

Form **990**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

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2022

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A For the **2022** calendar year, or tax year beginning **07/01/2022** and ending **06/30/2023**

B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	C Name of organization RISING GROUND, INC.			D Employer identification number 13-1860451
	Doing Business As			E Telephone number (914) 375-8717
	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address)		Room/suite	
	151 LAWRENCE STREET, 5TH FLOOR CITY OR TOWN, STATE OR PROVINCE, COUNTRY, AND ZIP OR FOREIGN POSTAL CODE BROOKLYN, NY 11201			
F Name and address of principal officer: ALAN E. MUCATEL 151 LAWRENCE STREET, 5TH FLOOR, BROOKLYN, NY 11201			G Gross receipts \$ 231,040,736.	
I Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) () ◀ (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527			H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No H(b) Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)	
J Website: WWW.RISINGGROUND.ORG			H(c) Group exemption number ▶	
K Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶			L Year of formation: 1831 M State of legal domicile: NY	

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <u>RISING GROUND IS DEDICATED TO SUPPORTING CHILDREN, ADULTS, AND FAMILIES. WORKING TOGETHER, WE CREATE STRONG FOUNDATIONS FOR SUCCESS.</u>	
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.	
	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3 20
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4 20
	5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2022 (Part V, line 2a)	5 1,902
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6 50
	7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a NONE
b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b NONE	
Revenue	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year 9,744,723. Current Year 11,363,169.
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	118,544,838. 150,848,255.
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	990,388. 53,179,103.
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	31,016. 237,527.
	12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	129,310,965. 215,628,054.
	Expenses	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)
14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		NONE NONE
15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)		85,994,641. 106,865,157.
16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		NONE NONE
b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 848,412.		
17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)		27,860,064. 35,389,366.
18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)		122,262,572. 154,426,118.
19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	7,048,393. 61,201,936.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Current Year 83,365,345. End of Year 101,572,506.
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	78,291,435. 68,587,679.
	22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	5,073,910. 32,984,827.

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Part II Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here	▶ Signature of officer	Date			
	▶ Type or print name and title				
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name PAUL HAMMERSCHMIDT	Preparer's signature PAUL HAMMERSCHMIDT	Date 03/14/2024	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN P01384178
	Firm's name ▶ BDO USA	Firm's EIN ▶ 13-5381590			
	Firm's address ▶ 200 PARK AVENUE, 38TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10166	Phone no. 212-885-8000			

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

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III Yes No

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

SEE SCHEDULE O

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

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

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

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code:) (Expenses \$ 71,383,781. including grants of \$ 10,075,987.) (Revenue \$ 80,363,162.)

SEE SCHEDULE O

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ 21,879,849. including grants of \$ 419,945.) (Revenue \$ 25,023,293.)

DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES - OUR INTELLECTUAL/DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES INCLUDE COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS SUCH AS COMMUNITY RESIDENCES AND SUPPORTED APARTMENTS, PREVOCATIONAL SERVICES, AND MEDICAID SERVICE COORDINATION FOR BOTH CHILDREN AND ADULTS. OUR SUPPORTIVE CLINICAL PRACTICES ADDRESS THE ASSOCIATED EMOTIONAL, BEHAVIORAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL ISSUES/DISORDERS IN ORDER TO ASSIST OUR CONSUMERS TO LIVE MORE FULFILLING LIVES.

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ 19,281,559. including grants of \$ 802,749.) (Revenue \$ 21,048,944.)

SEE SCHEDULE O

4d Other program services (Describe on Schedule O.)

(Expenses \$ 23,957,280. including grants of \$ 872,914.) (Revenue \$ 24,412,856.)

4e Total program service expenses 136,502,469.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

Table with 3 columns: Question ID, Question Text, Yes, No. Rows include questions 1 through 21 regarding organizational requirements and reporting.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

Table with 3 columns: Question number, Yes, No. Rows 22-38 covering various organizational requirements and schedules.

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

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

Table with 3 columns: Question number, Yes, No. Rows 1a-1c regarding Form 1096, W-2G forms, and backup withholding rules.

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued)		Yes	No
2a	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 1,902		
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns?	X	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? <i>If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation on Schedule O</i>		
4a	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 account)?		X
b	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?		X
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		X
c	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?		
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?		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	X	
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	X	
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?		X
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year 7d		
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?		X
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		X
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?		
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.		
a	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		
b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12 10a		
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities 10b		
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:		
a	Gross income from members or shareholders 11a		
b	Gross income from other sources. (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.) 11b		
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?		
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 12b		
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.		
a	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? 13a Note: See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.		
b	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans 13b		
c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand 13c		
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?		X
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? <i>If "No," provide an explanation on Schedule O</i>		
15	Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or excess parachute payment(s) during the year? 15 If "Yes," see the instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N.		X
16	Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income? If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O. 16		X
17	Section 501(c)(21) organizations. Did the trust, or any disqualified or other person engage in any activities that would result in the imposition of an excise tax under section 4951, 4952, or 4953? 17 If "Yes," complete Form 6069.		

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

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

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 1a (20), 1b (20), 2 (X), 3 (X), 4 (X), 5 (X), 6 (X), 7a (X), 7b (X), 8a (X), 8b (X), 9 (X).

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

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 10a (X), 10b, 11a (X), 11b, 12a (X), 12b (X), 12c (X), 13 (X), 14 (X), 15a (X), 15b (X), 16a (X), 16b.

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed NY,
18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A, if applicable), 990, and 990-T (section 501(c) (3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
19 Describe on Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.
20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records

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

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

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 the 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, box 6 of Form 1099-MISC, and/or box 1 of Form 1099-NEC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

See the instructions for the order in which to list the persons above.

