

Form **990-PF**  
 Department of the Treasury  
 Internal Revenue Service

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

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**For calendar year 2017, or tax year beginning 01-01-2017, and ending 12-31-2017**

Name of foundation THERESA ALESSANDRA RUSSO FOUNDATION INC		<b>A Employer identification number</b> 11-3126316	
% RUSSO LAW GROUP PC			
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 250 LIDO BOULEVARD	Room/suite	<b>B Telephone number (see instructions)</b> (516) 432-0200	
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code LIDO BEACH, NY 11561			
<b>G</b> Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change		<b>D 1.</b> Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> <b>2</b> Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>H</b> Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		<b>E</b> If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>I</b> Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) ▶ \$ 1,338,748		<b>J</b> Accounting method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____ (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)	
		<b>F</b> If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>	

<b>Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses</b> <small>(The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions) )</small>		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
<b>Revenue</b>	<b>1</b> Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)	705,381			
	<b>2</b> Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is <b>not</b> required to attach Sch B				
	<b>3</b> Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
	<b>4</b> Dividends and interest from securities	31,915	31,915	31,915	
	<b>5a</b> Gross rents				
	<b>b</b> Net rental income or (loss)				
	<b>6a</b> Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10				
	<b>b</b> Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a				
	<b>7</b> Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		0		
	<b>8</b> Net short-term capital gain				
	<b>9</b> Income modifications				
	<b>10a</b> Gross sales less returns and allowances				
<b>b</b> Less Cost of goods sold					
<b>c</b> Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)					
<b>11</b> Other income (attach schedule)	26,508		26,508		
<b>12 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 11	763,804	31,915	58,423		
<b>Operating and Administrative Expenses</b>	<b>13</b> Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	112,007		18,027	93,980
	<b>14</b> Other employee salaries and wages	121,922		19,623	102,299
	<b>15</b> Pension plans, employee benefits				
	<b>16a</b> Legal fees (attach schedule)				
	<b>b</b> Accounting fees (attach schedule)				
	<b>c</b> Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
	<b>17</b> Interest				
	<b>18</b> Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	17,680	488	2,767	14,425
	<b>19</b> Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion	4,400		4,400	
	<b>20</b> Occupancy	30,000		4,828	25,172
	<b>21</b> Travel, conferences, and meetings	1,176		189	987
	<b>22</b> Printing and publications				
	<b>23</b> Other expenses (attach schedule)	140,460		8,589	131,871
	<b>24 Total operating and administrative expenses.</b> Add lines 13 through 23	427,645	488	58,423	368,734
	<b>25</b> Contributions, gifts, grants paid	187,145			187,145
<b>26 Total expenses and disbursements.</b> Add lines 24 and 25	614,790	488	58,423	555,879	
<b>27</b> Subtract line 26 from line 12					
<b>a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements</b>	149,014				
<b>b Net investment income</b> (if negative, enter -0-)		31,427			
<b>c Adjusted net income</b> (if negative, enter -0-)					

<b>Part II Balance Sheets</b> Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)		Beginning of year	End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
<b>Assets</b>	<b>1</b> Cash—non-interest-bearing . . . . .			
	<b>2</b> Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .	249,695	359,380	359,380
	<b>3</b> Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	<b>4</b> Pledges receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	<b>5</b> Grants receivable . . . . .			
	<b>6</b> Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions) . . . . .			
	<b>7</b> Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	<b>8</b> Inventories for sale or use . . . . .			
	<b>9</b> Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . . . . .			
	<b>10a</b> Investments—U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)			
	<b>b</b> Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule) . . . . .	827,259	857,069	947,619
	<b>c</b> Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule) . . . . .			
	<b>11</b> Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
	<b>12</b> Investments—mortgage loans . . . . .			
	<b>13</b> Investments—other (attach schedule) . . . . .			
	<b>14</b> Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ 61,668 Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ 29,919	22,230	31,749	31,749
<b>15</b> Other assets (describe ▶ _____)				
<b>16 Total assets</b> (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	1,099,184	1,248,198	1,338,748	
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>17</b> Accounts payable and accrued expenses . . . . .			
	<b>18</b> Grants payable . . . . .			
	<b>19</b> Deferred revenue . . . . .			
	<b>20</b> Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	<b>21</b> Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule) . . . . .			
	<b>22</b> Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)			
	<b>23 Total liabilities</b> (add lines 17 through 22) . . . . .	0	0	
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here</b> ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.</b>			
	<b>24</b> Unrestricted . . . . .			
	<b>25</b> Temporarily restricted . . . . .			
	<b>26</b> Permanently restricted . . . . .			
	<b>Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here</b> ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 27 through 31.</b>			
	<b>27</b> Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds . . . . .			
	<b>28</b> Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund			
<b>29</b> Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	1,099,184	1,248,198		
<b>30 Total net assets or fund balances</b> (see instructions) . . . . .	1,099,184	1,248,198		
<b>31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b> (see instructions) .	1,099,184	1,248,198		

