

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 THE MORGAN GROUP, INC. EMPLOYEES' 401(K) PLAN
1b	Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
1c	Effective date of plan 04/01/1996
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) THE MORGAN GROUP INC. 3000 RICHMOND AVE. HOUSTON, TX 77098
2b	Employer Identification Number (EIN) 76-0197035
2c	Plan Sponsor's telephone number 713-208-1572
2d	Business code (see instructions) 531130

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

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

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/11/2024	ASHLEY RULE
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/11/2024	ASHLEY RULE
	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	5 576
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) 484 6a(2) 537 6b 0 6c 83 6d 620 6e 0 6f 620 6g(1) 320 6g(2) 330 6h 0
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 2T 3D

b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☒ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☒ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor
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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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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 THE MORGAN GROUP INC.	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 76-0197035

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 NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
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(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
13-5582869	66915	MO42P2	620	01/01/2023	12/31/2023

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

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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	3846181

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	0
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. Specify nature of costs ▶	6d	

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

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
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Part I

Service Provider Information (see instructions)

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

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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

x

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

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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)

LPL FINANCIAL, LLC

(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?
27	INVESTMENT ADVISOR	25714	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 ☐

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

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

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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

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

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Explanation:

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

Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a	0	0
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)	0	0
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)	0	0
(3) Other	1b(3)	0	0
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)	0	0
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)	0	0
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)	0	0
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)	0	0
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)	0	0
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)	0	0
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)	0	0
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)	0	0
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)	0	0
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	190972	269211
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)	0	0
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)	0	0
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)	0	0
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)	0	0
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	10579161	14825816
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)	1c(14)	4318634	3846181
(15) Other	1c(15)	0	0

1d Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities	1d(1)	0	0
(2) Employer real property	1d(2)	0	0
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e	0	0
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	15088767	18941208
Liabilities			
g Benefit claims payable	1g	0	0
h Operating payables	1h	0	0
i Acquisition indebtedness	1i	0	0
j Other liabilities	1j	0	0
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	15088767	18941208

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)	967138	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	1965717	
(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)	637587	
(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)	0	
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		3570442
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)	0	
(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)	0	
(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)	0	
(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)	0	
(E) Participant loans	2b(1)(E)	15369	
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)	0	
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		15369
(2) Dividends: (A) Preferred stock	2b(2)(A)	0	
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)	0	
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	2b(2)(C)	420081	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		420081
(3) Rents	2b(3)		0
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: (A) Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)	0	
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)	0	
(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)	0	
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)	0	
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B)	2b(5)(C)		

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts.....	2b(6)		
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts.....	2b(7)		0
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts.....	2b(8)		0
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities.....	2b(9)		0
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		1757277
c Other income	2c		-23603
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		5739566

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	1823572	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits.....	2e(2)	0	
(3) Other	2e(3)	0	
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3)	2e(4)		1823572
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		0
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		0
h Interest expense	2h		0
i Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances	2i(1)	0	
(2) Contract administrator fees.....	2i(2)	63553	
(3) Recordkeeping fees.....	2i(3)	0	
(4) IQPA audit fees.....	2i(4)	0	
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees	2i(5)	0	
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees	2i(6)	0	
(7) Actuarial fees	2i(7)	0	
(8) Legal fees	2i(8)	0	
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees	2i(9)	0	
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses	2i(10)	0	
(11) Other expenses	2i(11)	0	
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (11)	2i(12)		63553
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		1887125

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		3852441
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan	2l(1)		0
(2) From this plan	2l(2)		0

Part III Accountant's Opinion

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

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

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

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

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

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

(1) Name: **BENTLEY, BRATHCHER & ASSOCIATES, PC**

(2) EIN: **20-2733640**

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.)	☒	☐	206312
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 THE MORGAN GROUP, INC. EMPLOYEES' 401(K) PLAN				B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 THE MORGAN GROUP INC.				D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 76-0197035	
Part I Distributions					
All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.					
1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions.....				1	0
2 Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries during the year (if more than two, enter EINs of the two payors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits): EIN(s): 13-5582869					
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) 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) 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)	14a 14b 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 b The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year	15a 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 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	16a 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>Q703912A</u> .	

THE MORGAN GROUP, INC.
EMPLOYEES' 401(k) PLAN

AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Participants and Administrator of
The Morgan Group, Inc. Employees' 401(k) Plan
Houston, Texas

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

We have performed an audit of the financial statements of The Morgan Group, Inc. Employees' 401(k) Plan (the "Plan"), an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) ("ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit"). The financial statements comprise the statement of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audit of the 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 audit need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the Plan ("investment information") by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier which is regulated, supervised and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided the statements or information regarding assets so held are performed 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 qualified institutions as of December 31, 2023 and 2022 and for the year ended December 31, 2023, stating the certified investment information, as described in *Note 4* to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion

In our opinion, based on our audit and on the procedures performed as described in the Auditor's 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 ("U.S. GAAP").



