

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 2023 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Annual Report Identification Information
For calendar plan year 2023 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2023 and ending 12/31/2023	
A	This return/report is for: ☐ a multiemployer plan ☐ a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must provide participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.) ☒ a single-employer plan ☐ a DFE (specify) _____ ☐ 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 SAVAGE COMPANIES RETIREMENT & EMPLOYEE SAVINGS PLAN
1b	Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
1c	Effective date of plan 07/01/1972
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, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions) SAVAGE COMPANIES 901 W. LEGACY CENTER WAY MIDVALE, UT 84047
2b	Employer Identification Number (EIN) 87-0387049
2c	Plan Sponsor's telephone number 801-944-6600
2d	Business code (see instructions) 551112

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.	07/15/2024	LAUREL TIMMINS
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	07/15/2024	LAUREL TIMMINS
	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

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 5311
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 a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e g(1) Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) g(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	6a(1) 3786 6a(2) 3252 6b 51 6c 1434 6d 4737 6e 38 6f 4775 6g(1) 5228 6g(2) 4718 6h 652
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:

2E 2F 2G 2J 2K 2S 2T 3D 3H

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
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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
- (4)** ☐ **DCG** (Individual Plan Information) – Number Attached _____
- (5)** ☐ **MEP** (Multiple-Employer Retirement Plan Information)

b General Schedules

- (1)** ☒ **H** (Financial Information)
- (2)** ☐ **I** (Financial Information – Small Plan)
- (3)** ☒ **A** (Insurance Information) – Number Attached 1
- (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 2023 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2023 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 A (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Insurance 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. ▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).	OMB No. 1210-0110 2023 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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For calendar plan year 2023 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2023 and ending 12/31/2023		
A Name of plan SAVAGE COMPANIES RETIREMENT & EMPLOYEE SAVINGS PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 SAVAGE COMPANIES	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 87-0387049	

Part I	Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions	Provide information for each contract on a separate Schedule A. Individual contracts grouped as a unit in Parts II and III can be reported on a single Schedule A.
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1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
GREAT WEST LIFE INSURANCE & ANNUITY INSURANCE CO.

(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	(g) To
84-0467907	68322	504245-01	0	01/01/2023	10/13/2023

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in line 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	(b) Total amount of fees paid
0	0

3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		(e) Organization code
	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

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Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information

Where individual contracts are provided, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

4 Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4	
5 Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end.....	5	

6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:

a State the basis of premium rates ▶

b Premiums paid to carrier **6b**

c Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year..... **6c**

d If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount. **6d**
Specify nature of costs ▶

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity
(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶

f If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ ☐

7 Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)

a Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee
(3) ☒ guaranteed investment (4) ☐ other ▶

b Balance at the end of the previous year	7b	51949
c Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1)	
(2) Dividends and credits	7c(2)	216
(3) Interest credited during the year	7c(3)	
(4) Transferred from separate account.....	7c(4)	
(5) Other (specify below)	7c(5)	
(6) Total additions	7c(6)	216
d Total of balance and additions (add lines 7b and 7c(6))	7d	52165
e Deductions:		
(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1)	1210
(2) Administration charge made by carrier	7e(2)	
(3) Transferred to separate account.....	7e(3)	
(4) Other (specify below)	7e(4)	50955
(5) Total deductions	7e(5)	52165
f Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line 7e(5) from line 7d)	7f	0

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information

If more than one contract covers the same group of employees of the same employer(s) or members of the same employee organizations(s), the information may be combined for reporting purposes if such contracts are experience-rated as a unit. Where contracts cover individual employees, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

- a** ☐ Health (other than dental or vision)
b ☐ Dental
c ☐ Vision
d ☐ Life insurance
e ☐ Temporary disability (accident and sickness)
f ☐ Long-term disability
g ☐ Supplemental unemployment
h ☐ Prescription drug
i ☐ Stop loss (large deductible)
j ☐ HMO contract
k ☐ PPO contract
l ☐ Indemnity contract
m ☐ Other (specify) ▶

9 Experience-rated contracts:

a Premiums: (1) Amount received	9a(1)		
(2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid.....	9a(2)		
(3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve	9a(3)		
(4) Earned ((1) + (2) - (3)).....		9a(4)	
b Benefit charges (1) Claims paid.....	9b(1)		
(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	9b(2)		
(3) Incurred claims (add (1) and (2)).....		9b(3)	
(4) Claims charged		9b(4)	
c Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --			
(A) Commissions	9c(1)(A)		
(B) Administrative service or other fees	9c(1)(B)		
(C) Other specific acquisition costs	9c(1)(C)		
(D) Other expenses	9c(1)(D)		
(E) Taxes	9c(1)(E)		
(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies.....	9c(1)(F)		
(G) Other retention charges	9c(1)(G)		
(H) Total retention		9c(1)(H)	
(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were ☐ paid in cash, or ☐ credited.).....		9c(2)	
d Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement		9d(1)	
(2) Claim reserves		9d(2)	
(3) Other reserves.....		9d(3)	
e Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line 9c(2).)		9e	

10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:

a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier	10a	
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, line 2 above, report amount	10b	

Specify nature of costs.

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A?..... ☐ Yes ☒ No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

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
		2023
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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 SAVAGE COMPANIES	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 87-0387049	

Part I	Service Provider Information (see instructions)
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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
THE VANGUARD GROUP, INC.
23-1945930

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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)

THE VANGUARD GROUP, INC.

23-1945930

(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 16 25 37 52 99	NONE	453737	Yes ☒ No ☐	Yes ☒ No ☐	0	Yes ☒ No ☐

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

VANGUARD ADVISERS INC.

23-2811930

(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?
26	NONE	123570	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

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

MARINER WEALTH ADVISORS

20-4553256

(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?
16	NONE	27500	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

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)

TANNER ACCOUNTANTS & ADVISORS

20-2253063

(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?
10	NONE	24956	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

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

ALLIANT INSURANCE SERVICES

33-0785439

(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	NONE	5748	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
THE VANGUARD GROUP, INC.	99	0
(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.	
DODGE & COX 94-1441976	10 BPS	
(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
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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:	
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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 2023 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>SAVAGE COMPANIES</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>87-0387049</u>	

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: <u>VANGUARD RET. SAVINGS TRUST III</u>				
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST COMPANY</u>				
c EIN-PN <u>38-7041744-024</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>8066611</u>		
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>VFTC TARGET RET 2020 TR II</u>				
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST COMPANY</u>				
c EIN-PN <u>90-6083982-001</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>8973606</u>		
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>VFTC TARGET RET 2025 TR II</u>				
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST COMPANY</u>				
c EIN-PN <u>90-6083980-001</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>18224078</u>		
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>VFTC TARGET RET 2030 TR II</u>				
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST COMPANY</u>				
c EIN-PN <u>90-6083978-001</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>32730913</u>		
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>VFTC TARGET RET 2035 TR II</u>				
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST COMPANY</u>				
c EIN-PN <u>90-6083976-001</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>26416846</u>		
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>VFTC TARGET RET 2040 TR II</u>				
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST COMPANY</u>				
c EIN-PN <u>90-6083974-001</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>22031876</u>		
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>VFTC TARGET RET 2045 TR II</u>				
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST COMPANY</u>				
c EIN-PN <u>90-6083972-001</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>21432132</u>		