<b>Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>			
<b>1</b> Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year—Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)		<b>1</b>	1,099,184
<b>2</b> Enter amount from Part I, line 27a . . . . .		<b>2</b>	149,014
<b>3</b> Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____		<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b> Add lines 1, 2, and 3 . . . . .		<b>4</b>	1,248,198
<b>5</b> Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____		<b>5</b>	
<b>6</b> Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30 .		<b>6</b>	1,248,198

**Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income**

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co)	(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo, day, yr)	(d) Date sold (mo, day, yr)
<b>1a</b>			

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
<b>a</b>			
<b>b</b>			
<b>c</b>			
<b>d</b>			
<b>e</b>			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(i) F M V as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	
<b>a</b>			
<b>b</b>			
<b>c</b>			
<b>d</b>			
<b>e</b>			

<b>2</b> Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	2	
<b>3</b> Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6) If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8	3	

**Part V Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income**

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income)

If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period?  Yes  No  
 If "Yes," the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e) Do not complete this part

**1** Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year, see instructions before making any entries

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col (b) divided by col (c))
2016	292,739	0	0.0
2015	289,789	0	0.0
2014	310,213	0	0.0
2013	232,431	0	0.0
2012	12,225	0	0.0

<b>2</b> Total of line 1, column (d)	2	0.0
<b>3</b> Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period—divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years	3	0.0
<b>4</b> Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2017 from Part X, line 5	4	0
<b>5</b> Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	0
<b>6</b> Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	314
<b>7</b> Add lines 5 and 6	7	314
<b>8</b> Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8	555,879

If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate See the Part VI instructions

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

Table with 11 rows for excise tax calculations. Includes fields for exempt foundations, tax under section 511, subtitle A tax, and total tax due/overpayment. Total tax due is 314.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

Table with 10 rows for activity statements. Includes questions about political campaigns, political expenditures, and state reporting. Includes Yes/No columns.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows 11-14 regarding controlled entities, distributions, public inspection requirements, and books in care.

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15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year.

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Row 16 regarding interest in foreign countries.

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

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

Main table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows 1a-4b regarding Form 4720 exceptions and requirements.

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

<b>5a</b>	During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to			
	<b>(1)</b> Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
	<b>(2)</b> Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955), or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
	<b>(3)</b> Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
	<b>(4)</b> Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? (see instructions). . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
	<b>(5)</b> Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
<b>b</b>	If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5), did <b>any</b> of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? . . . . .			<b>5b</b>
	Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here. . . . .			<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>c</b>	If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
	<i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d)</i>			
<b>6a</b>	Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
<b>b</b>	Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? . . . . . <i>If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870</i>			<b>6b</b>
				<b>No</b>
<b>7a</b>	At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
<b>b</b>	If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction? . . . . .			<b>7b</b>

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

Part VIII

Table with 5 columns: (a) Name and address, (b) Title and average hours per week, (c) Compensation, (d) Contributions to employee benefit plans, (e) Expense account. Includes entries for Susan S Russo, Elizabeth Einhart, Vincent J Russo, and Judy Murdaugh Jackson.

Table for compensation of five highest-paid employees. Columns: (a) Name and address, (b) Title and average hours per week, (c) Compensation, (d) Contributions to employee benefit plans, (e) Expense account.

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

Table for five highest-paid independent contractors. Columns: (a) Name and address, (b) Type of service, (c) Compensation.

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

Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

Table with 2 columns: Description of activity, Expenses. Includes entries for funds distributed to other tax-exempt organizations and performing arts academy.

