

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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A For the 2019 calendar year, or tax year beginning 01-01-2018, and ending 12-31-2018

- B** Check if applicable
- Address change
 - Name change
 - Initial return
 - Final return/terminated
 - Amended return
 - Application pending

C Name of organization
Root Capital Inc

% BRYAN WOLINER
Doing business as

Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
130 Bishop Allen Drive 2nd Floor

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
Cambridge, MA 021393309

D Employer identification number
04-3478123

E Telephone number
(617) 661-5792

G Gross receipts \$ 22,506,661

F Name and address of principal officer
William F Foote
130 Bishop Allen Drive 2nd Floor
Cambridge, MA 021393309

H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? Yes No

H(b) Are all subordinates included? Yes No
If "No," attach a list (see instructions)

H(c) Group exemption number ▶

I Tax-exempt status 501(c)(3) 501(c) () ◀ (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527

J Website: ▶ www.rootcapital.org

K Form of organization Corporation Trust Association Other ▶

L Year of formation 1999

M State of legal domicile MA

Part I Summary

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities
A non-profit organization that helps increase income and stability for rural farmers disconnected from the formal economy

2 Check this box 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)	16
4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	14
5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2018 (Part V, line 2a)	69
6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	18
7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	0
7b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	21,751

	Prior Year	Current Year	
8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	11,510,919	14,068,743
9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	9,478,238	7,850,854
10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	112,810	-5,818
11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	970,491	361,941
12	Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	22,072,458	22,275,720
13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	32,732	549,685
14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0	0
15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	8,143,768	8,569,288
16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	0	0
b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 922,406		
17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)	12,757,743	13,964,504
18	Total expenses Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	20,934,243	23,083,477
19	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12	1,138,215	-807,757
	Beginning of Current Year	End of Year	
20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	105,322,211	90,858,790
21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	89,072,080	75,139,983
22	Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	16,250,131	15,718,807

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: 2019-11-13

BRYAN WOLINER Interim CFO & Treas
Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name Preparer's signature Date

Check if self-employed PTIN P00741490

Firm's name ▶ GRANT THORNTON LLP Firm's EIN ▶

Firm's address ▶ 757 THIRD AVENUE 9TH FLOOR Phone no (212) 599-0100
NEW YORK, NY 100172013

Part III Statement of Program Service AccomplishmentsCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III **1** Briefly describe the organization's mission

ROOT CAPITAL SEEKS TO INCREASE INCOMES AND STABILIZE EMPLOYMENT FOR FARMERS IN AFRICA, SOUTH-EAST ASIA, AND LATIN AMERICA
 ROOT CAPITAL DOES THIS THROUGH A PROVEN CHANNEL SUPPORT FOR AGRICULTURAL BUSINESSES THAT COLLECT AND MARKET THE CROPS OF
 THOUSANDS OF FARMERS

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 \$	14,687,155	including grants of \$	0	(Revenue \$	8,212,795
See Additional Data							

4b	(Code)	(Expenses \$	3,488,490	including grants of \$	460,082	(Revenue \$	0
See Additional Data							

4c	(Code)	(Expenses \$	1,608,710	including grants of \$	89,603	(Revenue \$	0
See Additional Data							

4d	Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)					
	(Expenses \$		including grants of \$		(Revenue \$	

4e	Total program service expenses ▶	19,784,355
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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

Table with 3 columns: Question ID, Question Text, Yes, No. Rows include questions 1 through 22 regarding organizational requirements, such as political activities, lobbying, and financial reporting.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

		Yes	No
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	23 Yes	
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i>		24a No
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		24b
c	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		24c
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		24d
25a	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		25a No
b	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		25b No
26	Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>	26 Yes	
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>		27 No
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)		
a	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		28a No
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		28b No
c	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		28c No
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		29 No
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		30 No
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>		31 No
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>		32 No
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>		33 No
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i>	34 Yes	
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a Yes	
b	If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		35b No
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		36 No
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>		37 No
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38 Yes	

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

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable		
1b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable		
1c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c Yes	

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	69		
b If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)		2b		Yes	
3a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		3a		Yes	
b If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O		3b		Yes	
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)?		4a		Yes	
b If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶ KE , CS , SG , PE , MX See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR)					
5a Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?		5a			No
b Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		5b			No
c If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?		5c			
6a Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?		6a			No
b If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		6b			
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?		7a			No
b If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?		7b			
c Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?		7c			No
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?		7e			No
f Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		7f			No
g If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		7g			
h If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?		7h			
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?		8			
9a Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		9a			
b Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		9b			
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? Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O		13a			
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?		14a			No
b If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O		14b			
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? If "Yes," see instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N		15			No
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			No

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O See instructions Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI



Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year (16); 1b Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent (14); 2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee? (No); 3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person? (No); 4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed? (No); 5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets? (No); 6 Did the organization have members or stockholders? (No); 7a Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body? (No); 7b Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body? (No); 8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following: a The governing body? (Yes); b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body? (Yes); 9 Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O (No)

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 Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates? (No); 10b If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?; 11a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? (Yes); 11b Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990; 12a Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13 (Yes); 12b Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? (Yes); 12c Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done (Yes); 13 Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy? (Yes); 14 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? (Yes); 15 Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision? a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official (Yes); b Other officers or key employees of the organization (Yes); If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions); 16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year? (No); 16b If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?

Section C. Disclosure

Table with 2 columns: Question, Answer. Row 17: List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed (AL, AK, AR, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, IL, KS, KY, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, NV, NH, NJ, NM, NY, NC, ND, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, WV, WI); Row 18: Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024-A if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply: [X] Own website, [] Another's website, [X] Upon request, [] Other (explain in Schedule O); Row 19: Describe in 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; Row 20: State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records (BRYAN WOLINER 130 BISHOP ALLEN DRIVE 2ND FLOOR Cambridge, MA 021393309 (617) 299-2424)

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

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, or highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

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

Check this box if neither the organization 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)	(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			
See Additional Data Table										

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			
See Additional Data Table										
1b Sub-Total										
1c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A										
1d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							1,748,676	0	212,171	

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 ▶ 12

	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>		No
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>	Yes	
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>		No