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: **VFTC TARGET RET 2050 TR II**

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): **VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST COMPANY**

c EIN-PN 90-6083970-001	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 18568374
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: **VFTC TARGET RET 2055 TR II**

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): **VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST COMPANY**

c EIN-PN 27-6715091-001	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 12338514
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: **VFTC TARGET RET 2060 TR II**

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): **VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST COMPANY**

c EIN-PN 45-3799419-001	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 7165604
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: **VFTC TARGET RET 2065 TR II**

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): **VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST COMPANY**

c EIN-PN 82-6194314-001	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1980117
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: **VFTC TARGET RET 2070 TR II**

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): **VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST COMPANY**

c EIN-PN 87-7039453-001	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 201463
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: **VFTC TARGET RET INCOME TR II**

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): **VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST COMPANY**

c EIN-PN 90-6083967-001	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 3504486
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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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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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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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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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Part II Information on Participating Plans (to be completed by DFEs, other than DCGs)

(Complete as many entries as needed to report all participating plans. DCGs must report each participating plan using Schedule DCG.)

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

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
		2023
		This Form is Open to Public Inspection

For calendar plan year 2023 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2023 and ending 12/31/2023		
A Name of plan SAVAGE COMPANIES RETIREMENT & EMPLOYEE SAVINGS PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 SAVAGE COMPANIES		
		D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 87-0387049

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)	421	292
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)	79222	66008
(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)	44090	39898
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)		
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	7681677	7504901
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)	11174609	181634620
(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)	254188352	106071030
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)	1c(14)	51949	0
(15) Other	1c(15)	4960783	5772939

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	278181103	301089688
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	278181103	301089688

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)	6889608	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	18272168	
(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)	1114807	
(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B), (C), and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		26276583
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)	3524	
(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)	415059	
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)	213	
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		418796
(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)	3044995	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B), and (C)	2b(2)(D)		3044995
(3) Rents	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: (A) Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)	16865	
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)	16865	
(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)	-4192	
(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)		17383915
(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)		24684873
c Other income	2c		1090093
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		72895063

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	49928184	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits.....	2e(2)		
(3) Other	2e(3)	427904	
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3)	2e(4)		50356088
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		16531
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		
h Interest expense	2h		
i Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees.....	2i(2)		
(3) Recordkeeping fees.....	2i(3)		
(4) IQPA audit fees.....	2i(4)		
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees	2i(5)		
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees	2i(6)		
(7) Actuarial fees	2i(7)		
(8) Legal fees	2i(8)		
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees	2i(9)		
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses	2i(10)		
(11) Other expenses	2i(11)	609612	
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (11)	2i(12)		609612
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		50982231

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		21912832
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan	2l(1)		995753
(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: **TANNER LLC**

(2) EIN: **20-2253063**

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** as part of Schedule H because:

(1) ☐ This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, DCG 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. DCGs do not complete lines 4e, 4f, 4k, 4l, and 5, and DCGs generally complete the rest of Part IV collectively for all plans in the DCG, except as otherwise provided (see instructions).

During the plan year:

	Yes	No	Amount
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.)		☒	
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.)		☒	
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.)		☒	
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.)		☒	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	☒		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?		☒	
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?		☒	
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?		☒	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	☒		
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.)		☒	
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?		☒	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		☒	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)		☒	
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.			

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 2023 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
For calendar plan year 2023 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2023 and ending 12/31/2023		
A Name of plan SAVAGE COMPANIES RETIREMENT & EMPLOYEE SAVINGS PLAN		B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 SAVAGE COMPANIES		D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 87-0387049
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
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): 23-2186884		
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) 2023 v. 230707		

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) and (b):	
a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as: Public Equity: _____% Private Equity: _____% Investment-Grade Debt and Interest Rate Hedging Assets: _____% High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Assets: _____% Cash or Cash Equivalents: _____% Other: _____%	
b Provide the average duration of the Investment-Grade Debt and Interest Rate Hedging Assets: ☐ 0-5 years ☐ 5-10 years ☐ 10-15 years ☐ 15 years or more	
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: _____	

Part VII	IRS Compliance Questions
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21a Does the plan satisfy the coverage and nondiscrimination tests of Code sections 410(b) and 401(a)(4) by combining this plan with any other plans under the permissive aggregation rules? ☐ Yes ☒ No	
21b If this is a Code section 401(k) plan, check all boxes that apply to indicate how the plan is intended to satisfy the nondiscrimination requirements for employee deferrals and employer matching contributions (as applicable) under Code sections 401(k)(3) and 401(m)(2).	
☐ Design-based safe harbor method	
☐ "Prior year" ADP test	
☒ "Current year" ADP test	
☐ N/A	
22 If the plan sponsor is an adopter of a pre-approved plan that received a favorable IRS Opinion Letter, enter the date of the Opinion Letter <u>06 / 30 / 2020</u> (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number <u>Q703218A</u> .	

Right Answers, Right Here.



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Together with Independent Auditors' Report



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Independent Auditors' Report

To the Board of Trustees

Savage Companies Retirement & Employee Savings Plan

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit

We have performed audits of the financial statements of Savage Companies Retirement & Employee Savings Plan (the Plan), an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended (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 benefits as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and the related statement of changes in assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2023, and the related notes to financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audits of Savage Companies Retirement & Employee Savings Plan's 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 audits 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 certifications from a qualified institution as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and for the year ended December 31, 2023, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 6 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion

In our opinion, based on our audits and on the procedures performed as described in the *Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section—

- the amounts and disclosures in the 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 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

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are required to be independent of Savage Companies Retirement & Employee Savings 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 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these 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 the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the financial statements are available to be issued.

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.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Except as described in the *Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit* 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 auditors' 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 the 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 the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audits 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 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 Matter—Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at Year End) 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 schedule, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedule, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including their form and content, is 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).

Tanner LLC

July 15, 2024

Statements of Assets Available for Benefits

		<i>As of December 31,</i>	
		2023	2022
Assets:			
Investments at fair value:			
Mutual funds	\$	111,843,968	\$ 259,149,135
Common/collective trusts		181,634,621	11,226,558
Money market funds		66,008	79,222
Limited partnerships		3,170	3,171
Pooled investment funds		36,728	41,340
Total investments, at fair value		293,584,495	270,499,426
Receivables:			
Notes receivable from participants		7,505,193	7,681,677
Assets available for benefits	\$	301,089,688	\$ 278,181,103

Statements of Changes in Assets Available for Benefits

For the Year Ended December 31, 2023

Additions:

Net investment income:

Dividends and interest \$ 3,048,732

Net appreciation in fair value of investments 43,154,689

Net investment income 46,203,421

Interest income on notes receivable from participants 415,059

Contributions:

Participant 18,272,168

Employer 6,889,608

Rollover 1,114,807

Total contributions 26,276,583

Total income and contributions 72,895,063

Deductions:

Benefits paid to participants 50,372,619

Administrative expenses 609,612

Total deductions 50,982,231

Increase in assets available for benefits 21,912,832

Transfers into the Plan 995,753

Assets available for benefits:

Beginning of year 278,181,103

End of year \$ 301,089,688

Notes to Financial Statements

1. Description of the Plan

The following description of the Savage Companies Retirement & Employee Savings Plan (the Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document, adoption agreement, and summary plan description for a complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

The Plan was created on January 1, 1972 and is a defined contribution plan covering all eligible employees of the Savage Companies and Carolina Marine Terminal, Inc. (collectively, the Company or Employer), who are not covered by another plan. Eligible employees can participate in the Plan on the first day of employment. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended (ERISA).