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) ALAN E. MUCATEL CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER	33.00 2.00			X				383,740.	NONE	29,405.
(2) ELLIOT HAGLER CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER	33.00 2.00			X				268,958.	NONE	16,260.
(3) MARSHA AUSTIN PSYCHIATRIST	30.00 NONE					X		236,386.	NONE	25,715.
(4) SUSAN SAMPOGNA EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	35.00 NONE				X			204,975.	NONE	24,395.
(5) LISSA M. SOUTHERLAND EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	35.00 NONE				X			225,037.	NONE	3,988.
(6) HERMAN DALY EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	35.00 NONE				X			211,487.	NONE	8,244.
(7) CARLTON MITCHELL SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT	35.00 NONE					X		180,839.	NONE	19,204.
(8) ANGELA RUTH WHITE EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	35.00 NONE				X			191,024.	NONE	7,702.
(9) YEZID G. ACOSTA CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER	35.00 NONE					X		179,939.	NONE	17,329.
(10) DIANA G. AMADO SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT	35.00 NONE					X		172,898.	NONE	22,878.
(11) JACQUELINE E. CALLEJAS PSYCHIATRIST	35.00 NONE					X		172,098.	NONE	18,426.
(12) LAURA GROSSFIELD BIRGER GENERAL COUNSEL	33.00 2.00				X			160,019.	NONE	2,548.
(13) MATT DEL PERCIO PRESIDENT	1.00 1.00	X		X				NONE	NONE	NONE
(14) JOSE M. JARA VICE PRESIDENT	1.00 1.00	X		X				NONE	NONE	NONE

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(15) ALLEN WAXMAN VICE PRESIDENT	1.00	X		X				NONE	NONE	NONE
(16) CAROL CHEN TREASURER	1.00	X		X				NONE	NONE	NONE
(17) BRIGETTE MCLEOD-WILLIAMS SECRETARY	1.00	X		X				NONE	NONE	NONE
(18) G. CROSSAN SEYBOLT, JR. SECRETARY (THRU 6/20/23)	1.00	X		X				NONE	NONE	NONE
(19) MARGERY E. AMES DIRECTOR	1.00	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
(20) SUSAN S. BENEDICT DIRECTOR	1.00	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
(21) JUDITH BENITEZ DIRECTOR	1.00	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
(22) JOYCE R. COPPIN-MONDESIRE DIRECTOR	1.00	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
(23) MICHAEL GOLDSTEIN DIRECTOR (THRU 6/20/23)	1.00	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
(24) SHARON HARDY DIRECTOR	1.00	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
(25) ADANI ILLO DIRECTOR	1.00	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
1b Sub-total								2,587,400.	NONE	196,094.
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A								NONE	NONE	NONE
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								2,587,400.	NONE	196,094.

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization **▶** 76

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

Section B. Independent Contractors

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

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation

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

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(26) JASON KYRWOOD ----- DIRECTOR	1.00 ----- 1.00	X					NONE	NONE	NONE	
(27) DOROTHY MEHTA ----- DIRECTOR	1.00 ----- 1.00	X					NONE	NONE	NONE	
(28) KAREN MYRIE, M.D. ----- DIRECTOR	1.00 ----- 1.00	X					NONE	NONE	NONE	
(29) ELLEN POLANSKY ----- DIRECTOR	1.00 ----- 1.00	X					NONE	NONE	NONE	
(30) MATTHEW PORTER ----- DIRECTOR	1.00 ----- 1.00	X					NONE	NONE	NONE	
(31) BOB SCHANZ ----- DIRECTOR	1.00 ----- 1.00	X					NONE	NONE	NONE	
(32) DAVID THEOBALD ----- DIRECTOR	1.00 ----- 1.00	X					NONE	NONE	NONE	
(33) GRAHAM THOMAS ----- DIRECTOR	1.00 ----- 1.00	X					NONE	NONE	NONE	
(34) DUNCAN JAMES TURNBULL ----- DIRECTOR	1.00 ----- 1.00	X					NONE	NONE	NONE	
(35) KIM WALKER ----- DIRECTOR (THRU 5/16/23)	1.00 ----- 1.00	X					NONE	NONE	NONE	
1b Sub-total										
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A										
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)										

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

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

Section B. Independent Contractors

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

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
SEE SCHEDULE O		

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in compensation from the organization ▶ 6

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

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

				(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	1a					
	b	Membership dues	1b					
	c	Fundraising events	1c	397,229.				
	d	Related organizations	1d	21,749.				
	e	Government grants (contributions) . .	1e	10,000,000.				
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above .	1f	944,191.				
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f	1g	\$ 33,753.				
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f			11,363,169.			
	Program Service Revenue	2a	CHILD WELFARE	Business Code	624110	80,363,162.	80,363,162.	
b		DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES	624110	25,023,293.	25,023,293.			
c		JUVENILE JUSTICE	624110	21,048,944.	21,048,944.			
d		SPECIAL EDUCATION	624110	10,251,692.	10,251,692.			
e		EARLY CHILDHOOD	624110	7,693,075.	7,693,075.			
f		All other program service revenue	624110	6,468,089.	6,468,089.			
g		Total. Add lines 2a-2f			150,848,255.			
Other Revenue		3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)			423,331.		423,331.
	4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds .			NONE			
	5	Royalties			NONE			
	6a	Gross rents	6a	(i) Real	(ii) Personal			
	b	Less: rental expenses	6b					
	c	Rental income or (loss)	6c	NONE	NONE			
	d	Net rental income or (loss)			NONE			
	7a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	7a	(i) Securities	(ii) Other			
						12,447,381.	55,550,500.	
	b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses . .	7b	12,188,617.	3,053,492.			
	c	Gain or (loss)	7c	258,764.	52,497,008.			
	d	Net gain or (loss)			52,755,772.		52,755,772.	
8a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 397,229 . of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	8a		205,100.				
			8b	170,573.				
					34,527.		34,527.	
9a	Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	9a	NONE					
b	Less: direct expenses	9b	NONE					
c	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities			NONE				
10a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	10a		NONE				
			10b	NONE				
					NONE			
c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory			NONE				
Miscellaneous Revenue	11a	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	Business Code	900099	203,000.		203,000.	
	b							
	c							
	d	All other revenue						
	e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d			203,000.			
12	Total revenue. See instructions			215,628,054.	150,848,255.		53,416,630.	

