# Form **990**

# **Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

OMB No. 1545-0047

2016

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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Interest change   Interest   In	В	Check if a	oplicable: C Name of organization The Trustees Of The Public Library Of The City Of	Boston	D Employ	er identification number
Initial return		Address c	nange Doing business as			04-6151731
Instantament   Ins		Name cha	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Roor	n/suite	<b>E</b> Telepho	ne number
First warm/terminated Ammended return   BOSTON, MA, 0.2116   BOSTON,						617-536-5400
Amended return   Application pending   Flame and address of principal officer: ELLEN DONAGHEY   Highlis his a grow return for subordinates   Vest   No. Application pending   Flame and address of principal officer: ELLEN DONAGHEY   Highlis his a grow return for subordinates   Vest   No. Methods   No. Method	П		0" 1 170 6 1 1 1			
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Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2016 (Part V, line 1a)   10   10   10   10   10   10   10   1	$\overline{\Box}$			H(a) Is this a		
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Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: TO SERVE THE CULTURAL, EDUCATIONAL AND INFORMATIONAL NEEDS OF THE CITY OF BOSTOM AND THE COMMONWEALTH.    AND INFORMATIONAL NEEDS OF THE CITY OF BOSTOM AND THE COMMONWEALTH.	_			1040	W Otato	or legal dornlone. WA
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8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)		l d	let unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-1, line 34			
9    Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)						
Total revenue (Part VIII, Column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	e	1				10,521,597
Total revenue (Part VIII, Column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	ē	1				124,119
Total revenue (Part VIII, Column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	že				1,665,957	4,493,124
13   Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	_	1			2,033,048	2,289,540
14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)					8,484,721	17,428,380
15   Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)   2,937,007   3,210,156     16a   Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)   0   0     17   Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)   7,338,198   6,851,019     18   Total expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)   7,338,198   6,851,019     19   Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12   1,790,484   7,367,205     19   Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12   1,790,484   7,367,205     20   Total assets (Part X, line 16)   66,644,122   74,904,608     21   Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)   2,325,523   1,517,814     Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20   64,318,599   73,386,794     Part II   Signature Block   Signature Block   Signature Block   Signature of officer     Type or print name and title   Firm's name   Preparer's signature   Preparer's signature   Date   Check   if self-employed     Firm's name   Firm's address   Firm's EIN   Firm's address   Phone no.		1			0	0
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1	Briefly describe the organization's i			
		TIONAL AND INFORMATIONAL NEEDS OF THE F	PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF BO	STON
	AND THE COMMONWEALTH.			
2	Did the organization undertake any	significant program services during the year	which were not listed on th	<u>е</u>
	If "Yes," describe these new service			
3		ucting, or make significant changes in how		
	services?			☐ Yes ✓ No
4	If "Yes," describe these changes of			
4		m service accomplishments for each of its the 01(c)(4) organizations are required to report the		
		any, for each program service reported.	o amount of granto and an	coaliono to others,
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4a	(Code: ) (Expenses \$	7,995,946 including grants of \$	o) (Revenue \$	124,119 )
	ACTIVITIES AND PROGRAMS OF TH	E PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.		
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4d	Other program services (Describe in	n Schedule O.)		
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4e	Total program service expenses ▶	7 005 046		

#### Part IV **Checklist of Required Schedules** Nο 1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," 1 2 1 2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)? . . . . Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to 3 4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, 5 assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C. 5 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? If 6 7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II . . . . 7 8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," 8 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 9 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted 10 endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V . . . 10 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, 11 VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable. a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," 11a 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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII . . . . . . . . . . . 11b c 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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII . . . . . . . . . . . 11c d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets 11d e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D. Part X 11e 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)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X ... 11f 12 a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete 12a b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional 12b Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E..... 13 **14 a** Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States? . . . . . . 14a **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? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV. . . . . . 14b Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or 15 for any foreign organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 15 16 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? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV. . . . . . . . . . . 16 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on 17 Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions) . . . . . . 17 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on 18 18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? 19

Part	V Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)			
			Yes	No
20 a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>	20a		~
b	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return? .	20b		
21	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	21		,
22	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III			_
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23	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule J	23	,	
24a	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? If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a	24a		,
	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception? Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24b 24c		
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		
25a	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a		_
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25b		,
26	Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II	26		~
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III	27		,
28	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):			
а	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28a		~
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b		_
С	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV			,
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	28c 29		~
30	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in hon-cash contributions? If res, complete schedule M conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M			
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N,</i>	30		~
	Part I	31		~
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II	32		,
33	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>	33		,
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1	34	,	
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a		~
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)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	35b		
36	<b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule R, Part V, line</i> 2	36		~
37	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</i> "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI	37		,
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? <b>Note.</b> All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O.	38	,	

#### Form 990 (2016) Page 5 Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance Part V Yes Nο 1a Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable . . . . 1a 197 Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable . . . . 0 Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and 1c Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return 2a If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? . 2b / **Note.** If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions) . . . Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? . . . . 3a If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O . . . 3b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial 4a If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶ See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR). 5a Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year? . . . 5a Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? 5b 5c 6a Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions? . . . . . . b If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or 6b 7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c). Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods 7a If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided? . . . . . . 7b Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was 7c If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year . . . . . . . . . . . Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? 7e Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? . 7f f If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required? 7g If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C? Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the 8 sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year? . . . . . . . . . 8 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966? . . . . . . . 9a

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Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a

response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions. Section A. Governing Body and Management Nο 1a 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 in Schedule O. Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent 2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with 2 ~ 3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person? 3 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed? 4 4 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets? . 5 5 6 6 Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint 7a Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, 7b Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following: 8a ~ 8b 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 in Schedule O. . . . . . . 9 Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.) Yes Nο **10a** Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates? 10a ~ 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? 10b 11a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? 11a b Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990. 12a Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13 12a Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? ~ 12b Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," 12c 13 13 14 14 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? 15 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? The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official . . . . . . 15a 15b If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions). 16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement 16a ~ 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 Section C. Disclosure List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ▶ 17 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) 18 available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply. Own website Another's website ✓ Upon request Other (explain in Schedule O) Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and 19 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: ▶ ELLEN DONAGHEY, (617)859-2345