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
Grant Thornton, 75 State Street 13 BOSTON, MA 02109	Audit and tax	149,093
Open Capital Advisors, NAUTICA CENTER ROYAL ROAD BLACK RIVER, 0 MP	Consulting	221,100
Force Optimized LLC, 2173 Salk Ave Suite 250 CARLSBAD, CA 92008	Consulting	435,970

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization ▶ 3

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			
	d Related organizations	1d			
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e	1,883,985		
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	12,184,758		
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a - 1f \$ _____				
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f		14,068,743		

Program Service Revenue			Business Code				
	2a LOAN INTEREST		522298	4,257,370	4,257,370	0	0
b LOAN FEES		522298	1,125,390	1,125,390	0	0	0
c LOAN GUARANTEES/RECOVERIES		522298	2,167,071	2,167,071	0	0	0
d LOAN MANAGEMENT SERVICES		522298	301,023	301,023	0	0	0
e _____							
f All other program service revenue							
g Total. Add lines 2a-2f			7,850,854				

Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)			225,123			225,123
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds			0			0
	5 Royalties			0			0
	6a Gross rents	(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
	b Less rental expenses						
	c Rental income or (loss)	0	0				
	d Net rental income or (loss)			0			0
	7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	(ii) Other				
	b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	230,941					
	c Gain or (loss)	-230,941					
	d Net gain or (loss)			-230,941			-230,941
	8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18	a		0			0
	b Less direct expenses	b		0			0
	c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events			0			0
	9a Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19	a		0			0
b Less direct expenses	b		0			0	
c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities			0			0	
10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a		0			0	
b Less cost of goods sold	b		0			0	
c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory			0			0	
Miscellaneous Revenue	Business Code						
11a CONTRACTUAL REVENUE REIMBURSEMENTS	900099		305,727	305,727	0	0	
b MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE	900099		56,214	56,214	0	0	
c _____							
d All other revenue							
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d			361,941			361,941	
12 Total revenue. See Instructions			22,275,720	8,212,795	0	-5,818	

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

	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.				
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21.	0			
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22.	0			
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, line 15 and 16.	549,685	549,685		
4 Benefits paid to or for members.	0			
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees.	1,665,590	867,151	701,481	96,958
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B).	0			
7 Other salaries and wages.	5,345,569	4,344,987	526,484	474,098
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401 (k) and 403(b) employer contributions).	118,293	92,968	14,341	10,984
9 Other employee benefits.	929,339	516,101	365,783	47,455
10 Payroll taxes.	510,497	442,125	20,039	48,333
11 Fees for services (non-employees)				
a Management.	0			
b Legal.	297,047	84,136	212,911	
c Accounting.	175,093	5,129	169,964	
d Lobbying.	0			
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17.	0			
f Investment management fees.	0			
g Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O).	1,973,354	1,498,632	439,900	34,822
12 Advertising and promotion.	25,786	8,408	16,561	817
13 Office expenses.	123,455	92,259	31,196	
14 Information technology.	560,492	60,231	500,261	
15 Royalties.	0			
16 Occupancy.	1,037,354	809,653	153,682	74,019
17 Travel.	981,556	903,032	36,587	41,937
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials.	0			
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings.	328,327	327,492	835	
20 Interest.	1,759,365	1,759,365		
21 Payments to affiliates.	0			
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization.	113,549		113,549	
23 Insurance.	85,906	1,853	84,053	
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a ALLOWANCE FOR LOAN LOSS	6,406,250	6,406,250	0	0
b OTHER DIRECT COSTS	22,792	486	22,306	0
c MEMBERSHIP & PUBLICATIONS	74,178	29,216	44,962	
d SHARED COST ALLOCATION		495,736	-541,241	45,505
e All other expenses				
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e.	23,083,477	19,784,355	2,376,716	922,406
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720).				

Part X Balance Sheet

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

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing	38,211,338	1	14,325,029
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	2,951,425	2	25,031,999
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net	2,693,118	3	3,088,061
	4 Accounts receivable, net	2,078,737	4	3,015,673
	5 Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	5	0
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions) Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	6	0
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net	191,795	7	71,923
	8 Inventories for sale or use	0	8	0
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	498,188	9	598,299
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	1,520,531		
	b Less accumulated depreciation	379,256		
	11 Investments—publicly traded securities	210,885	11	258,862
	12 Investments—other securities See Part IV, line 11	0	12	0
	13 Investments—program-related See Part IV, line 11	56,335,906	13	42,212,773
	14 Intangible assets	0	14	0
	15 Other assets See Part IV, line 11	1,346,752	15	1,114,896
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	105,322,211	16	90,858,790	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	1,813,190	17	2,149,089
	18 Grants payable	0	18	0
	19 Deferred revenue	109,187	19	2,483,085
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities	0	20	0
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D	4,470,218	21	91,345
	22 Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L	175,000	22	125,000
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	0	23	0
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties	82,162,749	24	70,191,661
	25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17 - 24) Complete Part X of Schedule D	341,736	25	99,803
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	89,072,080	26	75,139,983
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.			
	27 Unrestricted net assets	10,654,322	27	11,134,002
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets	5,595,809	28	4,584,805
	29 Permanently restricted net assets	0	29	0
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.			
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund		31	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
33 Total net assets or fund balances	16,250,131	33	15,718,807	
34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	105,322,211	34	90,858,790	

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	22,275,720
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	23,083,477
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-807,757
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	16,250,131
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	5,249
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 in Schedule O)	9	271,184
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	15,718,807

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 in 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 in 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 Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?
- b** If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits

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

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Form 990 (2018)

Form 990, Part III, Line 4a:

ROOT CAPITAL PROVIDES AGRICULTURAL BUSINESSES WITH A UNIQUE COMBINATION OF CAPITAL, TRAINING AND ACCESS TO GLOBAL MARKETS TO HELP THEM GROW THESE CORE ACTIVITIES COMPRISE A THREE-PRONG STRATEGY FINANCE, ADVISE, CATALYZE PLEASE REFER TO THE ORGANIZATION'S WEBSITE FOR FURTHER INFORMATION AND STATISTICS ON PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS FINANCE ROOT CAPITAL TYPICALLY PROVIDES LOANS RANGING FROM \$50,000 TO \$3 MILLION TO RURAL SMALL AND GROWING BUSINESSES, ESPECIALLY THOSE BUSINESSES NOT CURRENTLY REACHED BY COMMERCIAL LENDERS

