

Form 5500 Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.	OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089 2022 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Annual Report Identification Information
For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>01/01/2022</u> and ending <u>12/31/2022</u>	
A This return/report is for:	☐ a multiemployer plan ☐ a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.) ☒ a single-employer plan ☐ a DFE (specify) ____
B This return/report is:	☐ the first return/report ☐ the final return/report ☐ an amended return/report ☐ a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)
C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here.	☐
D Check box if filing under:	☒ Form 5558 ☐ automatic extension ☐ the DFVC program ☐ special extension (enter description)
E If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here.	☐

Part II Basic Plan Information —enter all requested information		
1a Name of plan <u>LIPPES MATHIAS LLP 401(K) PLAN</u>	1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	<u>001</u>
1c Effective date of plan <u>01/01/2012</u>		
2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan) Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box) City or town, state or province, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions) <u>LIPPES MATHIAS LLP</u> <u>50 FOUNTAIN PLAZA</u> <u>BUFFALO, NY 14202</u>	2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>16-1021918</u>	2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number <u>716-853-5100</u>
	2d Business code (see instructions) <u>541110</u>	

Caution: A penalty for the late or incomplete filing of this return/report will be assessed unless reasonable cause is established.

Under penalties of perjury and other penalties set forth in the instructions, I declare that I have examined this return/report, including accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, as well as the electronic version of this return/report, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/10/2023	SHIRLEY HORNER
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

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3a Plan administrator's name and address ☒ Same as Plan Sponsor		3b Administrator's EIN
		3c Administrator's telephone number
4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report: a Sponsor's name c Plan Name		4b EIN 4d PN
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year		5 243
6 Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines 6a(1) , 6a(2) , 6b , 6c , and 6d).		
a(1) Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year		6a(1) 210
a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year		6a(2) 242
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits		6b 0
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits.....		6c 43
d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c		6d 285
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.		6e 0
f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e		6f 285
g Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item).....		6g 280
h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....		6h 17
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item)		7
8a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions: 2A 2E 2F 2G 2J 2T 3D		
b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:		
9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor		9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor
10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)		
a Pension Schedules (1) ☒ R (Retirement Plan Information) (2) ☐ MB (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary (3) ☐ SB (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary		b General Schedules (1) ☒ H (Financial Information) (2) ☐ I (Financial Information – Small Plan) (3) ☐ A (Insurance Information) (4) ☒ C (Service Provider Information) (5) ☒ D (DFE/Participating Plan Information) (6) ☐ G (Financial Transaction Schedules)

Part III Form M-1 Compliance Information (to be completed by welfare benefit plans)

11a If the plan provides welfare benefits, was the plan subject to the Form M-1 filing requirements during the plan year? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes" is checked, complete lines 11b and 11c.

11b Is the plan currently in compliance with the Form M-1 filing requirements? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ☐ Yes ☐ No

11c Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 2022 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2022 Form M-1 annual report, enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the most recent Form M-1 that was required to be filed under the Form M-1 filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid Receipt Confirmation Code will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

Receipt Confirmation Code _____

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Service Provider Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110
		2022
		This Form is Open to Public Inspection.

For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2022 and ending 12/31/2022	
A Name of plan LIPPES MATHIAS LLP 401(K) PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 LIPPES MATHIAS LLP	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 16-1021918

Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)

You must complete this Part, in accordance with the instructions, to report the information required for **each person** who received, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of monetary value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or the person's position with the plan during the plan year. If a person received **only** eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures, you are required to answer line 1 but are not required to include that person when completing the remainder of this Part.

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

- a Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder of this Part because they received only eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instructions for definitions and conditions)..... ☒ Yes ☐ No
- b If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person providing the required disclosures for the service providers who received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (see instructions).

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation	
ALLIANZ GLOBAL INVESTORS DISTRIBUTO	1345 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10105

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation	
ALPS DISTRIBUTORS, INC.	1290 BROADWAY SUITE 1100 DENVER, CO 80203

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation	
AMERICAN FUNDS DISTRIBUTORS, INC.	
95-2769620	

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation	
DIMENSIONAL FUND ADVISORS	6300 BEE CAVE ROAD BUILDING ONE AUSTIN, TX 78746

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

FIDELITY

900 SALEM STREET
SMITHFIELD, RI 02917

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

FIDELITY DISTRIBUTORS CORP.

500 SALEM STREET
MAIL ZONE 03N
SMITHFIELD, RI 02917

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

J.P. MORGAN INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT

13-3200244

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

METROPOLITAN LIFE

200 PARK AVENUE
NEW YORK, NY 10166

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

VANGUARD

455 DEVON PARK DRIVE
WAYNE, PA 19087

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

ADP, INC.

13-3036745

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
15 50 64	RECORD KEEPER	2839	Yes ☒ No ☐	Yes ☒ No ☐	0	Yes ☐ No ☒

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

3. If you reported on line 2 receipt of indirect compensation, other than eligible indirect compensation, by a service provider, and the service provider is a fiduciary or provides contract administrator, consulting, custodial, investment advisory, investment management, broker, or recordkeeping services, answer the following questions for (a) each source from whom the service provider received \$1,000 or more in indirect compensation and (b) each source for whom the service provider gave you a formula used to determine the indirect compensation instead of an amount or estimated amount of the indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed to report the required information for each source.

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

4 Provide, to the extent possible, the following information for each service provider who failed or refused to provide the information necessary to complete this Schedule.