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

## 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.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

Check this box if neither the organization no	r any relate	d orga	aniza	atio	n c	ompe	nsa	ated any curren	t officer, director	r, or trustee.
	(C)									
(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per	box,	ot ch unles	s pe	more rson	e than o is both or/trust	n an	(D) Reportable compensation	(E)  Reportable compensation from	<b>(F)</b> Estimated amount of
	week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)		Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	other compensation from the organization and related organizations
ROBERT E GALLERY	1									
Chairman	0	~						0	0	0
EVELYN ARANA-ORTIZ	1									
Vice-Chairman	0	~						0	0	0
ZAMAWA ARENAS	1									
Trustee	0	~						0	0	0
BEN BRADLEE JR	1									
Trustee	0	~						0	0	0
CHERYL CRONIN	1									
Trustee	0	~						0	0	0
CAROL FULP	1									
Trustee(To February 2017)	0	~						0	0	0
PRISCILLA DOUGLAS	1									
Trustee(effective 6-27-16)	0	~						0	0	0
JOHN T HAILER	1									
Trustee	0	~						0	0	0
PAUL A LA CAMERA	1									
Trustee	0	~						0	0	0
BYRON RUSHING	1									
Trustee	0	~						0	0	0
DEBORAH ANN KIRRANE	35									
Clerk(Through 7-12-16)	0			~				0	65,366	9,922
PAMELA CARVER	35									
Clerk & Executive Assistant To President(eff. 11-1	4 0			~				0	9,471	853
DAVID J LEONARD	35									
President	0			~				0	179,269	24,057
ELLEN DONAGHEY	35									
Chief Financial Officer (CFO)	0			~				0	128,028	31,038

Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trust	tees, Key E	mploy	yees	s, ar	nd F	lighes	st C	ompensated E	mployees (c	ontinue	ed)	•	
<b>(A)</b> Name and title	(B) Average hours per	box, ι	unles	Pos neck ss pe	rson	e than o is both or/trust	n an	(D)  Reportable compensation	(E) Reportable	eportable ensation from		(F) mated ount of	
	week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	related organizatior (W-2/1099-MI		comp fro orgai and	ther ensation m the nization related ization	n I
MICHAEL R COLFORD	35												
Director Of Library Services	0					~		28,339	113	,355		2	1,210
JAMES P MEADE	35					_			120	400		,	1 004
Superrintendent Of Library Buildings VLADIMIR YAMPOLSKY	35							0	128	,600		3	1,086
Acting Chief Technlogy Oficer()	0					~		0	125	,717		2	9,555
LAURA S IRMSCHER	35												
Chief Of Collections	0					~		19,000	101	,551		3	0,226
ELIZABETH S PRINDLE	35												
Head of Special Collections	0					-		36,168	83	,107		1	2,285
1b Sub-total							<b></b>	83,507	934	,464		19	0,232
c Total from continuation sheets to Part	VII, Sectio	n A					▶						
							<u> </u>	83,507	934			19	0,232
2 Total number of individuals (including bureportable compensation from the organical part of the compensation).		to th	ose	e list	ed	above	e) w		ore than \$10	0,000	of		
reportable compensation from the organi	Zation							16				Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any former of	ficer, direc	tor, c	r tr	uste	ee,	key e	emp	oloyee, or high	est comper	sated		103	110
employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete	Schedule J	for su	ıch	indi	ividu	ıal					3		~
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the													
organization and related organizations	greater the	an \$1	150,	000	)? /:	f "Ye	s,"	complete Sch	edule J for	such			
individual			ncat	tion	fro	· m anv	 	rolated organia	 vation or indi	 vidual	4	~	
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive of for services rendered to the organization?											5		~
Section B. Independent Contractors								,					
Complete this table for your five highest compensation from the organization. Repyear.													ax
(A) Name and business add	ress							(B) Description of s	ervices	(	(C) Compens	ation	
See Schedule O, Statement 1													
2 Total number of independent contractor	re (includir	na hi	ıt n	ot I	limi+	od +0	\	nosa listad aba	ave) who				
received more than \$100,000 of compens							י נו	1035 11315U aD0 4	JVE) WIIU				

# Part VIII Statement of Revenue

	LVIII	Check if Schedule C		ponse or note to	anv line in this	Part VIII		$\sqcap$
					(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a	Federated campaigns		0				
Gra Iou	b	Membership dues .	1b	0				
s, ( Am	С	Fundraising events .		0				
Gift Iar	d	Related organizations	s 1d	0				
ini Ti	е	Government grants (con		3,202,436				
tior Sr.S	f	All other contributions, g						
ibu The		and similar amounts not inc	cluded above 1f	7,319,161				
d tr	g	Noncash contributions include		0				
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1	f	▶	10,521,597			
Program Service Revenue				Business Code				
, Ken	2a	PROGRAM REVENUE		611710	124,119	124,119	0	0
æ	b							
<u>Yi</u> Ce	С							
Ser	d							
Ē	е							
ogra	f	All other program ser			0	0	0	0
<u> </u>	g	Total. Add lines 2a-2	f	•	124,119			
	3	Investment income		ends, interest,				
		and other similar amo	ounts)	▶	625,880	0	0	625,880
	4	Income from investmen	t of tax-exempt b	ond proceeds ►	0	0	0	0
	5	Royalties		•	0	0	0	0
			(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
	6a	Gross rents	1,716,172	0				
	b	Less: rental expenses	0	0				
	С	Rental income or (loss)	1,716,172	0				
	d	Net rental income or	(loss)	•	1,716,172	0	0	1,716,172
	7a		(i) Securities	(ii) Other				
		assets other than inventory	25,019,081	2,500,000				
	b	Less: cost or other basis						
		and sales expenses .	23,184,999	466,838				
	С	Gain or (loss)	1,834,082	2,033,162				
	d	Net gain or (loss) .		▶	3,867,244	0	0	3,867,244
Other Revenue	8a	Gross income from fu	0					
er Re		of contributions reported See Part IV, line 18	ed on line 1c). · · · <b>a</b>					
₹	b	Less: direct expenses						
_	С	Net income or (loss) f		events . ►				
	9a	Gross income from gassee Part IV, line 19 .						
	b	Less: direct expenses						
	С	Net income or (loss) f		ivities ▶				
	10a	Gross sales of in returns and allowance						
	b	Less: cost of goods s	old <b>b</b>					
	С	Net income or (loss) f	rom sales of inv	entory ►				
		Miscellaneous P	Revenue	Business Code				
	11a	OTHER REVENUE		611710	422,129	0	0	422,129
	b	MICROFILMING/PHOT	O DUPLICATE	611710	151,239	0	0	151,239
	С							
	d	All other revenue .			0	0	0	0
	е	Total. Add lines 11a-	11d	•	573,368			
	12	Total revenue. See in	nstructions	<u></u> ▶	17,428,380	124,119	0	6,782,664
					,:==,=30			Form <b>990</b> (2016)

