Form 5500

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan

This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

▶ **Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.**

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Part I Annual Report Identification Information

For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning 07/01/2021 and ending 06/30/2022

A This return/report is for:
- [ ] a multiemployer plan
- [ ] a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.)
- [X] a single-employer plan
- [ ] a DFE (specify) ____

B This return/report is:
- [ ] the first return/report
- [ ] the final return/report
- [X] an amended return/report
- [ ] a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)

C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here. . . . . ▶ [ ]

D Check box if filing under:
- [X] Form 5558
- [ ] automatic extension
- [ ] the DFVC program
- [ ] special extension (enter description)

E If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here. . . . . ▶ [ ]

Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information

1a Name of plan
EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLAN OF RISING GROUND, INC.

1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

1c Effective date of plan 07/01/1989

2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan)
Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box)
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions)
RISING GROUND, INC.

151 LAWRENCE ST FL 5
BROOKLYN, NY 11201-5240

2b Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-1860451

2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number
914-375-8758

2d Business code (see instructions)
624100

Caution: A penalty for the late or incomplete filing of this return/report will be assessed unless reasonable cause is established.

Under penalties of perjury and other penalties set forth in the instructions, I declare that I have examined this return/report, including accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, as well as the electronic version of this return/report, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	12/26/2023	ANGELA BOOTHE
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

3a Plan administrator's name and address [X] Same as Plan Sponsor

3b Administrator's EIN

3c Administrator's telephone number

4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report:

a Sponsor's name

c Plan Name

4b EIN

4d PN

5	Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	**5**	2760
6	Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines **6a(1), 6a(2), 6b, 6c,** and **6d**).		
a(1)	Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year	**6a(1)**	2495
a(2)	Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	**6a(2)**	2510
b	Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	**6b**	0
c	Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	**6c**	397
d	Subtotal. Add lines **6a(2)**, **6b**, and **6c**	**6d**	2907
e	Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.	**6e**	14
f	Total. Add lines **6d** and **6e**	**6f**	2921
g	Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	**6g**	2461
h	Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	**6h**	73
7	Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item)	**7**	

8a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:

2F 2G 2S 2T

b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)

- **(1)** [X] Insurance
- **(2)** [ ] Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
- **(3)** [ ] Trust
- **(4)** [ ] General assets of the sponsor

9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)

- **(1)** [X] Insurance
- **(2)** [ ] Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
- **(3)** [ ] Trust
- **(4)** [ ] General assets of the sponsor

10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)

a Pension Schedules

- **(1)** [X] **R** (Retirement Plan Information)
- **(2)** [ ] **MB** (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
- **(3)** [ ] **SB** (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary

b General Schedules

- **(1)** [X] **H** (Financial Information)
- **(2)** [ ] **I** (Financial Information – Small Plan)
- **(3)** [X] 1 **A** (Insurance Information)
- **(4)** [X] **C** (Service Provider Information)
- **(5)** [X] **D** (DFE/Participating Plan Information)
- **(6)** [ ] **G** (Financial Transaction Schedules)

Part III Form M-1 Compliance Information (to be completed by welfare benefit plans)

11a If the plan provides welfare benefits, was the plan subject to the Form M-1 filing requirements during the plan year? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ..... ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes" is checked, complete lines 11b and 11c.

11b Is the plan currently in compliance with the Form M-1 filing requirements? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ..... ☐ Yes ☐ No

11c Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 2021 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2021 Form M-1 annual report, enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the most recent Form M-1 that was required to be filed under the Form M-1 filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid Receipt Confirmation Code will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

Receipt Confirmation Code_____

SCHEDULE A (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Insurance Information

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**

▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).

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A Name of plan
EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLAN OF RISING GROUND, INC.

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
RISING GROUND, INC.

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-1860451

Part I **Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions** Provide information for each contract on a separate Schedule A. Individual contracts grouped as a unit in Parts II and III can be reported on a single Schedule A.

1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
MUTUAL OF AMERICA

(b) EIN	**(c)** NAIC code	**(d)** Contract or identification number	**(e)** Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	**(g)** To
13-1614399	88668	005819A	2921	07/01/2021	06/30/2022

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in line 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	**(b)** Total amount of fees paid
0	11837

3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

NEW YORK CITY REGIONAL OFFICE

NEW YORK CITY REGIONAL OFFICE 320 P
ARK AVENUE
NEW YORK, NY 10022-6839

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		**(e)** Organization code
	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	
0	11837	PORTION OF INCENTIVE COMP. PROGRAM	3

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

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	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	

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(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		**(e)** Organization code
	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	

Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information

Where individual contracts are provided, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4	1072656
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end	5	26579262

6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:

a State the basis of premium rates ▶ N/A

b	Premiums paid to carrier	6b	
c	Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year	6c	
d	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount. Specify nature of costs ▶	6d	

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity (3) ☐ other (specify) ▶

f If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ ☐

7 Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)

a Type of contract: (1) ☒ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee (3) ☐ guaranteed investment (4) ☐ other ▶

b	Balance at the end of the previous year			7b	1013823
c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1)	197844		
	(2) Dividends and credits	7c(2)	0		
	(3) Interest credited during the year	7c(3)	6983		
	(4) Transferred from separate account	7c(4)	50949		
	(5) Other (specify below)	7c(5)	27518		
	▶ ROLLOVER ;LOAN INT PAY ;LOAN CHRG PAY				
	(6) Total additions			7c(6)	283294
d	Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**)			7d	1297117
e	Deductions:				
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1)	171614		
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier	7e(2)	423		
	(3) Transferred to separate account	7e(3)	0		
	(4) Other (specify below)	7e(4)	52424		
	▶ FIN ADJ				
	(5) Total deductions			7e(5)	224461
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**)			7f	1072656