(a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	(b) Nature of Service Code(s)	(c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide
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Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)
(complete as many entries as needed)

a Name:	b EIN:
c Position:	
d Address:	e Telephone:

Explanation:

a Name:	b EIN:
c Position:	
d Address:	e Telephone:

Explanation:

a Name:	b EIN:
c Position:	
d Address:	e Telephone:

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c Position:	
d Address:	e Telephone:

Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration	DFE/Participating Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ► File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2022 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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A Name of plan LIPPES MATHIAS LLP 401(K) PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ►	001
C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 LIPPES MATHIAS LLP	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 16-1021918	
Part I Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs) (Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)		
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLACKROCK EQ INDEX 1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST		
c EIN-PN 20-3802168-001	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1522126
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLACKROCK EAFE EQ IDX 1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST		
c EIN-PN 20-3802495-007	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 194996
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMALL CAP GROWTH FUND - R1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY		
c EIN-PN 38-4097324-487	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 96883
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMALL CAP VAL II R1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY		
c EIN-PN 38-4126250-554	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 200006
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BALANCED SUSTAINABLE R1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY		
c EIN-PN 38-4139844-624	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 10609
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: NYL ANCHOR ACCOUNT 0		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): RELIANCE TRUST COMPANY		
c EIN-PN 46-6350416-001	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1117213
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FLEXPATH IDX AGG RET R1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST		
c EIN-PN 47-2238264-210	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1731

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FLEXPATH IDX MOD RET R1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST		
c EIN-PN 47-2248665-211	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 493704
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FLEXPATH IDX CON RET R1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST		
c EIN-PN 47-2264760-212	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 123728
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FLEXPATH IDX AGG 2025 R1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST		
c EIN-PN 47-2275031-213	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 12010
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FLEXPATH IDX MOD 2025 R1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST		
c EIN-PN 47-2285799-214	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 753879
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FLEXPATH IDX AGG 2035 R1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST		
c EIN-PN 47-2468898-216	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 38022
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FLEXPATH IDX MOD 2035 R1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST		
c EIN-PN 47-2478524-217	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 3689995
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FLEXPATH IDX CON 2035 R1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST		
c EIN-PN 47-2491300-218	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FLEXPATH IDX AGG 2045 R1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST		
c EIN-PN 47-2503540-219	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 52332
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FLEXPATH IDX MOD 2045 R1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST		
c EIN-PN 47-2516187-220	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1695754
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FLEXPATH IDX CON 2045 R1		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST		
c EIN-PN 47-2529162-221	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 30483

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FLEXPATH IDX AGG 2055 R1

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST

c EIN-PN 47-2554270-222	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 205390
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FLEXPATH IDX MOD 2055 R1

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST

c EIN-PN 47-2563528-223	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1217891
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FLEXPATH IDX CON 2055 R1

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST

c EIN-PN 47-2575758-224	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 6
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: LARGE CAP GROWTH - R1

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

c EIN-PN 82-4435820-375	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
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b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

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Part II Information on Participating Plans (to be completed by DFEs)

(Complete as many entries as needed to report all participating plans)

a Plan name**b** Name of
plan sponsor**c** EIN-PN**a** Plan name**b** Name of
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plan sponsor**c** EIN-PN

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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>LIPPES MATHIAS LLP</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>16-1021918</u>	

Part I Asset and Liability Statement			
1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.			
Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash.....	1a		
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions.....	1b(1)		
(2) Participant contributions.....	1b(2)		
(3) Other.....	1b(3)		
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit).....	1c(1)		
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)		
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)		
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)		
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)		
(B) Common.....	1c(4)(B)		
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)		
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants).....	1c(7)		
(8) Participant loans.....	1c(8)		
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts.....	1c(9)	14268268	11456757
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)		
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts.....	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds).....	1c(13)	8754546	10959580
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....	1c(14)		
(15) Other	1c(15)		

1d Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities	1d(1)		
(2) Employer real property	1d(2)		
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	23022814	22416337

Liabilities

g Benefit claims payable	1g		
h Operating payables	1h		
i Acquisition indebtedness	1i		
j Other liabilities	1j		
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j)	1k	0	0

Net Assets

l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	23022814	22416337
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Part II Income and Expense Statement

2 Plan income, expenses, and changes in net assets for the year. Include all income and expenses of the plan, including any trust(s) or separately maintained fund(s) and any payments/receipts to/from insurance carriers. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 2a, 2b(1)(E), 2e, 2f, and 2g.

Income

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: (A) Employers	2a(1)(A)	1874953	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	1916666	
(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)	580166	
(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		4371785
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)		
(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans	2b(1)(E)		
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		0
(2) Dividends: (A) Preferred stock	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)		
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	2b(2)(C)	267855	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		267855
(3) Rents	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: (A) Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)		
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)		
(C) Subtract line 2b(4)(B) from line 2b(4)(A) and enter result	2b(4)(C)		0
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: (A) Real estate	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B)	2b(5)(C)		0

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		-2944966
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities.....	2b(9)		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		-1650722
c Other income	2c		
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		43952
Expenses			
e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	634443	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)		
(3) Other	2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3)	2e(4)		634443
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		13147
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		
h Interest expense	2h		
i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)		
(3) Investment advisory and management fees	2i(3)		
(4) Other	2i(4)	2839	
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4)	2i(5)		2839
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		650429
Net Income and Reconciliation			
k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		-606477
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan	2l(1)		0
(2) From this plan	2l(2)		0

Part III Accountant's Opinion

3 Complete lines 3a through 3c if the opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is attached to this Form 5500. Complete line 3d if an opinion is not attached.

a The attached opinion of an independent qualified public accountant for this plan is (see instructions):

(1) ☒ Unmodified (2) ☐ Qualified (3) ☐ Disclaimer (4) ☐ Adverse

b Check the appropriate box(es) to indicate whether the IQPA performed an ERISA section 103(a)(3)(C) audit. Check both boxes (1) and (2) if the audit was performed pursuant to both 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and 29 CFR 2520.103-12(d). Check box (3) if pursuant to neither.