# 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 V

	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX										
	ot include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	( <b>D</b> ) Fundraising expenses						
1	Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations										
	and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	0									
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 5	Benefits paid to or for members Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees										
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	2,954,486	2,245,409	709,077							
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	84,242	64,024	20,218							
9	Other employee benefits	171,428	130,285	41,143							
10	Payroll taxes	171,420	130,203	41,143							
11											
	Fees for services (non-employees):										
a	Management										
b	Legal										
С	Accounting	28,000		28,000							
d	Lobbying										
е	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17										
f	Investment management fees	309,915		309,915							
g	Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.)	1 012 012	769,889	242 122							
10	- i	1,013,012		243,123							
12	Advertising and promotion	54,272	41,247	13,025							
13	Office expenses	529,664	402,545	127,119							
14	Information technology	538,582	409,322	129,260							
15	Royalties										
16	Occupancy	1,587	1,206	381							
17	Travel	68,654	52,177	16,477							
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials										
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings .	64,009	48,647	15,362							
20	Interest	3.,507	10,047	10,002							
21	Payments to affiliates										
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization .	105,020	79,815	25,205							
23	Insurance	2,996	17,015	25,205							
	<u> </u>	2,770		2,770							
24	Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered										
	above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column										
	(A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)										
а	BOOKS & RELATED MATERIAL	1,669,460	1,669,460	0	0						
b	EQUIP,RENTAL & MAINTENACE	661,637	502,844	158,793	0						
С	PROGRAM & ADMIN	866,146	866,146	0	0						
d	SECURITY	399,076	303,298	95,778	0						
е	All other expenses	538,989	409,632	129,357	0						
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	10,061,175	7,995,946	2,065,229	0						
26	Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here    if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)	,,,,,,,,,	, 11,100	,,							
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# Part X Balance Sheet

ئلو	art X	Check if Schedule O contains a response or	r note to a	any line in this Par	† X		. 🗸
		Check if Schedule O Contains a response of	THOLE TO a	any intentitional	(A) Beginning of year	-	(B) End of year
	1	Cash-non-interest-bearing			1,117,144	1	401,748
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments			9,775,301	2	14,947,455
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net				3	
	4	Accounts receivable, net			937,025	4	1,711,400
	5	Loans and other receivables from current and trustees, key employees, and highest co-Complete Part II of Schedule L	ompensate	ed employees.		5	
S	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified pers 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), ar sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) volunorganizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Sche	ined under section ing employers and byees' beneficiary		6		
Assets	7	Notes and loans receivable, net			7		
Ass	8	Inventories for sale or use			8		
•	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			1,426	9	5,518
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or	1,420	3	3,316		
	100	other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a	2,510,089			
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation	10b	2,259,675	822,274	100	250,414
	11	-			53,990,952		57,588,073
	12	Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line	53,770,752	12	37,300,073		
	13	Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line		13			
	14	Intangible assets		14			
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11				15	
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equa			66,644,122	16	74,904,608
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses			1,004,028		74,904,808
	18	Grants payable	_	1,004,020	18	757,125	
	19	Deferred revenue	383,340		336,240		
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		303,340	20	330,240	
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete				21	
G	22	Loans and other payables to current and for					
Liabilities	22	trustees, key employees, highest compendisqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedu	nsated er	mployees, and		22	
Lia	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrela		<u> </u>		23	
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated		· -		24	
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, parties, and other liabilities not included on lines	payables s 17-24). (	to related third Complete Part X			
		of Schedule D		_	938,155		424,449
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25			2,325,523	26	1,517,814
seo		Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958 complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and	d 34.	J			
a	27	Unrestricted net assets			2,481,131		2,073,147
Ва	28	Temporarily restricted net assets			7,100,351		11,188,011
Net Assets or Fund Balances	29	Permanently restricted net assets			54,737,117	29	60,125,636
S O	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		1		30	
set	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or ed				31	
As	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated in		-		32	
et	33	Total net assets or fund balances			64,318,599	33	73,386,794
Z	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances			66,644,122		74,904,608
	<u> </u>	. Star habilities and flot assets/fully balances .			00,044,122	<u> </u>	Form <b>990</b> (2016)

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Part	Reconciliation of Net Assets			
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI .			~
1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)		17,4	128,380
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)		10,0	061,175
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1		7,3	367,205
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A)) 4		64,3	318,599
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments		4,2	200,995
6	Donated services and use of facilities			0
7	Investment expenses			0
8	Prior period adjustments			0
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)		-2,5	500,005
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line			
	33, column (B))		73,3	386,794
Part	XII Financial Statements and Reporting			
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII	<u> </u>		$\perp$
			Yes	s No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: Cash Accrual Other	_		
	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain Schedule O.	in		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?	. 2	а	~
	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:			
	☐ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis			
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	. 2	b 🗸	
	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:			
	✓ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis			
С	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversig			
	of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant	? 2	c 🗸	
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain Schedule O.	in		
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?	in . 3	а	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \
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 in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits.		b	
				0 (22 (2)

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

# **Public Charity Status and Public Support**

OMB No. 1545-0047 2016

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

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.