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information

If more than one contract covers the same group of employees of the same employer(s) or members of the same employee organizations(s), the information may be combined for reporting purposes if such contracts are experience-rated as a unit. Where contracts cover individual employees, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

- **a** ☐ Health (other than dental or vision)
- **b** ☐ Dental
- **c** ☐ Vision
- **d** ☐ Life insurance
- **e** ☐ Temporary disability (accident and sickness)
- **f** ☐ Long-term disability
- **g** ☐ Supplemental unemployment
- **h** ☐ Prescription drug
- **i** ☐ Stop loss (large deductible)
- **j** ☐ HMO contract
- **k** ☐ PPO contract
- **l** ☐ Indemnity contract
- **m** ☐ Other (specify) ▶

9 Experience-rated contracts:				
a Premiums: (1) Amount received	**9a(1)**			
(2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid	**9a(2)**			
(3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve	**9a(3)**			
(4) Earned (**(1)** + **(2)** - **(3)**)			**9a(4)**	0
b Benefit charges (1) Claims paid	**9b(1)**			
(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	**9b(2)**			
(3) Incurred claims (add **(1)** and **(2)**)			**9b(3)**	0
(4) Claims charged			**9b(4)**	
c Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --				
(A) Commissions	**9c(1)(A)**			
(B) Administrative service or other fees	**9c(1)(B)**			
(C) Other specific acquisition costs	**9c(1)(C)**			
(D) Other expenses	**9c(1)(D)**			
(E) Taxes	**9c(1)(E)**			
(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	**9c(1)(F)**			
(G) Other retention charges	**9c(1)(G)**			
(H) Total retention			**9c(1)(H)**	0
(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were ☐ paid in cash, or ☐ credited.)			**9c(2)**	
d Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement			**9d(1)**	
(2) Claim reserves			**9d(2)**	
(3) Other reserves			**9d(3)**	
e Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line **9c(2)**.)			**9e**	
10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:				
a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier			**10a**	
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, line 2 above, report amount.			**10b**	

Specify nature of costs.

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A? ☐ Yes ☒ No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500)	Service Provider Information	OMB No. 1210-0110
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**	**2021** **This Form is Open to Public Inspection.**

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B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
RISING GROUND, INC.

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-1860451

Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)

You must complete this Part, in accordance with the instructions, to report the information required for **each person** who received, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of monetary value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or the person's position with the plan during the plan year. If a person received **only** eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures, you are required to answer line 1 but are not required to include that person when completing the remainder of this Part.

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

a Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder of this Part because they received only eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instructions for definitions and conditions).. . . . . [X] Yes [ ] No

b If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person providing the required disclosures for the service providers who received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (see instructions).

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

FIDELITY INVESTMENTS
82 DEVONSHIRE STREET
BOSTON, MA 02109

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

VANGUARD
PO BOX 2600
VALLEY FORGE, PA 19482-2600

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

DWS
222 SOUTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA
CHICAGO, IL 60606-5808

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

INVESCO VI MAIN STREET
PO BOX 5270
DENVER, CO 80217-5270

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

AMERICAN CENTURY INVESTMENTS

PO BOX 419786
KANSAS CITY, MO 64141-6786

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

CALVERT

4550 MONTGOMERY AVENUE SUITE 1000N
BETHESDA, MD 20814

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

AMERICAN FUNDS

333 SOUTH HOPE STREET
LOS ANGELES, CA 90071

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

PIMCO

840 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE
NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

T. ROWE PRICE

100 EAST PRATT STREET
BALTIMORE, MD 21202

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

MFS

111 HUNTINGTON AVENUE
BOSTON, MA 02199

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

VICTORY FUNDS

4900 TIEDEMAN ROAD, 4TH FLOOR
BROOKLYN, OH 44144

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

NEUBERGER BERMAN

1290 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS
NEW YORK, NY 10104

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

GOLDMAN SACHS VIT FUNDS

200 WEST STREET
NEW YORK, NY 10282

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

DELAWARE FUNDS

ONE COMMERCE SQUARE,
2005 MARKET STREET
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

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2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

MUTUAL OF AMERICA INVESTMENT CORP

320 PARK AVENUE
NEW YORK, NY 10022

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
12 15 37 65	INSURANCE CARRIER	27825	Yes [X] No [ ]	Yes [X] No [ ]	0	Yes [X] No [ ]

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes [ ] No [ ]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes [ ] No [ ]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

3. If you reported on line 2 receipt of indirect compensation, other than eligible indirect compensation, by a service provider, and the service provider is a fiduciary or provides contract administrator, consulting, custodial, investment advisory, investment management, broker, or recordkeeping services, answer the following questions for (a) each source from whom the service provider received $1,000 or more in indirect compensation and (b) each source for whom the service provider gave you a formula used to determine the indirect compensation instead of an amount or estimated amount of the indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed to report the required information for each source.

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	**(e)** Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
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(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
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Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

4 Provide, to the extent possible, the following information for each service provider who failed or refused to provide the information necessary to complete this Schedule.