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)

Table with 2 columns: Describe the two largest program-related investments, Amount. Includes entries for program-related investments and a total line.

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

<b>1</b>	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes		
<b>a</b>	Average monthly fair market value of securities.	<b>1a</b>	0
<b>b</b>	Average of monthly cash balances.	<b>1b</b>	0
<b>c</b>	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	<b>1c</b>	0
<b>d</b>	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, b, and c).	<b>1d</b>	0
<b>e</b>	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation).	<b>1e</b>	
<b>2</b>	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets.	<b>2</b>	0
<b>3</b>	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	<b>3</b>	0
<b>4</b>	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	<b>4</b>	0
<b>5</b>	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4.	<b>5</b>	0
<b>6</b>	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% of line 5.	<b>6</b>	0

**Part XI Distributable Amount** (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here  and do not complete this part.)

<b>1</b>	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6.	<b>1</b>	
<b>2a</b>	Tax on investment income for 2017 from Part VI, line 5.	<b>2a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Income tax for 2017 (This does not include the tax from Part VI).	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Add lines 2a and 2b.	<b>2c</b>	
<b>3</b>	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1.	<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b>	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	<b>4</b>	
<b>5</b>	Add lines 3 and 4.	<b>5</b>	
<b>6</b>	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions).	<b>6</b>	
<b>7</b>	<b>Distributable amount</b> as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1.	<b>7</b>	

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

<b>1</b>	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes		
<b>a</b>	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc.—total from Part I, column (d), line 26.	<b>1a</b>	555,879
<b>b</b>	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B.	<b>1b</b>	0
<b>2</b>	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes.	<b>2</b>	0
<b>3</b>	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
<b>a</b>	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required).	<b>3a</b>	0
<b>b</b>	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule).	<b>3b</b>	0
<b>4</b>	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4.	<b>4</b>	555,879
<b>5</b>	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see instructions).	<b>5</b>	314
<b>6</b>	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4.	<b>6</b>	555,565

**Note:** The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years.

**Part XIII Undistributed Income** (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2016	(c) 2016	(d) 2017
<b>1</b> Distributable amount for 2017 from Part XI, line 7				0
<b>2</b> Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2017				
<b>a</b> Enter amount for 2016 only. . . . .			0	
<b>b</b> Total for prior years 2015, 2014, 2013		0		
<b>3</b> Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2017				
<b>a</b> From 2012. . . . .	12,350			
<b>b</b> From 2013. . . . .	232,549			
<b>c</b> From 2014. . . . .	0			
<b>d</b> From 2015. . . . .	0			
<b>e</b> From 2016. . . . .	0			
<b>f</b> Total of lines 3a through e. . . . .	244,899			
<b>4</b> Qualifying distributions for 2017 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ _____				
<b>a</b> Applied to 2016, but not more than line 2a			0	
<b>b</b> Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions). . . . .				
<b>c</b> Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions). . . . .				
<b>d</b> Applied to 2017 distributable amount. . . . .				
<b>e</b> Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0			
<b>5</b> Excess distributions carryover applied to 2017 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a) )				
<b>6</b> Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
<b>a</b> Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	244,899			
<b>b</b> Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b . . . . .		0		
<b>c</b> Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed. . . . .				
<b>d</b> Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount—see instructions . . . . .		0		
<b>e</b> Undistributed income for 2016 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see instructions . . . . .			0	
<b>f</b> Undistributed income for 2017 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2018 . . . . .				0
<b>7</b> Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required - see instructions). . . . .				
<b>8</b> Excess distributions carryover from 2012 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions). . . . .	12,350			
<b>9</b> Excess distributions carryover to 2018. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a . . . . .	232,549			
<b>10</b> Analysis of line 9				
<b>a</b> Excess from 2013. . . . .	232,549			
<b>b</b> Excess from 2014. . . . .	0			
<b>c</b> Excess from 2015. . . . .	0			
<b>d</b> Excess from 2016. . . . .	0			
<b>e</b> Excess from 2017. . . . .	0			

