Paul Manners & Associates, Inc.

CRS—Customer Relations Summary
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Our firm, Paul Manners & Associates, Inc., is an investment adviser registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission. We feel that it is important for you to understand how advisory and brokerage services and fees differ in order to determine which type of account is right for you. There are free and simple tools available to research firms and financial professionals at www.investor.gov/CRS, which also provides educational materials about investment advisers, broker-dealers, and investing.

WHAT INVESTMENT SERVICES AND ADVICE CAN YOU PROVIDE ME?

We are a registered investment adviser that offers investment advisory services to retail investors and institutions. If you open an advisory account with our firm, we'll meet with you to understand your current financial situation, existing resources, goals, and risk tolerance. Based on what we learn, we'll recommend a portfolio of investments that is monitored at least annually, and if necessary, rebalanced to meet your changing needs, stated goals and objectives. We'll offer you advice on a regular basis and contact you at least annually to discuss your portfolio.

We manage accounts on a discretionary basis. After you sign an agreement with our firm, we're allowed to buy and sell investments in your account without asking you in advance. Any limitations will be described in the signed advisory agreement. We will have discretion until the advisory agreement is terminated by you or our firm.

We do not restrict our advice to limited types of products or investments. Our firm now requires a minimum account balance of \$1,000,000 for our asset management service.

WHAT FEES WILL I PAY?

You will be charged an ongoing quarterly fee based on the value of the investments in your account. We charge an advisory fee of 1.00% of assets under management for our asset management service. Accounts over \$2,000,000 receive a discounted rate.

The more assets you have in your advisory account, the more you will pay us. We therefore have an incentive to increase the assets in your advisory account in order to increase our fees. Our fees may vary and are negotiable. The amount you pay will depend, for example, on the services you receive and the amount of assets in your account. Our firm's fees will be automatically deducted from your advisory account, which will reduce the value of your advisory account. In rare cases, our firm will agree to send you invoices rather than automatically deduct our firm's fees from your advisory account.

The custodian that holds your assets may charge you a transaction fee when we buy or sell an investment for you. Their fees are in addition to our firm's fees for our asset management service.

You may also pay charges imposed by the custodian holding your accounts for certain investments and maintaining your account. Some investments, such as mutual funds, index funds, or exchange traded funds, charge additional fees that will reduce the value of your investments over time.

You will pay fees and costs whether you make or lose money on your investments. Fees and costs will reduce any amount of money you make on your investments over time. Please make sure you understand what fees and costs you are paying.

As your investment adviser, we have to act in your best interest and not put our interest ahead of yours. Any potential conflicts of interest must be disclosed to you in writing.

HOW DO YOUR FINANCIAL PROFESSIONALS MAKE MONEY?

Our financial professionals are salaried employees and do not receive any additional compensation tied to the recommendations made in their fiduciary capacity.

DO ANY OF YOUR FINANCIAL PROFESSIONALS HAVE A LEGAL OR DISCIPLINARY HISTORY?

No. Visit Investor.gov/CRS for a free and simple search tool to research our firm and our financial professionals.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

You can find additional information about our firm's investment advisory services on the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov by searching CRD #110996. You may also contact our firm at (404) 231-8611 to request a copy of this relationship summary and other up-to-date information.

Questions to ask us:

- Help me understand how these fees and costs may affect my investments. If I give you \$100,000 to invest, how much will go to fees and costs and how much will be invested for me?
- How might potential conflicts of interest affect me, and how will you address them?
- As a financial professional, do you have any disciplinary history? For what type of conduct?
- Who is my primary contact person?
- Who can I talk to if I have concerns about how this person is treating me?
- How will you choose investment to recommend to me?
- What is your relevant experience, including your licenses, education and other qualification? What do these qualifications mean?

Additional information about our fees or potential conflicts of interest is located in our Firm Brochure, which are available online at https://adviserinfo.sec.gov/firm/brochure/110996.