(a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	**(b)** Nature of Service Code(s)	**(c)** Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide

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Part III	**Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)** (complete as many entries as needed)

a Name:

b EIN:

c Position:

d Address:

e Telephone:

Explanation:

a Name:

b EIN:

c Position:

d Address:

e Telephone:

Explanation:

a Name:

b EIN:

c Position:

d Address:

e Telephone:

Explanation:

a Name:

b EIN:

c Position:

d Address:

e Telephone:

Explanation:

a Name:

b EIN:

c Position:

d Address:

e Telephone:

Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

DFE/Participating Plan Information

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RISING GROUND, INC.

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-1860451

Part I **Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs)**
(Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SEPARATE ACCOUNT NUMBER HS1

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): MUTUAL OF AMERICA

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
13-1614399-000	P	26579262

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

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Part II **Information on Participating Plans (to be completed by DFEs)**
(Complete as many entries as needed to report all participating plans)

a Plan name	
b Name of plan sponsor	**c** EIN-PN
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SCHEDULE H (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Financial Information

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**

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2021

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For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning 07/01/2021 and ending 06/30/2022

A Name of plan
EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLAN OF RISING GROUND, INC.

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
RISING GROUND, INC.

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-1860451

Part I Asset and Liability Statement

1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. **Round off amounts to the nearest dollar.** MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.

Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a		
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)		
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)		
(3) Other	1b(3)		
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)		
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)		
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)		
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)		
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)		
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)		
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)		
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)		
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	805524	800454
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)		
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)		
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	28118206	26579262
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)	1c(14)	1013823	1072656
(15) Other	1c(15)		

			(a) Beginning of Year	**(b)** End of Year
1d	Employer-related investments:			
	(1) Employer securities	1d(1)		
	(2) Employer real property	1d(2)		
e	Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
f	Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	29937553	28452372
	Liabilities			
g	Benefit claims payable	1g		
h	Operating payables	1h		
i	Acquisition indebtedness	1i		
j	Other liabilities	1j		
k	Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through1j)	1k	0	0
	Net Assets			
l	Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	29937553	28452372

Part II Income and Expense Statement

2 Plan income, expenses, and changes in net assets for the year. Include all income and expenses of the plan, including any trust(s) or separately maintained fund(s) and any payments/receipts to/from insurance carriers. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 2a, 2b(1)(E), 2e, 2f, and 2g.

	Income		**(a)** Amount	**(b)** Total
a	**Contributions:**			
	(1) Received or receivable in cash from: **(A)** Employers	2a(1)(A)	1946837	
	(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	2726280	
	(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)	427363	
	(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		
	(3) Total contributions. Add lines **2a(1)(A), (B), (C),** and line **2a(2)**	2a(3)		5100480
b	**Earnings on investments:**			
	(1) Interest:			
	(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)		
	(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)		
	(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)		
	(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)		
	(E) Participant loans	2b(1)(E)	40496	
	(F) Other	2b(1)(F)	6983	
	(G) Total interest. Add lines **2b(1)(A)** through **(F)**	2b(1)(G)		47479
	(2) Dividends: **(A)** Preferred stock	2b(2)(A)		
	(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)		
	(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	2b(2)(C)		
	(D) Total dividends. Add lines **2b(2)(A)**, **(B)**, and **(C)**	2b(2)(D)		0
	(3) Rents	2b(3)		
	(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: **(A)** Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)		
	(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)		
	(C) Subtract line **2b(4)(B)** from line **2b(4)(A)** and enter result	2b(4)(C)		0
	(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: **(A)** Real estate	2b(5)(A)		
	(B) Other	2b(5)(B)		
	(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines **2b(5)(A)** and **(B)**	2b(5)(C)		0

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		-3887750
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		
c Other income	2c		0
d Total income. Add all **income** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		1260209
Expenses			
e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	2541835	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)	158212	
(3) Other	2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines **2e(1)** through **(3)**	2e(4)		2700047
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		17518
h Interest expense	2h		
i Administrative expenses: **(1)** Professional fees	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)		
(3) Investment advisory and management fees	2i(3)		
(4) Other	2i(4)	27825	
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines **2i(1)** through **(4)**	2i(5)		27825
j Total expenses. Add all **expense** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		2745390
Net Income and Reconciliation			
k Net income (loss). Subtract line **2j** from line **2d**	2k		-1485181
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan	2l(1)		
(2) From this plan	2l(2)		

Part III Accountant's Opinion

3 Complete lines 3a through 3c if the opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is attached to this Form 5500. Complete line 3d if an opinion is not attached.

a The attached opinion of an independent qualified public accountant for this plan is (see instructions):

(1) [X] Unmodified **(2)** [ ] Qualified **(3)** [ ] Disclaimer **(4)** [ ] Adverse

b Check the appropriate box(es) to indicate whether the IQPA performed an ERISA section 103(a)(3)(C) audit. Check both boxes (1) and (2) if the audit was performed pursuant to both 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and 29 CFR 2520.103-12(d). Check box (3) if pursuant to neither.

(1) [X] DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 **(2)** [ ] DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d) **(3)** [ ] neither DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 nor DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d).

c Enter the name and EIN of the accountant (or accounting firm) below:

(1) Name: BDO USA, LLP **(2)** EIN: 13-5381590

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** because:

(1) [ ] This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, or MTIA. **(2)** [X] It will be attached to the next Form 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.104-50.

Part IV Compliance Questions

4 CCTs and PSAs do not complete Part IV. MTIAs, 103-12 IEs, and GIAs do not complete lines 4a, 4e, 4f, 4g, 4h, 4k, 4m, 4n, or 5. 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 4j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete line 4l.

