRESENTED INCLUDING OUTLAWS &

ARMADILLOS: COUNTRY'S ROARING '70S, AND OTHER EXHIBITIONS THAT TOLD

THE STORIES OF COUNTRY MUSIC HALL OF FAME MEMBERS BOUDLEAUX AND FELICE

BRYANT AND BROOKS & DUNN; CONTEMPORARY HITMAKER KACEY MUSGRAVES;

NEO-TRADITIONALIST KEITH WHITLEY; AND MORE.

" 106,972 GUESTS PARTICIPATED IN 1,450 HANDS ON EDUCATIONAL

PROGRAMS.

" 142,434 DIGITAL FILES AVAILABLE ONLINE, WITH MORE THAN 1,173

PHOTOGRAPHS, RECORDINGS, AND DOCUMENTS ACCESSED DAILY ON

DIGI.COUNTRYMUSICHALLOFFAME.ORG.

" 8,824 NEWS STORIES, REACHED 6.8 BILLION PEOPLE, FEATURED THE

MUSEUM AND ITS PROGRAMS.

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Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) (2019)

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Name of the organization COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.	Employer identification number 62-0753887
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" 1,793 EVENTS WERE HOSTED AT THE MUSEUM.

" 270,000 CUSTOM POSTERS WERE PRINTED IN 700 CUSTOM JOBS BY HATCH SHOW PRINT.

" 258 VOLUNTEERS CONTRIBUTED 20,690 HOURS OF SERVICE, VALUED AT \$526,147 BY INDEPENDENT SECTOR RESEARCH.

" 40,226 STUDENTS ENGAGED IN MUSEUM PROGRAMS FOR SCHOOLS.

" 21,800 MEALS PROVIDED FOR MIDDLE TENNESSEANS THROUGH THE DONATION OF 11,161 POUNDS OF FOOD.

" 145 TONS OF TRASH WERE DIVERTED FROM LANDFILLS USING AWARD-WINNING SUSTAINABILITY PRACTICES.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 2:

ERNEST WILLIAMS III, DIRECTOR, AND KYLE YOUNG, CEO, HAVE A BUSINESS RELATIONSHIP.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 8B:

COMMITTEE MEETINGS OF THE BOARD ARE LESS FORMAL, BUT A WRITTEN AGENDA IS PREPARED IN ADVANCE FOR EACH MEETING. SIGNIFICANT DECISIONS MUST STILL BE APPROVED BY THE FULL VOTING BOARD.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11B:

THE ORGANIZATION DOES NOT PROVIDE A COPY OF ITS FORM 990 TO THE ENTIRE GOVERNING BOARD PRIOR TO FILING. HOWEVER THE SR. VP OF FINANCIAL SERVICES AND OPERATIONS REVIEWS A DRAFT OF THE FORM 990 WITH THE FINANCE COMMITTEE BOARD CHAIR PRIOR TO FILING.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C:

THE ORGANIZATION REQUIRES EACH BOARD MEMBER TO REVIEW ITS ETHICS AND

Name of the organization COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.	Employer identification number 62-0753887
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CONFLICTS OF INTEREST POLICY ANNUALLY AND SIGN A STATEMENT DISCLOSING ANY CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. IF IT IS DETERMINED THAT A BOARD MEMBER MAY HAVE A CONFLICT OF INTEREST RELATED TO AN ISSUE UNDER CONSIDERATION BY THE BOARD, THAT BOARD MEMBER DOES NOT PARTICIPATE IN ANY DISCUSSION OR VOTING ON THAT ISSUE.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15:

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETS AND REVIEWS CEO COMPENSATION FOR SIMILAR ORGANIZATIONS. FOR OTHER KEY EMPLOYEES, MANAGEMENT COMPARES PUBLISHED DATA FROM OTHER NONPROFITS AND CONSULTS WITH HUMAN RESOURCE CONSULTANTS REGARDING MARKET SALARY RANGES.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19:

THESE DOCUMENTS ARE NOT MADE AVAILABLE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC.

FORM 990 PART XII LINE 2C

THE ORGANIZATION HAS NOT CHANGED EITHER ITS OVERSIGHT PROCESS OR SELECTION PROCESS DURING THE TAX YEAR.

**SCHEDULE R  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships**

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.**  
▶ **Attach to Form 990.**

▶ **Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for instructions and the latest information.**

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**2019**

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Inspection**

Name of the organization **COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.** Employer identification number **62-0753887**

**Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.

(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity
HALL OF FAME GRILL AND CATERING LLC - 27-0146678, 222 5TH AVE SOUTH, NASHVILLE, TN 37203	OPERATION OF RESTAURANT IN MUSEUM/CATERING EVENTS AND VENUE RENTALS	TENNESSEE	8,902,975.	931,156.	COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION

**Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
						Yes	No

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Schedule R (Form 990) 2019

**Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	
FOOD ON FIFTH LLC - 47-2394270, 222 5TH AVE SOUTH, NASHVILLE, TN 37203	OPERATION OF RESTAURANT IN MUSEUM	TN	LGW, LLC	UNRELATED	99,781.	327,737.		X	99,781.		X	40.00%

**Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	(i) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
								Yes	No