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

Table with 5 columns: (A) Total expenses, (B) Program service expenses, (C) Management and general expenses, (D) Fundraising expenses. Rows include categories like Grants, Compensation, Payroll taxes, Advertising, and Total functional expenses.

Part X Balance Sheet

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

Table with columns for Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets or Fund Balances. Rows include items like Cash, Accounts receivable, Investments, and Total assets/liabilities. Includes sub-rows 10a and 10b for land/equipment.

Part XI 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)	1	215,628,054.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	154,426,118.
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	61,201,936.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A))	4	5,073,910.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	569,951.
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain on Schedule O)	9	-33,860,970.
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 32, column (B))	10	32,984,827.

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

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

- 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 on Schedule O.
- 2a** Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?
If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:
 Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis
- b** Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?
If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:
 Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis
- c** If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?
If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain on Schedule O.
- 3a** As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Uniform Guidance, 2 C.F.R. Part 200, Subpart F?
- b** If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits

	Yes	No
2a		X
2b	X	
2c	X	
3a	X	
3b	X	

**SCHEDULE A
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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OMB No. 1545-0047

2022

**Open to Public
Inspection**

Name of the organization

RISING GROUND, INC.

Employer identification number

13-1860451

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

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

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

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

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Schedule A (Form 990) 2022

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Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support

Table with 7 columns: (a) 2018, (b) 2019, (c) 2020, (d) 2021, (e) 2022, (f) Total. Rows include: 1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received; 2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit; 3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit; 4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3; 5 The portion of total contributions by each person; 6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.

Section B. Total Support

Table with 7 columns: (a) 2018, (b) 2019, (c) 2020, (d) 2021, (e) 2022, (f) Total. Rows include: 7 Amounts from line 4; 8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources; 9 Net income from unrelated business activities; 10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets; 11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10; 12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions); 13 First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here.

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

Table with 3 columns: Line number, Description, and Percentage. Rows include: 14 Public support percentage for 2022; 15 Public support percentage from 2021 Schedule A, Part II, line 14; 16a 33 1/3% support test - 2022; b 33 1/3% support test - 2021; 17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2022; b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2021; 18 Private foundation.

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)
(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II.
If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support

Table with 7 columns: Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in), (a) 2018, (b) 2019, (c) 2020, (d) 2021, (e) 2022, (f) Total. Rows include: 1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received; 2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed; 3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business; 4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit; 5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit; 6 Total; 7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons; 7b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons; 7c Add lines 7a and 7b; 8 Public support.

Section B. Total Support

Table with 7 columns: Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in), (a) 2018, (b) 2019, (c) 2020, (d) 2021, (e) 2022, (f) Total. Rows include: 9 Amounts from line 6; 10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources; 10b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975; 10c Add lines 10a and 10b; 11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included on line 10b; 12 Other income; 13 Total support; 14 First 5 years.

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

Table with 2 columns: Line number, Percentage. Row 15: Public support percentage for 2022 (line 8, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)) 99.28%. Row 16: Public support percentage from 2021 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 99.24%.

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

Table with 2 columns: Line number, Percentage. Row 17: Investment income percentage for 2022 (line 10c, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)) 0.23%. Row 18: Investment income percentage from 2021 Schedule A, Part III, line 17 0.23%.

19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2022. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization. [X]

19b 33 1/3% support tests - 2021. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization. []

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

Part IV Supporting Organizations

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

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

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

Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Row 11: Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons? Sub-rows 11a, 11b, 11c.

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Row 1: Did the governing body, members of the governing body, officers acting in their official capacity, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees at all times during the tax year? Row 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?

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Row 1: Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)?

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Row 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? Row 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? Row 3: By reason of the relationship described on line 2, above, 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?

Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Row 1: Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions). Sub-rows a, b, c. Row 2: Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b below. Sub-rows a, b. Row 3: Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer lines 3a and 3b below. Sub-rows a, b.

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

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

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	
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6	
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7	
8	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 (<i>explain in detail in Part VI</i>):		
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 0.015 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 0.035.	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 0.85 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-functionally integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).