During the plan year:

		Yes	No	Amount
a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.)	4a		X	

			Yes	No	Amount
b	Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.)	**4b**		X	
c	Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)	**4c**		X	
d	Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)	**4d**		X	
e	Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	**4e**	X		500000
f	Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?	**4f**		X	
g	Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?	**4g**		X	
h	Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?	**4h**		X	
i	Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	**4i**	X		
j	Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)	**4j**		X	
k	Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?	**4k**		X	
l	Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?	**4l**		X	
m	If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)	**4m**		X	
n	If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3	**4n**			

5a Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year _____.

5b If, during this plan year, any assets or liabilities were transferred from this plan to another plan(s), identify the plan(s) to which assets or liabilities were transferred. (See instructions.)

5b(1) Name of plan(s)	**5b(2)** EIN(s)	**5b(3)** PN(s)

5c Was the plan a defined benefit plan covered under the PBGC insurance program at any time during this plan year? (See ERISA section 4021 and instructions.) ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined

If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year _____.

SCHEDULE R (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Retirement Plan Information

This schedule is required to be filed under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

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2021

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For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning 07/01/2021 and ending 06/30/2022

A Name of plan
EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLAN OF RISING GROUND, INC.

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
RISING GROUND, INC.

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-1860451

Part I Distributions

All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.

1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions **1** 0

2 Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries during the year (if more than two, enter EINs of the two payors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits):

EIN(s): 13-3590259

Profit-sharing plans, ESOPs, and stock bonus plans, skip line 3.

3 Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year **3** 0

Part II Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part.)

4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No** ☐ **N/A**

If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.

5 If a waiver of the minimum funding standard for a prior year is being amortized in this plan year, see instructions and enter the date of the ruling letter granting the waiver. **Date:** Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

If you completed line 5, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB and do not complete the remainder of this schedule.

6 a Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year (include any prior year accumulated funding deficiency not waived) **6a**

b Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year **6b**

c Subtract the amount in line 6b from the amount in line 6a. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount) **6c**

If you completed line 6c, skip lines 8 and 9.

7 Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 6c be met by the funding deadline? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No** ☐ **N/A**

8 If a change in actuarial cost method was made for this plan year pursuant to a revenue procedure or other authority providing automatic approval for the change or a class ruling letter, does the plan sponsor or plan administrator agree with the change? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No** ☐ **N/A**

Part III Amendments

9 If this is a defined benefit pension plan, were any amendments adopted during this plan year that increased or decreased the value of benefits? If yes, check the appropriate box. If no, check the "No" box. ..... ☐ **Increase** ☐ **Decrease** ☐ **Both** ☐ **No**

Part IV ESOPs (see instructions). If this is not a plan described under section 409(a) or 4975(e)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code, skip this Part.

10 Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to repay any exempt loan? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

11 a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

b If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a "back-to-back" loan? (See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.) ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

13 Enter the following information for each employer that contributed more than 5% of total contributions to the plan during the plan year (measured in dollars). See instructions. *Complete as many entries as needed to report all applicable employers.*

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify):

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

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(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

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(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

14 Enter the number of deferred vested and retired participants (inactive participants), as of the beginning of the plan year, whose contributing employer is no longer making contributions to the plan for:

a The current plan year. Check the box to indicate the counting method used to determine the number of inactive participants: ☐ last contributing employer ☐ alternative ☐ reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment)	**14a**	
b The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year. ☐ Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment)	**14b**	
c The second preceding plan year. ☐ Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment)	**14c**	

15 Enter the ratio of the number of participants under the plan on whose behalf no employer had an obligation to make an employer contribution during the current plan year to:

a The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year	**15a**	
b The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year	**15b**	

16 Information with respect to any employers who withdrew from the plan during the preceding plan year:

a Enter the number of employers who withdrew during the preceding plan year	**16a**	
b If line 16a is greater than 0, enter the aggregate amount of withdrawal liability assessed or estimated to be assessed against such withdrawn employers	**16b**	

17 If assets and liabilities from another plan have been transferred to or merged with this plan during the plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment ☐

Part VI Additional Information for Single-Employer and Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

18 If any liabilities to participants or their beneficiaries under the plan as of the end of the plan year consist (in whole or in part) of liabilities to such participants and beneficiaries under two or more pension plans as of immediately before such plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment ☐

19 If the total number of participants is 1,000 or more, complete lines (a) through (c)

a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:
Stock: _____% Investment-Grade Debt: _____% High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Estate: _____% Other: _____%

b Provide the average duration of the combined investment-grade and high-yield debt:
☐ 0-3 years ☐ 3-6 years ☐ 6-9 years ☐ 9-12 years ☐ 12-15 years ☐ 15-18 years ☐ 18-21 years ☐ 21 years or more

c What duration measure was used to calculate line 19(b)?
☐ Effective duration ☐ Macaulay duration ☐ Modified duration ☐ Other (specify):

20 **PBGC missed contribution reporting requirements.** If this is a multiemployer plan or a single-employer plan that is not covered by PBGC, skip line 20.

a Is the amount of unpaid minimum required contributions for all years from Schedule SB (Form 5500) line 40 greater than zero? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If line 20a is "Yes," has PBGC been notified as required by ERISA sections 4043(c)(5) and/or 303(k)(4)? Check the applicable box:

☐ Yes.

☐ No. Reporting was waived under 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) because contributions equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution were made by the 30th day after the due date.

☐ No. The 30-day period referenced in 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) has not yet ended, and the sponsor intends to make a contribution equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution by the 30th day after the due date.

☐ No. Other. Provide explanation _____

401(k) Profit-Sharing Plan for Employees of Rising Ground, Inc.