▶ Information about Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Employer identification number Name of the organization The Trustees Of The Public Library Of The City Of Boston 04-6151731 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.) A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(i). A school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ).) A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). 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: An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in 5 section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Complete Part II.) ✓ 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.) ☐ A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.) 8 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: An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 331/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross 10 receipts from activities related to its exempt functions - subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 331/3% 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.) 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 12d, Type I. A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving а 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. 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. Type III non-functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) d 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. 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. Enter the number of supported organizations . Provide the following information about the supported organization(s). (iii) Type of organization (i) Name of supported organization (ii) EIN (iv) Is the organization (v) Amount of monetary (vi) Amount of (described on lines 1-10 listed in your governing support (see other support (see above (see instructions)) document? instructions) instructions) Yes No (A) (B) (C) (D) (E) **Total** 

(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) 2012 **(b)** 2013 (c) 2014 (d) 2015 **(e)** 2016 (f) Total Gifts, grants, contributions, 1 membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") . . . revenues levied organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf . . . The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge . . . . Total. Add lines 1 through 3. . . . 4 The portion of total contributions by 5 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) . . . . Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4 Section B. Total Support Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶ (a) 2012 **(b)** 2013 (c) 2014 (d) 2015 (e) 2016 (f) Total 7 Amounts from line 4 . . . . . . 8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources . . . . . . . . . . . Net income from unrelated business 9 activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on . . . . . 10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.) . . . . . . . **Total support.** Add lines 7 through 10 11 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) 12 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) 13 Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage Public support percentage for 2016 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) . . . . . 14 % Public support percentage from 2015 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 15 331/3% support test - 2016. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 331/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 331/3% support test - 2015. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 331/3% or more, check 17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2016. 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 stop here. Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2015. 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 stop here. Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see 18

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

# 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 falls to qualify	under the te	sts listed bei	ow, please co	implete Fart	11.)	
	on A. Public Support						
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	<b>(a)</b> 2012	<b>(b)</b> 2013	(c) 2014	(d) 2015	<b>(e)</b> 2016	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees						
•	received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2	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						
3	Gross receipts from activities that are not an						
	unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4	Tax revenues levied for the						
	organization's benefit and either paid						
	to or expended on its behalf						
5	The value of services or facilities						
	furnished by a governmental unit to the						
	organization without charge						
6	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5						
	Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3						
-	received from disqualified persons .						
b	Amounts included on lines 2 and 3						
2	received from other than disqualified						
	persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000						
	or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c	Add lines 7a and 7b						
8	Public support. (Subtract line 7c from						
_	line 6.)						
Secti	on B. Total Support						_
	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2012	<b>(b)</b> 2013	(c) 2014	(d) 2015	<b>(e)</b> 2016	(f) Total
9	Amounts from line 6	(a) 2012	(2) 2010	(6) 2011	(4) 2010	(6) 2010	(i) rotar
10a	Gross income from interest, dividends,						
IVa	payments received on securities loans, rents,						
	royalties and income from similar sources .						
h	Unrelated business taxable income (less						
D	section 511 taxes) from businesses						
	acquired after June 30, 1975						
•	Add lines 10a and 10b						
11	Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether						
	or not the business is regularly carried on						
40							
12	Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets						
	(Explain in Part VI.)						
10	Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11,						
13	and 12.)						
14	First five years. If the Form 990 is for the	o organization	a's first socon	d third fourth	or fifth tax w	or as a soctio	D 501(a)(3)
14	organization, check this box and <b>stop he</b>	•					` ' : '
Sacti	on C. Computation of Public Suppor			<u> </u>			
15	Public support percentage for 2016 (line 8			3 column (fl)		15	%
16	Public support percentage from 2015 Sch		-			16	<del></del>
	on D. Computation of Investment Inc					10	70
17	Investment income percentage for 2016 (I			v line 13 colu	mn (f))	17	%
18	Investment income percentage from 2015			-		18	——————————————————————————————————————
19a	33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> % support tests—2016. If the organi						
isa	17 is not more than 33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> %, check this box						
b	33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> % support tests—2015. If the organiz	_	=	-		_	
D	line 18 is not more than 331/3%, check this b						
20	Private foundation If the organization di	_		•			_

## 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	Na
1	Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If "No," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by		res	No
2	class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.  Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> how the organization determined that the supported	1		
	organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).	2		
3a	Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.	3a		
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)? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> when and how the organization made the determination.	3b		
С	Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.	3c		
4a	Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes," and if you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.	4a		
b	Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.	4b		
С	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)? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> 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.	4c		
5a	Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> , 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).	5a		
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?	5b		
С	Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?	5с		
6	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>	6		
7	Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with			
8	regard to a substantial contributor? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).  Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7?	7		
Ū	If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).	8		
9a	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))? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI.</b>	00		
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? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI.</b>	9a 9b		
С	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? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI.</b>	9b 9c		
10a	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	30		
<b>L</b>	supporting organizations)? If "Yes," answer 10b below.	10a		
D	Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to	406		

Part I	V Supporting Organizations (continued)			
			Yes	No
11	Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?			
а	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?	11a		<u> </u>
	A family member of a person described in (a) above?	11b		<u> </u>
	A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> .	11c		
Section	on B. Type I Supporting Organizations			I
_			Yes	No
1	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 <b>Part VI</b> 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.	1		
2	Did the approximation approach fourth a homeful of any approximation at how there the approached	-		
2	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? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part</i>			
	VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated,			
	supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.	2		
Section	on C. Type II Supporting Organizations			<u> </u>
Occur	on or Type in Supporting Organizations		Yes	No
1	Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors		163	140
•	or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how control			
	or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed			
	the supported organization(s).	1		
Section	on D. All Type III Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	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?	1		
2	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).	2		
3	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 <b>Part VI</b> the role the organization's			
	supported organizations played in this regard.	3		
Section	on E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations			
1	Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see i	nstru	ctions	s).
а	☐ The organization satisfied the Activities Test. <i>Complete line 2 below.</i>			
b	☐ The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. <i>Complete line 3 below.</i>			
С	☐ The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in <b>Part VI</b> how you supported a government entity (	see in	struct	ions).
•	Activities Test Anguar (a) and (b) below		Vaa	Na
2	Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.		Yes	NO
а	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 <b>Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain</b> 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.	2a		
b	Did the activities described in (a) constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more	a		
J	of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> the			
	reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these			
	activities but for the organization's involvement.	2b		
3	Parent of Supported Organizations. <i>Answer (a) and (b) below.</i>			
	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? <i>Provide details in Part VI.</i>	3a		
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 <b>Part VI</b> the role played by the organization in this regard.	3b		

instructions).

