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Additional information about Tradewinds Capital Management, LLC also is available on the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov.

References herein to Tradewinds Capital Management, LLC as a "registered investment adviser" or any reference to being "registered" does not imply a certain level of skill or training.

Item 2 **Material Changes**

Since the most recent annual amendment filing on March 27, 2014, this Brochure has been materially amended at Item 1 to reflect the Registrant's new principal office address.

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Item 4 **Advisory Business**

- A. The Registrant is a limited liability company that was originally formed on December 21, 2007 in the State of Delaware. In December 2011, the Registrant transitioned its corporate filing status and became a Washington State entity. The Registrant became registered as an Investment Adviser Firm in February 2008. The Registrant is owned equally by TCM Bellingham, LLC and TCM Shoreline, LLC. TCM Bellingham, LLC is owned by Bryant Engebretson and TCM Shoreline, LLC is owned by Mark Anderson. Mr. Engebretson and Mr. Anderson are Registrant's Managing Principals.
- B. As discussed below, the Registrant offers to its clients (individuals, business entities, trusts, estates and charitable organizations, etc.) investment advisory services and, to the extent specifically requested by a client, financial planning and related consulting services.

INVESTMENT ADVISORY SERVICES

The client can engage the Registrant to provide discretionary and/or non-discretionary investment advisory services on a *fee-only* basis. The Registrant's annual investment advisory fee is based upon a percentage (%) of the market value of the assets placed under the Registrant's management. Prior to engaging the Registrant to provide investment advisory services, clients are required to enter into an Investment Advisory Agreement with Registrant setting forth the terms and conditions of the engagement (including termination), describing the scope of the services to be provided, and the fee that is due from the client.

MANAGEMENT STYLES

We offer our clients three different investment management styles. These styles differ in their allocation percentages to numerous asset classes, in their level of responsiveness to changing market conditions and in their sensitivity to fee and tax considerations.

Bellwether Investment Management Style

The Bellwether Investment Management Style has a primary focus on broad passive diversification, low investment management fees and low portfolio turnover (to reduce taxable transactions within the account). This investment style would be most appropriate for someone who possesses a core investment belief that low investment management fees and a passive investment approach are important components to investment success.

Shoreline Investment Management Style

The Shoreline Investment Management Style has a primary focus on a more traditional asset allocation/investment management approach utilizing both passive and active investment managers for various asset classes while making small tactical overweight/underweight asset allocation decisions based upon a forward looking view of the financial landscape. This investment style would be most appropriate for someone who possesses core investment beliefs that forward looking analysis can add value to the investment decision process, but who also believes that low investment management fees and a broadly diversified portfolio are important components to investment success.

Tradewinds Investment Management Style

The Tradewinds Investment Management Style has a primary focus on a quantitative approach to asset allocation/investment management utilizing large tactical overweight/underweight asset allocation decisions. These quantitative decisions are based upon a backward looking momentum view of the financial markets. This investment style would be most appropriate for someone who possesses core investment beliefs that as market conditions change, the portfolio allocation should also change to match the new market environment.

MISCELLANEOUS

Non-Investment Consulting/Implementation Services. To the extent specifically requested by the client, the Registrant *may* provide consulting services regarding non-investment related matters, such as estate planning, tax planning, insurance, etc. Neither the Registrant, nor any of its representatives, serves as an attorney or accountant and no portion of the Registrant's services should be construed otherwise. To the extent requested by a client, the Registrant may recommend the services of other professionals for certain non-investment implementation purposes (i.e. attorneys, accountants, insurance, etc.), including representatives of the Registrant in their separate registered capacities as discussed below. The client is under no obligation to engage the services of any such recommended professional. The client retains absolute discretion over all such implementation decisions and is free to accept or reject any recommendation from the Registrant.

Please Note: If the client engages any such recommended professional, and a dispute arises thereafter relative to such engagement, the client agrees to seek recourse exclusively from and against the engaged professional.

Please Also Note: It remains the client's responsibility to promptly notify the Registrant if there is ever any change in his/her/its financial situation or investment

objectives for the purpose of reviewing/evaluating/revising Registrant's previous recommendations and/or services.

Retirement Plan Rollovers-No Obligation/Conflict of Interest: Clients are under absolutely no obligation to engage Registrant as the investment adviser for his/her employer-sponsored retirement account(s). Rather, clients can continue to self-direct such retirement account(s). However, if a client determines that he/she would like Registrant's assistance in managing his/her retirement account, Registrant shall charge a separate and additional advisory fee for ongoing advisory services, which clients would not incur by continuing to self-direct the retirement account. As a result, any recommendation by Registrant that clients engage Registrant to manage an otherwise self-directed retirement account presents a conflict of interest. Again, clients are under absolutely no obligation to engage Registrant as the investment adviser for his/her retirement account.