(1) ☒ DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 (2) ☐ DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d) (3) ☐ neither DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 nor DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d).

c Enter the name and EIN of the accountant (or accounting firm) below:

(1) Name: **DANSA D'ARATA SOUCIA LLP**

(2) EIN: **16-1382528**

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** because:

(1) ☐ This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, or MTIA. (2) ☐ It will be attached to the next Form 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.104-50.

Part IV Compliance Questions

4 CCTs and PSAs do not complete Part IV. MTIAs, 103-12 IEs, and GIAs do not complete lines 4a, 4e, 4f, 4g, 4h, 4k, 4m, 4n, or 5. 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 4j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete line 4l.

During the plan year:

a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.)

	Yes	No	Amount
4a		X	

	Yes	No	Amount
b Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.)			
4b		X	
c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)			
4c		X	
d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)			
4d		X	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	X		500000
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?		X	
4f		X	
g Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?			
4g		X	
h Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?			
4h		X	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	X		
4i	X		
j Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)			
4j		X	
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?			
4k		X	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?			
4l		X	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)			
4m		X	
n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.			
4n			

5a Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year _____.

5b If, during this plan year, any assets or liabilities were transferred from this plan to another plan(s), identify the plan(s) to which assets or liabilities were transferred. (See instructions.)

5b(1) Name of plan(s)	5b(2) EIN(s)	5b(3) PN(s)

5c Was the plan a defined benefit plan covered under the PBGC insurance program at any time during this plan year? (See ERISA section 4021 and instructions.) ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined

If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year _____.

SCHEDULE R (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Retirement Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ► File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2022 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2022 and ending 12/31/2022		
A Name of plan LIPPES MATHIAS LLP 401(K) PLAN		B Three-digit plan number (PN) ► 001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 LIPPES MATHIAS LLP		D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 16-1021918
Part I Distributions		
All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.		
1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions.....		1 0
2 Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries during the year (if more than two, enter EINs of the two payors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits): EIN(s): 57-1198022		
Profit-sharing plans, ESOPs, and stock bonus plans, skip line 3.		
3 Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year.....		3
Part II Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part.)		
4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.		
5 If a waiver of the minimum funding standard for a prior year is being amortized in this plan year, see instructions and enter the date of the ruling letter granting the waiver. Date: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____ If you completed line 5, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB and do not complete the remainder of this schedule.		
6 a Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year (include any prior year accumulated funding deficiency not waived).....		6a
b Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year.....		6b
c Subtract the amount in line 6b from the amount in line 6a. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount).....		6c
If you completed line 6c, skip lines 8 and 9.		
7 Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 6c be met by the funding deadline? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A		
8 If a change in actuarial cost method was made for this plan year pursuant to a revenue procedure or other authority providing automatic approval for the change or a class ruling letter, does the plan sponsor or plan administrator agree with the change? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A		
Part III Amendments		
9 If this is a defined benefit pension plan, were any amendments adopted during this plan year that increased or decreased the value of benefits? If yes, check the appropriate box. If no, check the "No" box..... ☐ Increase ☐ Decrease ☐ Both ☐ No		
Part IV ESOPs (see instructions). If this is not a plan described under section 409(a) or 4975(e)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code, skip this Part.		
10 Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to repay any exempt loan?.....		☐ Yes ☐ No
11 a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock?.....		☐ Yes ☐ No
b If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a "back-to-back" loan? (See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.).....		☐ Yes ☐ No
12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market?.....		☐ Yes ☐ No
For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 5500.		
Schedule R (Form 5500) 2022 v. 220413		

Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

13 Enter the following information for each employer that (1) contributed more than 5% of total contributions to the plan during the plan year or (2) was one of the top-ten highest contributors (measured in dollars). See instructions. *Complete as many entries as needed to report all applicable employers.*

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

14	Enter the number of deferred vested and retired participants (inactive participants), as of the beginning of the plan year, whose contributing employer is no longer making contributions to the plan for:		
	a The current plan year. Check the box to indicate the counting method used to determine the number of inactive participants: ☐ last contributing employer ☐ alternative ☐ reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment).....	14a	
	b The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year. ☐ Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment)	14b	
	c The second preceding plan year. ☐ Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment)	14c	
15	Enter the ratio of the number of participants under the plan on whose behalf no employer had an obligation to make an employer contribution during the current plan year to:		
	a The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year.....	15a	
	b The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year.....	15b	
16	Information with respect to any employers who withdrew from the plan during the preceding plan year:		
	a Enter the number of employers who withdrew during the preceding plan year	16a	
	b If line 16a is greater than 0, enter the aggregate amount of withdrawal liability assessed or estimated to be assessed against such withdrawn employers.....	16b	
17	If assets and liabilities from another plan have been transferred to or merged with this plan during the plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment ☐		