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

- 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 which management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAS"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe 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 U.S. GAAP, and for the design, implementation and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements 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, which 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 the Plan's transactions which 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.



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

Auditor's 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 auditor's report which includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee an audit conducted in accordance with U.S. 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, including omissions, 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 U.S. 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 which 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, which raise substantial doubt about the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audit did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certification, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the 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 U.S. GAAP.



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

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 U.S. GAAP.

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 which we identified during the audit.

Other Matter – Supplemental Schedules Required by ERISA

The supplemental schedules of Schedule H, Line 4a – Schedule of Delinquent Participant Contributions and Schedule H, Line 4i – Schedule of Assets (Held at Year End) as of December 31, 2023 are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements, but are 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 schedules, 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 U.S. GAAS. For information included in the supplemental schedules which agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

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

In our opinion –

- The form and content of the supplemental schedules, other than the information in the supplemental schedules which agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, are presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.



BENTLEY, BRATCHER & ASSOCIATES, P.C.

Certified Public Accountants

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

- 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 which management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Bentley, Bratcher & Associates, P.C.

BENTLEY, BRATCHER & ASSOCIATES, P.C.

Houston, Texas

October 6, 2024

THE MORGAN GROUP, INC. EMPLOYEES' 401(k) PLAN
STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
ASSETS		
Investments, at Fair Value		
Variable Investment Options	\$ 14,825,816	\$ 10,579,161
Investments, at Contract Value		
Fully Benefit-Responsive Investment Contract	<u>3,846,181</u>	<u>4,318,634</u>
Total Investments	18,671,997	14,897,795
Receivables		
Employer Contributions	-	78,975
Participant Contributions	-	142,483
Notes Receivable from Participants	<u>269,211</u>	<u>190,972</u>
Total Receivables	<u>269,211</u>	<u>412,430</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	18,941,208	15,310,225
LIABILITIES		
Prefunding Holding Account	<u>-</u>	<u>103,773</u>
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	<u><u>\$ 18,941,208</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 15,206,452</u></u>

See the Accompanying Independent Auditors' Report and Notes to the Financial Statements

THE MORGAN GROUP, INC. EMPLOYEES' 401(k) PLAN
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023

CHANGES ATTRIBUTED TO:

Investment Activities	
Net Appreciation in Fair Value of Investments	\$ 1,761,058
Interest and Dividend Income	<u>420,081</u>
Net Increase from Investment Activities	2,181,139
Interest Income on Notes Receivable from Participants	15,369
Contributions	
Employer	1,001,974
Participants	1,823,234
Rollovers	<u>627,810</u>
Total Contributions	3,453,018
Benefits Paid to Participants	(1,823,572)
Deemed Distributions	(27,645)
Administrative Expenses	<u>(63,553)</u>
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	3,734,756
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS, BEGINNING	15,180,389
PRIOR PERIOD ADJUSTMENT	<u>26,063</u>
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS, ENDING	<u><u>\$ 18,941,208</u></u>

See the Accompanying Independent Auditors' Report and Notes to the Financial Statements

THE MORGAN GROUP, INC EMPLOYEES' 401(k) PLAN
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

NOTE 1 – DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN

The following description of The Morgan Group, Inc Employees' 401(k) Plan (the "Plan") provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions. The Plan document is controlling at all times. The Plan is sponsored by The Morgan Group, Inc. (the "Company") and the Plan's Trustees are L. Ronald Morgan, Dean C. Lowe and Paulina Marvan (the "Trustees"). The Plan's custodian is John Hancock Trust Company, LLC (the "Custodian").

GENERAL

The Plan is a defined contribution plan covering substantially all employees of the Company, other than non-resident aliens, who have completed three months of service and attained the minimum age requirement of 21. The Plan is subject to the provision of the Employment Retirement and Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA").

CONTRIBUTIONS

Participants may make an elective deferral, for each Plan year, up to a maximum of 100% of compensation (not to exceed the maximum dollar limit allowable under current regulations). Participants may also contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified retirement defined benefit or defined contribution plans.

Effective January 1, 2023, the Company elected to reinstate safe-harbor matching contributions. The Company contributes 100% of the participant's contribution up to 3% of such participant's employee compensation, plus 50% of the participant's contribution which exceeds 3% up to a maximum of 4% of the participant's employee compensation. For the year ended December 31, 2023, the Company made safe-harbor contributions of \$1,001,974. The Company also made qualified non-elective contributions in the amount of \$0 for the year ended December 31, 2023.