**Part V Transactions With Related Organizations.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.

**Note:** Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule.

**1** During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?

	Yes	No
<b>a</b> Receipt of <b>(i)</b> interest, <b>(ii)</b> annuities, <b>(iii)</b> royalties, or <b>(iv)</b> rent from a controlled entity .....		X
<b>b</b> Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s) .....		X
<b>c</b> Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s) .....		X
<b>d</b> Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s) .....		X
<b>e</b> Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s) .....		X
<b>f</b> Dividends from related organization(s) .....	X	
<b>g</b> Sale of assets to related organization(s) .....		X
<b>h</b> Purchase of assets from related organization(s) .....		X
<b>i</b> Exchange of assets with related organization(s) .....		X
<b>j</b> Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s) .....		X
<b>k</b> Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s) .....		X
<b>l</b> Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s) .....		X
<b>m</b> Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s) .....		X
<b>n</b> Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s) .....		X
<b>o</b> Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s) .....		X
<b>p</b> Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses .....		X
<b>q</b> Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses .....		X
<b>r</b> Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s) .....		X
<b>s</b> Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s) .....		X

**2** If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds.

(a) Name of related organization	(b) Transaction type (a-s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
(1) FOOD ON FIFTH LLC	F	107,333.	FAIR VALUE
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

**Part VI Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 37.

Provide the following information for each entity taxed as a partnership through which the organization conducted more than five percent of its activities (measured by total assets or gross revenue) that was not a related organization. See instructions regarding exclusion for certain investment partnerships.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(e) Are all partners sec. 501(c)(3) orgs.?		(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Dispropor- tionate allocations?		(i) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
				Yes	No			Yes	No		Yes	No	

**Part VII** Supplemental Information

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R. See instructions.

Multiple horizontal lines for supplemental information.

# TAX RETURN FILING INSTRUCTIONS

FORM 990-T

FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
DECEMBER 31, 2019

<b>Prepared for</b>	COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC. 222 FIFTH AVE SOUTH NASHVILLE, TN 37203
<b>Prepared by</b>	KRAFTCPAS PLLC 555 GREAT CIRCLE ROAD NASHVILLE, TN 37228
<b>Amount due or refund</b>	OVERPAYMENT OF \$110,046 WITH \$50,000 APPLIED TO THE ESTIMATED TAX PAYMENTS AND THE BALANCE OF \$60,046 REFUNDED.
<b>Make check payable to</b>	NO AMOUNT IS DUE.
<b>Mail tax return and check (if applicable) to</b>	DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE CENTER OGDEN, UT 84201-0027
<b>Return must be mailed on or before</b>	NOVEMBER 16, 2020
<b>Special Instructions</b>	THE RETURN SHOULD BE SIGNED AND DATED.



# Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return (and proxy tax under section 6033(e))

## 2019

For calendar year 2019 or other tax year beginning \_\_\_\_\_, and ending \_\_\_\_\_

▶ Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990T](http://www.irs.gov/Form990T) for instructions and the latest information.

▶ Do not enter SSN numbers on this form as it may be made public if your organization is a 501(c)(3).

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Open to Public Inspection for  
501(c)(3) Organizations Only

<b>A</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if address changed  <b>B</b> Exempt under section <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 408(e) <input type="checkbox"/> 220(e) <input type="checkbox"/> 408A <input type="checkbox"/> 530(a) <input type="checkbox"/> 529(a)	Print or Type	Name of organization ( <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if name changed and see instructions.) <b>COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.</b> Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. <b>222 FIFTH AVE SOUTH</b> City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code <b>NASHVILLE, TN 37203</b>	<b>D</b> Employer identification number (Employees' trust, see instructions.) <b>62-0753887</b>  <b>E</b> Unrelated business activity code (See instructions.) <b>453220</b>
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<b>C</b> Book value of all assets at end of year <b>111,642,890.</b>	<b>F</b> Group exemption number (See instructions.) ▶ _____ <b>G</b> Check organization type ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) corporation <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) trust <input type="checkbox"/> 401(a) trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other trust
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**H** Enter the number of the organization's unrelated trades or businesses. ▶ **3** Describe the only (or first) unrelated trade or business here ▶ **RESTAURANT OPERATIONS**. If only one, complete Parts I-V. If more than one, describe the first in the blank space at the end of the previous sentence, complete Parts I and II, complete a Schedule M for each additional trade or business, then complete Parts III-V.

**I** During the tax year, was the corporation a subsidiary in an affiliated group or a parent-subsidiary controlled group?  Yes  No  
If "Yes," enter the name and identifying number of the parent corporation. ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

**J** The books are in care of ▶ **NINA BURGHARD** Telephone number ▶ **615-416-2043**

Part I Unrelated Trade or Business Income		(A) Income	(B) Expenses	(C) Net
1 a	Gross receipts or sales <b>87,385.</b>			
b	Less returns and allowances _____			
		c Balance ▶	1c	87,385.
2	Cost of goods sold (Schedule A, line 7) _____	2		86,319.
3	Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c _____	3		1,066.
4 a	Capital gain net income (attach Schedule D) _____	4a		
b	Net gain (loss) (Form 4797, Part II, line 17) (attach Form 4797) _____	4b		
c	Capital loss deduction for trusts _____	4c		
5	Income (loss) from a partnership or an S corporation (attach statement) _____	5		99,781.
6	Rent income (Schedule C) _____	6		
7	Unrelated debt-financed income (Schedule E) _____	7		
8	Interest, annuities, royalties, and rents from a controlled organization (Schedule F) _____	8		
9	Investment income of a section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) organization (Schedule G) _____	9		
10	Exploited exempt activity income (Schedule I) _____	10		
11	Advertising income (Schedule J) _____	11		
12	Other income (See instructions; attach schedule) _____	12		
13	<b>Total.</b> Combine lines 3 through 12 _____	13		100,847.