Form 990, Part III, Line 4b:

ADVISE ROOT CAPITAL'S ADVISORY SERVICES PROGRAM PROVIDES TARGETED FINANCIAL TRAINING TO CURRENT AND PROSPECTIVE CLIENTS SO THEY HAVE THE FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SKILLS THEY NEED TO GROW AND SUSTAIN THEIR BUSINESSES ROOT CAPITAL'S FINANCIAL ADVISORY SERVICES (FAS) ARE DESIGNED TO PREPARE BUSINESSES WITH GROWTH POTENTIAL TO QUALIFY FOR CREDIT, TO SHEPHERD MORE PROSPECTIVE CLIENTS INTO OUR PORTFOLIO, AND TO MITIGATE THE RISK OF LENDING TO THESE BUSINESSES

Form 990, Part III, Line 4c:

CATALYZE ROOT CAPITAL, INC SEEKS TO CATALYZE A THRIVING FINANCIAL MARKET TO SUPPORT HISTORICALLY UNDERSERVED RURAL SMALL AND GROWING BUSINESSES THE PROGRAM'S STRATEGY IS TO - INNOVATE - CONDUCT R&D, STUDY IMPACT AT THE HOUSEHOLD AND BUSINESS LEVELS, AND LOOK FOR WAYS TO INCREASE IMPACT - ACCELERATE - SHARE LEARNING FROM WORK WITH LIKE-MINDED PEERS TO BUILD COMMON STANDARDS AND PRACTICES NECESSARY FOR THE INDUSTRY TO THRIVE AND SCALE

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(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			
Jeremy Mindich Chair	1 0 0 0	X		X				0	0	0
Philip Martin Brown Board Member	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
Peggy Clark Board Member	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
Franz Colloredo-Mansfeld Board Member	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
Daniel Crisafulli Board Member	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
Melissa Dann Board Member	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
Funke Oyewole Board Member (thru 3/2018)	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
Rick Peyser Board Member	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
Jack Taylor Board Member	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
Eugene Weil Board Member	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(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			
Simon Winter Board Member	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
Ana Zacapa Board Member	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
Grant Gund Board Member	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
Jan-Maarten Mulder Board Member	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
Peter Bernard COO & Board Membr (6/18-10/18)	24 0 0 0	X		X				57,277	0	6,102
James Benenson III Board Member (as of 2/2018)	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
Mary Barton Dock Board Member (as of 5/2018)	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
CD Glin Board Member (As of 5/2018)	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
William F Foote President & CEO	40 0 0 0			X				273,194	0	24,602
Jared Chase CFO/Treasurer & COO	40 0 0 0			X				197,570	0	10,577

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors										
(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			
Nancy Everett Gen Counsel & Interim COO	40 0 0 0			X				162,895	0	19,802
Bryan Woliner VP Finance & IT, Interim CFO	40 0 0 0			X				141,867	0	19,758
Marli Porth Chief of Staff/Clerk	40 0 0 0			X				78,053	0	5,043
Brian Matthew Onie Milder EVP of Strategy	40 0 0 0				X			185,870	0	21,581
Darcy Salinger Chief Credit Officer	40 0 0 0					X		157,081	0	6,283
Jean Forrester Controller	40 0 0 0					X		148,988	0	22,427
Lubna Maria Elia Sr Dir, US HR & Corp Complianc	40 0 0 0					X		119,263	0	42,976
Michael McCreless Sr Director of Impact	40 0 0 0					X		109,335	0	14,742
Elicia Carmichael VP Strategy	40 0 0 0					X		117,283	0	18,278

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

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.

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

2018

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
Root Capital Inc

Employer identification number

04-3478123

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 or 990-EZ))
- 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 **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 in 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		
Total						

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

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, 8, or 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support

	Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grant.")	7,221,264	6,528,783	8,283,243	11,510,919	14,068,743	47,612,952
2	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						0
3	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						0
4	Total. Add lines 1 through 3	7,221,264	6,528,783	8,283,243	11,510,919	14,068,743	47,612,952
5	The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						6,095,088
6	Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						41,517,864

Section B. Total Support

	Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a)2014	(b)2015	(c)2016	(d)2017	(e)2018	(f)Total
7	Amounts from line 4	7,221,264	6,528,783	8,283,243	11,510,919	14,068,743	47,612,952
8	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	152,280	94,009	108,868	112,649	225,123	692,929
9	Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						0
10	Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets. (Explain in Part VI.)			37,635			37,635
11	Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						48,343,516
12	Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	55,044,957

13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here**

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14	Public support percentage for 2018 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	85.881 %
15	Public support percentage for 2017 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	85.171 %

16a 33 1/3% support test—2018. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 33 1/3% support test—2017. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2018. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2017. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions

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

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►		(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2	Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3	Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6	Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a	Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b	Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c	Add lines 7a and 7b						
8	Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6)						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►		(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
9	Amounts from line 6						
10a	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
b	Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c	Add lines 10a and 10b						
11	Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12	Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
13	Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						

14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here** ►

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15	Public support percentage for 2018 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	
16	Public support percentage from 2017 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17	Investment income percentage for 2018 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	
18	Investment income percentage from 2017 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	

19a 33 1/3% support tests—2018. 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 ►

b 33 1/3% support tests—2017. 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 12a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked 12b of Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 12c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked 12d of Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? 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.		
1		
2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).		
2		
3a Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.		
3a		
b Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.		
3b		
c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.		
3c		
4a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes" and if you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.		
4a		
b Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.		
4b		
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)? 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.		
4c		
5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in 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).		
5a		
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?		
5b		
c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?		
5c		
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? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .		
6		
7 Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).		
7		
8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).		
8		
9a Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .		
9a		
b Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .		
9b		
c Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .		
9c		
10a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? If "Yes," answer line 10b below.		
10a		
b Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)		
10b		

Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)

		Yes	No
11	Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
a	A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (b) and (c) below, the governing body of a supported organization?		
b	A family member of a person described in (a) above?		
c	A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? <i>If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI</i>		

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

		Yes	No
1	Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the tax year? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.</i>		
2	Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised or controlled the supporting organization.</i>		