Plan Transfers

in 2023 a total of \$995,753 of plan assets were transferred into the Plan related to the merging of an acquired subsidiary into the plan or other transfers into the plan.

Contributions

Contributions to the Plan include: (i) salary reduction contributions authorized by participants, (ii) matching contributions made by the Company; and (iii) participant rollovers from other plans.

Participants may elect to contribute a percentage of their eligible compensation, as defined by the Plan document, to the Plan each year, subject to the limitations of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). Regular 401(k) contributions are excluded from the participant's taxable income for federal income tax purposes until received as a withdrawal or distribution from the Plan. Roth 401(k) contributions are not excluded from the participant's taxable income for federal income tax purposes, but withdrawals of contributions and earnings thereon at retirement are tax free. The Plan includes an auto-enrollment provision whereby all newly eligible employees are automatically enrolled in the Plan unless they affirmatively elect not to participate. Automatically enrolled participants have their deferral rate set at 3% of eligible compensation and their contributions invested in a designated balanced fund until changed by the participant. Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the year are eligible to make catch-up contributions.

The Company matches 50% of participant contributions up to 8% of a participant's eligible compensation.

Participant Accounts

Individual accounts are maintained for each participant of the Plan. Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions and Company matching contributions, as well as Plan earnings or losses. Participant accounts are charged with an allocation of administrative expenses. These fees are either directly charged to the Participant's account or paid by the Plan. Allocations are based on participant earnings, account balances, or specific participant transactions, as defined. Participants may direct the investment of their account balance into various investment options offered by the Plan. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account balance.

Vesting

Participants hired before January 1, 2020 are vested immediately in their contributions and Company matching contributions, plus actual earnings thereon. Participants hired after January 1, 2020 become vested based on years of credited service, as follows:

Years of Service	Vested Percentage
0-1	0%
2	25%
3	50%
4	75%
5 or more	100%

Notes Receivable from Participants

Participants may borrow from their accounts a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of one-half of the vested account balance or \$50,000. The loans are secured by an assignment of a participant's vested interest in the Plan, and bear interest at a rate commensurate with local prevailing rates at the time funds are borrowed as determined by the Plan Administrator. Principal and interest are paid ratably through payroll deductions or as a lump sum for the outstanding loan balance. Loan terms range from one to five years; however, terms may exceed five years for the purchase of a primary residence. As of December 31, 2023, participant loans had maturities through September 2033 and interest rates at 4.25% - 9.50%.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits are available for distribution upon retirement, attainment of age 59½, disability, death, or termination of employment; under certain circumstances participants may withdraw, due to hardship, their contributions prior to the occurrence of one of these events. Death benefits are paid to the designated beneficiary of the participant.

Participants may elect to receive either a lump-sum amount equal to the value of their vested interest or annual installments as defined in the Plan document upon retirement, termination of service, death or disability. A terminated employee with a balance of less than \$1,000 may be automatically paid out by the Plan upon termination. Any terminated participants with a balance between \$1,000 and \$5,000 can still be automatically paid out if their balance is rolled into a qualified Individual Retirement Account. Distributions may be made at the participant's election prior to termination upon attainment of age 59 ½ or hardship as defined in the Plan document.

The designated beneficiary is entitled to a death benefit distribution equal to the participant's vested account balance.

Forfeitures

When certain terminations of participation in the Plan occur, the nonvested portion of the participant's account represents a forfeiture. The Plan document permits the use of forfeitures to either reduce future Company contributions or pay Plan administrative expenses. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, forfeited nonvested accounts totaled \$1,061,502 and \$302,537 respectively. During the year ended December 31, 2023, Employer contributions were reduced by \$416,227.

Administrative Expenses

Plan administrative expenses may be charged directly to the Plan (either allocated to the participants or using forfeiture funds) or paid by the Company. During the year ended December 31, 2023, the Plan paid \$609,612 of administrative expenses. Certain administrative expenses are paid by the Company. Investment related expenses are included in net appreciation in the fair value of investments.

Plan Termination

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Company has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, participants would become 100% vested in their accounts.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements of the Plan have been prepared using the accrual method of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (US GAAP).

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with US GAAP requires Plan management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results may differ from those estimates.

Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan provides for investments in securities that are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, currency exchange rate, credit, and the overall fluctuation in the market. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of assets available for benefits.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

Investments are reported at fair value. Investments in mutual funds are stated at fair value based upon quoted market prices. Investments in the common/collective trusts and the stable value fund are stated at net asset value (NAV) per share as a practical expedient, which is based on the fair value of the underlying investments.

Net appreciation of investments includes realized and unrealized gains or losses on investments and is recognized in income currently. Amounts invested may earn interest and dividends, which in turn are reinvested. Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses and are expensed when they are incurred. Delinquent participant loans are recorded as distributions when the participant has a distributable event.

Payment of Benefits

Benefit payments to participants are recorded upon distribution.

Excess Contributions Payable

Amounts payable to participants for contributions in excess of amounts allowed by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) are recorded as a liability with a corresponding reduction to contributions.

Subsequent Events

Plan management has evaluated events occurring subsequent to year-end through July 15, 2024, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

3. Fair Value Measurements

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. In order to increase consistency and comparability in fair value measurements, the fair value hierarchy prioritizes observable and unobservable inputs used to measure fair value into three broad levels. These levels, in order of highest priority to lowest priority, are described as follows:

Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets that are accessible at the measurement date for assets or liabilities.

Level 2: Observable inputs other than Level 1 including quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities, quoted prices in less active markets, or other observable inputs that can be corroborated by observable market data.

Level 3: Unobservable inputs supported by little or no market activity for financial instruments whose value is determined using pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies, or similar techniques, as well as instruments for which the determination of fair value requires significant management judgment or estimation.

