

Summit Brokerage Services, Inc. (Summit Brokerage Services) is pleased to welcome you to the Insured Deposit Sweep Account (IDSA) program. The IDSA program is a sweep option that permits available cash balances in eligible accounts to be automatically deposited (or swept) into interest-bearing accounts (Deposit Accounts) at designated program banks (Program Banks). Funds in each Deposit Account will generally be eligible for federal deposit insurance from the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) up to \$250,000 (the current "Deposit Insurance Limit") per category of legal ownership as recognized by the FDIC (e.g., individual, corporate, trust, etc.) at each Program Bank. Through the use of multiple banks, the maximum aggregate amount of FDIC deposit insurance coverage available through the IDSA program is a combined \$2,500,000 for individual and entity accounts registered under the same tax identification number. Please note that funds deposited through the IDSA program are not protected by the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC). See "*FDIC Insurance for Deposits at Program Banks*" below for additional information about the FDIC and how FDIC insurance works.

## SUMMARY OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS

*This summary of the IDSA program is prepared for your convenience and must be read in conjunction with the detailed disclosure below.*

Summit Brokerage Services has asked Pershing LLC (Pershing), our fully disclosed clearing agent, to assist us in operating the IDSA program, which, if you choose to participate, sweeps the uninvested cash balances in your account carried at Pershing to deposit accounts at Program Banks. Funds in Deposit Accounts will begin earning interest from the day they are received by the Program Bank. You may discontinue your participation in the IDSA program at any time. By selecting the IDSA program as your automatic sweep option, you agree to appoint our fully disclosed clearing agent, Pershing, as your authorized agent to effect the IDSA program sweep option under these terms and conditions.

**Federal Deposit Insurance.** Your funds are deposited into Deposit Accounts in a manner designed to provide up to \$2,500,000 of FDIC insurance protection. This coverage protects your Deposit Account funds, up to allowable limits, in the event of the failure of a Program Bank. As your agent, Pershing has established a separate account for the benefit of IDSA program participants at each Program Bank and intends to limit each customer's deposits at each Program Bank to \$245,000 (98% of the Deposit Insurance Limit) to help ensure that principal amounts and accrued interest within the IDSA program receive FDIC insurance coverage. Once this amount is reached, additional amounts are deposited in subsequent Program Banks in amounts not to exceed \$245,000 at each Program Bank. Any amounts deposited through your IDSA program above the \$2,500,000 program maximum will be placed in a Deposit Account at a Program Bank chosen to serve as the "Overage Bank." **Your deposits at the Overage Bank in excess of the Deposit Insurance Limit will not be covered by FDIC insurance.** Any money you hold at a Program Bank outside of the IDSA program may impact the insurance coverage available. FDIC insurance coverage applies to the total amount of a depositor's balance in all eligible accounts held at an FDIC-insured financial institution. Therefore, if you maintain funds at a Program Bank outside of the IDSA program, this will negatively impact the amount of FDIC insurance for the total amount of your funds held within and outside your IDSA program at that Program Bank. Deposits made through the IDSA program are not protected by SIPC, which provides protection against risks to customers of member brokerage firms, like Summit Brokerage Services and Pershing, in the event of the failure of that member firm. See "*FDIC Insurance for Deposits at Program Banks*" below for additional information.

**Access to Funds.** You may access Deposit Account funds by contacting your financial professional or using features of your Pershing account that have the effect of transferring the funds back into your Pershing account. Your ownership in funds deposited at Program Bank accounts will be evidenced by book entry on the account records of Pershing. Your account statements from Pershing will list the names of the Program Banks holding your swept funds and your balance in each Program Bank. Program Banks are permitted by federal regulation to impose a seven-day delay on any withdrawal request. In the event of a failure of a Program Bank, there may be a time period during which you may not be able to access all or part of your deposits in the IDSA program.

**IDSA Program Interest Rates.** Interest rates will be established periodically and may fluctuate based on market, economic and other business conditions. The interest rates payable under the IDSA program are determined by the amount the Program Banks are willing to pay minus the fees paid to Summit Brokerage Services, Pershing and a third-party administrator, as discussed below. The interest rates accruing on your IDSA program balance may change as frequently as daily without prior notice. Current interest rates for the IDSA program are available from your financial professional and at <https://www.summitbrokerage.com/client/idsa>. You may receive a lower rate of return on funds deposited through the IDSA program than other types of money market investments, such as money market mutual funds. See "*Interest Rates*" below for additional information.