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

		Yes	No
1	Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).</i>		

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

		Yes	No
1	Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?		
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? <i>If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).</i>		
3	By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.</i>		

Section E. Type III Functionally-Integrated Supporting Organizations

1	Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions)		
a	<input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.		
b	<input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.		
c	<input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see instructions).		
2	Activities Test Answer (a) and (b) below.		
a	Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? <i>If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.</i>		
b	Did the activities described in (a) constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.</i>		
3	Parent of Supported Organizations Answer (a) and (b) below.		
a	Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? <i>Provide details in Part VI.</i>		
b	Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs and activities of each of its supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.</i>		

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

- 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)	1	
a	Average monthly value of securities	1a	
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b	
c	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d	
e	Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI)		
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt use assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5	
6	Multiply line 5 by .035	6	
7	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7	
8	Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8	
Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	1	
2	Enter 85% of line 1	2	
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	3	
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3	4	
5	Income tax imposed in prior year	5	
6	Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions)	6	
7	<input type="checkbox"/> 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	
2 Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	
3 Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	
4 Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	
5 Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)	
6 Other distributions (describe in Part VI) See instructions	
7 Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6	
8 Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in Part VI) See instructions	
9 Distributable amount for 2018 from Section C, line 6	
10 Line 8 amount divided by Line 9 amount	

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2018	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2018
1 Distributable amount for 2018 from Section C, line 6			
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2018 (reasonable cause required-- explain in Part VI) See instructions			
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2018			
a From 2013.			
b From 2014.			
c From 2015.			
d From 2016.			
e From 2017.			
f Total of lines 3a through e			
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h Applied to 2018 distributable amount			
i Carryover from 2013 not applied (see instructions)			
j Remainder Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f			
4 Distributions for 2018 from Section D, line 7 \$			
a Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b Applied to 2018 distributable amount			
c Remainder Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4			
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2018, if any Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2 If the amount is greater than zero, explain in Part VI See instructions			
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2018 Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1 If the amount is greater than zero, explain in Part VI See instructions			
7 Excess distributions carryover to 2019. Add lines 3j and 4c			
8 Breakdown of line 7			
a Excess from 2014.			
b Excess from 2015.			
c Excess from 2016.			
d Excess from 2017.			
e Excess from 2018.			

Additional Data

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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)

Facts And Circumstances Test

SCHEDULE D
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements
▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.
▶ Attach to Form 990.
▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.

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Name of the organization
Root Capital Inc
Employer identification number
04-3478123

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.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
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?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
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?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

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

1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)

Preservation of land for public use (e g , recreation or education) Preservation of an historically important land area

Protection of natural habitat Preservation of a certified historic structure

Preservation of open space

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

	Held at the End of the Year	
a Total number of conservation easements	2a	
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	2b	
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)	2c	
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 7/25/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register	2d	

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? Yes No

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)? Yes No

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.

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, 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

b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (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 SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items

a Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ _____

b Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ _____

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 are a 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 programs
 - 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 |
|---|--------|
| 1c Beginning balance | |
| 1d Additions during the year | |
| 1e Distributions during the year | |
| 1f Ending balance | |
- 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 in 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					
b Contributions					
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance					

- 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 ▶
 - c** Temporarily restricted 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
- | | | |
|--|-----|----|
| (i) unrelated organizations | Yes | No |
| (ii) related organizations | | |
| b If "Yes" on 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? | | |
- 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				
c Leasehold improvements		82,399	38,476	43,923
d Equipment		111,508	103,439	8,069
e Other		1,326,624	237,341	1,089,283
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c)) . . . ▶				1,141,275

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) LOANS RECEIVABLE	42,212,773	F
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13) ▶	42,212,773	

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)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 15) ▶	

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	0
DEFERRED RENT LIABILITY	95,969
OTHER LIABILITIES	3,834
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25) ▶	99,803

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 FIN 48 (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.

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	14,530,381
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a	5,249
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	143,843
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	-7,894,431
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	-7,745,339
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	22,275,720
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	
5	Total revenue Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	5	22,275,720

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.

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	15,061,705
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	143,843
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Other losses	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	143,843
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	14,917,862
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b	8,165,615
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	8,165,615
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	5	23,083,477

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

Return Reference	Explanation
See Additional Data Table	

Part XIII Supplemental Information *(continued)*

Return Reference	Explanation

Additional Data

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Return Reference	Explanation
Escrow and Custodial Arrangements	<p>SCHEDULE D, PART IV, LINE 2B AT TIMES, ROOT CAPITAL CO-LENDERS WITH OTHER ORGANIZATIONS AND ADMINISTERS THE ENTIRE LOAN CREDIT COUNSELING AND DEBT MANAGEMENT SERVICES ARE PROVIDED BY THE CO-LENDER IN MANY LOCATIONS, ROOT CAPITAL BEARS THE RESPONSIBILITY TO CREATE A TRIANGULATED PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE CO-LENDER, BORROWER, AND COMMERCIAL BUYER THIS CREATES AN ADDED MEASURE OF SECURITY FOR ROOT CAPITAL'S CLIENTS BY ENSURING THAT THEIR PRODUCTS CAN BE SOLD AT A FAIR PRICE, AND HELPS BUYERS CONTRIBUTE TO THE LOCAL ECONOMIES THE ESCROW FUNDS REPRESENT A TIMING DIFFERENCE BETWEEN REPAYMENTS FROM BORROWERS AND TRANSFER OF FUNDS</p> <p>DUE TO CO-LENDING PARTNERS THE ESCROW ACCOUNT IS ALSO USED WHEN A BUYER PAYS ROOT CAPITAL THE FULL AMOUNT OF THE MONEY OWED TO A SUPPLIER/BORROWER ROOT CAPITAL DEDUCTS THE PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST OWED ON ITS LOAN AND FORWARDS THE REMAINING BALANCE TO THE SUPPLIER/BORROWER</p>

Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Liability for Uncertain Tax Position (ASC 740)	<p>SCHEDULE D, PART X, LINE 2 Root Capital follows guidance that clarifies the accounting for uncertainty in tax positions taken or expected to be taken in a tax return, including issues relating to financial statement recognition and measurement. This guidance provides that the tax effects from an uncertain tax position can only be recognized in the combined financial statements if the position is "more-likely-than-not" to be sustained if the position were to be challenged by a taxing authority. The assessment of the tax position is based solely on the technical merits of the position, without regard to the likelihood that the tax position may be challenged. Root Capital is exempt from federal income tax under IRC section 501(c)(3), though it is subject to tax on income unrelated to its exempt purpose, unless that income is otherwise excluded by the Code. Root Capital has processes presently in place to ensure the maintenance of its tax-exempt status, to identify and report unrelated business income, to determine its filing and tax obligations in jurisdictions for which it has nexus, and to identify and evaluate other matters that may be considered tax positions. Root Capital has determined that there are no material uncertain tax positions that require recognition or disclosure in the financial statements. In addition, Root Capital has not recorded a provision for income taxes as it has no material tax liability from unrelated business income activities.</p>

Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Reconciliation of revenue	SCHEDULE D, PART XI, LINE 2D PROVISION FOR LOAN LOSS \$(6,406,250) INTEREST EXPENSE &(1,759,365) FOREIGN CURRENCY EXCHANGE GAIN (LOSS) 271,184 ----- ----- TOTAL \$(7,894,431)

Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Reconciliation of expenses	SCHEDULE D, PART XII, LINE 4B PROVISION FOR LOAN LOSS \$6,406,250 INTEREST EXPENSE \$1,759 ,365 ----- TOTAL \$8,165,615

**SCHEDULE F
(Form 990)**

Statement of Activities Outside the United States

OMB No 1545-0047

2018

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Inspection**

- ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 14b, 15, or 16.
- ▶ Attach to Form 990.
- ▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
Root Capital Inc

Employer identification number

04-3478123

Part I General Information on Activities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 14b.

1 For grantmakers. Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of its grants and other assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? Yes No

2 For grantmakers. Describe in Part V the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of its grants and other assistance outside the United States

3 Activities per Region (The following Part I, line 3 table can be duplicated if additional space is needed)

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (e.g., fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for and investments in region
See Add'l Data					
3a Sub-total	5	62			104,288,090
b Total from continuation sheets to Part I					
c Totals (add lines 3a and 3b)	5	62			104,288,090

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 15, for any recipient who received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1 (a) Name of organization	(b) IRS code section and EIN (if applicable)	(c) Region	(d) Purpose of grant	(e) Amount of cash grant	(f) Manner of cash disbursement	(g) Amount of non-cash assistance	(h) Description of non-cash assistance	(i) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
See Add'l Data								

2 Enter total number of recipient organizations listed above that are recognized as charities by the foreign country, recognized as tax-exempt by the IRS, or for which the grantee or counsel has provided a section 501(c)(3) equivalency letter ▶ _____

3 Enter total number of other organizations or entities ▶ _____

Part III **Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals Outside the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 16.

Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Region	(c) Number of recipients	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Manner of cash disbursement	(f) Amount of non-cash assistance	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)

Part IV Foreign Forms

- 1 Was the organization a U S transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 926, Return by a U S Transferor of Property to a Foreign Corporation (see Instructions for Form 926)* Yes No
- 2 Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to separately file Form 3520, Annual Return to Report Transactions with Foreign Trusts and Receipt of Certain Foreign Gifts, and/or Form 3520-A, Annual Information Return of Foreign Trust With a U S Owner (see Instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A, don't file with Form 990)* Yes No
- 3 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5471, Information Return of U S Persons with Respect to Certain Foreign Corporations (see Instructions for Form 5471)* Yes No
- 4 Was the organization a direct or indirect shareholder of a passive foreign investment company or a qualified electing fund during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8621, Information Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund (see Instructions for Form 8621)* Yes No
- 5 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign partnership during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8865, Return of U S Persons with Respect to Certain Foreign Partnerships (see Instructions for Form 8865)* Yes No
- 6 Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to separately file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see Instructions for Form 5713, don't file with Form 990)* Yes No

Part V Supplemental Information

Provide the information required by Part I, line 2 (monitoring of funds); Part I, line 3, column (f) (accounting method; amounts of investments vs. expenditures per region); Part II, line 1 (accounting method); Part III (accounting method); and Part III, column (c) (estimated number of recipients), as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information (see instructions).

990 Schedule F, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
PROCESS FOR MONITORING USE OF GRANTS	Schedule F, Part I, line 2 ROOT CAPITAL IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ACTIONS OR INACTIONS OF ITS SUBRECIPIENTS AS STIPULATED UNDER THE AGREEMENTS THE MONITORING OF SUBRECIPIENTS IS AN EXTREMELY IMPORTANT PART OF SUBPROJECT MANAGEMENT TO ENSURE THAT THE SUBGRANTEE IS PERFORMING IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AGREEMENT, STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURE AND IN FURTHERANCE OF THE PROJECT OBJECTIVES A VARIETY OF TOOLS are UTILIZED TO MONITOR SUBGRANTEES THESE INCLUDE - TIMELY AND THOROUGH REVIEW OF FINANCIAL AND PROGRAMMATIC SUBGRANTEE REPORTS - PERIODIC AND ON-SITE VISITS - REGULAR AND ONGOING COMMUNICATION WITH SUBGRANTEE - INTERNAL AND/OR EXTERNAL AUDITS PATHFINDER CONDUCTS PRE-AWARD AND PERIODIC RISK ASSESSMENTS OF THE SUBRECIPIENTS DEPENDING ON THE RESULTS, A MONITORING PLAN TOGETHER WITH AN APPROPRIATE MECHANISM FOR FUNDING, FINANCIAL AND PROGRAMATIC MANAGMENT AND MONITORING IS FORMULATED

990 Schedule F, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Accounting Method Used	Schedule F, Part I, Line 3, Column (f) THE EXPENDITURES, PER REGION, ARE PRESENTED ON THE ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

Additional Data

Software ID:

Software Version:

EIN: 04-3478123

Name: Root Capital Inc

Form 990 Schedule F Part I - Activities Outside The United States

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees or agents in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (i.e., fundraising, program services, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for region
Sub-Saharan Africa	2	24	Program Services	Loan Disbursements	25,821,075
South America	1	13	Program Services	Loan Disbursements	34,339,830

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Central America and the Caribbean	1	18	Program Services	Loan Disbursements	26,953,903
North America	1	7	Program Services	Loan Disbursements	5,078,772