Part II Deductions Not Taken Elsewhere (See instructions for limitations on deductions.) (Deductions must be directly connected with the unrelated business income.)				
14	Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees (Schedule K) _____		14	485.
15	Salaries and wages _____		15	12,013.
16	Repairs and maintenance _____		16	
17	Bad debts _____		17	
18	Interest (attach schedule) (see instructions) _____		18	
19	Taxes and licenses _____		19	
20	Depreciation (attach Form 4562) _____	20		
21	Less depreciation claimed on Schedule A and elsewhere on return _____	21a		
22	Depletion _____		22	
23	Contributions to deferred compensation plans _____		23	
24	Employee benefit programs _____		24	
25	Excess exempt expenses (Schedule I) _____		25	
26	Excess readership costs (Schedule J) _____		26	
27	Other deductions (attach schedule) _____ <b>SEE STATEMENT 1</b>		27	5,145.
28	<b>Total deductions.</b> Add lines 14 through 27 _____		28	17,643.
29	Unrelated business taxable income before net operating loss deduction. Subtract line 28 from line 13 _____		29	83,204.
30	Deduction for net operating loss arising in tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2018 (see instructions) _____		30	0.
31	Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line 30 from line 29 _____		31	83,204.

<b>Part III Total Unrelated Business Taxable Income</b>	
32	Total of unrelated business taxable income computed from all unrelated trades or businesses (see instructions) ..... 187,636.
33	Amounts paid for disallowed fringes ..... 0.
34	Charitable contributions (see instructions for limitation rules) ..... 187,636.
35	Total unrelated business taxable income before pre-2018 NOLs and specific deduction. Subtract line 34 from the sum of lines 32 and 33
36	Deduction for net operating loss arising in tax years beginning before January 1, 2018 (see instructions) ..... 187,636.
37	Total of unrelated business taxable income before specific deduction. Subtract line 36 from line 35 ..... 1,000.
38	Specific deduction (Generally \$1,000, but see line 38 instructions for exceptions) ..... 186,636.
39	<b>Unrelated business taxable income.</b> Subtract line 38 from line 37. If line 38 is greater than line 37, enter the smaller of zero or line 37

<b>Part IV Tax Computation</b>	
40	<b>Organizations Taxable as Corporations.</b> Multiply line 39 by 21% (0.21) ..... 39,194.
41	<b>Trusts Taxable at Trust Rates.</b> See instructions for tax computation. Income tax on the amount on line 39 from: <input type="checkbox"/> Tax rate schedule or <input type="checkbox"/> Schedule D (Form 1041) .....
42	<b>Proxy tax.</b> See instructions .....
43	Alternative minimum tax (trusts only) .....
44	<b>Tax on Noncompliant Facility Income.</b> See instructions .....
45	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 42, 43, and 44 to line 40 or 41, whichever applies ..... 39,194.

<b>Part V Tax and Payments</b>	
46a	Foreign tax credit (corporations attach Form 1118; trusts attach Form 1116) ..... 46a
b	Other credits (see instructions) ..... 46b
c	General business credit. Attach Form 3800 ..... 46c
d	Credit for prior year minimum tax (attach Form 8801 or 8827) ..... 46d
e	<b>Total credits.</b> Add lines 46a through 46d ..... 46e
47	Subtract line 46e from line 45 ..... 39,194.
48	Other taxes. Check if from: <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4255 <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8611 <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8697 <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8866 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (attach schedule) ..... 48
49	<b>Total tax.</b> Add lines 47 and 48 (see instructions) ..... 39,194.
50	2019 net 965 tax liability paid from Form 965-A or Form 965-B, Part II, column (k), line 3 ..... 0.
51a	Payments: A 2018 overpayment credited to 2019 ..... 39,240.
b	2019 estimated tax payments ..... 110,000.
c	Tax deposited with Form 8868 .....
d	Foreign organizations: Tax paid or withheld at source (see instructions) .....
e	Backup withholding (see instructions) .....
f	Credit for small employer health insurance premiums (attach Form 8941) .....
g	Other credits, adjustments, and payments: <input type="checkbox"/> Form 2439 <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4136 <input type="checkbox"/> Other ..... Total
52	<b>Total payments.</b> Add lines 51a through 51g ..... 149,240.
53	Estimated tax penalty (see instructions). Check if Form 2220 is attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ..... 53
54	<b>Tax due.</b> If line 52 is less than the total of lines 49, 50, and 53, enter amount owed ..... 54
55	<b>Overpayment.</b> If line 52 is larger than the total of lines 49, 50, and 53, enter amount overpaid ..... 110,046.
56	Enter the amount of line 55 you want: <b>Credited to 2020 estimated tax</b> 50,000. <b>Refunded</b> 60,046.

<b>Part VI Statements Regarding Certain Activities and Other Information</b> (see instructions)		Yes	No
57	At any time during the 2019 calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account (bank, securities, or other) in a foreign country? If "Yes," the organization may have to file FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country here		X
58	During the tax year, did the organization receive a distribution from, or was it the grantor of, or transferor to, a foreign trust? If "Yes," see instructions for other forms the organization may have to file.		X
59	Enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year \$		

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: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: **SRVP OF FINANCIAL SVCS/OPER**

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instructions)?  Yes  No

<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
	FRANCES E. LEAHY	FRANCES E. LEAHY	11/15/20		P00713593
	Firm's name ▶ <b>KRAFTCPAS PLLC</b>	Firm's address ▶ <b>555 GREAT CIRCLE ROAD NASHVILLE, TN 37228</b>		Firm's EIN ▶ <b>62-0713250</b>	Phone no. <b>615-242-7351</b>

**Schedule A - Cost of Goods Sold.** Enter method of inventory valuation ► **N/A**

1	Inventory at beginning of year	1	0.	6	Inventory at end of year	6	0.
2	Purchases	2		7	<b>Cost of goods sold.</b> Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and in Part I, line 2	7	86,319.
3	Cost of labor	3		8	Do the rules of section 263A (with respect to property produced or acquired for resale) apply to the organization?	Yes	No
4a	Additional section 263A costs (attach schedule)	4a					
b	Other costs (attach schedule) **	4b	86,319.				X
5	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 4b	5	86,319.				