Part VI	Additional Information for Single-Employer and Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans
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18	If any liabilities to participants or their beneficiaries under the plan as of the end of the plan year consist (in whole or in part) of liabilities to such participants and beneficiaries under two or more pension plans as of immediately before such plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment ☐
19	If the total number of participants is 1,000 or more, complete lines (a) through (c) a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as: Stock: _____% Investment-Grade Debt: _____% High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Estate: _____% Other: _____% b Provide the average duration of the combined investment-grade and high-yield debt: ☐ 0-3 years ☐ 3-6 years ☐ 6-9 years ☐ 9-12 years ☐ 12-15 years ☐ 15-18 years ☐ 18-21 years ☐ 21 years or more c What duration measure was used to calculate line 19(b)? ☐ Effective duration ☐ Macaulay duration ☐ Modified duration ☐ Other (specify): _____
20	PBGC missed contribution reporting requirements. If this is a multiemployer plan or a single-employer plan that is not covered by PBGC, skip line 20. a Is the amount of unpaid minimum required contributions for all years from Schedule SB (Form 5500) line 40 greater than zero? ☐ Yes ☐ No b If line 20a is "Yes," has PBGC been notified as required by ERISA sections 4043(c)(5) and/or 303(k)(4)? Check the applicable box: ☐ Yes. ☐ No. Reporting was waived under 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) because contributions equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution were made by the 30th day after the due date. ☐ No. The 30-day period referenced in 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) has not yet ended, and the sponsor intends to make a contribution equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution by the 30th day after the due date. ☐ No. Other. Provide explanation _____

LIPPES MATHIAS LLP 401(K) PLAN

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021 AND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022
WITH
INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

LIPPES MATHIAS LLP 401(K) PLAN

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SCHEDULES OMITTED:

The schedules of *Loans or Fixed Income Obligations in Default or Classified as Uncollectible* and *Leases in Default or Classified as Uncollectible* are omitted because the Plan did not have any such obligations or leases. The schedule of *Nonexempt Transactions* and *Reportable Transactions* is omitted because the Plan had no such transactions that were not conveyed by a statutory or administrative exemption from being a prohibited transaction. The schedule of *Assets Acquired and Disposed of During the Plan Year* is omitted because all such transactions were subject to exclusion under Sections 2520.103-11 of the Department of Labor Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosures under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974.



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Administrative Committee of the
Lippes Mathias LLP 401(k) Plan

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit for the 2022 Financial Statements

We have performed an audit of the financial statements of Lippes Mathias LLP 401(k) Plan, an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) (ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit). The financial statements comprise the statements of net assets available for plan benefits as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for plan benefits for the year ended December 31, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements (2022 Financial Statements).

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audit of the 2022 financial statements performed in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audit need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (qualified institution).

Management has obtained a certification from a qualified institution as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 7 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion on the 2022 Financial Statements

In our opinion, based on our audit and on the procedures performed as described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2022 Financial Statements section:

- the amounts and disclosures in the accompanying 2022 financial statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.
- the information in the accompanying 2022 financial statements related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Basis for Opinion on the 2022 Financial Statements

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2022 Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Lippes Mathias LLP 401(k) Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the 2022 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. Management's election of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit does not affect management's responsibility for the financial statements.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Lippes Mathias LLP 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for 12 months from the date of this report.

Management is also responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments, administering the plan, and determining that the plan's transactions that are presented and disclosed in the financial statements are in conformity with the plan's provisions, including maintaining sufficient records with respect to each of the participants, to determine the benefits due or which may become due to such participants.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2022 Financial Statements

Except as described in the Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit of the 2022 Financial Statements section of our report, our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if, there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Lippes Mathias LLP 401(k) Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Lippes Mathias LLP 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audit did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certification, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the 2022 financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Accordingly, the objective of an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Other Matters

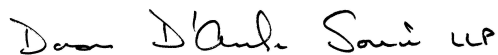
2022 Supplemental Schedules Required by ERISA

The supplemental schedule, Schedule H, Line 4i – Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year), year ended December 31, 2022, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedule, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with GAAS. For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedules, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedules, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including their form and content, are presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion

- the form and content of the supplemental schedule, other than the information in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, is presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.
- the information in the supplemental schedule related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).



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Buffalo, New York

October 5, 2023

LIPPES MATHIAS LLP 401(K) PLAN

STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR PLAN BENEFITS DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

ASSETS

	2022	2021
<i>INVESTMENTS, at fair value:</i>		
Common and collective trusts	\$ 11,456,758	\$ 14,268,268
Pooled separate accounts	<u>10,959,579</u>	<u>8,754,546</u>
	22,416,337	23,022,814
 <i>CONTRIBUTION RECEIVABLE</i>	 <u>1,109,427</u>	 <u>1,063,134</u>
	<u>\$ 23,525,764</u>	<u>\$ 24,085,948</u>
 NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR PLAN BENEFITS	 <u><u>\$ 23,525,764</u></u>	 <u><u>\$ 24,085,948</u></u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR PLAN BENEFITS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

ADDITIONS TO NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTED TO:

Investment income:

Interest and dividends \$ 267,855

Employer contributions, net 1,921,246

Employee contributions 1,916,666

Rollover contributions 580,166

4,418,078

4,685,933

DEDUCTIONS FROM NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTED TO:

Net depreciation in fair value of investments 4,595,687

Plan benefits paid to participants 647,591

Administrative expenses 2,839

5,246,117

NET DECREASE IN NET ASSETS (560,184)

NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR PLAN BENEFITS:

Beginning of year 24,085,948

End of year \$ 23,525,764

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

(See independent auditor's report.)

1. PLAN DESCRIPTION

The following is a brief description of the Lippes Mathias LLP 401(k) Plan, ("the Plan") provided for general informational purposes. Participants should refer to the Plan agreement for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

The Plan is a defined contribution plan as permitted under Section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code ("the Code") and is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"). The Plan is funded by employee and employer contributions and covers all employees who have attained 18 years of age. The Plan was adopted on January 1, 2012.