Additionally, the Company, at its sole discretion, may elect to make discretionary matching and profit-sharing contributions. Participants who have satisfied all of the eligibility requirements during the Plan year are eligible to receive the profit-sharing contribution. For the year ended December 31, 2023, the Company did not make any discretionary matching or profit-sharing contributions.

PARTICIPANT ACCOUNTS

Separate accounts are maintained for each participant. Participant accounts are credited with participant contributions, rollover contributions, allocations of the Company's contributions and investment earnings and losses and are charged with an allocation of administrative expenses.

THE MORGAN GROUP, INC EMPLOYEES' 401(k) PLAN
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

NOTE 1 – DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN (CONTINUED)

PARTICIPANT ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

Allocations are based on participant earnings or account balances, as defined. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit which can be provided from the participant's vested account.

INVESTMENT OPTIONS

Upon enrollment in the Plan, participants may direct the investment of their individual accounts among alternative investment funds provided under the Plan. Participants may transfer existing balances between investment funds. As of December 31, 2023, the Plan offered 18 variable investment options and a fully benefit-responsive investment contract.

NOTES RECEIVABLE FROM PARTICIPANTS

Participants may borrow from their fund accounts a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of \$50,000 or 50% of their vested account balance. Loan terms range up to five years or over a reasonable period of time for the purchase of a participant's primary residence, as established by the Plan Administrator at the time of the loan. The loans are collateralized by the vested balance in the participant's account and bear interest at a rate commensurate with local prevailing rates as determined quarterly by the Plan Administrator. As of December 31, 2023, interest rates on outstanding notes receivable from participants varies from 3.25% to 10.50% with maturity dates ranging from 2024 to 2028. Principal and interest are paid through payroll deductions. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, the total balance of outstanding notes receivable was \$269,211 and \$190,972, respectively.

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. There were no excess contributions payable to participants as of December 31, 2023 and 2022.

PAYMENT OF BENEFITS

Upon termination of service, a participant may elect to receive an amount equal to the value of the participant's vested interest in his or her account in a lump-sum amount, a series of equal payments, or in the form of an annuity. In-service distributions are allowed for participants who have reached the age of 59 ½ or normal retirement age. Hardship withdrawals are permitted from fully vested accounts except for safe-harbor matching accounts.

THE MORGAN GROUP, INC EMPLOYEES' 401(k) PLAN
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

NOTE 1 – DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN (CONTINUED)

VESTING

Participants are immediately vested in salary deferrals, employer safe harbor matching contributions, employer discretionary matching contributions and distributions from other qualified retirement defined benefit or defined contribution plans, along with any earnings thereon.

Prior to normal retirement age, the employee becomes vested in the Company profit sharing contributions as follows:

<u>Years of Service</u>	<u>Vesting Percentage</u>
Less than 2	0%
2	20%
3	40%
4	60%
5	80%
6 or more	100%

Participants become 100% vested in the event of disability or death. Years of service is defined as any year in which the participant works 1,000 hours.

FORFEITURES

Forfeited non-vested accounts are available to first be used to pay Plan expenses and any remaining be used to offset the Company contributions. During the year ended December 31, 2023, forfeited non-vested accounts in the amount of \$683 were utilized for administration fees. As of December 31, 2023, forfeited non-vested accounts totaled \$1,568. There were no forfeited non-vested accounts as of December 31, 2022.

NOTE 2 – SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The accompanying financial statements are prepared on an accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (“U.S. GAAP”).

THE MORGAN GROUP, INC EMPLOYEES' 401(k) PLAN
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

NOTE 2 – SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

RECLASSIFICATIONS

Certain accounts in the prior year financial statements have been reclassified for comparative purposes to conform to the presentation in the current year financial statements.

USE OF ESTIMATES

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires the Plan Administrator to make estimates and assumptions which affect the amounts reported in the financial statements, supplemental schedules and accompanying notes. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

INVESTMENT VALUATION AND INCOME RECOGNITION

The Plan's investments are stated at fair value, as determined by the Custodian, except for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts. Fair value is the price which would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The net change in the fair value of investments is reported in the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits in the period of change. See *Note 3* for further information on fair value measurements.

Contract value is the relevant measurement for the portion of the net assets available for benefits attributable to fully benefit-responsive investment contracts. Contract value is the amount participants would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan. The contract value of the Plan's investment contract is representative of fair value. See *Note 5* for further information on the Plan's fully benefit-responsive investment contracts.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Expenses related to the purchase or sale of investments are added to cost or deducted from proceeds. 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 accrual basis. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses and are expensed when incurred. If a participant ceases to make loan repayments and the Plan Administrator deems the participant loan to be in default, the participant loan balance is reduced and a benefit payment is recorded. The interest rate is determined by the Plan Administrator based on market rates at the inception of the loan and is fixed for the term of the note.