The following tables summarize the fair values of the Plan's investments and the levels of inputs under which those investments were valued as of December 31:

2023				
Description	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Mutual funds	\$ 111,843,968	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 111,843,968
Money market funds	66,008	-	-	66,008
Common/collective trusts, measured at NAV practical expedient*				181,634,621
Limited partnerships, measured at NAV practical expedient*				3,170
Pooled investment funds, measured at NAV practical expedient*				36,728
Total investments, at fair value				\$ 293,584,495

2022				
Description	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Mutual funds	\$ 259,149,135	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 259,149,135
Money market funds	79,222	-	-	79,222
Common/collective trust, measured at NAV practical expedient*				11,226,558
Limited partnerships, measured at NAV practical expedient*				3,171
Pooled investment funds, measured at NAV practical expedient*				41,340
Total investments, at fair value				\$ 270,499,426

**The fair values of these investments are provided above to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the amounts presented in the statements of assets available for benefits.*

The following tables set forth a summary of the Plan's investments reported at NAV as a practical expedient as of December 31, 2023 and 2022:

December 31, 2023	Fair Value	Unfunded Commitments	Redemption Frequency	Redemption Notice Period
Common/collective trusts	\$ 181,634,621	\$ -	Daily	Daily
Limited partnerships	3,170	-	Annually	90 days
Pooled investment funds	36,728	-	Quarterly- 25%	90 days

December 31, 2022	Fair Value	Unfunded Commitments	Redemption Frequency	Redemption Notice Period
Common/collective trust	\$ 11,226,558	\$ -	Daily	Daily
Limited partnerships	3,171	-	Annually	90 days
Pooled investment funds	41,340	-	Quarterly- 25%	90 days

4. Exempt Party-In-Interest Transactions

Certain Plan investments are managed by Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company, who is the trustee of the Plan. These transactions qualify as exempt party-in-interest transactions. The notes receivable from participants are also exempt party-in-interest transactions.

5. Federal Income Tax Status

The Plan uses a prototype plan document sponsored by the Vanguard Group, which received an opinion letter from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS), dated June 30, 2020, which states that the prototype document satisfies the applicable provisions of the IRC. The Plan itself has not received a determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service. However, the Plan's management believes that the Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. Therefore, no provision for income tax has been included in the Plan's financial statements.

US GAAP requires management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability if the Plan has taken an uncertain tax position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by taxing authorities. The Plan Administrator has analyzed the tax positions of the Plan and has concluded that as of December 31, 2023, there were no uncertain tax positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability or disclosure in the financial statements. The Plan is subject to routine audits in tax jurisdictions for tax years for which the applicable statutes of limitations have not expired; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

6. Information Certified by the Trustee

The Plan Administrator has elected the method of compliance permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, as permitted under that election, the Plan instructed the Plan's independent auditors not to perform any auditing procedures with respect to the following information certified by Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company, the trustee of the Plan, except for comparing such information certified by the trustee to information included in the Plan's financial statements and supplemental schedule:

- All investment assets held by the Plan
- Notes receivable from participants
- The recording of transactions related to all investment assets and notes receivable from participants, including related earnings and interest and dividends.

7. Subsequent Event

Effective April 1, 2024 the Plan was amended to include automatic annual deferral percentage increases for all new hires.

SAVAGE COMPANIES RETIREMENT & EMPLOYEE SAVINGS PLAN
Employer ID No: 87-0387049
Plan Number: 001
Schedule H, Part IV, Line 4i
Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)
December 31, 2023

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party		Description of investment	Cost	Current value
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2030 Trust II	** \$	32,730,913
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Institutional Index Fund Inst'l Shares	**	28,247,731
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2035 Trust II	**	26,416,846
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 Trust II	**	22,031,876
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2045 Trust II	**	21,432,132
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2050 Trust II	**	18,568,374
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2055 Trust II	**	18,224,078
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2055 Trust II	**	12,338,514
Fidelity Investments		Fidelity Blue Chip Growth; K6 Fund	**	10,745,685
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Total International Stock Index Fund: Inst'l Shr	**	9,603,873
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Mid-Cap Index Fund Institutional Shares	**	9,497,163
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2020 Trust II	**	8,973,606
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Fund: Inst'l Shr	**	8,113,649
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Interest-bearing cash	**	8,066,611
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Cash Reserve Federal MM Fund	**	7,614,909
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2060 Trust II	**	7,165,604
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Self-Directed Brokerage Fund	**	5,772,939
DFA Investment Dimensions Group		DFA U.S. Large Cap Value Portfolio Inst'l	**	5,196,569
American Funds		American Funds Growth Fund of America; R-6	**	3,552,915
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement Income Trust II	**	3,504,486
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard International Growth Fund Admiral Shares	**	2,708,594
Metropolitan West Asset Management		Metropolitan West Total Return Bond Fund; P Class	**	2,445,600
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Small-Cap Index Fund Admiral Shares	**	2,394,827
DFA Investment Dimensions Group		DFA US Targeted Value Portfolio	**	2,162,691
American Funds		American Funds EuroPacific Growth Fund; Class R-6	**	1,986,809
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2065 Trust II	**	1,980,118
Artisan Funds		Artisan Small Cap Fund; Institutional Shares	**	1,979,989
MFS Investment Management		MFS Mid Cap Value Fund; Class R6	**	1,861,761
Dodge & Cox Funds		Dodge & Cox International Stock Fund	**	1,751,093
PIMCO Investments		PIMCO High Yield Fund; Institutional Class	**	1,601,806
MFS Investment Management		MFS Mid Cap Growth Fund; Class R6	**	1,355,816
PRIMECAP Odyssey Funds		PRIMECAP Odyssey Stock Fund	**	1,280,672
Dodge & Cox Funds		Dodge & Cox Balanced Fund	**	950,825
Dodge & Cox Funds		Metropolitan West Low Duration Bond Fund; Class I	**	743,929
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2070 Trust II	**	201,463
AllianceBernstein		Bond Inflation Strategy Advisor	**	145,589
Cohen & Steers		Real Estate Securities Fund; Class Z	**	128,534
Federated Treasury		Money Market	**	66,008
Luxor Capital Partners		Pooled Investment Funds	**	36,728
Shephard Fund		Limited Partnerships	**	3,170
				<u>293,584,495</u>
* Notes receivable from participants		Participant loans, maturing through September 2033		
		Interest rates at 4.25%-9.50%	-0-	7,505,193
			\$	<u>301,089,688</u>

* Denotes a party-in-interest as defined by ERISA.

** Cost has been omitted because investments are participant directed.

Right Answers, Right Here.



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TANNER

Independent Auditors' Report

To the Board of Trustees

Savage Companies Retirement & Employee Savings Plan

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit

We have performed audits of the financial statements of Savage Companies Retirement & Employee Savings Plan (the Plan), an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended (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 benefits as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and the related statement of changes in assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2023, and the related notes to financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audits of Savage Companies Retirement & Employee Savings Plan's 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 audits 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 certifications from a qualified institution as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and for the year ended December 31, 2023, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 6 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion

In our opinion, based on our audits and on the procedures performed as described in the *Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section—

- the amounts and disclosures in the 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 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

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are required to be independent of Savage Companies Retirement & Employee Savings 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 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these 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 the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the financial statements are available to be issued.

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.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Except as described in the *Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit* 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 auditors' 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 the 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 the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audits 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 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 Matter—Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at Year End) 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 schedule, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedule, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including their form and content, is 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).