Contributions and Contribution Receivable - Each eligible employee may make pre-tax contributions to the Plan in the form of a 1% to 90% salary reduction, not to exceed certain limits imposed by the Code. Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the Plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions. The Plan requires employer safe harbor nonelective deferrals of 3% of the employee's compensation. The employer may also make discretionary profit-sharing contributions to the Plan. These contributions are also nonelective deferrals based on the employee's compensation. They are recorded on an accrual basis as 'Contribution Receivable' as they are paid to the Plan in the year following the profit-sharing basis year. Employer contributions to the Plan by the Plan Sponsors for the year ended December 31, 2022 net of forfeitures were \$1,921,246.

Vesting - Participants are fully vested in the employer safe harbor at all times. Vesting in Plan Sponsor discretionary profit share contributions is based on years of continuous service. Participants are 20% vested after 2 years of service and then vest an additional 20% per year until fully vested. Subject to the provisions of the Plan, the Plan Trustees have the right to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. Participants will be entitled to the amount of their account at the date of such termination.

Participant Accounts - Each participant's account is credited with his or her pre-tax contribution and an allocation (a) the Plan Sponsors' contribution (if any), and (b) Plan earnings and administrative expenses. Allocations of earnings are based on participant account balances. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

Payment of Benefits - Participants are eligible for retirement benefits at age 65. Benefits are determined by the final value of the participant's account at the time of termination, retirement, or death. Distributions from the Plan are made in lump-sum or substantially equal installment payments and may be deferred until participants attain the age of 70½.

Investment Options - Upon enrollment in the Plan, a participant may direct their accounts in a variety of investment choices as more fully described in the Plan's literature. Participants may change their investment options at any time.

Forfeited Accounts - Forfeited nonvested accounts refer to the balances of participants who have left the Plan before becoming fully vested in their accounts. These amounts become forfeited and are subject to the provisions outlined in the Plan document and ERISA guidelines. As of December 31, 2022, the total amount of forfeited nonvested accounts in the Plan is \$19,978. Pursuant to the Plan document, forfeited nonvested accounts are used to reduce any employer contribution.

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2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Withdrawals and Distributions - Upon termination of service, including death, disability or retirement, a participant (or beneficiary) will receive a distribution in a lump-sum or substantially equal installment payments equal to the vested interest in his or her account.

Basis of Presentation - The accompanying financial statements have been presented on the accrual basis of accounting.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition - Investments in pooled separate accounts as well as in common and collective trusts are stated at fair value based on quoted market prices of underlying investments provided by the Reliance Trust Company ("Reliance"), the Plan's custodian as of December 31, 2022. The average yield and crediting interest rate was approximately 1% for 2022 and 2021. The crediting interest rate is based on a formula agreed upon with the issuer, and it may not be less than 1% for 2022 and 2021. Such interest rates are reviewed periodically during the year for resetting. Net depreciation in fair value of investments includes net realized gains and losses on investments sold. Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date.

Benefit Payments - Benefits are recorded when paid.

Administrative Expenses - Substantially all costs of administering and managing the Plan are paid by the Plan Sponsors as permitted in the Plan agreement. Costs associated with investment, distribution and other transactions are paid by participants from their individual account balances. During the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, expenses paid by the Plan totaled \$2,839 and \$2,630, respectively.

Use of Estimates - The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires the Plan Administrator to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts of net assets at the date of the financial statements and the changes in net assets during the reporting period. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Revision - The comparative 2021 financial statements have been revised to reflect an error in the 2021 financial statements. The 2021 financial statements did not include a contribution receivable for the profit-sharing employer contribution related to the 2021 plan year, paid to the plan in calendar year 2022. The 2021 Net Assets Available for Plan Benefits now includes a Contribution Receivable of \$1,063,134. The 2022 employer contributions on the Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Plan Benefits include the 2022 employer profit-sharing contribution, which was paid to the plan in 2023.

Subsequent Events - The Plan has evaluated events and transactions that occurred between January 1, 2023 and October 5, 2023, which is the date these financial statements were available to be issued, for possible disclosure and recognition in the financial statements.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

3. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*, establishes a framework for measuring fair value. That framework provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under FASB ASC 820 are described as follows:

Level 1 – Represents inputs to the valuation methodology which consist of unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access.

Level 2 – Represents inputs to the valuation methodology which consist of: 1) quoted market prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets; 2) quoted market prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets; 3) inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability; and 4) inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

Level 3 – Represents inputs to the valuation methodology that are unobservable and are significant to the overall fair value measurement.

The asset or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

The following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for Plan assets measured at fair value:

Pooled Separate Accounts: Valued based on quoted market prices of underlying investments.

The Plan's investments in pooled separate accounts are invested in global and domestic equity and fixed income-based investments. The net asset value of these investments is derived from the market value of the underlying investments. The net asset values of the funds are then calculated each day and posted by Reliance. The investment strategies of these accounts are to invest in global and domestic equity and fixed income investments with the goal of producing favorable long-term returns primarily through appreciation of assets, dividends, and interest. There are no restrictions on the number of transactions a participant can conduct. These accounts do not have any unfunded commitments.

Common and Collective Trusts: Valued based on quoted market prices of underlying investments.

The Plan's investments in common and collective trusts are valued at the respective net asset values as reported by such trusts/funds, which are reported at fair value. The value of each unit is determined by subtracting total liabilities from the total value of the assets and dividing the amount remaining by the number of units outstanding on the valuation date. Net asset value is a quoted price in an inactive market.

