

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2017

Report Required by the Ethics
in Government Act of 1978
(5 U.S.C. app. §§ 101-111)

1. Person Reporting (last name, first, middle initial) Peterson, James D.	2. Court or Organization District Court - Western Wisconsin	3. Date of Report 5/15/2018
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) U.S. District Judge - active status	5a. Report Type (check appropriate type) ☐ Nomination ☐ Date ☐ Initial ☒ Annual ☐ Final 5b. ☐ Amended Report	6. Reporting Period 01/01/2017 to 12/31/2017
7. Chambers or Office Address 120 North Henry Street, Room 560 Madison, WI 53703		
IMPORTANT NOTES: The instructions accompanying this form must be followed. Complete all parts, checking the NONE box for each part where you have no reportable information.		

I. POSITIONS. (Reporting individual only; see pp. 9-13 of filing instructions.)

☐ NONE (No reportable positions.)

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NAME OF ORGANIZATION/ENTITY</u>
1. Co-Trustee	Trust No. 1.
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	

II. AGREEMENTS. (Reporting individual only; see pp. 14-16 of filing instructions.)

☐ NONE (No reportable agreements.)

<u>DATE</u>	<u>PARTIES AND TERMS</u>
1. 1998-1999	Wisconsin Retirement System Plan; balance payable at retirement
2.	
3.	

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III. NON-INVESTMENT INCOME. *(Reporting individual and spouse; see pp. 17-24 of filing instructions.)***A. Filer's Non-Investment Income**NONE *(No reportable non-investment income.)*DATESOURCE AND TYPEINCOME
(yours, not spouse's)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

B. Spouse's Non-Investment Income - *If you were married during any portion of the reporting year, complete this section.**(Dollar amount not required except for honoraria.)*NONE *(No reportable non-investment income.)*DATESOURCE AND TYPE

1. 2017

Associated Banc-Corp - salary and bonus

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

IV. REIMBURSEMENTS *— transportation, lodging, food, entertainment.**(Includes those to spouse and dependent children; see pp. 25-27 of filing instructions.)*NONE *(No reportable reimbursements.)*SOURCEDATESLOCATIONPURPOSEITEMS PAID OR PROVIDED

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

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V. GIFTS. *(Includes those to spouse and dependent children; see pp. 28-31 of filing instructions.)*

☒ NONE *(No reportable gifts.)*

SOURCE	DESCRIPTION	VALUE
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		

VI. LIABILITIES. *(Includes those of spouse and dependent children; see pp. 32-33 of filing instructions.)*

☒ NONE *(No reportable liabilities.)*

CREDITOR	DESCRIPTION	VALUE CODE
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		

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VII. INVESTMENTS and TRUSTS – income, value, transactions (Includes those of spouse and dependent children; see pp. 34-60 of filing instructions.)

☐ NONE (No reportable income, assets, or transactions.)

A. Description of Assets (including trust assets) Place "(X)" after each asset exempt from prior disclosure	B. Income during reporting period		C. Gross value at end of reporting period		D. Transactions during reporting period				
	(1) Amount Code 1 (A-H)	(2) Type (e.g., div., rent, or int.)	(1) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(2) Value Method Code 3 (Q-W)	(1) Type (e.g., buy, sell, redemption)	(2) Date mm/dd/yy	(3) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(4) Gain Code 1 (A-H)	(5) Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)
1. Ally Bank cash account	A	Interest	K	T					
2. Associated Bank cash account	A	Interest	J	T					
3. UW Credit Union cash account	A	Interest	J	T					
4. Associated Banc-Corp Stock	A	Dividend	L	T					
5. BMO Financial Group Stock	A	Dividend			Sold (part)	10/20/17	J	B	
6.	A				Sold	12/27/17	J	A	
7. American Funds EuroPacific Growth Fund	A	Int./Div.			Sold	12/08/17	K	A	
8. Columbia Mid Cap Value Fund	B	Int./Div.			Sold	12/08/17	K	A	
9. CREF Stock		None	L	T					
10. Dodge & Cox Stock Fund	C	Int./Div.			Sold	12/08/17	K	B	
11. Fidelity Government Money Market Fund	A	Int./Div.	J	T					
12. Fidelity Small Cap Value Fund	A	Int./Div.	J	T					
13. Franklin Templeton Moderate Allocation Fund	A	Int./Div.			Sold	4/24/17	L	A	
14. Harbor International Institutional Fund	A	Int./Div.	K	T					
15. Fidelity 500 Index	E	Int./Div.	O	T	Buy (add'l)	12/11/17	N		
16. Fidelity Mid Cap Index	A	Int./Div.	J	T					
17. Fidelity Small Cap Index	A	Int./Div.	J	T					