Tanner LLC

July 15, 2024

Statements of Assets Available for Benefits

		<i>As of December 31,</i>	
		2023	2022
Assets:			
Investments at fair value:			
Mutual funds	\$	111,843,968	\$ 259,149,135
Common/collective trusts		181,634,621	11,226,558
Money market funds		66,008	79,222
Limited partnerships		3,170	3,171
Pooled investment funds		36,728	41,340
Total investments, at fair value		293,584,495	270,499,426
Receivables:			
Notes receivable from participants		7,505,193	7,681,677
Assets available for benefits	\$	301,089,688	\$ 278,181,103

Statements of Changes in Assets Available for Benefits

For the Year Ended December 31, 2023

Additions:

Net investment income:

Dividends and interest \$ 3,048,732

Net appreciation in fair value of investments 43,154,689

Net investment income 46,203,421

Interest income on notes receivable from participants 415,059

Contributions:

Participant 18,272,168

Employer 6,889,608

Rollover 1,114,807

Total contributions 26,276,583

Total income and contributions 72,895,063

Deductions:

Benefits paid to participants 50,372,619

Administrative expenses 609,612

Total deductions 50,982,231

Increase in assets available for benefits 21,912,832

Transfers into the Plan 995,753

Assets available for benefits:

Beginning of year 278,181,103

End of year \$ 301,089,688

Notes to Financial Statements

1. Description of the Plan

The following description of the Savage Companies Retirement & Employee Savings Plan (the Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document, adoption agreement, and summary plan description for a complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

The Plan was created on January 1, 1972 and is a defined contribution plan covering all eligible employees of the Savage Companies and Carolina Marine Terminal, Inc. (collectively, the Company or Employer), who are not covered by another plan. Eligible employees can participate in the Plan on the first day of employment. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended (ERISA).

Plan Transfers

in 2023 a total of \$995,753 of plan assets were transferred into the Plan related to the merging of an acquired subsidiary into the plan or other transfers into the plan.

Contributions

Contributions to the Plan include: (i) salary reduction contributions authorized by participants, (ii) matching contributions made by the Company; and (iii) participant rollovers from other plans.

Participants may elect to contribute a percentage of their eligible compensation, as defined by the Plan document, to the Plan each year, subject to the limitations of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). Regular 401(k) contributions are excluded from the participant's taxable income for federal income tax purposes until received as a withdrawal or distribution from the Plan. Roth 401(k) contributions are not excluded from the participant's taxable income for federal income tax purposes, but withdrawals of contributions and earnings thereon at retirement are tax free. The Plan includes an auto-enrollment provision whereby all newly eligible employees are automatically enrolled in the Plan unless they affirmatively elect not to participate. Automatically enrolled participants have their deferral rate set at 3% of eligible compensation and their contributions invested in a designated balanced fund until changed by the participant. Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the year are eligible to make catch-up contributions.

The Company matches 50% of participant contributions up to 8% of a participant's eligible compensation.

Participant Accounts

Individual accounts are maintained for each participant of the Plan. Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions and Company matching contributions, as well as Plan earnings or losses. Participant accounts are charged with an allocation of administrative expenses. These fees are either directly charged to the Participant's account or paid by the Plan. Allocations are based on participant earnings, account balances, or specific participant transactions, as defined. Participants may direct the investment of their account balance into various investment options offered by the Plan. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account balance.

Vesting

Participants hired before January 1, 2020 are vested immediately in their contributions and Company matching contributions, plus actual earnings thereon. Participants hired after January 1, 2020 become vested based on years of credited service, as follows:

Years of Service	Vested Percentage
0-1	0%
2	25%
3	50%
4	75%
5 or more	100%

Notes Receivable from Participants

Participants may borrow from their accounts a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of one-half of the vested account balance or \$50,000. The loans are secured by an assignment of a participant's vested interest in the Plan, and bear interest at a rate commensurate with local prevailing rates at the time funds are borrowed as determined by the Plan Administrator. Principal and interest are paid ratably through payroll deductions or as a lump sum for the outstanding loan balance. Loan terms range from one to five years; however, terms may exceed five years for the purchase of a primary residence. As of December 31, 2023, participant loans had maturities through September 2033 and interest rates at 4.25% - 9.50%.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits are available for distribution upon retirement, attainment of age 59½, disability, death, or termination of employment; under certain circumstances participants may withdraw, due to hardship, their contributions prior to the occurrence of one of these events. Death benefits are paid to the designated beneficiary of the participant.

Participants may elect to receive either a lump-sum amount equal to the value of their vested interest or annual installments as defined in the Plan document upon retirement, termination of service, death or disability. A terminated employee with a balance of less than \$1,000 may be automatically paid out by the Plan upon termination. Any terminated participants with a balance between \$1,000 and \$5,000 can still be automatically paid out if their balance is rolled into a qualified Individual Retirement Account. Distributions may be made at the participant's election prior to termination upon attainment of age 59 ½ or hardship as defined in the Plan document.

The designated beneficiary is entitled to a death benefit distribution equal to the participant's vested account balance.

Forfeitures

When certain terminations of participation in the Plan occur, the nonvested portion of the participant's account represents a forfeiture. The Plan document permits the use of forfeitures to either reduce future Company contributions or pay Plan administrative expenses. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, forfeited nonvested accounts totaled \$1,061,502 and \$302,537 respectively. During the year ended December 31, 2023, Employer contributions were reduced by \$416,227.

Administrative Expenses

Plan administrative expenses may be charged directly to the Plan (either allocated to the participants or using forfeiture funds) or paid by the Company. During the year ended December 31, 2023, the Plan paid \$609,612 of administrative expenses. Certain administrative expenses are paid by the Company. Investment related expenses are included in net appreciation in the fair value of investments.

Plan Termination

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Company has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, participants would become 100% vested in their accounts.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements of the Plan have been prepared using the accrual method of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (US GAAP).

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with US GAAP requires Plan management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results may differ from those estimates.

Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan provides for investments in securities that are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, currency exchange rate, credit, and the overall fluctuation in the market. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of assets available for benefits.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

Investments are reported at fair value. Investments in mutual funds are stated at fair value based upon quoted market prices. Investments in the common/collective trusts and the stable value fund are stated at net asset value (NAV) per share as a practical expedient, which is based on the fair value of the underlying investments.

Net appreciation of investments includes realized and unrealized gains or losses on investments and is recognized in income currently. Amounts invested may earn interest and dividends, which in turn are reinvested. Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses and are expensed when they are incurred. Delinquent participant loans are recorded as distributions when the participant has a distributable event.

Payment of Benefits

Benefit payments to participants are recorded upon distribution.

Excess Contributions Payable

Amounts payable to participants for contributions in excess of amounts allowed by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) are recorded as a liability with a corresponding reduction to contributions.

Subsequent Events

Plan management has evaluated events occurring subsequent to year-end through July 15, 2024, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

3. Fair Value Measurements

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. In order to increase consistency and comparability in fair value measurements, the fair value hierarchy prioritizes observable and unobservable inputs used to measure fair value into three broad levels. These levels, in order of highest priority to lowest priority, are described as follows:

Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets that are accessible at the measurement date for assets or liabilities.

Level 2: Observable inputs other than Level 1 including quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities, quoted prices in less active markets, or other observable inputs that can be corroborated by observable market data.

Level 3: Unobservable inputs supported by little or no market activity for financial instruments whose value is determined using pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies, or similar techniques, as well as instruments for which the determination of fair value requires significant management judgment or estimation.