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3. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (*Continued*)

The following tables set forth the Plan's assets at fair value as of:

Assets at Fair Value as of December 31, 2022				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Pooled separate accounts:	\$ -	\$ 10,959,580	\$ -	\$ 10,959,580
Common and collective trusts:	-	11,456,757	-	11,456,757
	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 22,416,337</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 22,416,337</u>

Assets at Fair Value as of December 31, 2021				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Pooled separate accounts:	\$ -	\$ 8,754,546	\$ -	\$ 8,754,546
Common and collective trusts:	-	14,268,268	-	14,268,268
	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 23,022,814</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 23,022,814</u>

4. INCOME TAX STATUS

The Plan obtained a determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service stating that the Plan, as then designed, was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code and therefore was exempt from taxation under Section 401(a) of the Code. The Plan has since been amended; however, the Plan Administrator and the Plan's tax counsel believe that the Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Code and therefore believe that the plan is qualified, and the related trust is tax-exempt. Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require Plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the applicable taxing authorities. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress. The Plan administrator believes it is no longer subject to income tax examinations for years prior to 2018.

5. RELATED PARTY AND PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

The Company, the participants and the plan trustee have all been identified as parties-in-interest. The Plan invests in shares of mutual funds, a common collective trust fund managed by the trustee. This transaction qualifies as a party-in-interest transaction, which are exempt from the prohibited transaction rules. As noted above, certain administrative expenses of the Plan are paid by the Company and qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

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6. RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Plan invests in multiple investment securities that are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of the investments will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participant account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for plan benefits.

Potential Impact of Plan Termination

In the event of Plan termination, the assets held within the Plan would be distributed to eligible participants and beneficiaries based on the terms and provisions outlined in the Plan document and ERISA

guidelines. Distribution options may include lump-sum payments, rollovers to other qualified retirement plans, or installment payments over a specified period. Upon Plan termination, each participant's account balance would be determined as of the termination date. This account balance would consist of contributions made by the participant, employer contributions, investment gains or losses, and another applicable adjustments or allocations.

Distribution of Plan assets to participants and beneficiaries upon Plan termination may have tax implications. Depending on individual circumstances, recipients may be subject to income taxes, penalties for early withdrawals, or other tax obligations.

7. SUMMARY OF CUSTODIAN INFORMATION

The following is a summary of unaudited information included in the Plan's financial statements and supplemental schedules. The information was prepared by the Reliance Trust Company and furnished by the Plan Sponsors. The Custodian has certified that the information is complete and accurate.

- a. Current value of investments held by the Reliance Trust Company at December 31:

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
<u>Common and Collective Trusts:</u>		
FlexPath Idx Mod 2035 R1	\$ 3,689,995	\$ 3,830,317
FlexPath Idx Mod 2045 R1	1,695,754	1,847,892
Blackrock Eq Index 1	1,522,126	1,448,389
Flexpath Idx Mod 2055 R1	1,217,891	1,132,441
NYL Anchor Account	1,117,213	951,621
Flexpath Idx Mod 2025 R1	753,879	780,145
FlexPath Idx Mod Ret R1	493,704	507,281
FlexPath Idx Agg 2055 R1	205,390	121,396
Small Cap Val II R1	200,006	-
Blackrock EAFE Eq Idx 1	194,996	142,222
FlexPath Idx Con R1	123,728	80,633
Small Cap Growth - R1	96,883	105,556
FlexPath Idx Agg 2045 R1	52,332	57,308
FlexPath Idx Agg 2035 R1	38,022	19,348
FlexPath Idx Con 2045 R1	30,483	36,642

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7. SUMMARY OF CUSTODIAN INFORMATION (Continued)

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
<u>Common and Collective Trusts (Continued):</u>		
FlexPath Idx Agg 2025 R1	12,010	7,107
Balanced Sustainable R1	10,609	-
FlexPath Idx Agg R1	1,731	637
FlexPath Idx Con 2055 R1	6	-
Large Cap Growth - R1	-	3,187,769
FlexPath Idx Con 2035 R1	-	11,564
<u>Pooled Separate Accounts (Continued):</u>		
JPMorgan Large Cap Growth R6	2,461,287	-
American Funds Wash Mtual R6	1,352,199	1,305,084
Vangrd LifeStrat Grw Fd Inv	932,364	919,230
American Fund Am Balanced R6	892,895	834,459
Fidelity Small Cap Index	656,621	667,901
American Funds EuroPacific R6	565,230	616,594
Fidelity Mid-Cap Index	561,049	437,782
Vangrd Mid-Cap Growth Index Fund Adm	530,894	784,127
PIMCO Total Return Fund - Ins	509,398	530,282
American Funds New World R6	478,708	564,080
Vangrd Mid-Cap Value Ind Adm	471,768	464,228
PIMCO Income Fund - Instl	347,308	390,663
AmFunds Cap Wrld Gr Inc - R6	226,598	238,830
Fidelity Infl Prot Bond Index	193,849	175,519
Vanguard Hi Yld Corp Adm	172,486	136,383
DFA Commodity Strategy Prt Ins	163,743	124,830
Vangrd LifeStrat Md Grw Fd Inv	139,456	153,448
Vangrd LifeStrat Cns Gr Fd Inv	93,467	87,383
Fidelity Real Estate Index	80,736	84,372
Vanguard Federal Money Market Inv	65,851	3,183
Vangrd LifeStrat Inc Fd Inv	63,672	58,799
DFA US Targeted Val Port Inst	-	177,369
Total	<u>\$ 22,416,337</u>	<u>\$ 23,022,814</u>
b. Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments	<u>\$ (4,595,687)</u>	<u>\$ 2,438,645</u>
c. Schedule of assets held for investment purposes	See supplemental schedule	

Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments is comprised of realized and unrealized gains and losses. Net realized losses were \$371,617 and net unrealized losses were \$4,224,070 for the year ended December 31, 2022.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

8. RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500

The following is a reconciliation of investments, at fair value, per Form 5500 to the financial statements at December 31, 2022 and 2021:

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Investments per Form 5500	\$ 22,416,337	\$ 23,022,814
Total additions in net assets	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Investments per financial statements	<u>\$ 22,416,337</u>	<u>\$ 23,022,814</u>

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EIN: 16-1021918, PLAN NUMBER 001

SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i, SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)

DECEMBER 31, 2022

(See independent auditor's report.)