**Program Banks.** Under the IDSA program, certain FDIC-insured financial institutions have agreed to act as Program Banks. A separate FDIC-insured financial institution will act as an intermediary bank (Intermediary Bank) that routes deposits to, and withdrawals from, Program Banks. Certain large deposits or withdrawals in excess of FDIC limits may not be fully insured while being routed through the Intermediary Bank. In the event of bank failure, Pershing will not be obligated to credit your account with funds in advance of any payment by the FDIC. See "*Information About Your Intermediary Bank*" and "*Program Banks*" below for additional information.

**Fees.** For each of their services under the IDSA program, Summit Brokerage Services, Pershing, and the third-party administrator will receive compensation, as discussed further below. The compensation will generally be paid from amounts paid by Program Banks. The compensation paid to Summit Brokerage Services for making the IDSA program available to your account does not vary and is not affected by the amount actually deposited through the IDSA program or any particular Program Bank. See "*Administrative Fees*" below for additional information.

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*Risks of the Program.* You may receive a lower rate of return on funds deposited through the IDSA program than other types of money market investments, such as money market mutual funds. Program Banks are permitted by federal regulation to impose a seven-day delay on any withdrawal request. In the event of a failure of a Program Bank, there may be a time period during which you may not be able to access your deposits in the IDSA program. FDIC insurance coverage applies to the total amount of a depositor's balance in all eligible accounts held at a FDIC-insured financial institution. Therefore, if you have money at a Program Bank outside the IDSA program, this will negatively impact the amount of FDIC insurance for the total amount of your funds held within and outside the IDSA program at that Program Bank. Deposits made through the IDSA program are not protected by SIPC, which provides protection against risks to customers of member brokerage firms, like Summit Brokerage Services and Pershing, in the event of the failure of that member firm.

*Conflicts of Interest.* Summit Brokerage Services does earn fees from Program Banks based on your participation in the IDSA program, and this fee may be higher to Summit Brokerage Services than if you were invested in other types of money market investments, such as money market mutual funds. See "Administrative Fees" below for additional information.

## **DETAILED TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

### **ACCOUNT ELIGIBILITY**

The IDSA program is available only to accounts that are: (i) subject to Section 4975 of the Internal Revenue Code, but not subject to the fiduciary provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA) (such accounts, "IRAs"); (ii) enrolled in certain Summit Brokerage Services' advisory programs; and (iii) custodied at Pershing. For the avoidance of doubt, IRAs may include traditional, rollover, Roth, and inherited individual retirement accounts, and Coverdell education savings accounts. Plans and IRAs that are subject to ERISA (including certain SEP and SIMPLE IRAs) are not eligible for participation in the IDSA program. Summit Brokerage Services and Pershing reserve the right, in their sole discretion, to further limit the types of accounts participating in the IDSA program.

### **ALTERNATIVES TO THE IDSA PROGRAM**

The IDSA program is one option for you to consider in choosing how you want to maintain your cash balances. If you are maintaining an eligible account, the IDSA program is the only automatic "sweep option" available. Conversely, you may elect to turn off the automatic sweep option by contacting your financial professional. If you elect not to utilize an automatic sweep option on your account, your financial professional can tell you about certain money market mutual funds or other products available through Summit Brokerage Services that you may wish to consider as alternatives to maintaining cash deposits in your account (which, if held as a free credit balance, will not earn income). You should consider your investment objectives, liquidity needs and risk tolerance in reviewing whether participation in the IDSA program is appropriate for you.

### **DEPOSITS**

By electing to utilize the IDSA program, you consent to have excess cash balances pending investment in your Summit Brokerage Services account automatically deposited into accounts at Program Banks. Each business day, our fully disclosed clearing agent, Pershing or its agent bank, utilizing the services of the third-party administrator or the Intermediary Bank, will deposit the excess cash balances in your Summit Brokerage Services account to one or more omnibus deposit accounts maintained at the Program Banks held for the benefit of IDSA program participants. Your insured deposit ownership will be evidenced by an entry on records maintained by Pershing and the Intermediary Bank, as Pershing's agent and record keeper, for each of the Program Banks at which your funds are on deposit. You will not be issued any evidence of ownership of an insured deposit account, such as a passbook or certificate. Your Summit Brokerage Services account statement, issued by Pershing, will reflect all deposits, withdrawals, Program Bank deposit balance(s) and interest rate.

