Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

See separate instructions.

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Reporting Issuer 2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN) Issuer's name 27-0331816 RESOURCE REAL ESTATE OPPORTUNITY REIT, INC. 5 Email address of contact 4 Telephone No. of contact 3 Name of contact for additional information IR@RESOURCEREIT.COM 866-469-0129 INVESTOR RELATIONS 7 City, town, or post office, state, and Zip code of contact 6 Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) of contact PHILADELPHIA, PA 19112 ONE CRESCENT DRIVE, SUITE 203 9 Classification and description 8 Date of action COMMON STOCK 5/31/2012 12 Ticker symbol 13 Account number(s) 11 Serial number(s) 10 CUSIP number N/A N/A N/A Organizational Action Attach additional statements if needed. See back of form for additional questions. Part II Describe the organizational action and, if applicable, the date of the action or the date against which shareholders' ownership is measured for the action ▶ A CASH DISTRIBUTION OF \$0.15 PER COMMON SHARE WAS PAID TO SHAREHOLDERS ON MAY 31, 2012 TO HOLDERS OF RECORD ON MAY 15, 2012. THIS CASH DISTRIBUTION IS EXPECTED TO EXCEED THE ISSUER'S CURRENT AND ACCUMULATED EARNINGS AND PROFITS; THEREFORE, THE EXCESS IS A RETURN OF CAPITAL TO THE SHAREHOLDERS. Describe the quantitative effect of the organizational action on the basis of the security in the hands of a U.S. taxpayer as an adjustment per share or as a percentage of old basis ► THE TAX BASIS OF EACH COMMON SHARE DECREASES BY \$0.15 PER SHARE AS A RESULT OF THE ORGANIZATIONAL ACTION. Describe the calculation of the change in basis and the data that supports the calculation, such as the market values of securities and the valuation dates ► THE REDUCTION IN TAX BASIS WAS CALCULATED BY THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN TOTAL CASH DISTRIBUTIONS LESS THE ISSUER'S EXPECTED CURRENT AND ACCUMULATED EARNINGS AND PROFITS. BECAUSE THE CASH DISTRIBUTIONS ARE EXPECTED TO EXCEED THE ISSUER'S CURRENT AND ACCUMULATED EARNINGS AND PROFITS, THIS DIFFERENCE IS A RETURN OF CAPITAL TO EACH SHAREHOLDER.