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

Section D - Distributions		Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	1
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	2
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	3
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	4
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required - provide details in Part VI)	5
6	Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions.	6
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.	7
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in Part VI). See instructions.	8
9	Distributable amount for 2022 from Section C, line 6	9
10	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount	10

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)		(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2022	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2022
1	Distributable amount for 2022 from Section C, line 6			
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2022 (reasonable cause required - explain in Part VI). See instructions.			
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2022			
a	From 2017			
b	From 2018			
c	From 2019			
d	From 2020			
e	From 2021			
f	Total of lines 3a through 3e			
g	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h	Applied to 2022 distributable amount			
i	Carryover from 2017 not applied (see instructions)			
j	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f.			
4	Distributions for 2022 from Section D, line 7: \$			
a	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b	Applied to 2022 distributable amount			
c	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4.			
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2022, 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 2022. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
7	Excess distributions carryover to 2023. Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8	Breakdown of line 7:			
a	Excess from 2018			
b	Excess from 2019			
c	Excess from 2020			
d	Excess from 2021			
e	Excess from 2022			

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

SCHEDULE A, PART III - OTHER INCOME

DESCRIPTION	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	TOTAL
OTHER INCOME	975,517.	1,209,778.	64,000.	NONE	203,000.	2,452,295.
TOTALS	975,517.	1,209,778.	64,000.	NONE	203,000.	2,452,295.

Schedule B (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-PF. Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.

OMB No. 1545-0047

2022

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

RISING GROUND, INC.

13-1860451

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

[X] 501(c)(3) (enter number) organization

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

[] 527 political organization

Form 990-PF

[] 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

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

[] 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

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

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

General Rule

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

Special Rules

[] For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990), 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 (entering "N/A" in column (b) instead of the contributor name and address), 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), but it must answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990).

Name of organization <p style="text-align: center;">RISING GROUND, INC.</p>	Employer identification number <p style="text-align: center;">13-1860451</p>
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Part I **Contributors** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 10,000,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
2	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 250,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
3	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 115,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
4	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 100,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
5	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 75,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
6	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 75,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

Name of organization <p style="text-align: center;">RISING GROUND, INC.</p>	Employer identification number <p style="text-align: center;">13-1860451</p>
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Part I **Contributors** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 75,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
8	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 50,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
9	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 37,500.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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11	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 36,753.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
12	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 30,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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14	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 26,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
15	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 25,617.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
16	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 21,749.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
17	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 20,750.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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31	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 8,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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35	N/A <hr/> <hr/>	\$ 7,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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Part II **Noncash Property** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
11	SECURITIES _____ _____ _____	\$ 33,753.	02/13/2023
_____	_____ _____ _____	\$ _____	_____
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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			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
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SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Supplemental Financial Statements

OMB No. 1545-0047

2022

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

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

Attach to Form 990.

Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

Name of the organization

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Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include: 1 Total number at end of year, 2 Aggregate value of contributions to (during year), 3 Aggregate value of grants from (during year), 4 Aggregate value at end of year, 5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?, 6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?

Part II Conservation Easements.

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

Table with 2 columns: Held at the End of the Tax Year. Rows include: 1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply), 2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year, 3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year, 4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located, 5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?, 6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year, 7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year, 8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?, 9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements.

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

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

Table with 2 columns: Revenue, Assets. Rows include: 1a If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide in Part XIII the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items., 1b If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items: (i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1., (ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X., 2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under FASB ASC 958 relating to these items: a Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1., b Assets included in Form 990, Part X.

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

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

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.

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

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

Part V Endowment Funds.

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

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	2,361,096.	2,361,096.	2,361,096.	2,361,096.	2,361,096.
b Contributions					
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses	36,434.	30,789.	18,456.	47,000.	25,821.
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs	36,434.	30,789.	18,456.	47,000.	25,821.
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance	2,361,096.	2,361,096.	2,361,096.	2,361,096.	2,361,096.

- 2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:
- a Board designated or quasi-endowment _____ %
 - b Permanent endowment 100.0000 %
 - c Term endowment _____ %
- The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.
- 3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:
- | | Yes | No |
|--|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (i) Unrelated organizations | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (ii) Related organizations | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
- 4 Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

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

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings		21,121,344.	13,234,079.	7,887,265.
c Leasehold improvements		9,269,064.	8,588,340.	680,724.
d Equipment		10,431,467.	10,003,119.	428,348.
e Other		2,235,470.	151,205.	2,084,265.
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.)				11,080,602.

Part VII Investments - Other Securities.

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

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

Part VIII Investments - Program Related.

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

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

Part IX Other Assets.

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

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1) SECURITY DEPOSITS	1,041,311.
(2) RIGHT-OF-USE ASSETS	13,862,253.
(3) INVESTMENT IN EQUITY INVESTEE	2,410,060.
(4) DUE FROM EMERGENCY SHELTER	4,510,000.
(5) SELF INSURANCE DEPOSITS	14,440,622.
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.)	36,264,246.

Part X Other Liabilities.

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

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2) DUE TO GOVERNMENT AGENCIES	5,096,554.
(3) ACCRUED INTEREST PAYABLE	20,963.
(4) DUE TO EDWIN GOULD	1,624,541.
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.)	6,742,058.

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

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

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

Table with 5 main rows and sub-rows (a-e) for adjustments. Columns include descriptions, sub-headers (2a-2d, 4a-4b), and totals (2e, 3, 4c, 5).

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

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

Table with 5 main rows and sub-rows (a-e) for adjustments. Columns include descriptions, sub-headers (2a-2d, 4a-4b), and totals (2e, 3, 4c, 5).

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.

SEE SUPPLEMENTAL PAGE

Part XIII Supplemental Information (continued)

PART V, LINE 4:

THE OBJECTIVE OF RISING GROUND'S ENDOWMENT IS TO GENERATE REVENUES TO SUPPORT PROGRAMS WHILE MAINTAINING THE PRINCIPAL ENDOWMENT FUNDS AT THE ORIGINAL AMOUNT DESIGNATED BY THE DONOR. THE INVESTMENT POLICY TO ACHIEVE THIS OBJECTIVE IS TO INVEST IN LOW-RISK SECURITIES.