Funds intended for deposit into the IDSA program must be placed through your Summit Brokerage Services account and cannot be placed directly by you with the Intermediary Bank or any of the Program Banks. Only balances transferred by Pershing, acting as your agent, or the Intermediary Bank on behalf of Pershing, will be eligible for inclusion in the IDSA program. Excess cash balances in your Summit Brokerage Services account on each business day will be transferred to your Deposit Account on the next business day.

### **WITHDRAWALS**

By electing to utilize the IDSA program, you consent (and direct) to have your money on deposit at the Program Bank automatically withdrawn from the Program Bank accounts in the event of a debit in your Summit Brokerage Services account or, on settlement date, to pay for securities purchased for or sold to your Summit Brokerage Services account carried at Pershing. Each business day, as needed, Pershing, acting as your agent, or its agent bank, utilizing the services of the Intermediary Bank, will withdraw your cash from the omnibus deposit accounts maintained at the Program Banks held for the benefit of IDSA program participants.

In the event of a debit in your Summit Brokerage Services account, any funds necessary to satisfy such debits will be obtained first from free credit balances in your Summit Brokerage Services account (if any) and then from withdrawals from your Deposit Account. A debit will be created, for example, when you purchase securities or request a withdrawal of funds from your Summit Brokerage Services account.

Please note, that under federal regulations, Program Banks may reserve the right to require seven (7) days' notice before permitting a transfer of funds out of a deposit account, such as the Deposit Accounts at the Program Banks. While the Program Banks have not indicated their intention to implement such a policy, a Program Bank may, at any time, choose to do so.

### **RELATIONSHIP WITH PERSHING**

Summit Brokerage Services, a registered broker-dealer in securities and member organization of FINRA, introduces your account to our clearing firm Pershing, which carries your account in a fully disclosed manner. Pershing is acting as your agent in establishing and maintaining a bank deposits account(s), including depositing your money to and withdrawing your money from the Program Banks. Having instructed your financial professional to

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enroll you in the IDSA program, your first bank deposit will constitute your appointment of Pershing as your agent to effect deposits to and withdrawals from Program Bank deposit accounts in connection with the program. Pershing, a wholly owned indirect subsidiary of The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation, is a registered broker-dealer in securities and is a member organization of FINRA.

## **INFORMATION ABOUT THE INTERMEDIARY BANK**

A designated settlement bank will act as the Intermediary Bank for the IDSA program to route your deposit funds to various Program Banks in order to maximize the amount of FDIC insurance available to you. The Intermediary Bank is identified on the list of Program Banks that is made available at <https://www.summitbrokerage.com/client/idsa>. See “Program Banks” below for additional information.

## **PROGRAM BANKS**

A current list of the Program Banks, as updated from time to time, is available at <https://www.summitbrokerage.com/client/idsa> or by contacting your financial professional. The Intermediary Bank and each Program Bank is a separate FDIC-insured depository institution duly chartered under the laws of the United States or a state thereof. As described below, Summit Brokerage Services reserves the right to modify the list of eligible Program Banks (meaning adding and removing) and priority from time to time. Such modified and updated lists will be reflected on the website prospectively. Summit Brokerage Services may change the Intermediary Bank at its discretion. It shall be your responsibility to monitor changes to the list of the Program Banks.

You may not designate the order in which Program Banks receive funds through the IDSA program. You may, however, exclude one or more Program Banks from receiving your cash balances. You may exclude Program Banks at any time and for any reason by notifying your financial professional. If a Program Bank where you already have deposits outside of the IDSA program is listed, we recommend you direct us to exclude that Program Bank from receiving any of your IDSA program deposits. **It is your responsibility to monitor the insurable deposits that you may have with any Program Bank (including deposits outside of the IDSA program).**

It may take several days following your account’s enrollment in the IDSA program to process any requested Program Bank exclusions. In the event that your funds are allocated to a Program Bank that is designated by you or by us as an excluded Program Bank, but which is also a financial institution in which you maintain cash balances outside of the IDSA program, deposits exceeding the maximum FDIC-insured amount at any such bank may not be protected by FDIC coverage until those exclusions are processed and the IDSA program funds reallocated to alternative Program Banks.