The following tables summarize the fair values of the Plan's investments and the levels of inputs under which those investments were valued as of December 31:

2023				
Description	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Mutual funds	\$ 111,843,968	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 111,843,968
Money market funds	66,008	-	-	66,008
Common/collective trusts, measured at NAV practical expedient*				181,634,621
Limited partnerships, measured at NAV practical expedient*				3,170
Pooled investment funds, measured at NAV practical expedient*				36,728
Total investments, at fair value				\$ 293,584,495

2022				
Description	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Mutual funds	\$ 259,149,135	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 259,149,135
Money market funds	79,222	-	-	79,222
Common/collective trust, measured at NAV practical expedient*				11,226,558
Limited partnerships, measured at NAV practical expedient*				3,171
Pooled investment funds, measured at NAV practical expedient*				41,340
Total investments, at fair value				\$ 270,499,426

**The fair values of these investments are provided above to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the amounts presented in the statements of assets available for benefits.*

The following tables set forth a summary of the Plan's investments reported at NAV as a practical expedient as of December 31, 2023 and 2022:

December 31, 2023	Fair Value	Unfunded Commitments	Redemption Frequency	Redemption Notice Period
Common/collective trusts	\$ 181,634,621	\$ -	Daily	Daily
Limited partnerships	3,170	-	Annually	90 days
Pooled investment funds	36,728	-	Quarterly- 25%	90 days

December 31, 2022	Fair Value	Unfunded Commitments	Redemption Frequency	Redemption Notice Period
Common/collective trust	\$ 11,226,558	\$ -	Daily	Daily
Limited partnerships	3,171	-	Annually	90 days
Pooled investment funds	41,340	-	Quarterly- 25%	90 days

4. Exempt Party-In-Interest Transactions

Certain Plan investments are managed by Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company, who is the trustee of the Plan. These transactions qualify as exempt party-in-interest transactions. The notes receivable from participants are also exempt party-in-interest transactions.

5. Federal Income Tax Status

The Plan uses a prototype plan document sponsored by the Vanguard Group, which received an opinion letter from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS), dated June 30, 2020, which states that the prototype document satisfies the applicable provisions of the IRC. The Plan itself has not received a determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service. However, the Plan's management believes that the Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. Therefore, no provision for income tax has been included in the Plan's financial statements.

US GAAP requires management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability if the Plan has taken an uncertain tax position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by taxing authorities. The Plan Administrator has analyzed the tax positions of the Plan and has concluded that as of December 31, 2023, there were no uncertain tax positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability or disclosure in the financial statements. The Plan is subject to routine audits in tax jurisdictions for tax years for which the applicable statutes of limitations have not expired; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

6. Information Certified by the Trustee

The Plan Administrator has elected the method of compliance permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, as permitted under that election, the Plan instructed the Plan's independent auditors not to perform any auditing procedures with respect to the following information certified by Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company, the trustee of the Plan, except for comparing such information certified by the trustee to information included in the Plan's financial statements and supplemental schedule:

- All investment assets held by the Plan
- Notes receivable from participants
- The recording of transactions related to all investment assets and notes receivable from participants, including related earnings and interest and dividends.

7. Subsequent Event

Effective April 1, 2024 the Plan was amended to include automatic annual deferral percentage increases for all new hires.

SAVAGE COMPANIES RETIREMENT & EMPLOYEE SAVINGS PLAN
Employer ID No: 87-0387049
Plan Number: 001
Schedule H, Part IV, Line 4i
Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)
December 31, 2023

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party		Description of investment	Cost	Current value
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2030 Trust II	** \$	32,730,913
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Institutional Index Fund Inst'l Shares	**	28,247,731
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2035 Trust II	**	26,416,846
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 Trust II	**	22,031,876
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2045 Trust II	**	21,432,132
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2050 Trust II	**	18,568,374
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2055 Trust II	**	18,224,078
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2055 Trust II	**	12,338,514
Fidelity Investments		Fidelity Blue Chip Growth; K6 Fund	**	10,745,685
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Total International Stock Index Fund: Inst'l Shr	**	9,603,873
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Mid-Cap Index Fund Institutional Shares	**	9,497,163
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2020 Trust II	**	8,973,606
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Fund: Inst'l Shr	**	8,113,649
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Interest-bearing cash	**	8,066,611
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Cash Reserve Federal MM Fund	**	7,614,909
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2060 Trust II	**	7,165,604
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Self-Directed Brokerage Fund	**	5,772,939
DFA Investment Dimensions Group		DFA U.S. Large Cap Value Portfolio Inst'l	**	5,196,569
American Funds		American Funds Growth Fund of America; R-6	**	3,552,915
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement Income Trust II	**	3,504,486
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard International Growth Fund Admiral Shares	**	2,708,594
Metropolitan West Asset Management		Metropolitan West Total Return Bond Fund; P Class	**	2,445,600
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Small-Cap Index Fund Admiral Shares	**	2,394,827
DFA Investment Dimensions Group		DFA US Targeted Value Portfolio	**	2,162,691
American Funds		American Funds EuroPacific Growth Fund; Class R-6	**	1,986,809
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2065 Trust II	**	1,980,118
Artisan Funds		Artisan Small Cap Fund; Institutional Shares	**	1,979,989
MFS Investment Management		MFS Mid Cap Value Fund; Class R6	**	1,861,761
Dodge & Cox Funds		Dodge & Cox International Stock Fund	**	1,751,093
PIMCO Investments		PIMCO High Yield Fund; Institutional Class	**	1,601,806
MFS Investment Management		MFS Mid Cap Growth Fund; Class R6	**	1,355,816
PRIMECAP Odyssey Funds		PRIMECAP Odyssey Stock Fund	**	1,280,672
Dodge & Cox Funds		Dodge & Cox Balanced Fund	**	950,825
Dodge & Cox Funds		Metropolitan West Low Duration Bond Fund; Class I	**	743,929
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2070 Trust II	**	201,463
AllianceBernstein		Bond Inflation Strategy Advisor	**	145,589
Cohen & Steers		Real Estate Securities Fund; Class Z	**	128,534
Federated Treasury		Money Market	**	66,008
Luxor Capital Partners		Pooled Investment Funds	**	36,728
Shephard Fund		Limited Partnerships	**	3,170
				<u>293,584,495</u>
* Notes receivable from participants		Participant loans, maturing through September 2033		
		Interest rates at 4.25%-9.50%	-0-	7,505,193
			\$	<u>301,089,688</u>

* Denotes a party-in-interest as defined by ERISA.

** Cost has been omitted because investments are participant directed.

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Accountants & Advisors

SAVAGE COMPANIES

RETIREMENT & EMPLOYEE SAVINGS PLAN

Financial Statements and Supplemental Schedule

As of December 31, 2023 and 2022 and
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023

Together with Independent Auditors' Report



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Independent Auditors' Report

To the Board of Trustees

Savage Companies Retirement & Employee Savings Plan

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit

We have performed audits of the financial statements of Savage Companies Retirement & Employee Savings Plan (the Plan), an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended (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 benefits as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and the related statement of changes in assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2023, and the related notes to financial statements.

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Management has obtained certifications from a qualified institution as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and for the year ended December 31, 2023, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 6 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion

In our opinion, based on our audits and on the procedures performed as described in the *Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section—

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Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are required to be independent of Savage Companies Retirement & Employee Savings 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 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these 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 the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the financial statements are available to be issued.