PART X, LINE 2:

RISING GROUND, INC. HAS NOT TAKEN AN UNSUBSTANTIATED TAX POSITION THAT WOULD REQUIRE PROVISION OF A LIABILITY UNDER GAAP. UNDER GAAP, AN ORGANIZATION MUST RECOGNIZE THE TAX LIABILITIES ASSOCIATED WITH TAX POSITIONS TAKEN FOR TAX RETURN PURPOSES WHEN IT IS MORE LIKELY THAN NOT THAT THE POSITION WILL NOT BE SUSTAINED UPON EXAMINATION. THE ORGANIZATION DOES NOT BELIEVE THERE ARE ANY MATERIAL UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS AND, ACCORDINGLY, HAS NOT RECOGNIZED ANY LIABILITY FOR UNRECOGNIZED TAX BENEFITS AS OF JUNE 30, 2023. THE ORGANIZATION HAS FILED IRS FORM 990 TAX RETURNS, AS REQUIRED, AND ALL OTHER APPLICABLE RETURNS IN JURISDICTIONS WHERE IT IS REQUIRED. FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023, THERE WERE NO INTEREST OR PENALTIES RECORDED OR INCLUDED IN THE ACCOMPANYING FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. THE ORGANIZATION IS SUBJECT TO ROUTINE AUDITS BY TAXING AUTHORITIES. AS OF JUNE 30, 2023, THE ORGANIZATION WAS NOT SUBJECT TO ANY EXAMINATION BY A TAXING AUTHORITY.

**SCHEDULE G
(Form 990)**

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

OMB No. 1545-0047

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

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Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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Name of the organization

Employer identification number

RISING GROUND, INC.

13-1860451

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

- 1 Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.
- | | |
|---|--|
| a <input type="checkbox"/> Mail solicitations | e <input type="checkbox"/> Solicitation of non-government grants |
| b <input type="checkbox"/> Internet and email solicitations | f <input type="checkbox"/> Solicitation of government grants |
| c <input type="checkbox"/> Phone solicitations | g <input type="checkbox"/> Special fundraising events |
| d <input type="checkbox"/> In-person solicitations | |
- 2a Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees, or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services? Yes No
- b If "Yes," list the 10 highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization.

(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col. (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
		Yes	No			
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
9						
10						
Total						

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

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

		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events
		GALA (event type)	FALL BENEFIT (event type)	NONE (total number)	(add col. (a) through col. (c))
Revenue	1	Gross receipts	547,679.	54,650.	602,329.
	2	Less: Contributions	355,179.	42,050.	397,229.
	3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	192,500.	12,600.	205,100.
Direct Expenses	4	Cash prizes			
	5	Noncash prizes			
	6	Rent/facility costs	63,995.	26,335.	90,330.
	7	Food and beverages			
	8	Entertainment	36,245.	5,800.	42,045.
	9	Other direct expenses	37,090.	1,108.	38,198.
	10	Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)			170,573.
11	Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d)			34,527.	

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

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

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization conducts gaming activities: _____

a Is the organization licensed to conduct gaming activities in each of these states? Yes No

b If "No," explain: _____

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended, or terminated during the tax year? Yes No

b If "Yes," explain: _____

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

a The organization's facility	13a	%
b An outside facility	13b	%

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

Name ▶ _____

Address ▶ _____

- 15 a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue? Yes No
- b If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ \$ _____ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ \$ _____.
- c If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party:

Name ▶ _____

Address ▶ _____

16 Gaming manager information:

Name ▶ _____

Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$ _____

Description of services provided ▶ _____

Director/officer Employee Independent contractor

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

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

**SCHEDULE I
(Form 990)**

**Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,
Governments, and Individuals in the United States**

OMB No. 1545-0047

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.

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Name of the organization

RISING GROUND, INC.

Employer identification number

13-1860451

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

- Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? Yes No
- Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States.

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1 (a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section (if applicable)	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of noncash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of noncash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
(1)							
(2)							
(3)							
(4)							
(5)							
(6)							
(7)							
(8)							
(9)							
(10)							
(11)							
(12)							

- Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table
- Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table

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Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22.
Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
1 PAYMENTS TO FOSTER PARENTS	430	7,798,017.			
2 FOOD	1,958		1,629,371.	BOOK VALUE	FOOD FOR FAMILIES
3 CHILDREN'S ALLOWANCES AND ACTIVITIES	3,546	2,427,713.			
4 CONSUMER INCIDENTALS	1,958		34,961.	BOOK VALUE	INCIDENTALS
5 CLOTHING	1,958		281,533.	APPRAISAL	CLOTHING FOR PERSONS
6					
7					

Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the information required in Part I, line 2, Part III, column (b); and any other additional information.

PART I, LINE 2:

THE USE OF FUNDS IS MONITORED VIA MONTHLY HOME VISITS BY THE ASSIGNED
SOCIAL WORKERS.

**SCHEDULE J
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

RISING GROUND, INC.

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.