**Schedule C - Rent Income (From Real Property and Personal Property Leased With Real Property)**

(see instructions)

1. Description of property

(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	

2. Rent received or accrued

(a) From personal property (if the percentage of rent for personal property is more than 10% but not more than 50%)	(b) From real and personal property (if the percentage of rent for personal property exceeds 50% or if the rent is based on profit or income)	3(a) Deductions directly connected with the income in columns 2(a) and 2(b) (attach schedule)
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
Total	0.	Total 0.

(c) **Total income.** Add totals of columns 2(a) and 2(b). Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (A) 0. (b) **Total deductions.** Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (B) 0.

**Schedule E - Unrelated Debt-Financed Income** (see instructions)

1. Description of debt-financed property	2. Gross income from or allocable to debt-financed property	3. Deductions directly connected with or allocable to debt-financed property		
		(a) Straight line depreciation (attach schedule)	(b) Other deductions (attach schedule)	
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
4. Amount of average acquisition debt on or allocable to debt-financed property (attach schedule)	5. Average adjusted basis of or allocable to debt-financed property (attach schedule)	6. Column 4 divided by column 5	7. Gross income reportable (column 2 x column 6)	8. Allocable deductions (column 6 x total of columns 3(a) and 3(b))
(1)		%		
(2)		%		
(3)		%		
(4)		%		
<b>Totals</b>			Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 7, column (A). 0.	Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 7, column (B). 0.
<b>Total dividends-received deductions</b> included in column 8				0.

\*\* SEE STATEMENT 2

**Schedule F - Interest, Annuities, Royalties, and Rents From Controlled Organizations** (see instructions)

1. Name of controlled organization	2. Employer identification number	Exempt Controlled Organizations			
		3. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	4. Total of specified payments made	5. Part of column 4 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	6. Deductions directly connected with income in column 5
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					

**Nonexempt Controlled Organizations**

7. Taxable income	8. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	9. Total of specified payments made	10. Part of column 9 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	11. Deductions directly connected with income in column 10
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
<b>Totals</b> .....			Add columns 5 and 10. Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 8, column (A). 0.	Add columns 6 and 11. Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 8, column (B). 0.

**Schedule G - Investment Income of a Section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) Organization** (see instructions)

1. Description of income	2. Amount of income	3. Deductions directly connected (attach schedule)	4. Set-asides (attach schedule)	5. Total deductions and set-asides (col. 3 plus col. 4)
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
<b>Totals</b> .....		Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 9, column (A). 0.		Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 9, column (B). 0.

**Schedule I - Exploited Exempt Activity Income, Other Than Advertising Income** (see instructions)

1. Description of exploited activity	2. Gross unrelated business income from trade or business	3. Expenses directly connected with production of unrelated business income	4. Net income (loss) from unrelated trade or business (column 2 minus column 3). If a gain, compute cols. 5 through 7.	5. Gross income from activity that is not unrelated business income	6. Expenses attributable to column 5	7. Excess exempt expenses (column 6 minus column 5, but not more than column 4).
(1)						
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
<b>Totals</b> .....		Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 10, col. (A). 0.	Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 10, col. (B). 0.			Enter here and on page 1, Part II, line 25. 0.

**Schedule J - Advertising Income** (see instructions)

**Part I Income From Periodicals Reported on a Consolidated Basis**

1. Name of periodical	2. Gross advertising income	3. Direct advertising costs	4. Advertising gain or (loss) (col. 2 minus col. 3). If a gain, compute cols. 5 through 7.	5. Circulation income	6. Readership costs	7. Excess readership costs (column 6 minus column 5, but not more than column 4).
(1)						
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
<b>Totals</b> (carry to Part II, line (5)) .....		0.	0.			0.

**Part II** **Income From Periodicals Reported on a Separate Basis** (For each periodical listed in Part II, fill in columns 2 through 7 on a line-by-line basis.)

1. Name of periodical	2. Gross advertising income	3. Direct advertising costs	4. Advertising gain or (loss) (col. 2 minus col. 3). If a gain, compute cols. 5 through 7.	5. Circulation income	6. Readership costs	7. Excess readership costs (column 6 minus column 5, but not more than column 4).
(1)						
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
<b>Totals from Part I</b> .....	<b>0.</b>	<b>0.</b>				<b>0.</b>
<b>Totals, Part II (lines 1-5)</b> .....	Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 11, col. (A). <b>0.</b>	Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 11, col. (B). <b>0.</b>				Enter here and on page 1, Part II, line 26. <b>0.</b>

**Schedule K - Compensation of Officers, Directors, and Trustees** (see instructions)

1. Name	2. Title	3. Percent of time devoted to business	4. Compensation attributable to unrelated business
(1) <b>KYLE YOUNG</b>	<b>DIRECTOR</b>	<b>.10%</b>	
(2) <b>NINA BURGHARD</b>	<b>SR. VP FIN SERVICES</b>	<b>.10%</b>	
(3)		%	
(4)		%	
<b>Total.</b> Enter here and on page 1, Part II, line 14 .....			<b>0.</b>

FORM 990-T	OTHER DEDUCTIONS	STATEMENT	1
DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	
OTHER GENERAL & ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES		5,145.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-T, PAGE 1, LINE 27		5,145.	