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Org	gani	zations	
1 Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organ			
Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(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		
<b>6</b> 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 Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4).	8		
Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(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 Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d		
e Discount 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 Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8		
Section C - Distributable Amount			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 Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to			
emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).	6		
7 Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functional	ly int	egrated Type III support	ng organization (see

Part	V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3	3) Supporting Organi	zations (continued)	
Secti	on D - Distributions	,	,	Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish	exempt purposes		
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exe	empt purposes of suppo	rted	
	organizations, in excess of income from activity			
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purp	oses of supported orga	nizations	
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets			
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)			
6	Other distributions (describe in <b>Part VI</b> ). See instructions.			
7	<b>Total annual distributions.</b> Add lines 1 through 6.			
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to whic	h the organization is res	ponsive	
	(provide details in <b>Part VI</b> ). See instructions.			
9_	Distributable amount for 2016 from Section C, line 6			
10	Line 8 amount divided by Line 9 amount	<u> </u>		<b>/</b>
S	ection E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2016	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2016
1	Distributable amount for 2016 from Section C, line 6			
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2016 (reasonable cause required – explain in Part VI). See instructions.			
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2016:			
a				
b				
c	From 2013			
d	From 2014			
e	From 2015			
f	Total of lines 3a through e			
<u>g</u>	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
<u>h</u>	Applied to 2016 distributable amount			
_ <u>i</u>	Carryover from 2011 not applied (see instructions)			
j_	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
4	Distributions for 2016 from Section D, line 7: \$			
a	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b	Applied to 2016 distributable amount			
c	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2016, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
6	Remaining underdistributions for 2016. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
7	<b>Excess distributions carryover to 2017</b> . Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8	Breakdown of line 7:			
a	5 ( 0040			
b	Excess from 2013			
C	Excess from 2014			
d	Excess from 2015			
е	Excess from 2016			

Part VI	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.)

# SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

# **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.

20**16**d "Yes" on Form 990,
d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.

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▶ Information about Schedule D (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Name o	of the organization		Employer identification number
The T	rustees Of The Public Library Of The City Of Boston		04-6151731
Par	t I Organizations Maintaining Donor Adv	rised Funds or Other Similar Fun	ds or Accounts.
	Complete if the organization answered '		
		(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1	Total number at end of year	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	,,
	<del>-</del>		
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		
	funds are the organization's property, subject to th	e organization's exclusive legal contro	ol? □ Yes □ No
6	Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, a	and donor advisors in writing that gran	nt funds can be used
	only for charitable purposes and not for the benef	fit of the donor or donor advisor, or fo	or any other purpose
	conferring impermissible private benefit?		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · No
Par	Conservation Easements.		
	Complete if the organization answered '	'Yes" on Form 990 Part IV line 7	
1	Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the		
	,		for bright wind like incomparison to local areas
	Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreat	·	
	Protection of natural habitat	☐ Preservation of	f a certified historic structure
_	Preservation of open space		
2	Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization he	eld a qualified conservation contribution	on in the form of a conservation
	easement on the last day of the tax year.		Held at the End of the Tax Year
а	Total number of conservation easements		2a
b	Total acreage restricted by conservation easement	s	2b
С	Number of conservation easements on a certified h	nistoric structure included in (a)	<b>2c</b>
d	Number of conservation easements included in	. ,	
			l l
3	Number of conservation easements modified, trans	sferred, released, extinguished, or terr	
_	tax year ►		g
4	Number of states where property subject to conse	rvation easement is located ▶	
5	Does the organization have a written policy reg		nection handling of
Ū	violations, and enforcement of the conservation ea		
6	Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspect		
O	Stall and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspect	ling, nariding of violations, and emorcing t	conservation easements during the year
_			
7	Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting	ig, nandling of violations, and enforcing	conservation easements during the year
_	<b>\\$</b>	248	
8	Does each conservation easement reported on line		
	and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?		· · · · · · L Yes L No
9	In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports of		•
	balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of		ancial statements that describes the
	organization's accounting for conservation easeme	ents.	
Part	III Organizations Maintaining Collection	s 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 SF	AS 116 (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, ed	ducation, or research in furtherance of
	public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the fe		
b	If the organization elected, as permitted under S	FAS 116 (ASC 958) to report in its	revenue statement and balance sheet
~	works of art, historical treasures, or other similar		
	public service, provide the following amounts relati		
	•	•	▶ Φ
	(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,		<b>9</b> .
	following amounts required to be reported under S		
а	Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 .		
b	Assets included in Form 990, Part X		▶ \$