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Except as described in the *Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit* 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 auditors' 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 the 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 the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audits 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 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 Matter—Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at Year End) 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 schedule, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedule, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including their form and content, is 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).

Tanner LLC

July 15, 2024

Statements of Assets Available for Benefits

As of December 31,

	2023	2022
Assets:		
Investments at fair value:		
Mutual funds	\$ 111,843,968	\$ 259,149,135
Common/collective trusts	181,634,621	11,226,558
Money market funds	66,008	79,222
Limited partnerships	3,170	3,171
Pooled investment funds	36,728	41,340
Total investments, at fair value	293,584,495	270,499,426
Receivables:		
Notes receivable from participants	7,505,193	7,681,677
Assets available for benefits	\$ 301,089,688	\$ 278,181,103

Statements of Changes in Assets Available for Benefits

For the Year Ended December 31, 2023

Additions:

Net investment income:

Dividends and interest \$ 3,048,732

Net appreciation in fair value of investments 43,154,689

Net investment income 46,203,421

Interest income on notes receivable from participants 415,059

Contributions:

Participant 18,272,168

Employer 6,889,608

Rollover 1,114,807

Total contributions 26,276,583

Total income and contributions 72,895,063

Deductions:

Benefits paid to participants 50,372,619

Administrative expenses 609,612

Total deductions 50,982,231

Increase in assets available for benefits 21,912,832

Transfers into the Plan 995,753

Assets available for benefits:

Beginning of year 278,181,103

End of year \$ 301,089,688

Notes to Financial Statements

1. Description of the Plan

The following description of the Savage Companies Retirement & Employee Savings Plan (the Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document, adoption agreement, and summary plan description for a complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

The Plan was created on January 1, 1972 and is a defined contribution plan covering all eligible employees of the Savage Companies and Carolina Marine Terminal, Inc. (collectively, the Company or Employer), who are not covered by another plan. Eligible employees can participate in the Plan on the first day of employment. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended (ERISA).

Plan Transfers

in 2023 a total of \$995,753 of plan assets were transferred into the Plan related to the merging of an acquired subsidiary into the plan or other transfers into the plan.

Contributions

Contributions to the Plan include: (i) salary reduction contributions authorized by participants, (ii) matching contributions made by the Company; and (iii) participant rollovers from other plans.

Participants may elect to contribute a percentage of their eligible compensation, as defined by the Plan document, to the Plan each year, subject to the limitations of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). Regular 401(k) contributions are excluded from the participant's taxable income for federal income tax purposes until received as a withdrawal or distribution from the Plan. Roth 401(k) contributions are not excluded from the participant's taxable income for federal income tax purposes, but withdrawals of contributions and earnings thereon at retirement are tax free. The Plan includes an auto-enrollment provision whereby all newly eligible employees are automatically enrolled in the Plan unless they affirmatively elect not to participate. Automatically enrolled participants have their deferral rate set at 3% of eligible compensation and their contributions invested in a designated balanced fund until changed by the participant. Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the year are eligible to make catch-up contributions.

The Company matches 50% of participant contributions up to 8% of a participant's eligible compensation.

Participant Accounts

Individual accounts are maintained for each participant of the Plan. Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions and Company matching contributions, as well as Plan earnings or losses. Participant accounts are charged with an allocation of administrative expenses. These fees are either directly charged to the Participant's account or paid by the Plan. Allocations are based on participant earnings, account balances, or specific participant transactions, as defined. Participants may direct the investment of their account balance into various investment options offered by the Plan. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account balance.

Vesting

Participants hired before January 1, 2020 are vested immediately in their contributions and Company matching contributions, plus actual earnings thereon. Participants hired after January 1, 2020 become vested based on years of credited service, as follows:

Years of Service	Vested Percentage
0-1	0%
2	25%
3	50%
4	75%
5 or more	100%

Notes Receivable from Participants

Participants may borrow from their accounts a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of one-half of the vested account balance or \$50,000. The loans are secured by an assignment of a participant's vested interest in the Plan, and bear interest at a rate commensurate with local prevailing rates at the time funds are borrowed as determined by the Plan Administrator. Principal and interest are paid ratably through payroll deductions or as a lump sum for the outstanding loan balance. Loan terms range from one to five years; however, terms may exceed five years for the purchase of a primary residence. As of December 31, 2023, participant loans had maturities through September 2033 and interest rates at 4.25% - 9.50%.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits are available for distribution upon retirement, attainment of age 59½, disability, death, or termination of employment; under certain circumstances participants may withdraw, due to hardship, their contributions prior to the occurrence of one of these events. Death benefits are paid to the designated beneficiary of the participant.

Participants may elect to receive either a lump-sum amount equal to the value of their vested interest or annual installments as defined in the Plan document upon retirement, termination of service, death or disability. A terminated employee with a balance of less than \$1,000 may be automatically paid out by the Plan upon termination. Any terminated participants with a balance between \$1,000 and \$5,000 can still be automatically paid out if their balance is rolled into a qualified Individual Retirement Account. Distributions may be made at the participant's election prior to termination upon attainment of age 59 ½ or hardship as defined in the Plan document.

The designated beneficiary is entitled to a death benefit distribution equal to the participant's vested account balance.

Forfeitures

When certain terminations of participation in the Plan occur, the nonvested portion of the participant's account represents a forfeiture. The Plan document permits the use of forfeitures to either reduce future Company contributions or pay Plan administrative expenses. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, forfeited nonvested accounts totaled \$1,061,502 and \$302,537 respectively. During the year ended December 31, 2023, Employer contributions were reduced by \$416,227.

Administrative Expenses

Plan administrative expenses may be charged directly to the Plan (either allocated to the participants or using forfeiture funds) or paid by the Company. During the year ended December 31, 2023, the Plan paid \$609,612 of administrative expenses. Certain administrative expenses are paid by the Company. Investment related expenses are included in net appreciation in the fair value of investments.

Plan Termination

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Company has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, participants would become 100% vested in their accounts.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements of the Plan have been prepared using the accrual method of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (US GAAP).

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with US GAAP requires Plan management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results may differ from those estimates.

Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan provides for investments in securities that are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, currency exchange rate, credit, and the overall fluctuation in the market. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of assets available for benefits.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

Investments are reported at fair value. Investments in mutual funds are stated at fair value based upon quoted market prices. Investments in the common/collective trusts and the stable value fund are stated at net asset value (NAV) per share as a practical expedient, which is based on the fair value of the underlying investments.

Net appreciation of investments includes realized and unrealized gains or losses on investments and is recognized in income currently. Amounts invested may earn interest and dividends, which in turn are reinvested. Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses and are expensed when they are incurred. Delinquent participant loans are recorded as distributions when the participant has a distributable event.

Payment of Benefits

Benefit payments to participants are recorded upon distribution.

Excess Contributions Payable

Amounts payable to participants for contributions in excess of amounts allowed by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) are recorded as a liability with a corresponding reduction to contributions.