FORM 990-T	COST OF GOODS SOLD - OTHER COSTS	STATEMENT	2
DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	
FOOD AND BEVERAGE		35,045.	
OCCUPANCY		834.	
STAFFING		49,687.	
ADVERTISING		49.	
DIGITAL MARKETING			
ADMINISTRATIVE		704.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-T, SCHEDULE A, LINE 4B		86,319.	

**SCHEDULE M  
(Form 990-T)**

**Unrelated Business Taxable Income from an  
Unrelated Trade or Business**

ENTITY 2

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2019**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

For calendar year 2019 or other tax year beginning \_\_\_\_\_, and ending \_\_\_\_\_.

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Name of the organization **COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.** Employer identification number **62-0753887**

Unrelated Business Activity Code (see instructions) ▶ **722320**

Describe the unrelated trade or business ▶ **UNRELATED EVENT RENTALS AND CATERING**

<b>Part I</b>	<b>Unrelated Trade or Business Income</b>	(A) Income	(B) Expenses	(C) Net
<b>1 a</b>	Gross receipts or sales <u>11,958,040.</u>			
<b>b</b>	Less returns and allowances			
<b>c</b>	Balance ▶	<b>1c</b>		
				<b>11,958,040.</b>
<b>2</b>	Cost of goods sold (Schedule A, line 7)	<b>2</b>		<b>5,545,113.</b>
<b>3</b>	Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c	<b>3</b>		<b>6,412,927.</b>
<b>4 a</b>	Capital gain net income (attach Schedule D)	<b>4a</b>		
<b>b</b>	Net gain (loss) (Form 4797, Part II, line 17) (attach Form 4797)	<b>4b</b>		
<b>c</b>	Capital loss deduction for trusts	<b>4c</b>		
<b>5</b>	Income (loss) from a partnership or an S corporation (attach statement)	<b>5</b>		
<b>6</b>	Rent income (Schedule C)	<b>6</b>		
<b>7</b>	Unrelated debt-financed income (Schedule E)	<b>7</b>		
<b>8</b>	Interest, annuities, royalties, and rents from a controlled organization (Schedule F)	<b>8</b>		
<b>9</b>	Investment income of a section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) organization (Schedule G)	<b>9</b>		
<b>10</b>	Exploited exempt activity income (Schedule I)	<b>10</b>		
<b>11</b>	Advertising income (Schedule J)	<b>11</b>		
<b>12</b>	Other income (See instructions; attach schedule)	<b>12</b>		
<b>13</b>	<b>Total.</b> Combine lines 3 through 12	<b>13</b>		<b>6,412,927.</b>

**Part II Deductions Not Taken Elsewhere** (See instructions for limitations on deductions.) (Deductions must be directly connected with the unrelated business income.)

<b>14</b>	Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees (Schedule K)	<b>14</b>		<b>84,433.</b>
<b>15</b>	Salaries and wages	<b>15</b>		<b>2,089,487.</b>
<b>16</b>	Repairs and maintenance	<b>16</b>		
<b>17</b>	Bad debts	<b>17</b>		
<b>18</b>	Interest (attach schedule) (see instructions) <b>SEE STATEMENT 3</b>	<b>18</b>		<b>76,444.</b>
<b>19</b>	Taxes and licenses	<b>19</b>		
<b>20</b>	Depreciation (attach Form 4562)	<b>20</b>	<b>1,070,896.</b>	
<b>21</b>	Less depreciation claimed on Schedule A and elsewhere on return	<b>21a</b>		
<b>22</b>	Depletion	<b>22</b>		<b>1,070,896.</b>
<b>23</b>	Contributions to deferred compensation plans	<b>23</b>		
<b>24</b>	Employee benefit programs	<b>24</b>		
<b>25</b>	Excess exempt expenses (Schedule I)	<b>25</b>		
<b>26</b>	Excess readership costs (Schedule J)	<b>26</b>		
<b>27</b>	Other deductions (attach schedule) <b>SEE STATEMENT 4</b>	<b>27</b>		<b>2,614,153.</b>
<b>28</b>	<b>Total deductions.</b> Add lines 14 through 27	<b>28</b>		<b>5,935,413.</b>
<b>29</b>	Unrelated business taxable income before net operating loss deduction. Subtract line 28 from line 13	<b>29</b>		<b>477,514.</b>
<b>30</b>	Deduction for net operating loss arising in tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2018 (see instructions) <b>STMT 5</b>	<b>30</b>		<b>477,514.</b>
<b>31</b>	Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line 30 from line 29	<b>31</b>		

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Schedule M (Form 990-T) 2019

FORM 990-T (M)	INTEREST PAID	STATEMENT	3
DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	
INTEREST		76,444.	
TOTAL TO SCHEDULE M, PART II, LINE 18		76,444.	

FORM 990-T (M)	OTHER DEDUCTIONS	STATEMENT	4
DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	
HOUSEKEEPING AND SECURITY		612,406.	
GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE		681,103.	
OCCUPANCY		514,564.	
ADVERTISING AND MARKETING		472,747.	
OTHER INDIRECT STAFFING		333,333.	
TOTAL TO SCHEDULE M, PART II, LINE 27		2,614,153.	