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Employer identification number

13-1860451

Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	Yes	No
1a		
1b		
2		
3		
4a		X
4b		X
4c		X
5a		X
5b		X
6a		X
6b		X
7		X
8		X
9		

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Schedule J (Form 990) 2022

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

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

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

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC and/or 1099-NEC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
ALAN E. MUCATEL 1 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER	(i)	383,740.	NONE	NONE	13,043.	16,362.	413,145.	NONE
	(ii)	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
ELLIOT HAGLER 2 CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER	(i)	268,958.	NONE	NONE	NONE	16,260.	285,218.	NONE
	(ii)	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
LAURA GROSSFIELD BIRGE 3 GENERAL COUNSEL	(i)	160,019.	NONE	NONE	2,548.	NONE	162,567.	NONE
	(ii)	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
LISSA M. SOUTHERLAND 4 EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	(i)	225,037.	NONE	NONE	3,988.	NONE	229,025.	NONE
	(ii)	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
HERMAN DALY 5 EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	(i)	211,487.	NONE	NONE	8,244.	NONE	219,731.	NONE
	(ii)	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
SUSAN SAMPOGNA 6 EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	(i)	204,975.	NONE	NONE	8,433.	15,962.	229,370.	NONE
	(ii)	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
ANGELA RUTH WHITE 7 EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	(i)	191,024.	NONE	NONE	7,600.	102.	198,726.	NONE
	(ii)	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
MARSHA AUSTIN 8 PSYCHIATRIST	(i)	236,386.	NONE	NONE	9,455.	16,260.	262,101.	NONE
	(ii)	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
JACQUELINE E. CALLEJAS 9 PSYCHIATRIST	(i)	172,098.	NONE	NONE	5,250.	13,176.	190,524.	NONE
	(ii)	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
YEZID G. ACOSTA 10 CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER	(i)	179,939.	NONE	NONE	3,723.	13,606.	197,268.	NONE
	(ii)	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
CARLTON MITCHELL 11 SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT	(i)	180,839.	NONE	NONE	6,028.	13,176.	200,043.	NONE
	(ii)	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
DIANA G. AMADO 12 SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT	(i)	172,898.	NONE	NONE	6,916.	15,962.	195,776.	NONE
	(ii)	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
13	(i)							
	(ii)							
14	(i)							
	(ii)							
15	(i)							
	(ii)							
16	(i)							
	(ii)							

**SCHEDULE K
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information on Tax-Exempt Bonds

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

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Name of the organization

RISING GROUND, INC.

Employer identification number

13-1860451

Part I Bond Issues

(a) Issuer name	(b) Issuer EIN	(c) CUSIP #	(d) Date issued	(e) Issue price	(f) Description of purpose	(g) Defeased		(h) On behalf of issuer		(i) Pooled financing	
						Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
A DORMITORY AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK	14-6000293		05/09/2013	4,035,000.	REFINANCING CONSTRUCTION COST		X		X		X
B											
C											
D											

Part II Proceeds

	A	B	C	D
1 Amount of bonds retired	1,440,000.			
2 Amount of bonds legally defeased				
3 Total proceeds of issue	4,035,000.			
4 Gross proceeds in reserve funds				
5 Capitalized interest from proceeds				
6 Proceeds in refunding escrows				
7 Issuance costs from proceeds	256,423.			
8 Credit enhancement from proceeds				
9 Working capital expenditures from proceeds				
10 Capital expenditures from proceeds	3,778,577.			
11 Other spent proceeds				
12 Other unspent proceeds				
13 Year of substantial completion	2013			
	Yes	No	Yes	No
14 Were the bonds issued as part of a refunding issue of tax-exempt bonds (or, if issued prior to 2018, a current refunding issue)?		X		
15 Were the bonds issued as part of a refunding issue of taxable bonds (or, if issued prior to 2018, an advance refunding issue)?		X		
16 Has the final allocation of proceeds been made?		X		
17 Does the organization maintain adequate books and records to support the final allocation of proceeds?	X			

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Schedule K (Form 990) 2022

Part III Private Business Use 1

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

Part IV Arbitrage

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

Part IV Arbitrage (continued)

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

Part V Procedures To Undertake Corrective Action

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

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

**SCHEDULE M
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Noncash Contributions

Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.

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Part I Types of Property

	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts
1 Art - Works of art				
2 Art - Historical treasures				
3 Art - Fractional interests				
4 Books and publications				
5 Clothing and household goods				
6 Cars and other vehicles				
7 Boats and planes				
8 Intellectual property				
9 Securities - Publicly traded	X	1	33,753.	MARKET QUOTATION
10 Securities - Closely held stock				
11 Securities - Partnership, LLC, or trust interests				
12 Securities - Miscellaneous				
13 Qualified conservation contribution - Historic structures				
14 Qualified conservation contribution - Other				
15 Real estate - Residential				
16 Real estate - Commercial				
17 Real estate - Other				
18 Collectibles				
19 Food inventory				
20 Drugs and medical supplies				
21 Taxidermy				
22 Historical artifacts				
23 Scientific specimens				
24 Archeological artifacts				
25 Other ▶ ()				
26 Other ▶ ()				
27 Other ▶ ()				
28 Other ▶ ()				

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

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

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Schedule M (Form 990) 2022

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

PART I, COLUMN (B), LINE 9:

THE ORGANIZATION IS REPORTING THE NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTIONS.

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

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

RISING GROUND, INC.

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

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

▶ 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.

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FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4D:

OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES:

1) OUR BIONDI SCHOOL IS A NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL PROVIDING 12- MONTH
SPECIALIZED EDUCATIONAL SERVICES TO SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN. EMPHASIS IS ON
ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT, SKILLS DEVELOPMENT, AND INCREASING STUDENT'S
ABILITY TO REMAIN ON TASK, INTERACT APPROPRIATELY WITH PEERS, AND IMPROVE
BEHAVIOR SO THAT THEY CAN RETURN TO THEIR LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL.
EXPENSES: \$10,889,428. GRANTS: \$403,172. REVENUE: \$10,251,692.