Financial Statements
and ERISA-Required Supplemental Schedule
Years Ended June 30, 2022 and 2021

The report accompanying these financial statements was issued by BDO USA, P.C., a Virginia professional corporation, and the U.S. member of BDO International Limited, a UK company limited by guarantee.

401(k) Profit-Sharing Plan
for Employees of Rising Ground, Inc.

Financial Statements and ERISA-Required Supplemental Schedule
Years Ended June 30, 2022 and 2021

401(k) Profit-Sharing Plan for Employees of Rising Ground, Inc.

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Independent Auditor's Report

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Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit

We have performed audits of the financial statements of the 401(k) Profit-Sharing Plan for Employees of Rising Ground, Inc. (the Plan), an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C). The financial statements comprise the statement of net assets available for benefits as of June 30, 2022 and 2021, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audits of the financial statements performed in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's (DOL) Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit). As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audits need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the Plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency (qualified institution), provided that the investment information is prepared and certified to by the qualified institution in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

Management has obtained certifications from a qualified institution as of June 30, 2022 and 2021, and for the years then ended, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 5 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion

In our opinion, based on our audits and the procedures performed as described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report:

- The amounts and disclosures in the accompanying financial statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP).
- The certified investment information in the accompanying financial statements agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by a qualified institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

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Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with GAAP, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. Management's election of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit does not affect management's responsibility for the financial statements.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the financial statements are issued or available to be issued.

Management is responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments. Management is also responsible for administering the Plan and determining that the Plan's transactions that are presented and disclosed in the financial statements are in conformity with the Plan's provisions, including maintaining sufficient records with respect to each of the participants, to determine the benefits due or which may become due to such participants.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Except as described in the *Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit* section of our report, our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if, there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audits did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certifications, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of GAAP.

Accordingly, the objective of an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with GAAP.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Other Matter - Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental Schedule H (Form 5500), Line 4i - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of June 30, 2022 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedule, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with GAAS. For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedule, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedule, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion:

- The form and content of the supplemental schedule, other than the information in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, are presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.
- The certified investment information in the supplemental schedule agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by a qualified institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

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December 22, 2023

401(k) Profit-Sharing Plan for Employees of Rising Ground, Inc.

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits

June 30,	**2022**	2021
Assets		
Investments, at fair value	**$ 26,579,262**	$ 28,118,206
Investment, at contract value	**1,072,656**	1,013,823
Total Investments	**27,651,918**	29,132,029
Receivables:		
Notes receivable from participants	**800,454**	805,524
Net Assets Available for Benefits	**$ 28,452,372**	$ 29,937,553

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

401(k) Profit-Sharing Plan for Employees of Rising Ground, Inc.

Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

Year ended June 30,	**2022**	2021
Additions		
Investment (loss) income:		
Net (depreciation) appreciation in fair value of investments	**$ (3,887,750)**	$ 6,162,427
Interest and dividends	**6,983**	10,000
Total Investment (Loss) Income	**(3,880,767)**	6,172,427
Interest income on notes receivable from participants	**40,496**	43,310
Contributions:		
Employer	**1,946,837**	1,881,104
Employee	**2,726,280**	2,423,804
Rollovers	**427,363**	334,051
Total Contributions	**5,100,480**	4,638,959
Total Additions	**1,260,209**	10,854,696
Deductions		
Benefits paid to participants and beneficiaries	**2,717,565**	2,904,775
Administrative expenses	**27,825**	28,785
Total Deductions	**2,745,390**	2,933,560
Net (Decrease) Increase	**(1,485,181)**	7,921,136
Net Assets Available for Benefits, beginning of year	**29,937,553**	22,016,417
Net Assets Available for Benefits, end of year	**$ 28,452,372**	$ 29,937,553

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

1. Description of the Plan

The following description of the 401(k) Profit-Sharing Plan for Employees of Rising Ground, Inc. (the Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

The Plan is a defined contribution plan sponsored by Rising Ground, Inc. (the Plan Sponsor, Company, or Employer) for the benefit of its employees. The Plan was amended and restated in May 2018 to change the name of the Plan Sponsor from Leake and Watts Services, Inc. to Rising Ground, Inc. and the Plan name was changed from Leake and Watts Defined Contribution Retirement Plan to the 401(k) Profit-Sharing Plan for Employees of Rising Ground, Inc. An employee is eligible to participate in the Plan and have salary reduction contributions made on their behalf after attaining age 21 and after one month of service. Participants are required to have one month of service to qualify for employer matching contributions. Participants are required to have one year of service and 1,000 hours of eligible service to qualify for discretionary employer contributions.

The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended (ERISA). Mutual of America Life Insurance Company (Mutual of America) serves as the Plan custodian.

Effective July 1, 2018, Rising Ground, Inc. entered into an affiliation agreement with Edwin Gould Services for Children and Families. As part of this agreement, all employees of Edwin Gould Services for Children and Families became employees of Rising Ground, Inc. and are eligible to participate in the Plan effective January 1, 2019.

The Plan was amended and restated effective January 1, 2022 to comply with certain regulatory and legislative requirements.

Contributions

Each year, participants may elect to defer a portion of their annual earnings to the Plan. Participants may elect to defer up to 100% of their compensation on a pre-tax basis not exceeding the elective deferral limit allowed by law ($20,500 and $19,500 in 2022 and 2021, respectively). For participants who do not make an election, and do not elect not to participate in the Plan, the Plan provides for auto-enrollment with a deferral rate of 2% of eligible compensation in the initial year the employee meets the Plan criteria to participate and 1% incremental automatic increases in subsequent Plan years, up to a maximum of 8%.