SCHEDULE M	NET OPERATING LOSS DEDUCTION	STATEMENT	5	
TAX YEAR	LOSS SUSTAINED	LOSS PREVIOUSLY APPLIED	LOSS REMAINING	AVAILABLE THIS YEAR
12/31/18	563,177.		563,177.	563,177.
NOL CARRYOVER AVAILABLE THIS YEAR			563,177.	563,177.



COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.

62-0753887

**Schedule A - Cost of Goods Sold.** Enter method of inventory valuation ► N/A

1	Inventory at beginning of year	1		6	Inventory at end of year	6	
2	Purchases	2		7	<b>Cost of goods sold.</b> Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and in Part I, line 2	7	5,545,113.
3	Cost of labor	3		8	Do the rules of section 263A (with respect to property produced or acquired for resale) apply to the organization?	Yes	No
4a	Additional section 263A costs (attach schedule)	4a					
b	Other costs (attach schedule)	**	4b	5,545,113.			
5	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 4b	5	5,545,113.				X

**Schedule C - Rent Income (From Real Property and Personal Property Leased With Real Property)**

(see instructions)

1. Description of property

(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	

2. Rent received or accrued

(a) From personal property (if the percentage of rent for personal property is more than 10% but not more than 50%)	(b) From real and personal property (if the percentage of rent for personal property exceeds 50% or if the rent is based on profit or income)	3(a) Deductions directly connected with the income in columns 2(a) and 2(b) (attach schedule)
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
Total	0.	Total 0.

(c) **Total income.** Add totals of columns 2(a) and 2(b). Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (A) 0. (b) **Total deductions.** Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (B) 0.

**Schedule E - Unrelated Debt-Financed Income** (see instructions)

1. Description of debt-financed property	2. Gross income from or allocable to debt-financed property	3. Deductions directly connected with or allocable to debt-financed property		
		(a) Straight line depreciation (attach schedule)	(b) Other deductions (attach schedule)	
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
4. Amount of average acquisition debt on or allocable to debt-financed property (attach schedule)	5. Average adjusted basis of or allocable to debt-financed property (attach schedule)	6. Column 4 divided by column 5	7. Gross income reportable (column 2 x column 6)	8. Allocable deductions (column 6 x total of columns 3(a) and 3(b))
(1)		%		
(2)		%		
(3)		%		
(4)		%		
<b>Totals</b>			0.	0.
<b>Total dividends-received deductions</b> included in column 8				0.

\*\* SEE STATEMENT 8

**Schedule K - Compensation of Officers, Directors, and Trustees** (see instructions)

1. Name	2. Title	3. Percent of time devoted to business	4. Compensation attributable to unrelated business
(1) <b>KYLE YOUNG</b>	<b>DIRECTOR</b>	<b>9.00%</b>	<b>0.</b>
(2) <b>NINA BURGHARD</b>	<b>SR. VP FIN SERVICES</b>	<b>13.60%</b>	<b>0.</b>
(3)		%	
(4)		%	
<b>Total.</b> Enter here and on page 1, Part II, line 14			<b>0.</b>

Form **990-T** (2019)

FORM 990-T (M)	COST OF GOODS SOLD - OTHER COSTS	STATEMENT	8
DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	
FOOD AND BEVERAGE		1,441,633.	
EVENT SALES AND SERVICES		1,887,238.	
STAFFING		2,031,440.	
OCCUPANCY		34,310.	
ADVERTISING		45,277.	
DIGITAL MARKETING		71,067.	
ADMINISTRATION		34,148.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-T, SCHEDULE A, LINE 4B		5,545,113.	

**SCHEDULE M  
(Form 990-T)**

**Unrelated Business Taxable Income from an  
Unrelated Trade or Business**

ENTITY 3

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2019**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

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Name of the organization **COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.** Employer identification number **62-0753887**

Unrelated Business Activity Code (see instructions) ▶ **453220**

Describe the unrelated trade or business ▶ **UNRELATED RETAIL SALES OF MERCHANDISE**

<b>Part I Unrelated Trade or Business Income</b>		(A) Income	(B) Expenses	(C) Net
<b>1 a</b> Gross receipts or sales	<b>2,427,944.</b>			
<b>b</b> Less returns and allowances				
<b>c Balance ▶</b>	<b>1c</b>	<b>2,427,944.</b>		
<b>2</b> Cost of goods sold (Schedule A, line 7)	<b>2</b>	<b>993,352.</b>		
<b>3</b> Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c	<b>3</b>	<b>1,434,592.</b>		<b>1,434,592.</b>
<b>4 a</b> Capital gain net income (attach Schedule D)	<b>4a</b>			
<b>b</b> Net gain (loss) (Form 4797, Part II, line 17) (attach Form 4797)	<b>4b</b>			
<b>c</b> Capital loss deduction for trusts	<b>4c</b>			
<b>5</b> Income (loss) from a partnership or an S corporation (attach statement)	<b>5</b>			
<b>6</b> Rent income (Schedule C)	<b>6</b>			
<b>7</b> Unrelated debt-financed income (Schedule E)	<b>7</b>			
<b>8</b> Interest, annuities, royalties, and rents from a controlled organization (Schedule F)	<b>8</b>			
<b>9</b> Investment income of a section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) organization (Schedule G)	<b>9</b>			
<b>10</b> Exploited exempt activity income (Schedule I)	<b>10</b>			
<b>11</b> Advertising income (Schedule J)	<b>11</b>			
<b>12</b> Other income (See instructions; attach schedule)	<b>12</b>			
<b>13 Total.</b> Combine lines 3 through 12	<b>13</b>	<b>1,434,592.</b>		<b>1,434,592.</b>

**Part II Deductions Not Taken Elsewhere** (See instructions for limitations on deductions.) (Deductions must be directly connected with the unrelated business income.)