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Part 3	Using the organization's acquisition, a collection items (check all that apply):									
а	Public exhibition		al	Loon	or exchang	o prog	rame			
	Scholarly research			☐ Loan	_					
b	<u> </u>		е	□ Otner						
C	Preservation for future generations		ماميده امما	in have +1	aav fuutbar	+ha ara	ranization'a d		at n	a in Dort
4	Provide a description of the organizat XIII.	ion's collections a	па ехріг	airi riow tr	ley lurther	the org	janization s e	exemp	or purpose	e in Pari
_								,		
5	During the year, did the organization assets to be sold to raise funds rather							ımııar		✓ No
Part	IV Escrow and Custodial Arra	ngements.								
	Complete if the organization	answered "Yes"	on For	m 990, F	Part IV, line	9, or	reported ar	amo	ount on F	orm
	990, Part X, line 21.			•		-	·			
1a		custodian or oth	er interm	nediary fo	r contribut	ions or	r other asset	s not		
				-					☐ Yes	□No
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Pa	art XIII and comple	te the fo	llowing ta	able:					
-	ii roo, explain the arrangement ii r	art Am and comple	, 10 110 10	nowing to	2010.			Am	ount	
С	Beginning balance					10				
d	Additions during the year					10				
						16				
e	Distributions during the year					11				
f	Ending balance							0		
2a	Did the organization include an amour							-		□ NO
	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Pa	art XIII. Check here	e if the ex	kpianatior	n nas been	provid	ed on Part XI	II		
Part		1 437 - 1	–		5 N / . P	40				
	Complete if the organization						( D T)			
		(a) Current year	(b) Prid	-	(c) Two year		(d) Three years		(e) Four ye	
1a	Beginning of year balance	54,737,117	57	7,246,297	58,1	80,929	52,75	3,733	48	,682,793
b	Contributions	2,087,806		102,035		0	1!	5,500		0
С	Net investment earnings, gains, and									
	losses	6,399,122		457,590	1,9	18,715	8,29	4,304	6	,768,479
d	Grants or scholarships	2,605,575	:	2,554,972	2,3	83,873	2,30	2,155	2	,204,833
е	Other expenditures for facilities and									
	programs	154,919		151,989	1	41,904	13	7,178		131,571
f	Administrative expenses	337,915		361,844	3	27,570		3,275		361,135
g	End of year balance	60,125,636	54	4,737,117		46,297	58,18		52	,753,733
2	Provide the estimated percentage of the						· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
а	Board designated or quasi-endowmer	-	%	, ,	,	,,				
b		00 %	/ 0							
c	Temporarily restricted endowment ▶	0 %								
Ū	The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and		nn%							
За	Are there endowment funds not in the			zation tha	at are held	and ad	lministered fo	or the		
ou	organization by:	, possession or th	c organiz	zation the	at are ricia	ana aa	iiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiii	JI LIIC		es No
	=									25 NO
	(i) unrelated organizations							•	3a(i)	
	(ii) related organizations							٠		
_	If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related or							•	3b •	<u> </u>
4	Describe in Part XIII the intended uses		n's endo	wment fu	ınas.					
Part			. –				o = -			4.5
	Complete if the organization							90, F		
	Description of property	(a) Cost or oth			r other basis		Accumulated		(d) Book v	alue
		(investme	erit)	(01	ther)	d	epreciation			
1a	Land		0		0					0
b	Buildings		0		0			0		0

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Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.) .

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Schedule D (Form 990) 2016 Page 4 Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return. Part XI

	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.		
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	19,596,210
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:		
а	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments		
b	Donated services and use of facilities		
С	Recoveries of prior year grants		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)		
е	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	2,167,830
3	Subtract line <b>2e</b> from line <b>1</b>	3	17,428,380
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:		
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b 4a 0		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)		
С	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b>	4c	0
5	Total revenue. Add lines <b>3</b> and <b>4c.</b> (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)	5	17,428,380
Part	XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses pe	r Re	eturn.
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.		

1	lotal expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	10,061,175
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:		
а	Donated services and use of facilities		
b	Prior year adjustments		
С	Other losses		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)		
е	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	0
3	Subtract line <b>2e</b> from line <b>1</b>	3	10,061,175
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b 4a 0		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)		
С	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b>	4c	0
5	Total expenses. Add lines <b>3</b> and <b>4c.</b> (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	5	10.061.175

#### 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.

Schedule D, Part III, Line 1 - EXPLANATION: TERMS FOR NOT REPORTING ASSETS PER SFAS 116. THE LIBRARY MAINTAINS COLLECTIONS INCLUDING ARTWORK, RARE COLLECTION BOOKS AND HISTORICAL TREASURERS THAT HAVE BEEN PURCHASED OR DONATED. THESE ITEMS ARE PRESERVED AND CARED FOR AND MANY ARE DISPLAYED IN PUBLIC EXHIBITIONS. THE LIBRARY DOES NOT HAVE A FORMAL POLICY THAT REQUIRES PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE OF THESE ITEMS TO BE USED TO EXPAND THE COLLECTIONS THROUGH ADDITIONAL ACQUISITIONS. HOWEVER, HISTORICALLY, THE LIBRARY HAS NOT SOLD WORKS OF ARTS AND HISTORICAL TREASURES. AS OF JUNE 30, 2017, THE LIBRARY HAD NO INTENTION TO SELL COLLECTIONS OR USE PROCEEDS TO RESTORE CURRENT HOLDINGS OR EXPAND THE COLLECTION THROUGH ADDITIONAL ACQUISITIONS------IN ADDITION-FORM 990 SCHEDULE D, PART XIII-EXPLANATION: PART XIII SUPPLEMENTAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION THE LIBRARY IS A PUBLIC ENTITY AND THEREFORE DOES NOT FOLLOW FASB PRONOUNCEMENTS ISSUED AFTER NOVEMBER 30, 1989.

Schedule D, Part III, Line 4 - THE LIBRARY BOASTS OVER ONE MILLION RARE BOOKS AND MANUSCRIPTS, A WEALTH OF MAPS, MUSICAL SCORES AND PRINTS. AMONG ITS LARGE COLLECTIONS, THE LIBRARY HOLDS SEVERAL FIRST EDITION FOLIOS BY WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE, ORIGINAL MUSIC FROM MOZART TO PROKOFIEV'S "PETER AND THE WOLFE", AND IN ITS RARE BOOK COLLECTION, THE PERSONAL LIBRARY OF JOHN ADAMS. DUE TO THE EXTENT OF THE COLLECTIONS, MANY ITEMS ARE DISPLAYED ON A ROTATING BASIS. THESE UNIQUE SPECIAL EXIBITS ARE SHOWN IN THE RESEARCH LIBRARY AND OFFER THE PUBLIC AN OPPERTUNITY TO VIEW BOOKS AND SPECIAL DOCUMENTS WHICH ARE USUALLY ONLY ACCESSIBLE TO REGISTERED READERS IN THE RARE BOOKS READING ROOM.

Schedule D, Part V, Line 1c - ITEM '1C' LABELED NET INVESTMENTS EARNINGS, GAINS, AND LOSSES NOW SHOWS ACTUAL INCREASE IN INVESTMENTS FOR CURRENT AND ALL PRIOR YEARS LISTED HERE.

Schedule D, Part V, Line 1d - ITEM '1D' LABELED GRANTS OR SCHOLARSHIPS NOW SHOWS 5% DISTRIBUTION WITHDRAWN FROM THE ENDOWMENT INVESTMENTS FOR CURRENT AND ALL PRIOR YEARS LISTED HERE.