The Company contributes an amount equal to 100% of each participant's pre-tax contributions, subject to a maximum of 4% of eligible compensation contributed to the Plan. Employee rollover contributions are also permitted. Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the year are eligible to make catch-up contributions and are included within employee contributions in the statements of changes in net assets available for benefits.

The Employer may make a year-end discretionary contribution to the Plan for all eligible participants who have completed a minimum of 1,000 hours of service during the year, are 21 years of age at the fiscal year-end, and are still employed at the fiscal year-end. The Employer made no discretionary contributions in both 2022 and 2021.

Participant Investment Account Options

Each participant has the option of directing their contributions into any of the various investment options offered by the Plan and may change the allocation daily. If the participant does not give directions on their investments, then their account will be invested in accordance with the default investment alternative established by the Plan.

Participant Accounts

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contribution, the Employer's contributions, and Plan earnings and is charged with an allocation of administrative expenses. Allocations are based on participant earnings or account balances, as defined. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

Notes Receivable from Participants

The Plan document includes provisions authorizing loans from the Plan to active eligible participants. Participants may borrow from their fund accounts up to a maximum of $50,000 or 50% of their vested account balance, whichever was less. All loans are covered by demand notes and are repayable over a period not to exceed five years (loans for the purchase of a principal residence may be as long as ten years). Loans are secured by the balance in the participant's account and bear interest at Prime interest rate plus 1%. Principal and interest are paid ratably through periodic payroll deductions.

Vesting

Participants are vested immediately in their contributions plus actual earnings thereon. Vesting in the Employer's contributions to participants' accounts is based on continuous years of service. A participant is 100% vested in the Employer's matching contributions after one year of service. A participant is vested in discretionary contributions 20% after two full years of service, increasing by 20% increments over the next four years, becoming fully vested after six full years.

Payment of Benefits

Under the terms of the Plan, participants are eligible for normal retirement upon reaching age 65. Participants may elect to receive a distribution of the vested account balance in a single lump-sum payment, installments over a period of not-more-than-assumed life expectancy, or partial withdrawals. The amount of benefits is based upon the employee's vested amount included in his or her participant account.

Forfeited Accounts

Forfeitures from terminated, nonvested Plan participants are used to reduce future Employer contributions. At June 30, 2022 and 2021, forfeited nonvested accounts were $0. During the years ended June 30, 2022 and 2021, the forfeiture account amounts of $22 and $1,933, respectively, was used to reduce Employer contributions.

CARES Act

On March 27, 2020, the CARES Act was signed into law. The CARES Act, among other things, includes several relief provisions available to tax-qualified retirement plans and their participants. Plan management has evaluated the relief provisions available to the plan participants under the CARES Act and has implemented the following provisions:

- Special coronavirus distributions up to $100,000 for withdrawals before December 31, 2020.
- Increase the available loan amount, as described below, to the lesser of $100,000 or 100% of the participant's vested account balance through September 22, 2020.
- Extend the period for loan repayments, if applicable, up to one year for loan payments due from March 27, 2020 through December 31, 2020.
- Suspended required minimum distributions for the 2020 calendar year.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements of the Plan have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP).

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of net assets and changes in net assets and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

Investments, with the exception of the fully benefit-responsive contract, are reported at fair value. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. See Note 4 for a discussion of fair value measurements.

Fully benefit-responsive investment contracts are valued at contract value. Contract value equals the sum of the contributions, earnings on the underlying investments, and a charge for participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. See Note 6 for a discussion of contract value.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net (depreciation) appreciation includes the Plan’s gains and losses on investments bought and sold, as well as held during the year.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Delinquent participant loans are reclassified as distributions based upon the

terms of the Plan document. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses and are expensed when they are incurred. No allowance for credit losses has been recorded as of June 30, 2022 and 2021.

Payment of Benefits

Benefit payments to participants are recorded upon distribution.

Administrative Expenses

Certain expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid by the Plan, unless otherwise paid by the Employer. Expenses that are paid by the Employer are excluded from these financial statements. Fees related to the administration of the Plan are charged directly to the participant's account and are included in administrative expenses. Investment-related expenses are included in net (depreciation) appreciation in fair value of investments.

3. Risk and Uncertainties

Investment securities are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investments and the level of uncertainty related to changes in the value of investments, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

4. Fair Value Measurements

The framework for measuring fair value provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under FASB Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) 820, *Fair Value Measurement*, are described as follows:

Level 1 – This level consists of inputs to the valuation methodology that are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access.

Level 2 – This level consists of inputs to the valuation methodology, which include:

- Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets.
- Quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets.
- Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability.
- Inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3 – This level consists of inputs to the valuation methodology that are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

The asset or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques maximize the use of relevant observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at June 30, 2022 and 2021.

Pooled Separate Accounts - These assets are valued at their accumulation unit value (AUV) as a practical expedient to measuring fair value. The AUV is determined daily based on the net asset value (NAV) of shares of the underlying fund and the separate account charges (i.e., the daily asset charge). The Plan's investments in the pooled separate accounts may be redeemed daily. There are no redemption fees or notice periods and no unfunded commitments. The underlying funds of the pooled separate accounts are generally invested in registered investment companies whose investment strategies are to seek capital appreciation through investment in common and preferred stocks and debt securities.

The Plan's investments in the pooled separate accounts are $26,579,262 and $28,118,206 at June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively. The pooled separate accounts are measured at fair value using the NAV per unit (or its equivalent) practical expedient and are not required to be categorized in the fair value hierarchy.