*You may obtain available financial information concerning any of the Program Banks at <https://www.ffiec.gov/NPW> or by contacting the FDIC Public Information Center by mail at 801 17<sup>th</sup> Street, N.W., Room 100, Washington, DC 20434 or by phone at 878. ASK. FDIC (877.275.3342).*

## **PRIORITY OF PROGRAM BANKS**

Each Program Bank will designate an amount of aggregate deposits that it has capacity to receive through the IDSA program (Target Balance). Your available cash balances will be swept to other Program Banks with available capacity and in the order determined by a model utilized by a third-party administrator to establish priority on an algorithmic basis. The following may factor into where funds will be allocated: (i) each Program Bank’s current deposits irrespective of its Target Balance, (ii) an analysis of deposit and transaction activity at the Program Bank, (iii) the number of withdrawals already taken in your account at each Program Bank in a particular month in relation to transfer limits imposed by federal banking regulations, (iv) the amount of available FDIC deposit insurance available for an IDSA program account at a Program Bank, and (v) any impairment, limitation or obstruction in a Program Bank’s ability to accept deposits.

In the event that activity in your Pershing account requires a withdrawal from your deposit account(s) held through the IDSA program, the selection of the Program Bank from which a withdrawal will be made is based on factors generally similar to those addressed above in the context of deposits. Aggregate customer withdrawal activity from the account at the Program Bank during the month may also be an important factor in the selection.

**By enrolling in and utilizing the IDSA program, you expressly agree to the terms and conditions of this disclosure statement and authorize Summit Brokerage Services and its third-party administrator to designate and approve Program Banks, subject to review by Pershing, and deposit and withdraw your cash balances in accordance with this disclosure statement. In this regard, you recognize that Program Banks will be selected to receive deposits and make withdrawals based primarily on the capacity requirements of the Program Banks and not based on their relative financial strength or other investment factors. You understand that it is your responsibility to review the list of Program Banks and to notify us if you wish to exclude any of them from receiving your IDSA program deposits.**

## **RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN SUMMIT BROKERAGE SERVICES AND CERTAIN PROGRAM BANKS**

To participate as a Program Bank in the IDSA program, a depository institution enters into an agreement with Pershing and the IDSA program’s third-party administrator. While such depository institutions are not affiliated with Summit Brokerage Services, Summit Brokerage Services may maintain business relationships with certain depository institutions under which the depository institution may offer securities brokerage, investment advisory and/or insurance services through Summit Brokerage Services or its affiliates at one or more of their locations. Such depository institutions may be or may become Program Banks through agreements that the depository institutions enter into with Pershing and the third-party administrator.

## **INTEREST RATE**

Funds deposited through the IDSA program to a Program Bank will begin earning interest from the day they are received by the Program Bank. Interest on funds in the IDSA program will accrue up to, but not including, the day of withdrawal. The interest rate available through the IDSA program will be established periodically based on market, economic and other business conditions. Your IDSA program deposits will receive the same interest rate regardless of the Program Bank in which cash from your account is deposited. The interest rates payable under the IDSA program are determined by the rate and amount the Program Banks are willing to pay minus the fees paid to Summit Brokerage Services, Pershing, and a third-party administrator. The interest rates accruing on your account’s funds may change as frequently as daily without prior notice. The interest rates paid by a Program Bank may be higher or lower than the interest rates available to depositors making deposits directly with the Program Bank or other depository institutions in comparable

accounts and for investments in money market mutual funds and other cash equivalent investments available through Summit Brokerage Services. You should compare the terms, interest rates, required minimum amounts, and other features of the IDSA program with other accounts and alternative investments. *Current interest rate information is available at <https://www.summitbrokerage.com/client/idsa> or by contacting your financial professional.*

The Program Banks will use the daily-balance method to calculate the interest applied to the balance in your IDSA program Deposit Accounts. This method applies a daily periodic rate to the principal in the account each day. Interest will accrue daily and will be reinvested monthly. Each month, upon the reinvestment date, the total accrued interest will be automatically credited to your IDSA program Deposit Accounts' principal each month. Each year you will receive a 1099-INT form from Pershing indicating the total amount of IDSA program Deposit Accounts' interest paid to you during the calendar year.