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# Part XIII - Supplemental Information (Continued)

Schedule D, Part V, Line 1e - ITEM '1E' LABELED OTHER EXPENDITURES FOR FACILITIES AND PROGRAMS NOW SHOWS DISTRIBUTION TO TRINITY CHURCH IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR CURRENT AND ALL PRIOR YEARS LISTED HERE.
Schedule D, Part V, Line 1f - ITEM '1F' LABELED ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES NOW SHOWS ACTUAL EXPENSES FOR CURRENT AND ALL PRIOR YEARS LISTED HERE.
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Schedule D, Part V, Line 4 - ENDOWMENT FUNDS ARE USED TO SUPPORT THE ACTIVITIES AND PROGRAMS OF THE PUBLIC
LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSOTN.
Schedule D, Part XI, Line 2d - SALE/DISPOSTITON OF ASSETS WHICH THE PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE WAS PAID DIRECTLY TO
THE CITY OF BOSTON.

## **SCHEDULE J** (Form 990)

Compensation Information

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.

▶ Information about Schedule J (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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The Trustees Of The Public Library Of The City Of Boston

Employer identification number

04-6151731

Part	Questions Regarding Compensation			
			Yes	No
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.			
	☐ First-class or charter travel ☐ Housing allowance or residence for personal use			
	☐ Travel for companions ☐ Payments for business use of personal residence			
	☐ Tax indemnification and gross-up payments ☐ Health or social club dues or initiation fees			
	☐ Discretionary spending account ☐ Personal services (such as, maid, chauffeur, chef)			
<b>L</b>				
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	1b		
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?			
	1a?	2		
3	Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing 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.			
	☐ Compensation committee ☐ Written employment contract			
	☐ Independent compensation consultant ☐ Compensation survey or study			
	Form 990 of other organizations 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:			
а	Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?	4a		~
b	Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?	4b		~
С	Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?	4c		~
	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:			
а	The organization?	5a		~
b	Any related organization?	5b		~
	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:			
а	The organization?	6a		~
b	Any related organization?	6b		~
	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	7		~
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 Rest III			,
	in Part III	8		
9	If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in			
J	Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?	9		

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## 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			f W-2 and/or 1099-MIS		(C) Retirement and	(D) Nontaxable	(E) Total of columns	(F) Compensation
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation	other deferred compensation	benefits	(B)(i)–(D)	in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
DAVID J LEONARD, President	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	(ii)	174,269	5,000	0	16,134	7,923	203,326	0
MICHAEL R COLFORD, Director	(i)	28,339	0	0	0	0	28,339	0
Of Library Services	(ii)	113,355	0	0	12,752	8,458	134,565	
JAMES P MEADE,	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	
3 Superrintendent Of Library	(ii)	128,601	0	0	11,574	19,512	159,687	0
FLLEN DONAGHEY Chief	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Financial Officer (CFO)	(ii)	128,028	0	0	11,523	19,515	159,066	0
	(i)							
5	(ii)							
	(i)							
6	(ii)							
	(i)							
7	(ii)							
	(i)							
8	(ii)							
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12	(ii)							
10	(i) (ii)							
13	(i)							
44	(ii)							
14	(i)							
45	(ii)							
15	(i)							
40	(ii)							
16	(11)							

Schedule J (Form 990) 2016 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. Schedule J, Part I, Line 3 - THE COMPENSATION FOR CEO/EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS ARE SET BY THE CITY OF BOSTON'S HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT.

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

### Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on

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Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

► Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ. ▶ Information about Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990. **Employer identification number** Name of the organization

The Trustees Of The Public Library Of The City Of Boston 04-6151731 Form 990, Part IV, Line 29 - BEGINNING IN FY 1999 THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION (FCC) "ERATE" PROGRAM HAS BEEN SUPPORTING THE OPERATING COSTS RELATED TO THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY'S INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY INFRASTRUCTURE. THIS MONEY IS PAID BY THE FCC DIRECLTY TO BPL VENDORS AND IS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BPL'S AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. IN FY 2016 THE FCC COMMITTED AN ESTIMATED \$827,000 FOR WHICH \$769,000 HAS BEEN PAID OUT TO BPL VENDORS SO FAR Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 11b - A DRAFT OF FORM 990 WAS PROVIDED TO THE GOVERNING BODY FOR REVIEW BEFORE IT WAS FILED. Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 12c - ALL EMPLOYEES ARE PROVIDED A SUMMARY OF THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST LAW AND MUST SIGN AND COMPLETE AN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ITS RECEIPT AT TIME OF HIRE AND ANNUALLY THEREAFTER. ALSO, WITHIN THE FIRST 30 DAYS OF HIRE AND EVERY 2 YEARS THEREAFTER THEY ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE AN ONLINE TRAINING PROGRAM AT HTTP://WWW.MUNIPROG.ETH.STATE.MA.US/ Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 16a - THE COMPENSATION FOR OFFICERS AND KEY EMPLOYEES ARE SET BY THE CITY OF **BOSTON'S HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT** Form 990, Part VI, Section C, Line 19 - ALL GOVERNING DOCUMENTS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE LIBRARY'S WEBSITE: BPL.ORG. ALL POLICIES INCLUDING THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY ARE AVAILABLE ON THE CITY'S HUB WHICH ALL EMPLOYEES HAVE ACCESS TO AND THEY ARE ALSO INCLUDED ON THE CITY OF BOSTON EMPLOYEE HANDBOOK. Form 990, Part IX, Line 11g - CATALOGING \$304,956, PRINT DEPARTMENT CATALOGING \$227,983, DIGITIZATION SERVICES \$175,220, CLERICAL/OFFICE ADMIN \$126,209, CONSERVATION/RESTORATION \$78,150, SNOW REMOVAL \$31,135, MAINTENANCE/FACILITIES \$27,365, LANDSCAPING \$22,031, PROGRAM SERVICES \$12,871, DESIGN SERVICES \$7,092 Form 990, Part X, Line 10c - FIXED ASSET HAS BEEN REDUCED CONSIDERABLY THIS YEAR DUE TO THE SALE OF NORWOOD FACILITY. Form 990, Part XI, Line 9 - THE SALE AND DISPOSITION OF THE NORWOOD FACILITY AND REMOVAL OF OTHER MISCELL ASSETS IN WHICH THE PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE WAS PAID OUT DIRECTLY TO THE CITY OF BOSTON.