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East Asia and the Pacific			Program Services	Loan Disbursements	4,813,680
Sub-Saharan Africa			Program Services	Lending/Advisory	3,157,822

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South America			Program Services	Lending/Advisory	1,861,536
Central America and the Caribbean			Program Services	Lending/Advisory	1,333,383

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North America			Program Services	Lending/Advisory	378,404
South America			Grantmaking	Lending/Advisory	250,000

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Central America and the Caribbean			Grantmaking	Lending/Advisory	167,685
North America			Grantmaking	Lending/Advisory	102,000

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East Asia and the Pacific			Grantmaking	Lending/Advisory	30,000

Form 990 Schedule F Part II - Grants or Entities Outside The United States

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		Sub-Saharan Africa	Agricultural	20,000	wire			
		South America	Agricultural	15,000	wire			

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		South America	Agricultural	15,000	wire			
		South America	Agricultural	15,000	wire			

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		South America	Agricultural	20,000	wire			
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		South America	Agricultural	15,000	wire			
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		South America	Agricultural	15,000	wire			
		South America	Agricultural	20,000	wire			

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		South America	Agricultural	15,000	wire			
		South America	Agricultural	15,000	wire			

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		South America	Agricultural	15,000	wire			
		Central America and the Caribbean	Agricultural	15,000	wire			

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		Central America and the Caribbean	Agricultural	15,000	wire			
		South America	Agricultural	15,000	wire			

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		Sub-Saharan Africa	Agricultural	20,000	wire			
		Sub-Saharan Africa	Agricultural	20,000	wire			

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		South America	Agricultural	15,000	wire			
		North America	Agricultural	15,000	wire			

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		Sub-Saharan Africa	Agricultural	20,000	wire			
		Sub-Saharan Africa	Agricultural	7,632	wire			

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		South America	Agricultural	15,000	wire			
		South America	Agricultural	15,000	wire			

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		Sub-Saharan Africa	Agricultural	20,000	wire			
		Sub-Saharan Africa	Agricultural	29,900	wire			

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		Sub-Saharan Africa	Agricultural	20,000	wire			
		North America	Agricultural	87,000	wire			

Schedule J
(Form 990)

Compensation Information

OMB No 1545-0047

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees
▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990.**
▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.**

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
Root Capital Inc

Employer identification number
04-3478123

Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

		Yes	No
1a	Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items		
<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 (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)
b	If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain	1b	
2	Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?	2	
3	Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director Check all that apply Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Compensation committee	<input type="checkbox"/>	Written employment contract
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Independent compensation consultant	<input checked="" 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?	4a	No
b	Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?	4b	No
c	Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?	4c	No
	If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III		
	Only 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?	5a	No
b	Any related organization?	5b	No
	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?	6a	No
b	Any related organization?	6b	No
	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 in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III	7	Yes
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	8	No
9	If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?	9	

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 are not 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 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				
1 William F Foote President & CEO	(i)	273,194	0	0	11,000	13,602	297,796	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2 Jared Chase CFO/Treasurer & COO	(i)	197,570	0	0	7,454	3,123	208,147	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3 Brian Matthew Onie Milder EVP of Strategy	(i)	173,803	0	12,067	7,484	14,097	207,451	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4 Nancy Everett Gen Counsel & Interim COO	(i)	158,203	4,692	0	6,880	12,922	182,697	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 Darcy Salinger Chief Credit Officer	(i)	157,081	0	0	6,283	0	163,364	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6 Jean Forrester Controller	(i)	148,988	0	0	5,479	16,948	171,415	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7 Bryan Woliner VP Finance & IT, Interim CFO	(i)	134,829	7,038	0	5,836	13,922	161,625	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8 Lubna Maria Elia Sr Dir, US HR & Corp Complianc	(i)	119,263	0	0	34,206	8,770	162,239	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Part III Supplemental Information

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
NONFIXED PAYMENTS	SCHEDULE J, PART I, LINE 7 THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS RECEIVED NONFIXED PAYMENTS IN 2018 NANCY EVERETT \$4,692 BRYAN WOLINER \$7,038 NONFIXED PAYMENTS REPRESENT BONUSES IN RECOGNITION OF THE ADDITIONAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR BOTH THE INTERIM COO AND CFO



Schedule L
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Transactions with Interested Persons

OMB No 1545-0047

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 25a, 25b, 26, 27, 28a, 28b, or 28c, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a or 40b.**
 ▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**
 ▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.**

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
Root Capital Inc

Employer identification number
04-3478123

Part I Excess Benefit Transactions (section 501(c)(3), section 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations only)
 Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a or 25b, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 40b

1	(a) Name of disqualified person	(b) Relationship between disqualified person and organization	(c) Description of transaction	(d) Corrected?	
				Yes	No

2 Enter the amount of tax incurred by organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under section 4958 ▶ \$ _____
 3 Enter the amount of tax, if any, on line 2, above, reimbursed by the organization ▶ \$ _____

Part II Loans to and/or From Interested Persons.
 Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a, or Form 990, Part IV, line 26, or if the organization reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 5, 6, or 22

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship with organization	(c) Purpose of loan	(d) Loan to or from the organization?		(e) Original principal amount	(f) Balance due	(g) In default?		(h) Approved by board or committee?		(i) Written agreement?	
			To	From			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
			Yes	No			Yes	No	Yes	No		
(1) Rick Peyser	BOARD MEMBER	investment	X		25,000	25,000		No		No	Yes	
(2) Jack Taylor	BOARD MEMBER	investment	X		100,000	100,000		No		No	Yes	
Total						▶ \$	125,000					

Part III Grants or Assistance Benefiting Interested Persons.
 Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 27.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of assistance	(d) Type of assistance	(e) Purpose of assistance

Part IV Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 28a, 28b, or 28c.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of transaction	(d) Description of transaction	(e) Sharing of organization's revenues?	
				Yes	No

Part V Supplemental Information

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule L (see instructions)