Use of Mutual Funds: Most mutual funds are available directly to the public. Thus, a client or prospective client can obtain many of the mutual funds that may be recommended and/or utilized by Registrant independent of engaging Registrant as an investment advisor. However, if a client or prospective client determines to do so, he/she/it will not receive Registrant's initial and ongoing investment advisory services.

Investment Consulting. Registrant may determine to provide non-discretionary portfolio review services relative to those client assets that are not part of the investment assets subject to the Registrant's discretionary and non-discretionary investment advisory services discussed above. These additional client investment assets (the "Excluded Assets") are generally investment assets that are managed directly by the client or by other investment professionals engaged by the client. The Registrant's portfolio review service is limited to periodic review of information pertaining to the Excluded Assets as may be provided to the Registrant by the client, the other investment professional(s), and/or the account custodian, and **does not** include investment advisory services described above. Accordingly, the client (and/or the investment professionals engaged by the client with respect to such assets), and **not** the Registrant, shall be exclusively responsible for the investment performance of the Excluded Assets, regardless of whether the Registrant includes the Excluded Assets on any account reports that it may provide to the client. In the event the client desires that the Registrant provide investment advisory services with respect to the Excluded Assets, the client may engage the Registrant to do so pursuant to the terms and conditions of the *Investment Advisory Agreement* between the Registrant and the client.

Leveraged Funds. The Registrant, as part of its investment strategy, may also utilize leveraged long mutual funds. There can be **no assurance** that the use of leverage will prove profitable or successful. In light of these enhanced risks/rewards associated with leverage, a client may direct the Registrant, in writing, not to employ any or all such strategies for his/her/their/its accounts. In the event that a client has any questions regarding the use of leverage, the Registrant's Chief Compliance Officer, Bryant J. Engebretson, shall remain available to address any such issues.

Please Note: Non-Discretionary Service Limitations. Clients that determine to engage the Registrant on a non-discretionary investment advisory basis **must be willing to accept** that the Registrant cannot effect any account transactions without obtaining prior verbal consent to any such transaction(s) from the client. Thus, in the event of a market correction during which the client is unavailable, the Registrant will be

unable to effect any account transactions (as it would for its discretionary clients) without first obtaining the client's verbal consent.

Client Obligations. In performing its services, Registrant shall not be required to verify any information received from the client or from the client's other professionals, and is expressly authorized to rely thereon. Moreover, each client is advised that it remains his/her/its responsibility to promptly notify the Registrant if there is ever any change in his/her/its financial situation or investment objectives for the purpose of reviewing/evaluating/revising Registrant's previous recommendations and/or services.

Disclosure Statement. A copy of the Registrant's written Brochure as set forth on Part 2A of Form ADV shall be provided to each client prior to, or contemporaneously with, the execution of the *Investment Advisory Agreement*.

- C. The Registrant shall provide investment advisory services specific to the needs of each client. Prior to providing investment advisory services, an investment adviser representative will ascertain each client's investment objective(s). Thereafter, the Registrant shall allocate and/or recommend that the client allocate investment assets consistent with the designated investment objective(s). The client may, at anytime, impose reasonable restrictions, in writing, on the Registrant's services.
- D. The Registrant does not participate in a wrap fee program.
- E. As of December 31st, 2014, the Registrant had \$507,530,175 in assets under management on a discretionary basis and \$0 in assets under management on a non-discretionary basis.

Item 5 Fees and Compensation

A. INVESTMENT ADVISORY SERVICES

If a client determines to engage the Registrant to provide discretionary and/or non-discretionary investment advisory services on a *fee-only* basis, the Registrant's annual investment advisory fee shall be based upon a percentage (%) of the market value and type of assets placed under the Registrant's management (between 0.50% and 1.25%) as follows:

<u>Market Value of Portfolio</u>	<u>% of Assets</u>
Less than \$499,999	1.25%
\$500,000 - \$999,999	1.00%
\$1,000,000 - \$4,999,999	0.75%
Over \$5,000,000	0.50%

- B. Clients may elect to have the Registrant's advisory fees deducted from their custodial account. Both Registrant's *Investment Advisory Agreement* and the custodial/clearing agreement may authorize the custodian to debit the account for the amount of the Registrant's investment advisory fee and to directly remit that management fee to the Registrant in compliance with regulatory procedures. In the limited event that the Registrant bills the client directly, payment is due upon receipt of the Registrant's invoice. The Registrant shall deduct fees and/or bill clients monthly in arrears, based upon the average daily market value of the assets during the previous month.
- C. As discussed below, unless the client directs otherwise or an individual client's circumstances require, the Registrant shall generally recommend that Charles