1. Income Gain Codes:	A = \$1,000 or less	B = \$1,001 - \$2,500	C = \$2,501 - \$5,000	D = \$5,001 - \$15,000	E = \$15,001 - \$50,000
(See Columns B1 and D4)	F = \$50,001 - \$100,000	G = \$100,001 - \$1,000,000	H1 = \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	H2 = More than \$5,000,000	
2. Value Codes	J = \$15,000 or less	K = \$15,001 - \$50,000	L = \$50,001 - \$100,000	M = \$100,001 - \$250,000	
(See Columns C1 and D3)	N = \$250,001 - \$500,000	O = \$500,001 - \$1,000,000	P1 = \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	P2 = \$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000	
	P3 = \$25,000,001 - \$50,000,000		P4 = More than \$50,000,000		
3. Value Method Codes	Q = Appraisal	R = Cost (Real Estate Only)	S = Assessment	T = Cash Market	
(See Column C2)	U = Book Value	V = Other	W = Estimated		

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18. T. Rowe Price Growth Stock Fund	A	Int./Div.			Sold	12/08/17	K	C	
19. Vanguard Institutional Index Fund (H)	C	Int./Div.			Sold	12/08/17	N	D	
20. Vanguard Balanced Index Fund	E	Int./Div.	N	T					
21. GK Phenomenelle Fund LLC Membership		None	K	U					
22. Eagle Mid Cap Growth	D	Int./Div.			Sold	12/08/17	O	E	
23. Med West Total Return Bond	C	Int./Div.			Sold	12/08/17	M	A	
24. PIF LGCP S&P 500 R%	B	Int./Div.			Sold	4/24/17	L	A	
25. Fidelity Core Cash Account	A	Interest	L	T	Open	12/11/17	L		
26. Fidelity International Index	D	Int./Div.	M	T	Buy	12/11/17	M		
27. Fidelity Total Bond	D	Int./Div.	N	T	Buy	12/11/17	M		
28. Fidelity Individual Cash Account	A	Interest	J	T	Open	10/20/17	J		
29. Vanguard Institutional Index (W)	A	Int./Div.	L	T	Buy	4/24/17	J		
30. Vanguard Bond MKT ADM	A	Int./Div.	J	T	Buy	4/24/17	J		
31. Vanguard Target Retirement 2020	A	Int./Div.	L	T	Buy	4/24/17	J		

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VIII. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR EXPLANATIONS. *(Indicate part of report.)*

I. Positions - Trust No. 1 has no reportable assets.

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IX. CERTIFICATION.

I certify that all information given above (including information pertaining to my spouse and minor or dependent children, if any) is accurate, true, and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that any information not reported was withheld because it met applicable statutory provisions permitting non-disclosure.

I further certify that earned income from outside employment and honoraria and the acceptance of gifts which have been reported are in compliance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. app. § 501 et. seq., 5 U.S.C. § 7353, and Judicial Conference regulations.

Signature: s/ **James D. Peterson**

NOTE: ANY INDIVIDUAL WHO KNOWINGLY AND WILLFULLY FALSIFIES OR FAILS TO FILE THIS REPORT MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL AND CRIMINAL SANCTIONS (5 U.S.C. app. § 104)

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