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	Number of Shares	Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value	Cost	Current value
Common and Collective Trusts:				
Wilmington Trust	251,877	flexPath Idx Mod 2035 R1	**	\$ 3,689,995
Wilmington Trust	108,982	flexPath Idx Mod 2045 R1	**	1,695,754
Wilmington Trust	2,883	Blackrock Eq Index 1	**	1,522,126
Wilmington Trust	77,131	flexPath Idx Mod 2055 R1	**	1,217,891
New York Life	1,852	NYL Anchor Account	**	1,117,213
Wilmington Trust	56,009	flexPath Idx Mod 2025 R1	**	753,879
Wilmington Trust	38,601	flexPath Idx Mod Ret R1	**	493,704
Wilmington Trust	12,277	flexPath Idx Agg 2055 R1	**	205,390
Wilmington Trust	13,775	Small Cap Val II R1	**	200,006
Wilmington Trust	1,747	Blackrock EAFE Eq Idx 1	**	194,996
Wilmington Trust	10,117	flexPath Idx Con R1	**	123,728
Wilmington Trust	12,264	Small Cap Growth - R1	**	96,883
Wilmington Trust	3,134	flexPath Idx Agg 2045 R1	**	52,332
Wilmington Trust	2,357	flexPath Idx Agg 2035 R1	**	38,022
Wilmington Trust	1,974	flexPath Idx Con 2045 R1	**	30,483
Wilmington Trust	811	flexPath Idx Agg 2025 R1	**	12,010
Wilmington Trust	1,052	Balanced Sustainable R1	**	10,609
Wilmington Trust	128	flexPath Idx Agg R1	**	1,731
Wilmington Trust	0.39	flexPath Idx Con 2055 R1	**	6
				11,456,758
Pooled Separate Accounts:				
JP Morgan	52,457	JPMorgan Large Cap Growth R6	**	2,461,287
American Funds	25,999	American Funds Wash Mutual R6	**	1,352,199
Vanguard	25,877	Vangrd LifeStrat Grw Fd Inv	**	932,364
American Funds	31,036	American Fund Am Balanced R6	**	892,895
Fidelity	30,259	Fidelity Small Cap Index	**	656,621
American Funds	11,528	American Funds EuroPacific R6	**	565,230
Fidelity	21,645	Fidelity Mid-Cap Index	**	561,049
Vanguard	6,862	Vangrd Mid-Cap Growth Index Fund Adm	**	530,894
PIMCO	60,213	PIMCO Total Return Fund - Ins	**	509,398
American Funds	7,211	American Funds New World R6	**	478,708
Vanguard	6,732	Vangrd Mid-Cap Value Ind Adm	**	471,768

** Costs not required for assets held in participant-directed accounts.

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EIN: 16-1021918, PLAN NUMBER 001

SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i, SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)

DECEMBER 31, 2022

(See independent auditor's report.)

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	Number of Shares	Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value	Cost	Current value
<u>Pooled Separate Accounts (Continued):</u>				
PIMCO	33,556	PIMCO Income Fund - Instl	**	347,308
American Funds	4,395	AmFunds Cap Wrld Gr Inc - R6	**	226,598
Fidelity	21,491	Fidelity Infl Prot Bond Index	**	193,849
Vanguard	33,492	Vanguard Hi Yld Corp Adm	**	172,486
DFA	33,349	DFA Commodity Strategy Prt Ins	**	163,743
Vanguard	5,082	Vangrd LifeStrat Md Grw Fd Inv	**	139,456
Vanguard	4,899	Vangrd LifeStrat Cns Gr Fd Inv	**	93,467
Fidelity	5,557	Fidelity Real Estate Index	**	80,736
Vanguard	65,851	Vanguard Federal Money Market Inv	**	65,851
Vanguard	4,450	Vangrd LifeStrat Inc Fd Inv	**	63,672
				<u>10,959,579</u>
				<u>\$ 22,416,337</u>

** Costs not required for assets held in participant-directed accounts.

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Financial Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ► File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110
		2022
		This Form is Open to Public Inspection

For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning		and ending	
A Name of plan		B Three-digit plan number (PN) ►	
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500		D Employer Identification Number (EIN)	

Part I	Asset and Liability Statement
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1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. **Round off amounts to the nearest dollar.** MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.

Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash.....	1a		
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)		
(2) Participant contributions.....	1b(2)		
(3) Other	1b(3)		
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)		
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)		
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)		
(B) All other.....	1c(3)(B)		
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)		
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)		
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)		
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants).....	1c(7)		
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)		
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)		
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)		
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts.....	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)		
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....	1c(14)		
(15) Other.....	1c(15)		

1d Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities.....	1d(1)		
(2) Employer real property.....	1d(2)		
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f		

Liabilities

g Benefit claims payable	1g		
h Operating payables	1h		
i Acquisition indebtedness.....	1i		
j Other liabilities.....	1j		
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j)	1k		

Net Assets

l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l		
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Part II Income and Expense Statement

2 Plan income, expenses, and changes in net assets for the year. Include all income and expenses of the plan, including any trust(s) or separately maintained fund(s) and any payments/receipts to/from insurance carriers. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 2a, 2b(1)(E), 2e, 2f, and 2g.