Schwab and Co., Inc. ("*Schwab*") serve as the broker-dealer/custodian for client investment management assets. Broker-dealers such as *Schwab* charge brokerage commissions and/or transaction fees for effecting certain securities transactions (i.e. transaction fees are charged for certain no-load mutual funds, commissions are charged for individual equity and fixed income securities transactions). In addition to Registrant's investment management fee, brokerage commissions and/or transaction fees, clients will also incur, relative to all mutual fund and exchange traded fund purchases, charges imposed at the fund level (e.g. management fees and other fund expenses).

- D. Registrant's annual investment advisory fee shall be prorated and paid monthly, in arrears, based upon the average daily market value of the assets during the previous month. The Registrant, in its sole discretion, may charge a lesser investment management fee based upon certain criteria (i.e. anticipated future earning capacity, anticipated future additional assets, dollar amount of assets to be managed, related accounts, account composition, negotiations with client, etc.).

The *Investment Advisory Agreement* between the Registrant and the client will continue in effect until terminated by either party by written notice in accordance with the terms of the *Investment Advisory Agreement*. Upon termination, if applicable, the Registrant shall refund any unearned portion of advisory fees on a pro-rata basis.

- E. Neither the Registrant, nor its representatives accept compensation from the sale of securities or other investment products.

Item 6 **Performance-Based Fees and Side-by-Side Management**

Neither the Registrant nor any supervised person of the Registrant accepts performance-based fees.

Item 7 **Types of Clients**

The Registrant's clients shall generally include individuals, business entities, trusts, estates and charitable organizations. The Registrant, in its sole discretion, may charge a lesser investment management fee based upon certain criteria (i.e. anticipated future earning capacity, anticipated future additional assets, dollar amount of assets to be managed, related accounts, account composition, negotiations with client, etc.).

Item 8 **Methods of Analysis, Investment Strategies and Risk of Loss**

- A. The Registrant may utilize the following methods of security analysis:
- Charting - (analysis performed using patterns to identify current trends and trend reversals to forecast the direction of prices)
 - Fundamental - (analysis performed on historical and present data, with the goal of making financial forecasts)
 - Technical - (analysis performed on historical and present data, focusing on price and trade volume, to forecast the direction of prices)
 - Cyclical - (analysis performed on historical relationships between price and market trends, to forecast the direction of prices)

The Registrant may utilize the following investment strategies when implementing investment advice given to clients:

- Long Term Purchases (securities held at least a year)

- Short Term Purchases (securities sold within a year)
- Trading (securities sold within thirty (30) days)

Please Note: Investment Risk. Investing in securities involves risk of loss that clients should be prepared to bear. Different types of investments involve varying degrees of risk, and it should not be assumed that future performance of any specific investment or investment strategy (including the investments and/or investment strategies recommended or undertaken by the Registrant) will be profitable or equal any specific performance level(s).

- B. The Registrant's methods of analysis and investment strategies do not present any significant or unusual risks.

However, every method of analysis has its own inherent risks. To perform an accurate market analysis the Registrant must have access to current/new market information. The Registrant has no control over the dissemination rate of market information; therefore, unbeknownst to the Registrant, certain analyses may be compiled with outdated market information, severely limiting the value of the Registrant's analysis. Furthermore, an accurate market analysis can only produce a forecast of the direction of market values. There can be no assurances that a forecasted change in market value will materialize into actionable and/or profitable investment opportunities.

The Registrant's primary investment strategies - Long Term Purchases, Short Term Purchases, and Trading - are fundamental investment strategies. However, every investment strategy has its own inherent risks and limitations. For example, longer term investment strategies require a longer investment time period to allow for the strategy to potentially develop. Shorter term investment strategies require a shorter investment time period to potentially develop but, as a result of more frequent trading, may incur higher transactional costs when compared to a longer term investment strategy. Trading, an investment strategy that requires the purchase and sale of securities within a thirty (30) day investment time period, involves a very short investment time period but will incur higher transaction costs when compared to a short term investment strategy and substantially higher transaction costs than a longer term investment strategy.

- C. Currently, the Registrant primarily allocates investment management assets among various mutual funds and exchange traded funds (ETFs), on both a discretionary and non-discretionary basis, in accordance with the client's designated investment objective(s).

Item 9 **Disciplinary Information**

The Registrant has not been the subject of any disciplinary actions.

