# Form CRS – Client Relationship Summary Introduction

Stock Management LLC ("Adviser") is registered with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") as an investment adviser. Brokerage and investment advisory services and fees differ and it is important for you to understand these differences. *There are free and simple tools available to research firms and financial professionals at <u>www.investor.gov/CRS</u> which also provides educational materials about investment advisers, broker-dealers and investing.* 

# What types of investment services and advice can you provide me?

We offer investment advisory services to retail investors for an ongoing asset-based fee calculated on the aggregate market value of all assets under management, including allocations to cash. If you open an account with us, we'll meet with you to understand your current financial situation, goals, and risk tolerance. Based on what we learn, we'll recommend a portfolio of investments that is monitored on a continuous basis. We will conduct an internal review of your account on at least a quarterly basis and, if necessary, rebalance to meet changing needs. We have no minimum size for account creation.

Our firm only offers investment advice and portfolio management with relation to publicly traded securities, such as stocks, bonds, mutual funds, exchange traded funds. We do not manage or offer investment advice for other investment vehicles such as cryptocurrency, derivatives, or hard assets.

Our client accounts are managed on a discretionary basis which means we don't need to call you when buying or selling in your account. We may have client accounts managed on a non-discretionary basis which would mean that you make the ultimate investment decision regarding purchases or sales of investments. *Additional information about our advisory services is located in Item 4 of our Firm Brochure which is available upon request or online at <u>https://adviserinfo.sec.gov/</u>.* 

# Questions to Ask Us:

- *Given my financial situation, should I choose an investment advisory service? Why or why not?*
- How will you choose investments to recommend to me?
- What is your relevant experience, including your licenses, education and other qualifications? What do those qualifications mean?

# What fees and costs will I pay?

Fees and costs affect the value of your account over time. We charge an asset-based fee ranging between .20% and 1% annually based upon the value of the assets in your account applied on a monthly or quarterly basis. Our incentive is to increase the value of your account over time which will increase our fees over time. Your fees can be pulled from your account or paid separately. The custodian or broker-dealer that holds your assets can also charge your account fees as well as transaction fees when we buy or sell investments for you. These fees are in addition to our advisory fee. We do not receive nor share in any portion of those custodial or transaction fees. Remember, 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. *Additional information about our fees is located in Item 5 of our Firm Brochure. Our Firm Brochure is available upon request or online at https://adviserinfo.sec.gov/*.

### Questions to Ask Us:

- Help me understand how these fees and costs will affect my investments. If I give you \$10,000 to invest, how much will go to fees and costs and how much will be invested for me?
- How do you determine what fee I will be charged?

# What are your legal obligations to me when acting as my investment adviser? How does your firm make money and what conflicts of interest do you have?

*When we act as your investment adviser,* we have to act in your best interest and not put our interest ahead of yours. At the same time, the way we make money creates some conflicts with your interests. You should understand and ask us about these conflicts because they can affect the investment advice we provide you. Here are some examples to help you understand what this means.

#### Questions to Ask Us:

#### How might your conflicts of interest affect me, and how will you address them?

Conflict of Interest	Description of Conflict of Interest
Employee personal account dealing	When employees invest for their own accounts, conflicts of interest can arise between the trades we place for clients and the trades employees place in their own accounts. We have adopted a personal account dealing policy reasonably designed to address this conflict.
Employee personal accounts managed by Stock Management LLC	When we manage an employee's personal account, conflicts of interest can arise between the trades we place for client and employee accounts. We have procedures in place so that at no time will proprietary account transactions be placed in any manner such that an employee could benefit at the expense of a client.

# Additional information about our conflicts of interest can be found in our Firm Brochure under Item 11 which is available upon request or online at <u>https://adviserinfo.sec.gov/</u>.

### How do your financial professionals make money?

Our financial professionals are paid either a variable or fixed monthly or quarterly amount. Whether as an employee or an independent contractor, each financial professional may receive compensation based upon factors such as the portion of the advisory fees that the firm collects from the accounts each professional manages, the time and complexity of the professional's services, and also the overall revenues of the firm.

# Do you or your financial professionals have legal or disciplinary history?

For our Firm No. For our Financial Professionals Yes. Visit <u>https://Investor.gov/CRS</u> for a free and simple search tool to research our firm and our financial professionals.

Questions to Ask Us: As a financial professional, do you have any disciplinary history? For what type of conduct?

### **Additional Information**

You can find additional information about our firm's investment advisory services on the SEC's website at <u>https://adviserinfo.sec.gov</u> by searching CRD #113902. You may also contact our firm at (360) 669-0538 or 253-535-5530 and talk to any one of our investment professionals or support staff.

Questions to Ask Us:

- Who is my primary contact person?
- Is he or she a representative of an investment adviser or a broker-dealer?
- Who can I talk to if I have concerns about how this person is treating me?