Subsequent Events

Plan management has evaluated events occurring subsequent to year-end through July 15, 2024, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

3. Fair Value Measurements

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. In order to increase consistency and comparability in fair value measurements, the fair value hierarchy prioritizes observable and unobservable inputs used to measure fair value into three broad levels. These levels, in order of highest priority to lowest priority, are described as follows:

Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets that are accessible at the measurement date for assets or liabilities.

Level 2: Observable inputs other than Level 1 including quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities, quoted prices in less active markets, or other observable inputs that can be corroborated by observable market data.

Level 3: Unobservable inputs supported by little or no market activity for financial instruments whose value is determined using pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies, or similar techniques, as well as instruments for which the determination of fair value requires significant management judgment or estimation.

The following tables summarize the fair values of the Plan's investments and the levels of inputs under which those investments were valued as of December 31:

2023				
Description	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Mutual funds	\$ 111,843,968	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 111,843,968
Money market funds	66,008	-	-	66,008
Common/collective trusts, measured at NAV practical expedient*				181,634,621
Limited partnerships, measured at NAV practical expedient*				3,170
Pooled investment funds, measured at NAV practical expedient*				36,728
Total investments, at fair value				\$ 293,584,495

2022				
Description	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Mutual funds	\$ 259,149,135	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 259,149,135
Money market funds	79,222	-	-	79,222
Common/collective trust, measured at NAV practical expedient*				11,226,558
Limited partnerships, measured at NAV practical expedient*				3,171
Pooled investment funds, measured at NAV practical expedient*				41,340
Total investments, at fair value				\$ 270,499,426

**The fair values of these investments are provided above to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the amounts presented in the statements of assets available for benefits.*

The following tables set forth a summary of the Plan's investments reported at NAV as a practical expedient as of December 31, 2023 and 2022:

December 31, 2023	Fair Value	Unfunded Commitments	Redemption Frequency	Redemption Notice Period
Common/collective trusts	\$ 181,634,621	\$ -	Daily	Daily
Limited partnerships	3,170	-	Annually	90 days
Pooled investment funds	36,728	-	Quarterly- 25%	90 days

December 31, 2022	Fair Value	Unfunded Commitments	Redemption Frequency	Redemption Notice Period
Common/collective trust	\$ 11,226,558	\$ -	Daily	Daily
Limited partnerships	3,171	-	Annually	90 days
Pooled investment funds	41,340	-	Quarterly- 25%	90 days

4. Exempt Party-In-Interest Transactions

Certain Plan investments are managed by Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company, who is the trustee of the Plan. These transactions qualify as exempt party-in-interest transactions. The notes receivable from participants are also exempt party-in-interest transactions.

5. Federal Income Tax Status

The Plan uses a prototype plan document sponsored by the Vanguard Group, which received an opinion letter from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS), dated June 30, 2020, which states that the prototype document satisfies the applicable provisions of the IRC. The Plan itself has not received a determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service. However, the Plan's management believes that the Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. Therefore, no provision for income tax has been included in the Plan's financial statements.

US GAAP requires management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability if the Plan has taken an uncertain tax position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by taxing authorities. The Plan Administrator has analyzed the tax positions of the Plan and has concluded that as of December 31, 2023, there were no uncertain tax positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability or disclosure in the financial statements. The Plan is subject to routine audits in tax jurisdictions for tax years for which the applicable statutes of limitations have not expired; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

6. Information Certified by the Trustee

The Plan Administrator has elected the method of compliance permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, as permitted under that election, the Plan instructed the Plan's independent auditors not to perform any auditing procedures with respect to the following information certified by Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company, the trustee of the Plan, except for comparing such information certified by the trustee to information included in the Plan's financial statements and supplemental schedule:

- All investment assets held by the Plan
- Notes receivable from participants
- The recording of transactions related to all investment assets and notes receivable from participants, including related earnings and interest and dividends.

7. Subsequent Event

Effective April 1, 2024 the Plan was amended to include automatic annual deferral percentage increases for all new hires.

SAVAGE COMPANIES RETIREMENT & EMPLOYEE SAVINGS PLAN
Employer ID No: 87-0387049
Plan Number: 001
Schedule H, Part IV, Line 4i
Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)
December 31, 2023

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party		Description of investment	Cost	Current value
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2030 Trust II	** \$	32,730,913
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Institutional Index Fund Inst'l Shares	**	28,247,731
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2035 Trust II	**	26,416,846
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 Trust II	**	22,031,876
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2045 Trust II	**	21,432,132
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2050 Trust II	**	18,568,374
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2055 Trust II	**	18,224,078
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2055 Trust II	**	12,338,514
Fidelity Investments		Fidelity Blue Chip Growth; K6 Fund	**	10,745,685
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Total International Stock Index Fund: Inst'l Shr	**	9,603,873
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Mid-Cap Index Fund Institutional Shares	**	9,497,163
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2020 Trust II	**	8,973,606
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Fund: Inst'l Shr	**	8,113,649
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Interest-bearing cash	**	8,066,611
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Cash Reserve Federal MM Fund	**	7,614,909
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2060 Trust II	**	7,165,604
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Self-Directed Brokerage Fund	**	5,772,939
DFA Investment Dimensions Group		DFA U.S. Large Cap Value Portfolio Inst'l	**	5,196,569
American Funds		American Funds Growth Fund of America; R-6	**	3,552,915
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement Income Trust II	**	3,504,486
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard International Growth Fund Admiral Shares	**	2,708,594
Metropolitan West Asset Management		Metropolitan West Total Return Bond Fund; P Class	**	2,445,600
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Small-Cap Index Fund Admiral Shares	**	2,394,827
DFA Investment Dimensions Group		DFA US Targeted Value Portfolio	**	2,162,691
American Funds		American Funds EuroPacific Growth Fund; Class R-6	**	1,986,809
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2065 Trust II	**	1,980,118
Artisan Funds		Artisan Small Cap Fund; Institutional Shares	**	1,979,989
MFS Investment Management		MFS Mid Cap Value Fund; Class R6	**	1,861,761
Dodge & Cox Funds		Dodge & Cox International Stock Fund	**	1,751,093
PIMCO Investments		PIMCO High Yield Fund; Institutional Class	**	1,601,806
MFS Investment Management		MFS Mid Cap Growth Fund; Class R6	**	1,355,816
PRIMECAP Odyssey Funds		PRIMECAP Odyssey Stock Fund	**	1,280,672
Dodge & Cox Funds		Dodge & Cox Balanced Fund	**	950,825
Dodge & Cox Funds		Metropolitan West Low Duration Bond Fund; Class I	**	743,929
* Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company		Vanguard Target Retirement 2070 Trust II	**	201,463
AllianceBernstein		Bond Inflation Strategy Advisor	**	145,589
Cohen & Steers		Real Estate Securities Fund; Class Z	**	128,534
Federated Treasury		Money Market	**	66,008
Luxor Capital Partners		Pooled Investment Funds	**	36,728
Shephard Fund		Limited Partnerships	**	3,170
				<u>293,584,495</u>
* Notes receivable from participants		Participant loans, maturing through September 2033		
		Interest rates at 4.25%-9.50%	-0-	7,505,193
			\$	<u>301,089,688</u>

* Denotes a party-in-interest as defined by ERISA.

** Cost has been omitted because investments are participant directed.