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

<b>1a</b> If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2017, enter the date of the ruling. . . . . ▶		2015-04-28			
<b>b</b> Check box to indicate whether the organization is a private operating foundation described in section <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 4942(j)(3) or <input type="checkbox"/> 4942(j)(5)					
<b>2a</b> Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed . . . . .	Tax year	Prior 3 years			<b>(e) Total</b>
	<b>(a)</b> 2017	<b>(b)</b> 2016	<b>(c)</b> 2015	<b>(d)</b> 2014	
	0	0	0	0	0
<b>b</b> 85% of line 2a . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0
<b>c</b> Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed . . . . .	555,879	292,952	290,001	310,321	1,449,153
<b>d</b> Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities . . . . .	187,145	43,240	10,500	36,271	277,156
<b>e</b> Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities Subtract line 2d from line 2c . . . . .	368,734	249,712	279,501	274,050	1,171,997
<b>3</b> Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon					
<b>a</b> "Assets" alternative test—enter					
<b>(1)</b> Value of all assets . . . . .	1,338,748	1,107,044	752,872	568,321	3,766,985
<b>(2)</b> Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i) . . . . .	1,338,748	1,107,044	752,872	568,321	3,766,985
<b>b</b> "Endowment" alternative test— enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed. . . . .					
<b>c</b> "Support" alternative test—enter					
<b>(1)</b> Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties) . . . . .	705,381	630,213	472,609	449,064	2,257,267
<b>(2)</b> Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii). . . . .	222,504	229,787	234,553	301,418	988,262
<b>(3)</b> Largest amount of support from an exempt organization . . . . .	482,877	400,426	238,056	147,646	1,269,005
<b>(4)</b> Gross investment income . . . . .	31,915	21,536	22,022	10,959	86,432

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

**1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:**

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

**b** List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest

**2 Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:**

Check here  if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc (see instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d

**a** The name, address, and telephone number or e-mail address of the person to whom applications should be addressed  
 SUSAN S RUSSO  
 THERESA FOUNDATION 250 LIDO BLVD  
 LIDO BEACH, NY 11561  
 (516) 432-0200

**b** The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include  
 SEE ATTACHED

**c** Any submission deadlines  
 NO

**d** Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors  
 MUSIC, DANCE, ART AND RECREATION PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

**Part XV** **Supplementary Information** (continued)**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i> See Additional Data Table				
<b>Total . . . . .</b>			▶ <b>3a</b>	187,145
<b>b</b> <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
<b>Total . . . . .</b>			▶ <b>3b</b>	





**Form 990PF Part XV Line 3 - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
THE JOYCE THEATER 175 EIGHTH AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10011	NON-PROFIT		To fund the arts prgrams	2,400
IDEAS FOUNDATION18 UPPER GROUND LONDON SE1 9RQ UK	NON-PROFIT		To fund various programs	245
SOUTHAMPTON FRESH AIR FUND 36 BERKERS ISLAND ROAD SOUTHAMPTON, NY 11968	NON-PROFIT		To fund various programs	3,000
<b>Total . . . . . ▶</b> <b>3a</b>				187,145

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Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
SPECIAL OLYMPICS OF PENNSYLVANIA 270 WALKER DRIVE SUITE 101 W STATE COLLEGE, PA 16801	NON-PROFIT		To fund various programs	5,000
MEPHIBOSHETH FARMS ANGELIC RIDERS PO BOX 285 MARSHVILLE, NC 28103	NON-PROFIT		To fund various programs	5,000
ASPIRING ATTITUDES 8014 N WESTERN SUITE C OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73114	NON-PROFIT		TO fund various programs	4,000
<b>Total . . . . .</b> ▶ <b>3a</b>				187,145

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Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
NEW HAVEN BALLET 70 AUDUBON STREET NEW HAVEN, CT 06510	NON-PROFIT		To support the arts programs	2,000
SURF FOR ALL218 E PARK AVENUE LONG BEACH, NY 11561	NON-PROFIT		To fund various programs	5,000
CEREBRAL PALSY FOUNDATION 3 COLUMBUS CIRCLE 15TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019	NON-PROFIT		To fund various programs	5,500
<b>Total . . . . . ▶</b> <b>3a</b>				187,145