Item 10 **Other Financial Industry Activities and Affiliations**

- A. Neither the Registrant, nor its representatives, are registered or have an application pending to register, as a broker-dealer or a registered representative of a broker-dealer.
- B. Neither the Registrant, nor its representatives, are registered or have an application pending to register, as a futures commission merchant, commodity pool operator, a commodity trading advisor, or a representative of the foregoing.

- C. **Licensed Insurance Agents**. Certain of the Registrants representatives, in their individual and separate licensed capacities, are licensed insurance agents. These individuals **do not** hold themselves out to the public as insurance agents and **do not** accept commissions in connection with placement of insurance products.
- D. The Registrant does not receive, directly or indirectly, compensation from investment advisors that it recommends or selects for its clients.

Item 11 Code of Ethics, Participation or Interest in Client Transactions and Personal Trading

- A. The Registrant maintains an investment policy relative to personal securities transactions. This investment policy is part of Registrant's overall Code of Ethics, which serves to establish a standard of business conduct for all of Registrant's Representatives that is based upon fundamental principles of openness, integrity, honesty and trust, a copy of which is available upon request.

In accordance with Section 204A of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, the Registrant also maintains and enforces written policies reasonably designed to prevent the misuse of material non-public information by the Registrant or any person associated with the Registrant.

- B. Neither the Registrant nor any related person of Registrant recommends, buys, or sells for client accounts, securities in which the Registrant or any related person of Registrant has a material financial interest.
- C. The Registrant and/or representatives of the Registrant *may* buy or sell securities that are also recommended to clients. This practice may create a situation where the Registrant and/or representatives of the Registrant are in a position to materially benefit from the sale or purchase of those securities. Therefore, this situation creates a potential conflict of interest. Practices such as "scalping" (i.e., a practice whereby the owner of shares of a security recommends that security for investment and then immediately sells it at a profit upon the rise in the market price which follows the recommendation) could take place if the Registrant did not have adequate policies in place to detect such activities. In addition, this requirement can help detect insider trading, "front-running" (i.e., personal trades executed prior to those of the Registrant's clients) and other potentially abusive practices.

The Registrant has a personal securities transaction policy in place to monitor the personal securities transactions and securities holdings of each of the Registrant's "Access Persons". The Registrant's securities transaction policy requires that Access Person of the Registrant must provide the Chief Compliance Officer or his/her designee with a written report of the their current securities holdings within ten (10) days after becoming an Access Person. Additionally, each Access Person must provide the Chief Compliance Officer or his/her designee with a written report of the Access Person's current securities holdings at least once each twelve (12) month period thereafter on a date the Registrant selects; provided, however that at any time that the Registrant has only one Access Person, he or she shall not be required to submit any securities report described above.

- D. The Registrant and/or representatives of the Registrant *may* buy or sell securities, at or around the same time as those securities are recommended to clients. This practice creates a situation where the Registrant and/or representatives of the Registrant are in a position to materially benefit from the sale or purchase of those securities. Therefore, this situation creates a potential conflict of interest. As indicated above in Item 11 C, the Registrant has a personal securities transaction

policy in place to monitor the personal securities transaction and securities holdings of each of Registrant's Access Persons.

Item 12 **Brokerage Practices**

- A. In the event that the client requests that the Registrant recommend a broker-dealer/custodian for execution and/or custodial services (exclusive of those clients that may direct the Registrant to use a specific broker-dealer/custodian), Registrant generally recommends that investment management accounts be maintained at *Schwab*. Prior to engaging Registrant to provide investment management services, the client will be required to enter into a formal *Investment Advisory Agreement* with Registrant setting forth the terms and conditions under which Registrant shall manage the client's assets, and a separate custodial/clearing agreement with each designated broker-dealer/custodian.

Factors that the Registrant considers in recommending *Schwab* (or any other broker-dealer/custodian to clients) include historical relationship with the Registrant, financial strength, reputation, execution capabilities, pricing, research, and service. Although the commissions and/or transaction fees paid by Registrant's clients shall comply with the Registrant's duty to obtain best execution, a client may pay a commission that is higher than another qualified broker-dealer might charge to effect the same transaction where the Registrant determines, in good faith, that the commission/transaction fee is reasonable. In seeking best execution, the determinative factor is not the lowest possible cost, but whether the transaction represents the best qualitative execution, taking into consideration the full range of broker-dealer services, including the value of research provided, execution capability, commission rates, and responsiveness. Accordingly, although Registrant will seek competitive rates, it may not necessarily obtain the lowest possible commission rates for client account transactions. The brokerage commissions or transaction fees charged by the designated broker-dealer/custodian are exclusive of, and in addition to, Registrant's investment management fee. The Registrant's best execution responsibility is qualified if securities that it purchases for client accounts are mutual funds that trade at net asset value as determined at the daily market close.