The Plan had no financial assets that were measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis during the years ended June 30, 2022 and 2021.

5. Certified Investment Information

The plan administrator has elected the method of annual reporting compliance permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, Mutual of America, a qualified institution, has certified that the following investment information included in the accompanying financial statements and ERISA-required supplemental schedule is complete and accurate:

- Investments and notes receivable from participants as shown in the statements of net assets available for benefits as of June 30, 2022 and 2021.
- Net (depreciation) appreciation in fair value of investments, interest income, and interest income on notes receivable from participants as shown in the statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years ended June 30, 2022 and 2021.
- Investment information included in the Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of June 30, 2022, as shown on the ERISA-required supplemental schedule.

At the request of the Plan administrator, the Plan's independent auditors did not perform auditing procedures with respect to this certified investment information, except for comparing such certified investment information to the related investment information included in the financial statements and ERISA-required supplemental schedule.

6. Guaranteed Interest Contract

The Plan has a fully benefit-responsive guaranteed interest contract with Mutual of America as of June 30, 2022 and 2021. The Mutual of America's general account is a group annuity product issued by Mutual of America. Because the guaranteed annuity contract is fully benefit-responsive, contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for that portion of the net assets available for benefits attributable to the guaranteed annuity contract. Payment obligations and the fulfillment of any guarantees specified in the group annuity contract are insurance claims supported by the full faith and credit of Mutual of America. Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or transfer of all or a portion of their investment at contract value.

Certain events limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value with the issuer. Such events include the following: (1) amendments to the Plan documents (including complete or partial Plan termination or merger with another plan), (2) changes to the Plan's prohibition on competing investment options or deletion of equity wash provisions, (3) bankruptcy of the Plan Sponsor or other Plan Sponsor events (for example, divestitures or spin-offs of a subsidiary) that cause a significant withdrawal from the Plan, or (4) the failure of the trust to qualify for exemption from federal income taxes or any required prohibited transaction exemption under ERISA. The Plan administrator does not believe that the occurrence of any such value event, which would limit the Plan's ability to transact at contract value with participants, is probable.

7. Related Party and Party-in-Interest Transactions

Certain Plan investments are managed by Mutual of America. Mutual of America is the custodian, as defined by the Plan, and, therefore, these transactions qualify as exempt party-in-interest transactions. Notes receivable from participants also qualify as exempt party-in-interest transactions. The Plan Sponsor provides certain administrative services at no cost to the Plan.

8. Plan Termination

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Plan Sponsor has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan, subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, each participant will become 100% vested in their accounts and the net assets of the Plan will be distributed, as prescribed by ERISA.

9. Tax Status

The Plan relies on the opinion letter dated November 30, 2020 for the Mutual of America Life Insurance Company Non-Standardized Pre-Approved Profit Sharing/Money Purchase/Cash or Deferred Arrangement (CODA) Plan, in which the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) stated that the form of the prototype plan is acceptable under the IRC. Once qualified, the Plan is required to operate in conformity with the IRC to maintain its qualification. Although the Plan has been amended since receiving the determination letter, the Plan administrator believes the Plan is designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. Therefore, the Plan administrator believes that the Plan is qualified, and the related trust is tax-exempt.

GAAP requires Plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not

be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The Plan is also subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

10. Subsequent Events

Effective October 12, 2023, the Plan was retroactively amended to July 1, 2018, to make the entry date the date a participant reaches all eligibility provisions. For the purpose of determining the effects of subsequent events on these financial statements, management has evaluated events through December 22, 2023, the date on which the financial statements were available to be issued, and there were no other subsequent events requiring adjustments to the financial statements or disclosures as stated herein.

ERISA-Required Supplemental Schedule

401(k) Profit-Sharing Plan for Employees of Rising Ground, Inc.

Schedule H (Form 5500), Line 4i - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

EIN: 13-1860451 **Plan Number: 001**

June 30, 2022

(a)	(b) Identity of Issuer, Borrower, Lessor, or Similar Party	(c) Description of Investment, Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par, or Maturity Value	(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
	Pooled Separate Accounts			
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Aggressive Allocation Fund	**	$ 228,403
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Conservative Allocation Fund	**	70,567
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Moderate Allocation Fund	**	76,626
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Bond Fund	**	38,126
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	T. Rowe Price Blue Chip Growth Portfolio	**	541,936
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Composite Fund	**	90,221
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Calvert VP SRI Balanced Portfolio	**	8,106
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Delaware VIP Small-Cap Value Series	**	678
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Equity Index Fund	**	841,349
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Fidelity® VIP Mid-Cap Portfolio	**	61,862
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Fidelity® VIP Asset Manager Portfolio	**	67,780
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Fidelity® VIP Contrafund® Portfolio	**	51,290
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Fidelity® VIP Equity-Income Portfolio	**	96,486
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Goldman Sachs VIT US Equity Insights	**	11,557
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Goldman Sachs VIT Small-Cap Equity Insights	**	11,711
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	American Funds Insurance Series® New World Fund®	**	3,899
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Money Market Fund	**	59,739
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Mid-Term Bond Fund	**	18,054
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Mid-Cap Equity Index Fund	**	187,695
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	MFS® VIT III Mid-Cap Value Portfolio	**	5,447
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Mid-Cap Value Fund	**	32,071
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Neuberger Berman AMT Sustainable Equity Fund	**	673
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America International Fund	**	38,138
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Invesco Oppenheimer V.I. Main Street Fund®	**	64,493
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America 2015 Retirement Fund	**	9,349
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America 2020 Retirement Fund	**	1,979,431
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America 2025 Retirement Fund	**	2,672,476
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America 2030 Retirement Fund	**	4,024,390
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America 2035 Retirement Fund	**	2,315,708
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America 2040 Retirement Fund	**	2,013,014
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America 2045 Retirement Fund	**	1,863,254
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America 2050 Retirement Fund	**	2,198,517
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America 2055 Retirement Fund	**	2,692,787
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America 2060 Retirement Fund	**	1,252,536
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America 2065 Retirement Fund	**	93,070
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Retirement Income Fund	**	1,376,661
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Vanguard VIF Real Estate Index Portfolio	**	70,105
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	PIMCO VIT Real Return Portfolio	**	183,542
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Victory RS Small-Cap Growth Equity VIP	**	24,016
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America All America Fund	**	65,929
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Small-Cap Equity Index Fund	**	46,046
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	DWS Capital Growth VIP	**	184,498