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Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
THE ARC OF DC 1825 K STREET NW SUITE 1200 WASHINGTON, DC 20006	NON-PROFIT		To fund various programs	1,250
THE FRIENDS OF MATHENY 65 HIGHLAND AVENUE PO BOX 339 PEAPACK, NJ 07977	NON-PROFIT		To fund various programs	1,250
THE ARC OF NEW JERSEY 985 LIVINGSTON AVENUE NORTH BRUNSWICK, NJ 08902	NON-PROFIT		To fund various programs	1,250
<b>Total . . . . . ▶</b> <b>3a</b>				187,145

<b>Form 990PF Part XV Line 3 - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment</b>				
Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
TASH 1101 15TH STREET NW SUITE 1212 WASHINGTON, DC 20005	NON-PROFIT		To fund various programs	1,250
UCPN380 WASHINGTON AVENUE ROOSEVELT, NY 11575	NON-PROFIT		To fund various programs	150,000
<b>Total . . . . .</b> ▶				187,145
<b>3a</b>				

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## TY 2017 Depreciation Schedule

**Name:** THERESA ALESSANDRA RUSSO FOUNDATION INC

**EIN:** 11-3126316

Description of Property	Date Acquired	Cost or Other Basis	Prior Years' Depreciation	Computation Method	Rate / Life (# of years)	Current Year's Depreciation Expense	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Cost of Goods Sold Not Included
EQUIPMENT	1996-06-03	1,903	1,903	M5					
LEASEHOLD IMPROVE	2009-01-01	5,100	2,782	M15		301			
LEASEHOLD IMPROVE	2010-01-01	33,641	17,317	M15		1,985			
FURNITURE/FIXTURES	2011-03-04	2,215	1,919	M7		198			
EQUIPMENT	2013-05-31	670	554	M5		77			
EQUIPMENT	2014-07-15	1,015	723	M5		117			
EQUIPMENT	2016-03-13	3,205	321	M5		1,026			
LEASHOLD IMPROVE	2017-08-01	13,920		M15		696			

**TY 2017 Land, Etc.  
Schedule****Name:** THERESA ALESSANDRA RUSSO FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 11-3126316

<b>Category / Item</b>	<b>Cost / Other Basis</b>	<b>Accumulated Depreciation</b>	<b>Book Value</b>	<b>End of Year Fair Market Value</b>
EQUIPMENT	1,903	1,903		
LEASEHOLD IMPROVE	5,100	3,083	2,017	
LEASEHOLD IMPROVE	33,641	19,302	14,339	
FURNITURE/FIXTURES	2,215	2,117	98	
EQUIPMENT	670	631	39	
EQUIPMENT	1,015	840	175	
EQUIPMENT	3,205	1,347	1,858	

**TY 2017 Other Expenses Schedule****Name:** THERESA ALESSANDRA RUSSO FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 11-3126316**Other Expenses Schedule**

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
FUNDRAISING				
THERESA AWARDS DINNER	28,051			28,051
GOLF OUTING EXPENSES	33,169			33,169
THERESA FUN DAY EXPENSES	1,077			1,077
OTHER FUNDRAISING EXPENSES	1,559			1,559
OFFICE AND MISCELLANEOUS				
SUPPLIES & OFFICE EXPENSE	32,606		3,183	29,423
PROMOTIONAL	31,664		3,420	28,244
INSURANCE	8,080		1,301	6,779
REPAIRS & MAINTENANCE	4,254		685	3,569

**TY 2017 Other Income Schedule****Name:** THERESA ALESSANDRA RUSSO FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 11-3126316**Other Income Schedule**

Description	Revenue And Expenses Per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income
ACADEMY OF PERFORMING ARTS-TUITION	26,508		26,508

**TY 2017 Taxes Schedule****Name:** THERESA ALESSANDRA RUSSO FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 11-3126316

<b>Category</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Net Investment Income</b>	<b>Adjusted Net Income</b>	<b>Disbursements for Charitable Purposes</b>
PAYROLL TAXES	17,192		2,767	14,425
INVESTMENT INCOME TAX	488	488		

**Schedule B**  
(Form 990, 990-EZ,  
or 990-PF)  
Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Schedule of Contributors**  
▶ Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF  
▶ Information about Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) and its instructions is at  
[www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990)