***The Program Banks do not have a duty to offer the highest rates available or rates that are comparable to money market mutual funds. Money market mutual funds generally seek to achieve the highest rate of return consistent with their investment objectives, which can be found in their prospectuses. As such, the rates of interest paid with respect to IDSA program deposits may be lower than the interest rates available from a money market mutual fund or to depositors making deposits directly with a Program Bank or other depository institutions in comparable accounts. You should compare the terms, interest rates, required minimum amounts, charges and other features of the IDSA program with other deposit and investment options when evaluating whether to select or maintain the IDSA program as your sweep option.***

## ADMINISTRATIVE FEES

Each Program Bank will pay an amount equal to a percentage of the average aggregate daily balance of IDSA program deposits held by each Program Bank. As described in more detail in this section, this amount includes fees payable to Summit Brokerage Services, Pershing, and a third-party administrator, as well as interest payable to participating accounts. The amount paid by each Program Bank may vary from Program Bank to Program Bank. You will have no rights to the amounts paid by the Program Banks, except for interest actually credited to your Deposit Account, as described above. However, amounts collected from the Program Banks during each period, less interest credited, will be allocated on a per dollar per account basis and used to offset your monthly Summit Brokerage Services account fee for providing the sweep services, as discussed more fully below. In addition, part of the payment by the Program Banks will be used to compensate Pershing and the third-party administrator for their services. Summit Brokerage Services financial professionals do not receive any of the fees received by Summit Brokerage Services under the IDSA program.

For its services under the IDSA program, including making the platform available, Summit Brokerage Services receives a per account fee each month, based on the number of days in the monthly interest period on a 365-day basis. The compensation paid to Summit Brokerage Services by each Program Bank does not vary and is not affected by the amount actually deposited through the IDSA program, including your IDSA program deposits, but will vary month-to-month based on the actual number of days in the particular month. Summit Brokerage Services' compensation under the IDSA program is determined by a fee schedule indexed to the current federal funds target (FFT) rate. The average monthly fee paid to Summit Brokerage Services, based on a 30.4 day average month (365 days/12 months) increases and decreases by \$0.07 with every one (1) basis point (a basis point is equal to 0.01%) change in the FFT rate. Using this calculation, Summit Brokerage Services may be paid a maximum monthly per account fee, based on a 30-day month, of \$22.00. The FFT rate is the rate or the range of rates as expressed in percentages most recently announced by the Federal Open Market Committee of the Federal Reserve System (FOMC) that is the FOMC's target for the rate charged by banks on unsecured loans of the banks' reserve balances at Federal Reserve Banks. In cases where the FFT rate is a range of rates, the FFT rate will be deemed to be the midpoint of the range rounded to the nearest thousandth of a decimal. Under the fee schedule, increases in the FFT rate will result in increased compensation for Summit Brokerage Services. Summit Brokerage Services can change the applicable fee schedule upon advance notice to you. Although it is generally anticipated that Summit Brokerage Services' fees under the IDSA program will be offset by the amounts paid by the Program Banks, as discussed herein, and you hereby direct the third-party administrator to collect such fees from the Program Banks and remit such amounts over to Summit Brokerage Services, Summit Brokerage Services reserves the right to withdraw the monthly account fee, or portion thereof, from your Summit Brokerage Services account in the event or to the extent that the amount received from the Program Banks and paid over to Summit Brokerage Services by the third-party administrator for the period is less than Summit Brokerage Services' fee for the same period. The monthly per account fee will not generally be seen on your statement due to the manner in which Summit Brokerage Services recoups its fee from the Program Bank payments, as discussed above.

As used under this Administrative Fees section, the term "month" means the applicable period for which fees are charged and paid, interest is accrued and paid, and calculations (as shown below) are based and computed. A month may be a calendar month or one of twelve generally equal time periods in each annual period.

*The current FFT rate can be found at <http://federalreserve.gov/monetarypolicy/openmarket.htm>.*

The formula used to calculate the actual monthly fee to Summit Brokerage Services can be expressed as follows:

The per account fee for a particular month (rounded up to the nearest cent) =  $[\$0.07 \times \text{FFT rate (as expressed in basis points)}] \times \text{\#days (the actual number of days in a particular month)} / 30.4$  (the average days in a month)

\*For example, a FFT rate of 0.75% is equal to 75 basis points and an FFT rate of 1.25% is equal to 125 basis points.