<b>14</b> Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees (Schedule K)	<b>14</b>		<b>5,403.</b>
<b>15</b> Salaries and wages	<b>15</b>		<b>133,716.</b>
<b>16</b> Repairs and maintenance	<b>16</b>		
<b>17</b> Bad debts	<b>17</b>		
<b>18</b> Interest (attach schedule) (see instructions)	<b>18</b>	<b>SEE STATEMENT 6</b>	<b>21,849.</b>
<b>19</b> Taxes and licenses	<b>19</b>		<b>65,304.</b>
<b>20</b> Depreciation (attach Form 4562)	<b>20</b>	<b>306,084.</b>	
<b>21</b> Less depreciation claimed on Schedule A and elsewhere on return	<b>21a</b>		
<b>22</b> Depletion	<b>22</b>		<b>306,084.</b>
<b>23</b> Contributions to deferred compensation plans	<b>23</b>		
<b>24</b> Employee benefit programs	<b>24</b>		
<b>25</b> Excess exempt expenses (Schedule I)	<b>25</b>		
<b>26</b> Excess readership costs (Schedule J)	<b>26</b>		
<b>27</b> Other deductions (attach schedule)	<b>27</b>	<b>SEE STATEMENT 7</b>	<b>797,804.</b>
<b>28 Total deductions.</b> Add lines 14 through 27	<b>28</b>		<b>1,330,160.</b>
<b>29</b> Unrelated business taxable income before net operating loss deduction. Subtract line 28 from line 13	<b>29</b>		<b>104,432.</b>
<b>30</b> Deduction for net operating loss arising in tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2018 (see instructions)	<b>30</b>		<b>0.</b>
<b>31</b> Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line 30 from line 29	<b>31</b>		<b>104,432.</b>

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Schedule M (Form 990-T) 2019

FORM 990-T (M)	INTEREST PAID	STATEMENT	6
DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	
INTEREST		21,849.	
TOTAL TO SCHEDULE M, PART II, LINE 18		21,849.	

FORM 990-T (M)	OTHER DEDUCTIONS	STATEMENT	7
DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	
HOUSEKEEPING AND SECURITY		234,058.	
GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE		194,674.	
OCCUPANCY		147,073.	
ADVERTISING AND MARKETING		135,121.	
INDIRECT STAFFING		86,878.	
TOTAL TO SCHEDULE M, PART II, LINE 27		797,804.	

COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.

62-0753887

**Schedule A - Cost of Goods Sold.** Enter method of inventory valuation ▶

1	Inventory at beginning of year .....	1		6	Inventory at end of year .....	6			
2	Purchases .....	2		7	<b>Cost of goods sold.</b> Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and in Part I, line 2 .....	7			
3	Cost of labor .....	3		8	Do the rules of section 263A (with respect to property produced or acquired for resale) apply to the organization? .....		Yes	No	
4a	Additional section 263A costs (attach schedule) .....	4a							
b	Other costs (attach schedule) .....	4b							
5	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 4b .....	5							

**Schedule C - Rent Income (From Real Property and Personal Property Leased With Real Property)**

(see instructions)

1. Description of property

(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	

2. Rent received or accrued

(a) From personal property (if the percentage of rent for personal property is more than 10% but not more than 50%)	(b) From real and personal property (if the percentage of rent for personal property exceeds 50% or if the rent is based on profit or income)	3(a) Deductions directly connected with the income in columns 2(a) and 2(b) (attach schedule)
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
Total	0.	Total 0.

(c) **Total income.** Add totals of columns 2(a) and 2(b). Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (A) .....

(b) **Total deductions.** Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (B) ... 0.

**Schedule E - Unrelated Debt-Financed Income** (see instructions)

1. Description of debt-financed property	2. Gross income from or allocable to debt-financed property	3. Deductions directly connected with or allocable to debt-financed property		
		(a) Straight line depreciation (attach schedule)	(b) Other deductions (attach schedule)	
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
4. Amount of average acquisition debt on or allocable to debt-financed property (attach schedule)	5. Average adjusted basis of or allocable to debt-financed property (attach schedule)	6. Column 4 divided by column 5	7. Gross income reportable (column 2 x column 6)	8. Allocable deductions (column 6 x total of columns 3(a) and 3(b))
(1)		%		
(2)		%		
(3)		%		
(4)		%		
<b>Totals</b> .....		Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 7, column (A). 0.		Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 7, column (B). 0.
<b>Total dividends-received deductions</b> included in column 8 .....				0.

**Schedule K - Compensation of Officers, Directors, and Trustees** (see instructions)

1. Name	2. Title	3. Percent of time devoted to business	4. Compensation attributable to unrelated business
(1) <b>KYLE YOUNG</b>	<b>DIRECTOR</b>	<b>.90%</b>	<b>0.</b>
(2) <b>NINA BURGHARD</b>	<b>SR. VP FIN SERVICES</b>	<b>1.40%</b>	<b>0.</b>
(3)		%	
(4)		%	
<b>Total.</b> Enter here and on page 1, Part II, line 14			<b>0.</b>

Form **990-T** (2019)

# Underpayment of Estimated Tax by Corporations

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

▶ Attach to the corporation's tax return. **FORM 990-T**

▶ Go to [www.irs.gov/Form2220](http://www.irs.gov/Form2220) for instructions and the latest information.