1. Research and Additional Benefits

Although not a material consideration when determining whether to recommend that a client utilize the services of a particular broker-dealer/custodian, Registrant may receive from *Schwab* (or another broker-dealer/custodian, investment platform and/or mutual fund sponsor) without cost (and/or at a discount) support services and/or products, certain of which assist the Registrant to better monitor and service client accounts maintained at such institutions. Included within the support services that may be obtained by the Registrant may be investment-related research, pricing information and market data, software and other technology that provide access to client account data, compliance and/or practice management-related publications, discounted or gratis consulting services, discounted and/or gratis attendance at conferences, meetings, and other educational and/or social events, marketing support, computer hardware and/or software and/or other products used by Registrant in furtherance of its investment advisory business operations.

As indicated above, certain of the support services and/or products that *may* be received may assist the Registrant in managing and administering client accounts. Others do not directly provide such assistance, but rather assist the Registrant to manage and further develop its business enterprise.

Registrant's clients do not pay more for investment transactions effected and/or assets maintained at *Schwab* as a result of this arrangement. There is no corresponding commitment made by the Registrant to *Schwab* or any other any entity to invest any specific amount or percentage of client assets in any specific mutual funds, securities or other investment products as result of the above arrangement.

The Registrant's Chief Compliance Officer, Bryant J. Engebretson, remains available to address any questions that a client or prospective client may have regarding the above arrangement and any corresponding perceived conflict of interest such arrangement may create.

2. The Registrant does not receive referrals from broker-dealers.
3. The Registrant does not generally accept directed brokerage arrangements (when a client requires that account transactions be effected through a specific broker-dealer). In such client directed arrangements, the client will negotiate terms and arrangements for their account with that broker-dealer, and Registrant will not seek better execution services or prices from other broker-dealers or be able to "batch" the client's transactions for execution through other broker-dealers with orders for other accounts managed by Registrant. As a result, client may pay higher commissions or other transaction costs or greater spreads, or receive less favorable net prices, on transactions for the account than would otherwise be the case.

Please Note: In the event that the client directs Registrant to effect securities transactions for the client's accounts through a specific broker-dealer, the client correspondingly acknowledges that such direction may cause the accounts to incur higher commissions or transaction costs than the accounts would otherwise incur had the client determined to effect account transactions through alternative clearing arrangements that may be available through Registrant.

- B. To the extent that the Registrant provides investment management services to its clients, the transactions for each client account generally will be effected independently, unless the Registrant decides to purchase or sell the same securities for several clients at approximately the same time. The Registrant may (but is not obligated to) combine or "bunch" such orders to obtain best execution, to negotiate more favorable commission rates or to allocate equitably among the Registrant's clients differences in prices and commissions or other transaction costs that might have been obtained had such orders been placed independently. Under this procedure, transactions will be averaged as to price and will be allocated among clients in proportion to the purchase and sale orders placed for each client account on any given day. The Registrant shall not receive any additional compensation or remuneration as a result of such aggregation.

Item 13 **Review of Accounts**

- A. For those clients to whom Registrants provides investment supervisory services, account reviews are conducted on an ongoing basis by the Registrant's Principal and/or representatives. All investment supervisory clients are advised that it remains their responsibility to advise the Registrant of any changes in their investment objectives and/or financial situation. All clients (in person or via telephone) are encouraged to review financial planning issues, investment objectives and account performance with the Registrant on an annual basis, as applicable.

- B. The Registrant **may** conduct account reviews on an other than periodic basis upon the occurrence of a triggering event, such as a change in client investment objectives and/or financial situation, market corrections and client request.
- C. Clients are provided with transaction confirmation notices and regular summary account statements directly from the broker-dealer/custodian and/or program sponsor for the client accounts. Those clients to whom Registrant provides investment supervisory services shall also receive a quarterly report from the Registrant summarizing account activity and performance once assets have been under Registrant's management for a full calendar quarter.

Item 14 **Client Referrals and Other Compensation**

- A. As referenced in Item 12.A.1 above, the Registrant may receive an indirect economic benefit from *Schwab*. The Registrant, without cost (and/or at a discount), may receive support services and/or products from *Schwab*.

Registrant's clients do not pay more for investment transactions effected and/or assets maintained at *Schwab* as a result of this arrangement. There is no corresponding commitment made by the Registrant to *Schwab* or any other entity to invest any specific amount or percentage of client assets in any specific mutual funds, securities or other investment products as a result of the above arrangement.