401(k) Profit-Sharing Plan for Employees of Rising Ground, Inc.

Schedule H (Form 5500), Line 4i - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

EIN: 13-1860451 **Plan Number: 001**

June 30, 2022

(a)	(b) Identity of Issuer, Borrower, Lessor, or Similar Party	(c) Description of Investment, Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par, or Maturity Value	(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
	Pooled Separate Accounts (Continued)			
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Small-Cap Growth Fund	**	$ 97,886
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Small-Cap Value Fund	**	90,832
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	American Century Investments® VP Capital Appreciation Fund	**	40,194
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Vanguard VIF Diversified Value Portfolio	**	309,759
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Vanguard VIF International Portfolio	**	114,539
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Vanguard VIF Total Bond Market Index Portfolio	**	253,816
	Total Pooled Separate Accounts			26,579,262
	General Investment Account			
*	Mutual of America Life Insurance Company	Mutual of America Interest Accumulation Account	**	1,072,656
	Total Investments, per financial statements			27,651,918
*	**Participant Loans**	Interest rates ranging from 4.25% to 6.50%, with maturity dates until July 2031	-	800,454
	Total			$ 28,452,372

* Represents a party-in-interest to the Plan, as defined by ERISA.

**Not required for participant-directed investments.

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Employee Benefit Plan of Rising Ground, Inc. is timely filing its 2021 Form 5500. However, the audited financial statements for the plan year ending June 30, 2022 were not able to be completed in time to attach to this return. The plan's independent auditor is currently working with the Plan Administrator and service providers to obtain information necessary to complete and issue the auditor's report. Employee Benefit Plan of Rising Ground, Inc. expects to have the audited financial statements available within the next 45 days. At that time, the Plan Sponsor will file an amended 2021 Form 5500 with the audited financial statements attached.

Attachment to July 2021 Form 5500
Schedule H, line 4i - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

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Plan Sponsor's Name RISING GROUND, INC. **PN:** 001

(a)	(b) identity of issuer, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral par, or maturity value.	(d) Cost	(e) Current value
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT GENERAL ACCOUNT		1,072,656
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Aggressive Allocation Fund		228,403
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Conservative Allocation Fund		70,567
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Moderate Allocation Fund		76,626
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Bond Fund		38,126
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT T. Rowe Price Blue Chip Growth		541,937
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Composite Fund		90,221
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Calvert VP SRI Balanced Port.		8,106
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Delaware VIP Small Cap Value S		678
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Equity Index Fund		841,349
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Fidelity VIP Mid-Cap		61,862
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Fidelity VIP Asset Manager		67,780
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Fidelity VIP Contrafund		51,290
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Fidelity VIP Equity Income		96,486
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Goldman Sachs VIT US Equity		11,557
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Goldman Sachs VIT Small Cap		11,711
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT American Funds IS New World		3,899
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Money Market Fund		59,739
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Mid-Term Bond Fund		18,054

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*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Mid-Cap Equity Index Fund		187,695
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT MFS VIT III Mid Cap Value Port		5,447
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Mid Cap Value Fund		32,071
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Neuberger Berman AMT Sust Eq		673
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT International Fund		38,138
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Invesco VI Main St		64,493
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Retirement Income Fund		1,376,661
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Vanguard VIF Real Estate Index		70,105
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT PIMCO VIT Real Return Port.		183,542
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Victory RS Small Cap Growth		24,016
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT 2015 Retirement Fund		9,349
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT 2020 Retirement Fund		1,979,431
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT 2025 Retirement Fund		2,672,476
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT 2030 Retirement Fund		4,024,390
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT 2035 Retirement Fund		2,315,709
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT 2040 Retirement Fund		2,013,014
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT 2045 Retirement Fund		1,863,254
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT 2050 Retirement Fund		2,198,517
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT 2055 Retirement Fund		2,692,787

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*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT 2060 Retirement Fund		1,252,536
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT 2065 Retirement Fund		93,070
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT All America Fund		65,929
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Small Cap Equity Index Fund		46,046
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT DWS Capital Growth VIP		184,498
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Small Cap Growth Fund		97,886
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Small Cap Value Fund		90,832
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT American Century VP Cap Apprec		40,194
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Vanguard VIF Diversified Value		309,759
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Vanguard VIF International		114,539
*	Mutual of America	GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT Vanguard Total Bond Mkt I Prt		253,816
*	PARTICIPANT LOANS	Represents outstanding Participant Loan Balance		838,675