

Irell & Manella Associates 401(k) Plan Qualified Default Investment Alternative (QDIA) Employee Notice

Purpose of this notice

Irell & Manella LLP maintains Irell & Manella Associates 401(k) Plan to help you attain financial security during your retirement years. As a plan participant, you decide how your retirement plan dollars are invested in the investment alternatives available in the plan. If you do not make an investment election, your contributions are invested in the Qualified Default Investment Alternative (QDIA).

This QDIA employee notice:

1. Describes when the QDIA is used
2. Provides details regarding the selected QDIA
3. Outlines your right to direct the investment of your plan dollars to other investments available in the plan or to elect not to have contributions withheld from your pay, if applicable
4. Explains where additional information about those additional investment alternatives can be obtained

Keep this disclosure with your Summary Plan Description and other retirement plan documents.

When the default investment alternative will be used:

You can invest your plan dollars in any of the investment alternatives available in your plan. In the absence of an investment election, your future contributions will be invested in the plan's QDIA under any of the following circumstances:

- You have made a salary reduction election without an investment election.
- An employer contribution has been made on your behalf but you have not provided an investment election.
- You have made investment elections that do not equal 100% or you have elected an investment that is no longer available in the plan.

If assets in your plan account are invested in the plan's QDIA, you can direct the investment of those assets to any other investment alternative under the plan. Please see "Investment Elections" later in this notice for more information on making investment elections.

Your employer has chosen a single fund as the plan's QDIA:

The plan's QDIA is Vanguard Balanced Index I, VBAIX

Fees and expenses as of 03/31/2023: 0.06000

Investment objective: The investment seeks to track the performance of a benchmark index that measures the investment return of the overall U.S. stock market with 60% of its assets; the fund seeks to track the performance of a broad, market-weighted bond index with 40% of its assets.

Investment strategy: The fund employs an indexing investment approach designed to track the performance of two benchmark indexes. With approximately 60% of its assets, the fund seeks to track the investment performance of the CRSP US Total Market Index. With approximately 40% of its assets, the fund seeks to track the investment performance of the BloombergU.S. Aggregate Float Adjusted Index.

Principal risk and return characteristics: Credit and Counterparty, Extension, Prepayment (Call), Loss of Money, Not FDIC Insured, Income, Index Correlation/Tracking Error, Interest Rate, Market/Market Volatility, Equity Securities, Fixed-Income Securities, Sampling

For a more detailed description of the various types of instruments in which the fund may invest and their associated risks, please refer to the fund's prospectus available through your online participant account at LincolnFinancial.com.

Investment elections

You may direct the investment of your existing plan account balance and future contributions as follows:

- You may change investment elections for your future contributions.
- You may change investment elections for your existing account balances, including assets invested in the plan's QDIA.

If you default into the plan and subsequently change investment allocations for existing assets, your current assets and future contributions will both be redirected to the new investment options.

To direct the investment of plan account contributions or assets, make investment elections in the following manner:

For new participants: You may complete online enrollment at LincolnFinancial.com.*

For existing participants: You may make investment elections in either of these ways:

- Access the secure Lincoln website at LincolnFinancial.com*, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- Call the Lincoln Customer Contact Center at 800-234-3500, Monday through Friday, between 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. Eastern.

*Access may be subject to system availability

The New York Stock Exchange closes for trading at 4:00 p.m. Eastern on most business days. Transactions received before market close will be assigned that day's closing unit price. Transactions received after market close, or on a weekend or holiday, will be assigned the closing unit price for the next business day.

Additional information

You may view additional information about other investment options available in the plan by logging in to your account at LincolnFinancial.com.

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