Income

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: (A) Employers	2a(1)(A)		
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)		
(C) Others (including rollovers).....	2a(1)(C)		
(2) Noncash contributions.....	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit).....	2b(1)(A)		
(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans.....	2b(1)(E)		
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		
(2) Dividends: (A) Preferred stock.....	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)		
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds).....	2b(2)(C)		
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		
(3) Rents	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: (A) Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)		
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions).....	2b(4)(B)		
(C) Subtract line 2b(4)(B) from line 2b(4)(A) and enter result	2b(4)(C)		
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: (A) Real estate	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B)	2b(5)(C)		

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts.....	2b(6)		
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts.....	2b(7)		
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		
c Other income	2c		
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2d		

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers.....	2e(1)		
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)		
(3) Other.....	2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3)	2e(4)		
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions).....	2g		
h Interest expense.....	2h		
i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)		
(3) Investment advisory and management fees	2i(3)		
(4) Other.....	2i(4)		
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4)	2i(5)		
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2j		

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d.....	2k		
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan.....	2l(1)		
(2) From this plan	2l(2)		

Part III Accountant's Opinion

3 Complete lines 3a through 3c if the opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is attached to this Form 5500. Complete line 3d if an opinion is not attached.

a The attached opinion of an independent qualified public accountant for this plan is (see instructions):

(1) ☐ Unmodified (2) ☐ Qualified (3) ☐ Disclaimer (4) ☐ Adverse

b Check the appropriate box(es) to indicate whether the IQPA performed an ERISA section 103(a)(3)(C) audit. Check both boxes (1) and (2) if the audit was performed pursuant to both 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and 29 CFR 2520.103-12(d). Check box (3) if pursuant to neither.

(1) ☐ DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 (2) ☐ DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d) (3) ☐ neither DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 nor DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d).

c Enter the name and EIN of the accountant (or accounting firm) below:

(1) Name:

(2) EIN:

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** because:

(1) ☐ This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, or MTIA. (2) ☐ It will be attached to the next Form 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.104-50.

Part IV Compliance Questions

4 CCTs and PSAs do not complete Part IV. MTIAs, 103-12 IEs, and GIAs do not complete lines 4a, 4e, 4f, 4g, 4h, 4k, 4m, 4n, or 5. 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 4j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete line 4l.

During the plan year:

a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.)

	Yes	No	Amount
4a			

	Yes	No	Amount
b Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.)			
4b			
c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)			
4c			
d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)			
4d			
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?			
4e			
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?			
4f			
g Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?			
4g			
h Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?			
4h			
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)			
4i			
j Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)			
4j			
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?			
4k			
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?			
4l			
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)			
4m			
n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.			
4n			
5a Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year?..... ☐ Yes ☐ No If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year _____.			
5b If, during this plan year, any assets or liabilities were transferred from this plan to another plan(s), identify the plan(s) to which assets or liabilities were transferred. (See instructions.)			
5b(1) Name of plan(s)	5b(2) EIN(s)	5b(3) PN(s)	
5c Was the plan a defined benefit plan covered under the PBGC insurance program at any time during this plan year? (See ERISA section 4021 and instructions.) ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year _____.			

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Schedule H, line 4i - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

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EIN: 16-1021918

Plan Sponsor's Name LIPPES MATHIAS LLP

PN: 001

(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value.	(d) Cost	(e) Current value
	VANGUARD MIDCAP GROWTH IDX ADM	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		530,894
	FID INFL-P BD IDX	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		193,849
	DFA COMMODITY STRAT PORT INST	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		163,743
	AMERICAN FUNDS EUROPAC GRO- R6	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		565,230
	AMERICAN FUNDS WAMU - R6	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		1,352,199
	FID MID CAP INDEX	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		561,049
	AMERICAN FUNDS NEW WORLD R6	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		478,708

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	FID SMALL CAP INDEX	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		656,621
	VANGUARD LIFESTRATEGY MOD GROW	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		139,456
	VANGUARD FEDERAL MM INV	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		65,851
	VANG HI YLD CORP ADM	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		172,486
	FIDELITY REAL ESTATE INDEX	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		80,736
	VANGUARD MID CAP VALUE IND ADM	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		471,768
	JPMORGAN LARGE CAP GROWTH R6	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		2,461,287

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	VAN LS INCOME - INV	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		63,672
	PIMCO TOTAL RETURN FUND - INST	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		509,398
	VANGUARD LIFESTRATEGY GROWTH	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		932,364
	AMFUNDS CAP WRLD GR INC - R6	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		226,598
	VAN LIFESTRAT CONSERV GR - INV	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		93,467
	PIMCO INCOME FUND - INSTL	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		347,308
	AMERFUNDS AMER BALANCED - R6	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		892,895

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	BLACKROCK EQ INDEX 1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		1,522,126
	BLACKROCK EAFE EQ IDX 1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		194,996
	SMALL CAP GROWTH FUND - R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		96,883
	SMALL CAP VAL II R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		200,006
	BALANCED SUSTAINABLE R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		10,609
	NYL ANCHOR ACCOUNT 0	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		1,117,213
	FLEXPATH IDX AGG RET R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		1,731

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	FLEXPATH IDX MOD RET R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		493,704
	FLEXPATH IDX CON RET R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		123,728
	FLEXPATH IDX AGG 2025 R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		12,010
	FLEXPATH IDX MOD 2025 R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		753,879
	FLEXPATH IDX AGG 2035 R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		38,022
	FLEXPATH IDX MOD 2035 R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		3,689,995
	FLEXPATH IDX AGG 2045 R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		52,332

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	FLEXPATH IDX MOD 2045 R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		1,695,754
	FLEXPATH IDX CON 2045 R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		30,483
	FLEXPATH IDX AGG 2055 R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		205,390
	FLEXPATH IDX MOD 2055 R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		1,217,891
	FLEXPATH IDX CON 2055 R1	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		6