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**Contractor Compensation** 

Name and address:	Description Of Services	Compensation
G4S Secure Solutions (USA) Inc P O Box 277469 Atlanta, GA 30384-7469	Security	399,076
EMCOR Service-North East DBA Comm Air Balco P O BOX 845286 BOSTON, MA 02284-5286	HVAC	247,236
OCLC Forest Press 4418 SOLUTIONS CENTER CHICAGO, IL 60677-4004	Cataloging Services	209,291
Internet Archive 300 FUNSTON AVENUE SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94118	Digitization	132,990
Total:		988,593

## **SCHEDULE R** (Form 990)

Part I

**Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships** 

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

▶ Information about Schedule R (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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

Name of the organization

Employer identification number 04-6151731

(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity		Prima	<b>(b)</b> ary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct con entity	
<u>(1)</u>								
(2)		•						
(3)								
(4)								
(5)								
(6)								
Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations one or more related tax-exempt organizations of	ations. Co	omplete if that year.	ne organization	answered "Yes"	on Form 990, Pa	rt IV, line 34 beca	ause it ha	ıd
(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization		(b) ry activity	(c) Legal domicile (sta	(d) te Exempt Code section	(e)	(f) us Direct controlling	Section 8	<b>g)</b> 512(b)(13) rolled tity?
(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization		(b)	(c) Legal domicile (sta	(d) te Exempt Code section	(e) n Public charity state	(f) us Direct controlling	Section 8	<b>g)</b> 512(b)(13) rolled
(a)		(b)	(c) Legal domicile (sta	(d) te Exempt Code section	(e) n Public charity state	(f) us Direct controlling	Section 5 cont ent	g) 512(b)(13) rolled tity?
(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization		(b)	(c) Legal domicile (sta	(d) te Exempt Code section	(e) n Public charity state	(f) us Direct controlling	Section 5 cont ent	g) 512(b)(13) rolled tity?
(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization  (1) See Schedule R, Part VII, Statement 1		(b)	(c) Legal domicile (sta	(d) te Exempt Code section	(e) n Public charity state	(f) us Direct controlling	Section 5 cont ent	g) 512(b)(13) rolled tity?
(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization  (1) See Schedule R, Part VII, Statement 1  (2)		(b)	(c) Legal domicile (sta	(d) te Exempt Code section	(e) n Public charity state	(f) us Direct controlling	Section 5 cont ent	g) 512(b)(13) rolled tity?
(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization  (1) See Schedule R, Part VII, Statement 1  (2)  (3)		(b)	(c) Legal domicile (sta	(d) te Exempt Code section	(e) n Public charity state	(f) us Direct controlling	Section 5 cont ent	g) 512(b)(13) rolled tity?
(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization  (1) See Schedule R, Part VII, Statement 1  (2)  (3)		(b)	(c) Legal domicile (sta	(d) te Exempt Code section	(e) n Public charity state	(f) us Direct controlling	Section 5 cont ent	g) 512(b)(13) rolled tity?

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	Disprop	h) ortionate ations?	(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	0 managing		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	
(1)												
(2)												
(3)												
(4)												
(5)												
(6)												
(7)												

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)	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f)	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	ge Section 512(b) controlled entity?	
								Yes	No
(1)									
(2)									
(3)									
(4)									
(5)									
(6)									
(7)									

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

Not	: Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule.	Ye	es N	10
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?			
а	Receipt of (i) interest, (ii) annuities, (iii) royalties, or (iv) rent from a controlled entity	а		/
b	Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)	b		/
С	Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)	C	/	
d	Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)	d		~
е	Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)	е		~
f	Dividends from related organization(s)	lf		~
g	Sale of assets to related organization(s)	g		~
h		h		~
i	Exchange of assets with related organization(s)	li 📗		~
j	Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)	lj 📗		~
k	Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)	k	$\Box$	~
ı		II		~
m		m .	/	
n		n .	/	_
0	Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)	0 6	/	
р	Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses	р	$\top$	~
a q		a		~
•				
r	Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)	r	$\top$	~
s		s		~
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	thresh	nolds	— ;.
	(a) (b) (c) (d)			_
	Name of related organization Transaction Amount involved Method of determining an	nount ir	nvolve	d
	type (a–s)			
Se	ee Schedule R, Part VII, Statement 2			_
(1)				
.,_				
(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	Are all sec 501	partners ction (c)(3) zations?	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	Disprop	h) portionate ations?	(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	Gene mana part	ral or aging	(k) Percentage ownership
				sections 512-514)	Yes	No			Yes	No		Yes	No	
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Part VII	Supplemental Information.  Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R. See Instructions.	,		

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## **Description of Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations**

Name and EIN BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY FOUNDATION INCORPORATED (04-3150560)

Address 700 BOYLSTON STREET

BOSTON, MA 02116

Primary activities SUPPORT

State or foreign countryMAExempt code section501C3Public charity status7Direct controlling entityN/A512(b)(13) controlled organization?No

Name and EIN ASSOCIATES OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY INCORPORATED (04-2900822)

Address 700 BOYLSTON STREET

BOSTON, MA 02116

Primary activitiesSUPPORTState or foreign countryMAExempt code section501C3Public charity status7Direct controlling entityN/A512(b)(13) controlled organization?No

Name and EIN THE CITY OF BOSTON (04-6011380)

Address ONE CITY HALL SQUARE

BOSTON, MA 02116

Primary activities GOVERNMENT

State or foreign countryMAExempt code section501C3Public charity status6Direct controlling entityN/A512(b)(13) controlled organization?No

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Part V, Line 2

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Description of Covered Relationships and Transaction Thresholds						
		Amt. involved				
Name	BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY FOUNDATION INCORPORATED	42,425				
Transaction type	0					
Method of determining amt. involved	THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY IS PAYING THE SALARY FOR A STAFF MEMBER					
	IN THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY FOUNDATION.					