Please note that the monthly fee varies depending on the number of days in the month, as shown in the following examples:

1. Federal Funds Target Rate = 0.75 - 1.00 (or 75 to 100 in basis points)
  - a. Monthly fee for 31 day month =  $(\$0.07 \times 87.5 \times 31) / 30.4 = \$6.245$  (rounded to \$6.25)
  - b. Monthly fee for 28 day month =  $(\$0.07 \times 87.5 \times 28) / 30.4 = \$5.641$  (rounded to \$5.64)
  - c. Monthly fee for 30 day month =  $(\$0.07 \times 87.5 \times 30) / 30.4 = \$6.044$  (rounded to \$6.04)
2. Federal Funds Target Rate = 1.00 - 1.25 (or 100 to 125 in basis points)
  - a. Monthly fee for 31 day month =  $(\$0.07 \times 112.5 \times 31) / 30.4 = \$8.030$  (rounded to \$8.03)
  - b. Monthly fee for 28 day month =  $(\$0.07 \times 112.5 \times 28) / 30.4 = \$7.253$  (rounded to \$7.25)
  - c. Monthly fee for 30 day month =  $(\$0.07 \times 112.5 \times 30) / 30.4 = \$7.771$  (rounded to \$7.78)

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For its services, including record keeping and other services with respect to amounts deposited through the IDSA program, Pershing will receive a monthly fee. Each day within the applicable interest period, the fee paid as compensation to Pershing will be calculated as an asset-based fee as determined by the daily IDSA program balances during each interest period. The fee paid to Pershing will be deducted from the aggregate amount paid by the Program Banks, as discussed above. Though it is anticipated that the amounts paid by the Program Banks will satisfy the Pershing fee, Summit Brokerage Services and Pershing reserve the right to debit the Pershing fee, or a portion thereof, from your account in the event or to the extent the Pershing fee is not offset by amounts paid by Program Banks for such interest period.

For its services, the third-party administrator will charge a monthly asset-based fee. This fee may vary period to period based on changes in prevailing interest rates and the average daily balance of accounts participating in the IDSA program during the period. The fee will generally equal the aggregate amount payable by Program Banks during the applicable interest period, minus, the interest payable to IDSA program participants, the administrative fee paid to Pershing, and Summit Brokerage Services' flat fee. Moreover, the third-party administrator may, from time to time, temporarily reduce its fees during certain periods, such as when necessary to help ensure that the interest rates paid by the Program Banks during the period equal the applicable disclosed rate for the period. Under such circumstances, the administrator is authorized to recover any such reduced fees, subject to its targeted compensation rate, from future periods. You authorize and direct the third-party administrator to deduct its fees for its services from the amounts paid by the Program Banks. Based on the calculation methods set forth above, the third-party administrator will calculate the fees due to Summit Brokerage Services and Pershing.

The IDSA program fees may be greater than the fees that Summit Brokerage Services receives from other sweep investment options. Other than these stated fees, there will be no charges, fees, or commissions imposed on your account with respect to the IDSA program.

## **ACCOUNT STATEMENTS**

All activity with respect to your IDSA program funds, including interest earned for the period covered and balances maintained at each Program Bank, will appear on the periodic Summit Brokerage Services account statement you receive from Pershing. You will not receive a separate statement from the Program Banks. Your periodic account statement will be mailed monthly.

## **TAX INFORMATION**

For most clients, interest earned on deposits in the Deposit Accounts will generally not be taxed in the year earned. Interest earned by IRAs is generally not taxed until distributed, and may not be subject tax if the IRA is a Roth IRA, subject to certain conditions. Please consult with your tax advisor about how interest earned in the IDSA program may affect you.

## **NO SIPC COVERAGE FOR FUNDS IN DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS**

SIPC provides investors some protection from losses if their brokerage firm becomes insolvent or if cash or securities are missing from eligible customer accounts. The limit of SIPC protection for customer securities and cash is \$500,000, which includes a \$250,000 limit for free credit balances held by customers at member brokerage firms. SIPC, however, does not guarantee bank deposits. Therefore, deposits in Deposit Accounts at Program Banks are not eligible for SIPC coverage. For more information about SIPC coverage, please go to [www.sipc.org](http://www.sipc.org).

## **FDIC INSURANCE FOR DEPOSITS AT PROGRAM BANKS**

Funds deposited in an account at a Program Bank are insured by the FDIC, an independent agency of the U.S. government, up to \$250,000 (including principal and accrued interest) when aggregated with all other deposits held by you in the same insurable capacity at a particular Program Bank. In the event a Program Bank becomes insolvent, the FDIC provides insurance up to \$250,000, including principal and accrued interest to the day the Program Bank is closed. These maximum amounts include, in addition to deposits held in your Deposit Account, all deposits held by you in the same insurable capacity at the same Program Bank, including, for example, CDs issued to you by a Program Bank.