The Registrant's Chief Compliance Officer, Bryant J. Engebretson, remains available to address any questions that a client or prospective client may have regarding the above arrangement and any corresponding perceived conflict of interest any such arrangement may create.

- B. The Registrant does not compensate, directly or indirectly, any person, other than its representatives, for client referrals.

Item 15 **Custody**

The Registrant shall have the ability to have its advisory fee for each client debited by the custodian on a monthly basis. Clients are provided with transaction confirmation notices and regular summary account statements directly from the broker-dealer/custodian and/or program sponsor for the client accounts. Those clients to whom Registrant provides investment supervisory services shall also receive a quarterly report from the Registrant summarizing account activity and performance once assets have been under Registrant's management for a full calendar quarter.

Please Note: To the extent that the Registrant provides clients with periodic account statements or reports, the client is urged to compare any statement or report provided by the Registrant with the account statements received from the account custodian. **Please Also Note:** The account custodian does not verify the accuracy of the Registrant's advisory fee calculation.

Item 16 **Investment Discretion**

The client can determine to engage the Registrant to provide investment advisory services on a discretionary basis. Prior to the Registrant assuming discretionary authority over a client's account, client shall be required to execute *Investment Advisory Agreement*, naming the Registrant as client's attorney and agent in fact, granting the Registrant full authority to buy, sell, or otherwise effect investment

transactions involving the assets in the client's name for found in the discretionary account.

Clients who engage the Registrant on a discretionary basis may, at anytime, impose restrictions, **in writing**, on the Registrant's discretionary authority. (i.e. limit the types/amounts of particular securities purchased for their account, exclude the ability to purchase securities with an inverse relationship to the market, limit or proscribe the Registrant's use of margin, etc).

Item 17 **Voting Client Securities**

- A. The Registrant does not vote client proxies. Clients maintain exclusive responsibility for: (1) directing the manner in which proxies solicited by issuers of securities beneficially owned by the client shall be voted, and (2) making all elections relative to any mergers, acquisitions, tender offers, bankruptcy proceedings or other type events pertaining to the client's investment assets.
- B. Clients will receive their proxies or other solicitations directly from their custodian. Clients may contact the Registrant to discuss any questions they may have with a particular solicitation.

Item 18 **Financial Information**

- A. The Registrant does not solicit fees of more than \$1,200, per client, six months or more in advance.
- B. The Registrant is unaware of any financial condition that is reasonably likely to impair its ability to meet its contractual commitments relating to its discretionary authority over certain client accounts.
- C. The Registrant has not been the subject of a bankruptcy petition.

ANY QUESTIONS: The Registrant's Chief Compliance Officer, Bryant J. Engebretson, remains available to address any questions that a client or prospective client may have regarding the above disclosures and arrangements.

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This brochure supplement provides information about Mark Robert Gardner Anderson that supplements the Tradewinds Capital Management, LLC brochure. You should have received a copy of that brochure. Please contact Bryant J. Engebretson, Chief Compliance Officer if you did *not* receive Tradewinds Capital Management's brochure or if you have any questions about the contents of this supplement.

Additional information about Mark R.G. Anderson is available on the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov.

Item 2 **Education Background and Business Experience**

Mark R.G. Anderson was born in 1963. Mr. Anderson graduated from Washington State University in 1986, with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Business Administration and a minor in Computer Science. Mr. Anderson graduated from Washington State University in 1991 with a MBA in Finance. Mr. Anderson has been a Managing Principal of Tradewinds Capital Management, LLC since October of 2012. From March of 1993 to September of 2012, Mr. Anderson was a financial advisor of Edward Jones. Mr. Anderson worked as a Senior Consultant at Ernst & Young from 1991 to 1993. From 1986 to 1991, Mr. Anderson worked for Battelle Memorial Institute as a Market Analyst; during the years of 1989 to 1990 Mr. Anderson also worked for the Small Business Administration through a partnership with the Battelle Memorial Institute as a Small Business Consultant.

Item 3 **Disciplinary Information**

None.

Item 4 **Other Business Activities**

- A. The supervised person is not actively engaged in any other investment-related businesses or occupations.
- B. **Licensed Insurance Agents.** Mark R.G. Anderson in his individual capacity, is a licensed insurance agent, however he **does not** hold himself out to the public as insurance agent and **does not** accept commissions in connection with placement of insurance products.

Item 5 **Additional Compensation**

None.

