## (December 2011) Department of the Treasury

## **Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities**

▶ See separate instructions.

OMB No. 1545-2224

Internal Revenue Service Reporting Issuer Part I 2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN) 1 Issuer's name SPIRIT OF AMERICA INCOME & OPPORTUNITY FUND 46-2996407 3 Name of contact for additional information 4 Telephone No. of contact 5 Email address of contact ALAN P. CHODOSH (516) 390-5525 APCHODOSH@DAVIDLERNER.COM 6 Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) of contact 7 City, town, or post office, state, and Zip code of contact **477 JERICHO TURNPIKE** SYOSSET, NY 11791 8 Date of action 9 Classification and description **SEE ATTACHED** REGULATED INVESTMENT COMPANY (RIC) SHARES 10 CUSIP number 11 Serial number(s) 12 Ticker symbol 13 Account number(s) 84860V104 N/A SOAOX Part II Organizational Action Attach additional statements if needed. See back of form for additional questions. Describe the organizational action and, if applicable, the date of the action or the date against which shareholders' ownership is measured for the action ► THE SPIRIT OF AMERICA INCOME & OPPORTUNITY FUND (THE "FUND") IS A REGULATED INVESTMENT COMPANY THAT DISTRIBUTES NET INVESTMENT INCOME MONTHLY. FOR THE MONTHLY NET INVESTMENT INCOME DISTRIBUTIONS PAID BY THE FUND FOR THE 2014 CALENDAR YEAR, 34.3117% OF EACH DISTRIBUTION IS CONSIDERED A NON-TAXABLE RETURN OF CAPITAL. ATTACHMENT TO IRS FORM 8937 FOR MORE DETAIL. 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 ► FOR THE DISTRIBUTIONS REFERENCED ABOVE, 34.3117% SHOULD BE TREATED AS A NON-TAXABLE RETURN OF CAPITAL. PLEASE SEE THE ATTACHMENT TO IRS FORM 8937 FOR MORE DETAIL. 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 BASIS OF EACH SHAREHOLDER OF RECORD ON THE DISTRIBUTION DATES REFERENCES IN THE ATTACHEMENT TO IRS FORM 8937 SHALL BE REDUCED BY 34.3117% OF THE AMOUNTS RECEIVED. THIS AMOUNT WAS DETERMINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH IRC SECTIONS 301 AND 316.

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TOTAL ORDINARY DISTRIBUTION RE	TURN OF
RECORD DISTRIBUTION DISTRIBUTION (RETURN OF C	APITAL
ISSUER'S NAME DATE EX-DATE PAYABLE DATE PER SHARE PER SHARE CAPITAL) PER	CENTAGE
SPIRIT OF AMERICA INCOME & OPPORTUNITY FUND DAILY DAILY 01/15/2014 \$ 0.015585182 \$ 0.010237644 \$ 0.005347538	34.3117%
BOX 10 CUSIP NUMBER: 84860V104 DAILY DAILY 02/03/2014 \$ 0.013468021 \$ 0.008846917 \$ 0.004621104	34.3117%
BOX 12 TICKER SYMBOL: SOAOX DAILY DAILY 03/03/2014 \$ 0.021135223 \$ 0.013883373 \$ 0.007251850	34.3117%
DAILY DAILY 04/01/2014 \$ 0.039962279 \$ 0.026250550 \$ 0.013711729	34.3117%
DAILY DAILY 05/01/2014 \$ 0.046185000 \$ 0.030338151 \$ 0.015846849	34.3117%
DAILY DAILY 06/02/2014 \$ 0.044553295 \$ 0.029266311 \$ 0.015286984	34.3117%
DAILY DAILY 07/01/2014 \$ 0.039154099 \$ 0.025719670 \$ 0.013434429	34.3117%
DAILY DAILY 08/01/2014 \$ 0.038841258 \$ 0.025514170 \$ 0.013327088	34.3117%
DAILY DAILY 09/02/2014 \$ 0.044090851 \$ 0.028962540 \$ 0.015128311	34.3117%
DAILY DAILY 10/01/2014 \$ 0.054370237 \$ 0.035714896 \$ 0.018655341	34.3117%
DAILY DAILY 11/03/2014 \$ 0.063165325 \$ 0.041492241 \$ 0.021673084	34.3117%
DAILY DAILY 12/01/2014 \$ 0.049896073 \$ 0.032775892 \$ 0.017120181	34.3117%
DAILY DAILY 01/02/2015 \$ 0.072874566 \$ 0.047870079 \$ 0.025004487	34.3117%