The information below provides further information on federal deposit insurance limitations.

*Individual Accounts.* Deposit accounts at Program Banks held in the name of an agent or nominee of an individual (such as deposit accounts held as part of the IDSA program) are not treated as owned by the agent but are added to other deposits of such individual held in the same insurable capacity at that depository institution (including funds held in a sole proprietorship) and insured up to \$250,000 in the aggregate.

*Corporate and Partnership Accounts.* Accounts established at a Program Bank and owned by the same corporation, partnership or unincorporated association that are designated for different purposes are not separately insured, but rather, are aggregated with all other deposit accounts of the corporation, partnership or unincorporated association at the same Program Bank and insured up to \$250,000.

*Custodial Accounts.* Funds deposited into an account at a Program Bank that are established and held in the name of a custodian (for example, under the Uniform Gifts to Minors Act or the Uniform Transfer to Minors Act) will not be considered the property of the custodian but are added to other deposits of the minor or other beneficiary held in the same insurable capacity and will be insured up to \$250,000 in the aggregate.

*Joint Accounts.* An individual's interest in joint accounts held under any form of joint ownership valid under applicable state law may be insured up to \$250,000 in the aggregate, meaning all accounts held at that bank held under any form of joint ownership. This would be separate and in addition to the \$250,000 allowed on other non-retirement account deposits individually owned by any of the co-owners of such accounts. For example, a joint account owned by two persons would be eligible for insurance coverage of up to \$500,000 (\$250,000 for each person), subject to the aggregation of each owner's interests in other joint accounts at the same depository institution.

*IRAs and other Self-Directed Retirement Accounts.* Funds deposited into IRAs, self-directed Keogh accounts and certain other self-directed retirement accounts at a Program Bank are insured up to \$250,000 per owner and insured separately from other non-retirement funds an owner may have at the same Program Bank. For insurance purposes, the FDIC will aggregate such funds with other retirement funds owned by the same individual, regardless of whether or not such funds are eligible for deposit through the IDSA program.

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*Trusts, medical savings accounts, employee benefit plans and other types of accounts also are subject to certain limitations. Please consult the FDIC or your financial professional for more details.*

Under certain circumstances, if you become the owner of deposits at a Program Bank because another depositor dies, beginning six months after the death of the depositor, the FDIC will calculate the applicable insurance limit by aggregating those deposits with any other deposits that you own in the same insurable capacity at the same Program Bank. Examples of accounts that may be subject to this FDIC policy include joint accounts, “transfer on death” accounts and certain trust accounts. The FDIC provides the six-month “grace period” to permit you to restructure your deposits to obtain the maximum amount of deposit insurance for which you are eligible. If deposits through your IDSA program or otherwise at a Program Bank are assumed by another depository institution pursuant to a merger or consolidation, such deposits generally will continue to be separately insured from the deposits that you might have established with the acquirer until (i) the maturity date of the CDs or other time deposits that were assumed; or (ii) with respect to deposits that are not time deposits, the expiration of a six month period from the date of the acquisition. Thereafter, any assumed deposits will be aggregated with your existing deposits with the acquirer held in the same insurable capacity for purposes of federal deposit insurance. Any deposit opened at the depository institution after the acquisition will be aggregated with deposits established with the acquirer for purposes of federal deposit insurance.

Your funds deposited through the IDSA program can be deposited at more than one Program Bank, increasing the amount of insurance available to you up to a maximum of \$2,500,000 in FDIC insurance coverage (provided, however, the IDSA program is designed to limit deposits to 98% of the coverage limits in each Program Bank, so the aggregate deposits that would be eligible for deposit insurance could be slightly less than this amount; IDSA program capacity could also be reduced if you exclude one or more Program Banks from receiving funds through your IDSA program). Any amounts deposited through your IDSA program above the \$2,500,000 program maximum (\$5,000,000 for joint accounts) will be placed in a deposit account at a Program Bank chosen to serve as the Overage Bank. **Your deposits at the Overage Bank will not be covered by FDIC insurance.** In the event that a Program Bank should become insolvent, the deposits made through the IDSA program are insured up to the applicable Deposit Insurance Limit for principal and interest accrued through the day the Program Bank became insolvent. Interest is determined for insurance purposes in accordance with federal laws and regulations. In the event that federal deposit insurance payments should become necessary, any payments of principal plus unpaid and accrued interest through the date of insolvency made by the FDIC will be made to you. You may be required to provide certain documentation to the FDIC and others before insurance payments are made. **Summit Brokerage Services and Pershing will not be obligated to credit your account with funds in advance of their payment by the FDIC.**