Item 6 **Supervision**

The Registrant provides investment advisory and supervisory services in accordance with the Registrant's policies and procedures manual. The primary purpose of the Registrant's Rule 206(4)-7 policies and procedures is to comply with the supervision requirements of Section 203(e)(6) of the Investment Adviser's Act ("*Act*"). The Registrant's Chief Compliance Officer, Bryant J. Engebretson, is primarily responsible for the implementation of the Registrant's policies and procedures and overseeing the activities of the Registrant's supervised persons. Should an employee, independent contractor, investment adviser representative, or solicitor of the Registrant have any questions regarding the applicability/relevance of the *Act*, the Rules thereunder, any section thereof, or any section of the policies and procedures, he/she should address those questions with the Chief Compliance Officer. Should a client have any questions regarding the Registrant's supervision or compliance practices, please contact Mr. Engebretson at (360) 715-9000.

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Additional information about Ronald L. Cole is available on the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov.

Item 2 **Education Background and Business Experience**

Ronald L. Cole was born in 1952. Mr. Cole graduated from The University of Washington in 1974, with a degree in Aeronautics and Astronautics. Mr. Cole has been an investment manager of Tradewinds Capital Management, LLC since October of 2010. From May of 1991 to October of 2010 Mr. Cole was a financial adviser of Edward Jones.

Mr. Cole has been a CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™ since May, 1993. The CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™, CFP® and federally registered CFP (collectively, the “CFP® marks”) are professional certification marks granted in the United States by Certified Financial Planner Board of Standards, Inc. (“CFP Board”).

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CFP® professionals who fail to comply with the above standards and requirements may be subject to CFP Board’s enforcement process, which could result in suspension or permanent revocation of their CFP® certification.

Mr. Cole became a Accredited Asset Management Specialist (AAMS®) on March 2004. The AAMS® is awarded by the College for Financial Planning to investment professionals who complete its 12-module AAMS® Professional Education Program, pass an examination, commit to a code of ethics and agree to pursue continuing education. Continued use of the AAMS® designation is subject to ongoing renewal requirements. Every two (2) years the designee must renew their right to continue using the AAMS® designation by completing 16 hours of continuing education and reaffirming to abide by the Standards of Professional Conduct.

Item 3 **Disciplinary Information**

None.

Item 4 **Other Business Activities**

- A. The supervised person is not actively engaged in any other investment-related businesses or occupations.
- B. **Licensed Insurance Agents.** Ronald L. Cole, in his individual capacity, is a licensed insurance agent, however he **does not** hold himself out to the public as insurance agent and **does not** accept commissions in connection with placement of insurance products.

Item 5 **Additional Compensation**

None.

Item 6 **Supervision**

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Bryant J. Engebretson



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Additional information about Bryant J. Engebretson is available on the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov.

Item 2 **Education Background and Business Experience**

Bryant J. Engebretson was born in 1969. Mr. Engebretson graduated from Oral Roberts University, in 1991, with a degree in Finance. Mr. Engebretson has been the Chief Compliance Officer and Managing Principal of Tradewinds Capital Management, LLC since March of 2008. From March of 2008 to June of 2009 Mr. Engebretson was a registered representative of Harbor Financial Services, LLC. From March of 2002 to March of 2008 Mr. Engebretson was a financial advisor of Edward Jones.

Mr. Engebretson has been a CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™ since February, 2005. The CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™, CFP® and federally registered CFP (collectively, the “CFP® marks”) are professional certification marks granted in the United States by Certified Financial Planner Board of Standards, Inc. (“CFP Board”).

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Mr. Engebretson became a Chartered Life Underwriter (CLU®) on October 2005. CLU® is a financial planning designation for the insurance industry conferred by The American College. Candidates must meet education, experience, examination, and continuing ethical requirements. Candidates must have at least three years of experience in the financial industry, or an undergraduate or graduate degree from an accredited university and two years of experience in the financial industry. Candidates are required to take eight academic courses each followed by an exam. The courses and exams cover topics in finance, investing, insurance, and estate planning.

Mr. Engebretson became an Accredited Investment Fiduciary® (AIF®) on July 2010. The AIF® designation certifies that the recipient has specialized knowledge of fiduciary standards of care and their application to the investment management process. To receive the AIF® designation, individuals must complete a training program, successfully pass a comprehensive, closed-book final examination under the supervision of a proctor and agree to abide by the AIF® Code of Ethics. In order to maintain the AIF® designation, the individual must annually renew their affirmation of the AIF® Code of Ethics and complete six hours of continuing education credits. The certification is administered by the Center for Fiduciary Studies, LLC (a Fiduciary360 (fi360) company).