**2019**

Name <b>COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.</b>	Employer identification number <b>62-0753887</b>
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**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.

<b>Part I Required Annual Payment</b>			
1 Total tax (see instructions) .....		<b>1</b>	39,194.
2 a Personal holding company tax (Schedule PH (Form 1120), line 26) included on line 1 .....	<b>2a</b>		
b 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 .....	<b>2b</b>		
c Credit for federal tax paid on fuels (see instructions) .....	<b>2c</b>		
d Total. Add lines 2a through 2c .....		<b>2d</b>	
3 Subtract line 2d from line 1. If the result is less than \$500, <b>do not</b> complete or file this form. The corporation does not owe the penalty .....		<b>3</b>	39,194.
4 Enter the tax shown on the corporation's 2018 income tax return. See instructions. <b>Caution:</b> 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 .....		<b>4</b>	149,279.
5 <b>Required annual payment.</b> Enter the <b>smaller</b> of line 3 or line 4. If the corporation is required to skip line 4, enter the amount from line 3 .....		<b>5</b>	39,194.

**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.

<b>Part III Figuring the Underpayment</b>					
		(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
9 <b>Installment due dates.</b> Enter in columns (a) through (d) the 15th day of the 4th ( <b>Form 990-PF filers:</b> Use 5th month), 6th, 9th, and 12th months of the corporation's tax year .....	<b>9</b>	04/15/19	06/15/19	09/15/19	12/15/19
10 <b>Required installments.</b> 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% (0.25) of line 5 above in each column .....	<b>10</b>	9,799.	9,798.	9,799.	9,798.
11 Estimated tax paid or credited for each period. For column (a) only, enter the amount from line 11 on line 15. See instructions .....	<b>11</b>	39,240.	55,000.	55,000.	
<b>Complete lines 12 through 18 of one column before going to the next column.</b>					
12 Enter amount, if any, from line 18 of the preceding column .....	<b>12</b>		29,441.	74,643.	119,844.
13 Add lines 11 and 12 .....	<b>13</b>		84,441.	129,643.	119,844.
14 Add amounts on lines 16 and 17 of the preceding column .....	<b>14</b>				
15 Subtract line 14 from line 13. If zero or less, enter -0- .....	<b>15</b>	39,240.	84,441.	129,643.	119,844.
16 If the amount on line 15 is zero, subtract line 13 from line 14. Otherwise, enter -0- .....	<b>16</b>		0.	0.	
17 <b>Underpayment.</b> 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 .....	<b>17</b>				
18 <b>Overpayment.</b> If line 10 is less than line 15, subtract line 10 from line 15. Then go to line 12 of the next column .....	<b>18</b>	29,441.	74,643.	119,844.	

**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.**

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**Part IV Figuring the Penalty**

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
<b>19</b> Enter the date of payment or the 15th day of the 4th month after the close of the tax year, whichever is earlier. <b>(C corporations with tax years ending June 30 and S corporations:</b> Use 3rd month instead of 4th month. <b>Form 990-PF and Form 990-T filers:</b> Use 5th month instead of 4th month.) See instructions .....	<b>19</b>			
<b>20</b> Number of days from due date of installment on line 9 to the date shown on line 19 .....	<b>20</b>			
<b>21</b> Number of days on line 20 after 4/15/2019 and before 7/1/2019 .....	<b>21</b>			
<b>22</b> Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 21} \times 6\% (0.06)}{365}$ .....	<b>22</b>	\$	\$	\$
<b>23</b> Number of days on line 20 after 06/30/2019 and before 10/1/2019 .....	<b>23</b>			
<b>24</b> Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 23} \times 5\% (0.05)}{365}$ .....	<b>24</b>	\$	\$	\$
<b>25</b> Number of days on line 20 after 9/30/2019 and before 1/1/2020 .....	<b>25</b>			
<b>26</b> Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 25} \times 5\% (0.05)}{365}$ .....	<b>26</b>	\$	\$	\$
<b>27</b> Number of days on line 20 after 12/31/2019 and before 4/1/2020 .....	<b>27</b>			
<b>28</b> Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 27} \times 5\% (0.05)}{366}$ .....	<b>28</b>	\$	\$	\$
<b>29</b> Number of days on line 20 after 3/31/2020 and before 7/1/2020 .....	<b>29</b>			
<b>30</b> Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 29} \times \%}{366}$ .....	<b>30</b>	\$	\$	\$
<b>31</b> Number of days on line 20 after 6/30/2020 and before 10/1/2020 .....	<b>31</b>			
<b>32</b> Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 31} \times \%}{366}$ .....	<b>32</b>	\$	\$	\$
<b>33</b> Number of days on line 20 after 9/30/2020 and before 1/1/2021 .....	<b>33</b>			
<b>34</b> Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 33} \times \%}{366}$ .....	<b>34</b>	\$	\$	\$
<b>35</b> Number of days on line 20 after 12/31/2020 and before 3/16/2021 .....	<b>35</b>			
<b>36</b> Underpayment on line 17 x $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 35} \times \%}{365}$ .....	<b>36</b>	\$	\$	\$
<b>37</b> Add lines 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, and 36 .....	<b>37</b>	\$	\$	\$
<b>38 Penalty.</b> Add columns (a) through (d) of line 37. Enter the total here and on Form 1120, line 34; or the comparable line for other income tax returns .....	<b>38</b>	\$		0.

\* 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](http://www.irs.gov). You can also call 1-800-829-4933 to get interest rate information.