#### **FDIC INSURANCE FOR DEPOSITS IN TRANSIT**

Your funds become eligible for FDIC insurance immediately upon placement in a Program Bank deposit account by Pershing, acting as your agent. While in transit from Pershing to the Program Banks and from the Program Banks to Pershing, the funds generally pass through the Intermediary Bank. While at the Intermediary Bank, funds are also eligible for FDIC insurance up to the Deposit Insurance Limit, depending on account type, when aggregated with any other deposits held by you in the same insurable capacity at the Intermediary Bank. It is possible that your funds in transit at the Intermediary Bank will exceed the maximum amount of FDIC coverage available through the Intermediary Bank as an individual bank until such funds are received by Program Banks or Pershing. Typically, funds will be moved from the Intermediary Bank to a Program Bank or Pershing within one business day.

If you have questions about basic FDIC insurance coverage, please contact your financial professional. You may also wish to seek advice from your own attorney if you have questions concerning FDIC insurance coverage of deposits held in more than one account or insurable capacity. You may also obtain additional information about the FDIC by contacting the FDIC, Office of Compliance and Consumer Affairs, by letter (550 17<sup>th</sup> Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20409), by phone (877.ASK.FDIC (877.275.3342) or 800.925.4618 (TDD)), by email ([dcainternet@fdic.gov](mailto:dcainternet@fdic.gov)) or by accessing the FDIC website at [www.fdic.gov](http://www.fdic.gov). In addition, you may obtain publicly available financial information concerning any or all of the Program Banks at <https://www.ffiec.gov/NPW> and more detail on FDIC insurance from [www.fdic.gov/deposit/deposits/index.html](http://www.fdic.gov/deposit/deposits/index.html) or by contacting the FDIC Public Information Center by mail at 801 17<sup>th</sup> Street, N.W., Room 100, Washington, DC 20434. Neither Summit Brokerage Services nor Pershing guarantees the financial condition of any Program Bank or the accuracy of any publicly available financial information concerning a Program Bank.

#### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT IDSA PROGRAM DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS**

Summit Brokerage Services may modify the terms and conditions of the IDSA program at any time upon notice to you. All activity with respect to your Deposit Account will appear on your periodic Summit Brokerage Services account statements provided by Pershing, including the total of your opening and closing Deposit Account balances, the interest earned, and the interest rate for the reinvestment period. You should retain the account statements for your records. As always, you should notify us immediately of any unauthorized activity in your Deposit Account or any concerns you may have with respect to the IDSA program.

You may contact your financial professional during any business day to obtain the current interest rate, account balances, Program Banks and other information on your Deposit Account. If you have online access to your account, you may also view the IDSA program information online. You may also find financial information on current interest rates on Summit Brokerage Services’ website at <https://www.summitbrokerage.com/client/idsa>.

**PARTICIPATING FINANCIAL INSTITUTION LIST**

Androscoggin Bank, Lewiston, ME	Independent Bank, McKinney, TX
Associated Bank N.A., Green Bay, WI	Israel Discount Bank, New York, NY
Bank Hapoalim, New York, NY	NY Community Bank, Cranford, NJ
BB&T, Lumberton, NC	Quontic Bank, Astoria, NY
Citibank N.A., New York, NY	Seaside National Bank, Orlando, FL
Compass Bank, Birmingham, AL	Simmons FN Bank, Little Rock, AR
East West Bank, Pasadena, CA	Texas Capital Bank, Dallas, TX
Evolve Bank & Trust, Memphis, TN	Third Coast Bank SSB, Humble, TX
Farmers and Merchants, Milford, NE	TriState Capital Bank, Pittsburg, PA
First Guaranty Bank, Hammond, LA	United Bank, Glastonbury, CT
Glacier Bank, Kalispell, MT	Valley National Bank, Wayne, NJ
HSBC Bank, McLean, VA	WEX Bank, Midvale, UT

*If you wish to exclude any of the above named financial institutions, additional documents are required.*

**INTERMEDIARY BANK**

First National Bank of Omaha