Mr. Engebretson has held the designation of Chartered Advisor for Senior Living (CASL®) since February 2012. The CASL® credential provides advisors with in-depth training on issues impacting seniors and those planning for retirement. The designation incorporates five required, college-level courses that represent an average total study time of more than 250 hours. Topics include investments, estate planning, health and long-term care financing, and financial decisions for retirement. CASL® designees must meet experience, continuing education and ethics requirements. The credential is awarded by The American College, a non-profit educator with an 84-year heritage and the top level of academic accreditation.

Mr. Engebretson has held the designation of Accredited Estate Planner® (AEP®) since February 6, 2015. An Accredited Estate Planner applicant must meet all of the following requirements established by the National Association of Estate Planners & Councils:

To be eligible to be considered for the AEP® designation, the applicant must provide documentation of being licensed to practice law as an Attorney (JD) or to practice as a Certified Public Accountant (CPA), or of being currently designated as a Chartered Life Underwriter® (CLU®), Chartered Financial Consultant® (ChFC®), Certified Financial Planner (CFP®), or Certified Trust & Financial Advisor (CTFA), in any jurisdiction of the United States of America and meet certain educational requirements.

The applicant must be presently and significantly engaged in “estate planning activities” as an attorney, an accountant, an insurance professional and financial planner, or a trust officer. A minimum of five (5) years of experience engaged in estate planning and estate planning activities is required. To be exempt from the required education requirements, an applicant must have a minimum of fifteen (15) years of experience engaged in estate planning and estate planning activities.

AEP® applicants are required to be members of, and continuously maintain membership in, an affiliated local or regional estate planning council where such membership is available. Where no affiliated local council membership is available, the applicant is required to continuously maintain an At-Large individual membership in the National Association of Estate Planners & Councils.

AEP® applicants must continuously be in good standing with the applicant’s respective professional organization and/or license authority (e.g., State Bar Association for attorneys, etc.) and provide three (3) professional references prior to acceptance.

In addition, AEP® applicants must abide by the NAEPC Code of Ethics, acknowledge a commitment to the team concept of estate planning by signing a declaration statement and meet continuing education and re-certification requirements, which include the yearly payment of dues.

Item 3 **Disciplinary Information**

None.

Item 4 **Other Business Activities**

- A. The supervised person is not actively engaged in any other investment-related businesses or occupations.
- B. The supervised person is not actively engaged in any non-investment-related business or occupation for compensation.

Item 5 **Additional Compensation**

None.

Item 6 **Supervision**

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Kyle B. Jackson



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Additional information about Kyle B. Jackson is available on the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov.

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Kyle B. Jackson was born in 1982. Mr. Jackson graduated from Western Washington University in 2006, with a degree in Finance. Mr. Jackson has been an investment manager of Tradewinds Capital Management, LLC since March of 2008. From April of 2006 to March of 2008 Mr. Jackson was an financial adviser of Edward Jones. From September of 2005 to March of 2006, Mr. Jackson was a full time student at Western Washington University.

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Item 3 **Disciplinary Information**

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Item 5 **Additional Compensation**

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Stephen J. Sexton



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Item 2 **Education Background and Business Experience**

Stephen John Sexton was born in 1977. Mr. Sexton graduated from the University of Queensland in 1998 with a Bachelor of Commerce degree. Since March of 2014, Mr. Sexton has been employed as Director of Research of Tradewinds Capital Management, LLC. From December of 2013 to February of 2014, Mr. Sexton was a substitute teacher of Bellingham School District. From January of 2013 to November of 2013, he was a substitute teacher at various schools in Australia. From June of 2010 to December of 2011, Mr. Sexton was employed as Managing Director of TranszMoney Ltd. From March of 2010 to May of 2010, Mr. Sexton was a proprietary trader of Madison Proprietary Trading Group. From November of 2008 to February of 2010, he was the Managing Director of TranzMoney Ltd.

Mr. Sexton has been a CFA® Charter Holder since 2008. CFA® designates an international professional certificate that is offered by the CFA Institute. Candidates that pursue the certification have in-depth knowledge of securities types and investment vehicles. In order to qualify for a CFA® Charter Holder designation, candidates must meet standards for examination, education, experience, and ethics. First, candidates must possess a bachelor's degree from an accredited school, or its equivalent. Second, candidates must have completed 48 months of qualified professional work experience, generally related to evaluating or applying financial, economic, and/or statistical data as part of the investment decision-making process involving securities or similar investment. Third, candidates must pass a series of three six-hour exams that covers ethics, quantitative methods, economics, corporate finance, financial reporting and analysis, security analysis, and portfolio management. Finally, candidates must meet and continue to adhere to a strict Code of Ethics and Standards governing their professional conduct, as reviewed by the CFA Institute.

Item 3 **Disciplinary Information**

None.

Item 4 **Other Business Activities**

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