2) OUR FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER PROVIDES CRITICAL PARENTING EDUCATION AND
SUPPORT FOR LOW-INCOME FAMILIES IN ONE CENTRAL COMMUNITY-BASED LOCATION.
OUR EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTERS PROVIDE SERVICES TO CHILDREN AGES 18 MONTHS
TO 5 YEARS. LOCATED IN THE BRONX, OUR FEDERALLY FUNDED HEAD START PROGRAM
SERVES PREGNANT WOMEN, INFANTS AND TODDLERS LIVING AT OR BELOW THE
POVERTY LEVEL. THE BROWNELL PRESCHOOL AND AMES EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER
SERVE BOTH TYPICALLY DEVELOPING CHILDREN AND THOSE IN NEED OF PRESCHOOL
SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES IN BOTH INTEGRATED AND SEGREGATED CLASSROOM
SETTINGS. THE CHILDREN'S LEARNING CENTER (CLC) PROVIDES PRESCHOOL SPECIAL
EDUCATION TO CHILDREN WITH INTENSIVE NEEDS IN SMALL CLASSES.
EXPENSES: \$7,401,975. GRANTS: \$88,168. REVENUE: \$7,693,075.

3) OUR ARRAY OF INTIMATE PARTNER/GENDER-BASED EVIDENCE CADRE OF PROGRAMS,
STEPS TO END FAMILY VIOLENCE, IS COMMITTED TO BOTH HEALING AND PREVENTION.
EXPENSES: \$5,665,877. GRANTS: \$381,574. REVENUE: \$6,468,089.

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

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

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13-1860451

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

A COMPLETED FORM 990 IS REVIEWED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE AUDIT AND
OVERSIGHT BOARD COMMITTEE. IT IS THEN SENT TO ALL OTHER BOARD MEMBERS FOR
THEIR APPROVAL. BEFORE FORM 990 IS SUBMITTED TO THE IRS AND NYS, ANY
ISSUES ARE DISCUSSED WITH THE CFO AND THEN BROUGHT TO THE CPA FIRM WHO
PREPARED THE RETURN, IF THE ISSUES REMAINED UNRESOLVED.

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

THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY REQUIRES BOARD MEMBERS AND KEY STAFF TO
COMPLETE AN ANNUAL DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT. IF ANY CONFLICTS ARE FOUND, THE
RELATED INDIVIDUAL IS EXCLUDED FROM THE DISCUSSION AND THE VOTING
PROCESS.

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

THE COMPENSATION OF THE CEO INCLUDES AN ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REVIEW AND
APPROVAL PROCESS CONDUCTED BY BOARD'S MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE, WHICH REPORTS
TO THE BOARD. THIS WAS LAST DONE JANUARY 24, 2023.

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

THE ORGANIZATION'S AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND FORM 990'S ARE
AVAILABLE ON ITS WEBSITE AND UPON REQUEST. THE ORGANIZATION MAKES ITS
GOVERNING DOCUMENTS AND CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY AVAILABLE TO THE
PUBLIC UPON REQUEST.

FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 9:

TRANSFER OF NET ASSETS TO FUND FOR RISING
GROUND, INC. (A RELATED 501(C)(3)
ORGANIZATION).....\$(33,860,970).

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

RISING GROUND, INC.

13-1860451

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1 - ORGANIZATION'S MISSION

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RISING GROUND IS DEDICATED TO SUPPORTING CHILDREN, ADULTS AND FAMILIES. WORKING TOGETHER, WE CREATE STRONG FOUNDATIONS FOR SUCCESS. WE DO THIS BY PROVIDING THE MOST VULNERABLE CHILDREN, ADULTS AND FAMILIES IN THE GREATER NEW YORK CITY AREA WITH RESOURCES AND SKILLS NEEDED TO RISE ABOVE ADVERSITY AND POSITIVELY DIRECT THEIR LIVES. OUR INNOVATIVE AND RESULTS-DRIVEN PROGRAMS SUPPORT INDIVIDUALS IN THE AREAS OF EDUCATION, FAMILY SUPPORT, FOSTER CARE, SERVICES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE.

Name of the organization

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FORM 990, PART III - PROGRAM SERVICE
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LINE 4A, PROGRAM SERVICE

CHILDREN AND FAMILY AND SERVICES INCLUDE RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (RTC), FOSTER BOARDING HOME (FBH), MULTI-DIMENTIONAL TREATMENT FOSTER CARE (MTFC), MOTHER/INFANT RESIDENCES (M/I), PREVENTIVE SERVICES PROGRAMS, MEDICAL AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES, AND UNACCOMPANIED MIGRANT CHILDREN (UMC) PROGRAM. THE RTC PROGRAM PROVIDES 24-HOUR RESIDENTIAL CARE TO YOUTH AGES 12-21. THE FBH PROGRAM SERVES CHILDREN WHO HAVE EXPERIENCED ABUSE AND NEGLECT. OUR EVIDENCED-BASED MTFC SERVES TEENS IN FOSTER CARE. THE M/I PROGRAM IN THE BRONX SERVES TEEN MOTHERS ALONG WITH THEIR YOUNG CHILDREN. THE PREVENTIVE SERVICES PROGRAMS STRENGTHEN AND PRESERVE FAMILIES AND KEEP CHILDREN SAFE BY PREVENTING CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT. HEALTH SERVICES PROVIDES PRIMARY MEDICAL CARE AND REFERRALS FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH ON. UNACCOMPANIED MIGRANT CHILDREN (UMC) PROGRAM SERVES UNDOCUMENTED MIGRANT CHILDREN WHO HAVE COME INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM OTHER COUNTRIES WITHOUT AN ADULT GUARDIAN WHILE THEY ARE REUNIFIED WITH THEIR FAMILIES IN THE U.S. OUR PARENT CHILD HOME IS AN EVIDENCED-INFORMED, EARLY CHILDHOOD HOME-VISITING PROGRAM WHICH FOCUSES ON DEVELOPING PRE-LITERACY SKILLS TO PROMOTE SCHOOL READINESS AND PROMOTING POSITIVE PARENTING SKILLS. OUR CARE COORDINATION PROGRAM ENABLES RISING GROUND TO SERVE AS A DOWNSTREAM CARE MANAGEMENT AGENCY (CMA) PROVIDING COMPREHENSIVE CARE MANAGEMENT SERVICES TO CHILDREN AND ADULTS WHO MEET NECESSARY CRITERIA.