Return Reference	Explanation
LOANS TO ROOT CAPITAL, INC	SCHEDULE L, PART II TWO BOARD MEMBERS EXTENDED LOANS TO ROOT CAPITAL, INC THESE LOANS ARE DOCUMENTED IN A WRITTEN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE ORGANIZATION AND THE BOARD MEMBERS AND THE TERMS ARE NEGOTIATED AT ARMS LENGTH, AND INDEPENDENTLY FROM THE INDIVIDUALS ROLE AT ROOT CAPITAL THESE LOANS ARE MADE WITHIN THE USUAL PARAMETERS OFFERED TO ALL INVESTORS

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

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

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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Department of the Treasury

Name of the organization

Root Capital Inc

Employer identification number

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<p>ORGANIZATION'S MISSION, CONTINUED</p>	<p>FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1 THROUGH A UNIQUE COMBINATION OF CAPITAL, TRAINING, AND ACCESS TO GLOBAL MARKETS, ROOT CAPITAL HELPS AGRICULTURAL BUSINESSES INCREASE FARMER INCOMES, WHICH IN TURN IMPROVES FOOD SECURITY, EMPOWERS WOMEN, CONSERVES ECOSYSTEMS, AND ENCOURAGES THE NEXT GENERATION OF FARMERS PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS, CONTINUED FINANCE FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4A MOST ROOT CAPITAL LOANS CAN BE CATEGORIZED AS FOLLOWS 1) LINES OF CREDIT, WHICH ARE USED BY BORROWERS TO COVER COSTS OF PURCHASING RAW PRODUCT FROM THEIR FARMER SUPPLIERS THESE LINES OF CREDIT HAVE TERMS OF UP TO ONE YEAR AND ARE GENERALLY ORIENTED AROUND A HARVEST OR PRODUCTION CYCLE 2) FIXED-ASSET LOANS WITH TERMS OF UP TO SEVEN YEARS FOR INVESTMENT IN EQUIPMENT AND INFRASTRUCTURE 3) GENERAL WORKING CAPITAL LOANS WITH TERMS FROM ONE TO SEVEN YEARS ROOT CAPITAL ASSESSES PROSPECTIVE CLIENTS AND EVALUATES THEM ON A SERIES OF FINANCIAL, SOCIAL, AND ENVIRONMENTAL CRITERIA SOCIAL CRITERIA INCLUDE PRICES PAID TO SUPPLIERS, EMPLOYEE WAGES, AND WORKING CONDITIONS, AND COMPANY SUPPORT FOR SOCIAL PROGRAMS SUCH AS TRAINING AND MEDICAL CARE ENVIRONMENTAL CRITERIA INCLUDE SOIL AND WATER MANAGEMENT, THE IMPACT OF THE BUSINESS ON THE SURROUNDING COMMUNITY, AND STANDARDS FOR PRODUCT HANDLING AND PROCESSING ROOT CAPITAL'S LENDING SUPPORTS SUSTAINABLE ENVIRONMENTAL PRACTICES THAT PROTECT RURAL ECOSYSTEMS CROPS PROCESSED AND MARKETED BY ROOT CAPITAL CLIENTS INCLUDE WILD-HARVESTED PRODUCTS SUCH AS NUTS AND NATIVE PLANTS FOR OILS, AGRO-FORESTRY CROPS SUCH AS SHADE-GROWN COFFEE AND COCOA, AND FARM-GROWN FRUITS AND VEGETABLES LENDING OFFICERS STAY ENGAGED WITH CLIENTS THROUGHOUT THE TERM OF EACH LOAN, AND ROOT CAPITAL'S FINANCIAL ADVISORY SERVICES PROGRAM PROVIDES TRAINING AS NEEDED Advisory Programs FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4B THOUGH FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT TRAINING IS THE CORE OFFERING OF THE ORGANIZATION'S ADVISORY PROGRAM, ROOT CAPITAL ALSO PROVIDES COMPLEMENTARY NON-FINANCIAL SERVICES, SUCH AS PARTNERSHIP-BASED TRAINING IN AGRONOMY ROOT CAPITAL PROVIDES TRAINING TO OUR CLIENTS ON FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT, AGRONOMIC PLANNING AND MONITORING, LOAN APPLICATION SUPPORT, FINANCIAL INSTITUTION (FI) ADVISORY AND MOBILE TECHNOLOGY CATALYZE FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4C THROUGH INDUSTRY ASSOCIATIONS SUCH AS THE ASPEN NETWORK OF DEVELOPMENT ENTREPRENEURS AND THE GLOBAL IMPACT INVESTMENT NETWORK, ROOT CAPITAL PLAYS A LEADERSHIP ROLE IN BUILDING THE ENABLING ENVIRONMENT FOR RURAL SMALL AND GROWING BUSINESS FINANCE AS A NON-PROFIT COMMITTED TO ALLEVIATING RURAL POVERTY, ROOT CAPITAL SEEKS TO MAXIMIZE THE POSITIVE SOCIAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF OUR WORK ECONOMIC, COMMUNITY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY ARE ALL PART OF OUR CORE VALUES ECONOMIC SUSTAINABILITY - ROOT CAPITAL CLIENTS LINK SMALL-SCALE FARMERS TO MARKETS THAT CAN OFFER HIGHER AND MORE STABLE PRICES THAN THEY HAVE HISTORICALLY RECEIVED ROOT CAPITAL CLIENTS ALSO GENERATE EMPLOYMENT INCLUDING MANAGERS, ACCOUNTANTS, AGRICULTURAL EXTEN</p>

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ORGANIZATION'S MISSION, CONTINUED	SION STAFF, DRIVERS, AND WORKERS AT PROCESSING PLANTS ROOT CAPITAL WORKS WITH UNIQUE BUYERS OF AGRICULTURAL AND OTHER SUSTAINABLE PRODUCTS WORLDWIDE INCLUDING COMPANIES SUCH AS CO OPERATIVE COFFEES, ANDEAN NATURALS, GEPA, STARBUCKS, KEURIG GREEN MOUNTAIN, AND EQUAL EXCHANGE COMMUNITY SUSTAINABILITY - FARMER ASSOCIATIONS ENCOURAGE PARTICIPATORY DECISION-MAKING AND ARE A SOURCE OF COMMUNITY OWNERSHIP AND PRIDE THEY ALSO STEM MIGRATION TO URBAN AREAS BY MAKING TRADITIONAL AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES MORE VIABLE SOCIAL IMPACT INCLUDES STABILIZING INCOMES IN RURAL COMMUNITIES AND CREATING NEW ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN, INDIGENOUS PEOPLES AND OTHER MARGINALIZED GROUPS ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY - ROOT CAPITAL CLIENTS TYPICALLY PROVIDE FARMERS WITH TRAINING IN SUSTAINABLE PRODUCTION TO AVOID DEFOR-ESTATION, REDUCE CHEMICAL USE, IMPROVE WATER AND SOIL MANAGEMENT, AND OTHERWISE PROTECT THE HEALTH OF RURAL ECOSYSTEMS