OMB No 1545-0047  
**2017**

**Name of the organization**  
THERESA ALESSANDRA RUSSO FOUNDATION INC

**Employer identification number**  
11-3126316

**Organization type** (check one)

**Filers of:**

**Section:**

Form 990 or 990-EZ

- 501(c)( ) (enter number) organization
- 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation
- 527 political organization

Form 990-PF

- 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation
- 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation
- 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

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

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

**General Rule**

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

**Special Rules**

- For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33<sup>1</sup> 3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h, or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.
- For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.
- For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year. . . . . ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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

<b>Name of organization</b> THERESA ALESSANDRA RUSSO FOUNDATION INC	<b>Employer identification number</b> 11-3126316
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<b>Part I Contributors</b> (See Instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
—	See Additional Data Table <hr/> <hr/>	\$ _____	<b>Person</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Payroll</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Noncash</b> <input type="checkbox"/>  (Complete Part II for noncash contribution )
—	<hr/> <hr/>	\$ _____	<b>Person</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Payroll</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Noncash</b> <input type="checkbox"/>  (Complete Part II for noncash contribution )
—	<hr/> <hr/>	\$ _____	<b>Person</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Payroll</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Noncash</b> <input type="checkbox"/>  (Complete Part II for noncash contribution )
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—	<hr/> <hr/>	\$ _____	<b>Person</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Payroll</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Noncash</b> <input type="checkbox"/>  (Complete Part II for noncash contribution )

<b>Name of organization</b> THERESA ALESSANDRA RUSSO FOUNDATION INC	<b>Employer identification number</b> 11-3126316
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**Part II** **Noncash Property** (See instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions)	(d) Date received
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____

<b>Name of organization</b> THERESA ALESSANDRA RUSSO FOUNDATION INC	<b>Employer identification number</b> 11-3126316
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**Part III** Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions.) ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____

(e) Transfer of gift		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4			
_____		_____	
_____		_____	

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____

(e) Transfer of gift		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4			
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_____		_____	

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Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4			
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	_____	_____	_____

(e) Transfer of gift		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4			
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# Additional Data

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**Name:** THERESA ALESSANDRA RUSSO FOUNDATION INC

Form 990 Schedule B, Part I - Contributors (see Instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	THERESA POOLED TRUST-THE CENTER FOR SPECIAL NEEDS- 4912 CREEKSIDE DRIVE CLEARWATER, FL 33760	\$ 482,877	<b>Person</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Payroll</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Noncash</b> <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contribution )
2	CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED LESS THAN 5 250 LIDO BOULEVARD LIDO BEACH, NY 11561	\$ 176,354	<b>Person</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Payroll</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Noncash</b> <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contribution )
3	HARLEY GORDON 541 BOYLSTON STREET BROOKLINE, MA 02445	\$ 5,000	<b>Person</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Payroll</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Noncash</b> <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contribution )
4	RUSSO LAW GROUP PC 100 QUENTIN ROOSEVELT BLVD STE 102 GARDEN CITY, NY 11530	\$ 12,675	<b>Person</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Payroll</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Noncash</b> <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contribution )
5	VINCENT AND SUSAN RUSSO 91 BIARRITZ STREET LIDO BEACH, NY 11561	\$ 10,000	<b>Person</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Payroll</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Noncash</b> <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contribution )
6	ANTHONY CAPORRINO 300 JERICO QUADRANGLE SUITE 110 WE JERICO, NY 11753	\$ 7,725	<b>Person</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Payroll</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Noncash</b> <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contribution )

Form 990 Schedule B, Part I - Contributors (see Instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7	<p>MASSMUTUAL</p> <hr/> <p>6800 JERICHO TURNPIKE SUITE 202W</p> <hr/> <p>SYOSSET, NY 11791</p>	<hr/> <p>\$ 5,750</p> <hr/>	<p><b>Person</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Payroll</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Noncash</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Complete Part II for noncash contribution )</p>
8	<p>CENTER FOR SPECIAL NEEDS TRUST</p> <hr/> <p>4912 CREEKSIDE DRIVE</p> <hr/> <p>CLEARWATER, FL 33760</p>	<hr/> <p>\$ 5,000</p> <hr/>	<p><b>Person</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Payroll</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Noncash</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Complete Part II for noncash contribution )</p>