LINE 4C, PROGRAM SERVICE

JUVENILE JUSTICE - OUR JUVENILE JUSTICE SERVICES INCLUDE SECURE AND NON-SECURE PLACEMENT PROGRAMS FOR COURT-INVOLVED YOUTH, ALL OF WHICH ARE BASED ON THE BELIEF THAT YOUNG PEOPLE WITH HISTORIES OF DELINQUENCY NEED SUPPORT, EDUCATION AND OTHER TOOLS TO RETURN SAFELY AND SUCCESSFULLY TO THEIR COMMUNITIES AND BREAK THE CYCLE OF DELINQUENCY. OUR LIMITED SECURE PLACEMENT (LSP) IS A RESIDENTIAL PROGRAM SERVING ADJUDICATED YOUTH AGES 14 TO 18, ON OCCASION, AN OLDER OR YOUNGER YOUTH MAY BE SERVED. WE ENSURE THAT YOUTH ARE ABLE TO DEVELOP THEIR ACADEMIC, PRE-VOCATIONAL AND COMMUNICATIONS SKILLS THROUGH VARIOUS ASPECTS OF THE PROGRAM AND WORK WITH FAMILY MEMBERS TO MAINTAIN AND STRENGTHEN THE YOUTH'S CONNECTION TO HIS OR HER FAMILY AND COMMUNITY. OUR NON-SECURE PLACEMENT PROGRAM IS ALSO PART OF THE RESIDENTIAL CARE CONTINUUM

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13-1860451

FORM 990, PART III - PROGRAM SERVICE

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FOR ADJUDICATED JUVENILE DELINCUENTS IN NEW YORK CITY AGES 12 TO 14. THE NATIONALLYM IS COMMUNITY-ORIENTED AND FAMILY-FOCUSED, USING THE NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED MISSOURI MODEL, A TREATMENT METHOD THAT INVOLVES GROUPING YOUTH INTO SMALL COHORTS OF 10-12 WITH WHOM THEY LIVE, ATTEND SCHOOL, PARTICIPATE IN RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES AND RECEIVE COUNSELING. THE FAMILY RESPITE PROGRAM SERVES YOUTH AGES 7 TO 17 WHO ARE AT RISK OF CONTACT WITH THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM BY PROVIDING RESPITE SERVICES FOR UP TO 21 DAYS. THE PROGRAM STAFF ALSO REFERS FAMILIES TO APPROPRIATE COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES FOR SUSTAINED ASSISTANCE. THE JUVENILE JUSTICE INITIATIVE AND AFTERCARE PROGRAM EXPANDS OUR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FUNCTIONAL FAMILY THERAPY EVIDENCED-BASED MODEL IN THE JUVENILE JUSTICE FIELD.

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FORM 990, PART VII-COMPENSATION OF THE 5 HIGHEST PAID IND. CONTRACTORS

NAME AND ADDRESS	DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES	COMPENSATION
MISSOURI YOUTH SERVICES INSTITUTE 1906 HAYSELTON DRIVE JEFFERSON CITY, MO 65109	TRAINING	322,850.
BDO USA 100 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10017	AUDIT & TAX	160,897.
DRG SEARCH, LLC P.O. BOX 3118 TEANECK, NJ 07666	RECRUITING	145,343.
ROSIN STEINHAGEN MENDEL 228 EAST 45TH STREET NEW YORK, NY 10017	THERAPY	137,427.
MARLYSE ZAREMBA 4 HENDRICK LANE, #14A TARRYTOWN, NY 10591	THERAPY	108,188.

**SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)**

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.

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Name of the organization

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

(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity
(1) RISING GRND EMPLOYEE BENEFITS PRGM TRUST 151 LAWRENCE STREET, 5TH FLOOR BROOKLYN, NY 11201	EMPLOYEE BENS	NY	15,845,995.	14,440,622.	RISING GRND
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					

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

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
						Yes	No
(1) EDWIN GOULD SVCS FOR CHILDREN & FAMILIES 13-5675643 151 LAWRENCE STREET, 5TH FLOOR BROOKLYN, NY 11201	SPECIAL NEEDS	NY	501(C)(3)	10	RISING GRND	X	
(2) FUND FOR RISING GROUND, INC. 87-1801552 151 LAWRENCE STREET, 5TH FLOOR BROOKLYN, NY 11201	SUPPORT ORG.	NY	501(C)(3)	12A	RISING GRND	X	
(3)							
(4)							
(5)							
(6)							
(7)							

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Schedule R (Form 990) 2022

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

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512 - 514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V - UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	
(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) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	(i) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
								Yes	No
(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.

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

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

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

(a) Name of related organization	(b) Transaction type (a - s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
(1) FUND FOR RISING GROUND, INC.	1R	33,860,970.	CASH
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

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

(a) Name, address, and EIN of entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512 - 514)	(e) Are all partners section 501(c)(3) organizations?		(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V - UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
				Yes	No			Yes	No		Yes	No	
(1)													
(2)													
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Part VII Supplemental Information

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