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FORM 990 REVIEW PROCESS	FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 11B THE FORM 990 WAS PREPARED BY AN INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM WITH INFORMATION PROVIDED BY MANAGEMENT THE FORM 990 IS REVIEWED BY THE CONTROLLER, CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER AND PRESIDENT PRIOR TO FILING, THE COMPLETE FORM 990 IS PROVIDED TO ALL VOTING MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS WITH OPPORTUNITY FOR QUESTIONS, COMMENTS, OR EDITS THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IS GIVEN 10 DAYS TO REVIEW AND COMMENT ON THE FORM 990 ANY CHANGES ARE INCORPORATED IN THE FINAL FORM 990 WHICH IS FILED WITH THE IRS

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CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY	FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 12C ALL ROOT CAPITAL BOARD MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES PARTICIPATE IN AN ANNUAL TRAINING ON ROOT CAPITAL'S CODE OF ETHICS, WHICH INCLUDES A CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS COMPLETE A CONFLICT OF INTEREST DISCLOSURE FORM EACH YEAR, WHICH IS REVIEWED BY ROOT CAPITAL'S GOVERNANCE, RISK MANAGEMENT & COMPLIANCE (GRC) TEAM, AND VETTED WITH LEGAL COUNSEL IF NEEDED IF IT IS NECESSARY TO REVIEW OR CLEAR A CONFLICT RELATED TO THE CURRENT WORK OR ACTIVITY OF ROOT CAPITAL, THAT CONFLICT IS BROUGHT BEFORE THE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD IF THE DIRECTOR WITH THE CONFLICT SERVES ON THE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE, S/HE IS RECUSED FROM THE CONVERSATION THE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE ENSURES THAT ANY BUSINESS DECISION THAT COULD BE AFFECTED BY THE PARTICULAR CONFLICT IS CONSIDERED OBJECTIVELY BY THE ROOT CAPITAL TEAM AND IS IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE ORGANIZATION THE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE'S CONVERSATION AND DECISION WITH RESPECT TO THE CONFLICT IS RECORDED IN THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING AND SHARED WITH THE WHOLE BOARD IN THE SUBSEQUENT QUARTERLY BOARD BOOK ALL ROOT CAPITAL PERSONNEL ARE TRAINED ON THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY IN THE COURSE OF ITS ANNUAL CODE OF ETHICS WORKSHOPS BEFORE THESE WORKSHOPS, ROOT CAPITAL'S CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY IS SHARED WITH THE PARTICIPANTS AND, AFTER THE TRAINING, PARTICIPANTS ARE ASKED TO SIGN AN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM ATTESTING THAT THEY HAVE READ THE POLICIES AND COMPLETED THE TRAINING

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COMPENSATION REVIEW PROCESS	FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 15 PER DELEGATION OF THE FULL BOARD OF DIRECTORS EACH YEAR, THE ROOT CAPITAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS' GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE REVIEWS THE CEO'S PERFORMANCE AND COMPENSATION ANNUALLY AND RECOMMENDS A SALARY FOR APPROVAL BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD THIS POWER IS DELEGATED TO THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE BY THE BOARD SINCE THE FIRST QUARTER BOARD MEETING OCCURS PRIOR TO SALARY ADJUSTMENTS EACH YEAR THE CEO'S SALARY RECOMMENDATION IS SUPPORTED BY A COMPENSATION STUDY PERFORMED BY AN OUTSIDE COMPENSATION EXPERT EVERY TWO YEARS DOCUMENTATION OF THE DELIBERATION AND DECISION IS FILED IN THE CEO'S PERSONNEL FOLDER COMPENSATION OF OTHER OFFICERS AND KEY EMPLOYEES IS DETERMINED BY THE CEO OF THE ORGANIZATION USING THE RESULTS OF A COMPENSATION SURVEY CONDUCTED ON AN ANNUAL BASIS

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PUBLIC DISCLOSURE	FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 19 Root capital makes its form 990 available to the public by retaining a copy at its place of business AND ON ITS WEBSITE, WWW ROOTCAPITAL ORG The form 990 is likewise published on the internet at www guidestar org The organization financial statements are made available in its annual report The organization's governing documents and conflict of interest policy are not ordinarily made available to the public, but, if requested, will be provided at management's discretion

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OTHER CHANGES IN NET ASSETS	FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 9 FOREIGN CURRENCY EXCHANGE Gain/(Loss) \$271,184

**SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)**

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

OMB No 1545-0047

2018

**Open to Public
Inspection**

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.
▶ Attach to Form 990.
▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
Root Capital Inc

Employer identification number

04-3478123

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

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) Root Capital Mexico AC Ma Adelina Flores No 20 Colo Chiapa MX	Prgm Support	MX	N/A	N/A	Root Capital	Yes	
(2) Asociacion Accder Av Camino Real 348 Terra El P Lima PE	Prgm Support	PE	N/A	N/A	Root Capital	Yes	
(3) Root Capital Guatemala AC 22 Avenida 3-87 Zona 3 Edific Quetzaltenago GT	Prgm Support	GT	N/A	N/A	Root Capital	Yes	

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	

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

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

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)Root Capital AC - Mexico	p	89,891	FMV
(2)Asociacion ACCDER	p	1,344,713	FMV
(3)Root Capital AC - Guatemala	p	25,631	FMV

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	

Part VII **Supplemental Information**

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions)

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Foreign Controlled Subsidiaries	The Root Capital Form 990 presents the consolidated information of its foreign controlled subsidiaries (as disclosed in Schedule R, Part II) thereby reporting the organizations worldwide activities consistently with its audited financial statements

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