THE MORGAN GROUP, INC EMPLOYEES' 401(k) PLAN
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NOTE 2 – SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

NOTES RECEIVABLE FROM PARTICIPANTS (CONTINUED)

All interest paid to the Plan with respect to a note is credited to the borrower's account balance. No allowance for credit losses has been recorded as of December 31, 2023 and 2022.

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVABLE AND CREDIT LOSS POLICY

As of January 1, 2023, the Plan adopted Accounting Standards Update 2016-13, *Financial Instruments – Credit Losses* ("ASC 326"), using a modified-retrospective approach. ASC 326 replaces the previous incurred loss model and requires entities to record an estimate of expected losses on financial assets for the remaining life of the asset. This estimate must include consideration of historical experience, current conditions and reasonable and supportable forecasts. ASC 326 applies to the Plan's contributions receivable. The adoption of ASC 326 did not have a material impact on these financial statements as Plan management concluded no allowance for current expected credit losses was necessary as of December 31, 2023 and no allowance for doubtful accounts was necessary as of December 31, 2022.

PAYMENT OF BENEFITS

Benefits are recorded when paid.

PLAN EXPENSES

Certain fees for services charged by the Custodian may be directly charged to a participant. Investment management and advisory fees are charged to the Plan. Other administrative costs of the Plan charged by the Custodian are generally paid by the Company.

NOTE 3 – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The framework for measuring fair value provides a fair value hierarchy which prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level One) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level Three). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described below:

Level one inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets which the Plan has the ability to access. Level two inputs to the valuation methodology include quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets, inputs other than quoted prices which are observable for the asset or liability and inputs which are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

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NOTE 3 – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (CONTINUED)

If the asset or liability has a specified contractual term, the level two input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability. Level three inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

The asset or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of input which is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2023 and 2022.

Variable investment options are separate accounts which invest in single underlying mutual funds. Variable investment options are valued at net asset value ("NAV") of the shares held by the Plan at year-end, net of contract fees, which are deducted prior to setting the daily unit value. The NAV is used as a practical expedient to estimate fair value. This practical expedient would not be used if it is determined to be probable the fund will sell the investment for an amount different from the reported NAV.

The following table sets forth the Plan's assets at fair value as of December 31, 2023 and 2022:

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Fair Value Investments within Hierarchy	\$ —	\$ —
Variable Investment Options at NAV	<u>14,825,816</u>	<u>10,579,161</u>
Total Investments, at Fair Value	<u>\$ 14,825,816</u>	<u>\$ 10,579,161</u>

NOTE 4 – INFORMATION CERTIFIED BY THE CUSTODIAN

The Plan's financial information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedules is based on the information certified by the Custodian as complete and accurate in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5(c) of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, the certified information includes total investments of \$18,671,997 and \$14,897,795, respectively.

The Plan's administrator has elected the method of annual reporting compliance permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-5(c) of Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. The assets of the Plan are held by the Custodian. Accordingly, the Custodian has certified the following data included in the accompanying financial statements and supplemental schedule as complete and accurate.

Investments in the fully benefit-responsive investment contract and variable investment options, as shown in the statements of net assets available for benefits at December 31, 2023 and 2022.

THE MORGAN GROUP, INC EMPLOYEES' 401(k) PLAN
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DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

NOTE 4 – INFORMATION CERTIFIED BY THE CUSTODIAN (CONTINUED)

Investment activity as shown in the statement of net changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2023.

The information in the supplemental schedule of assets (held at year end) as of December 31, 2023

The Plan's independent auditor did not perform auditing procedures with respect to this information, except for comparing such information to the related information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedule.

NOTE 5 – FULLY BENEFIT RESPONSIVE INVESTMENT CONTRACTS

Investments are reported at fair value, except the fully benefit-responsive investment contract, which is reported at contract value. The Plan had a benefit-responsive stable value account with the Custodian. Funds allocated to this contract are placed in the Custodian's general account where they are invested in accordance with the Custodian's investment policy. The objective of the investment policy is to preserve capital and provide stability of principal while earning current income which exceeds money market rates over the long term. The Custodian's general account assets are predominately fixed-income investments (corporate bonds, U.S. treasuries and mortgages). The average maturity and duration for these assets is approximately 3 years.

The interest rate of the stable value fund is declared monthly in advance and is guaranteed until a new rate is set for the next month. The interest rate is based on the expected earnings non-investments over the time period the rate will be effective and the expected operational expenses over that time period. The minimal credited interest rate lock on the stable value fund for the year ended December 31, 2023 is 1.25%. A new interest rate is established monthly based on past general account investment, adjusted for portfolio turnover, withdrawals and difference between the market value and contract value. All benefit payments made prior to contract liquidation are made at contract value.

NOTE 6 – INCOME TAXES

The prototype plan and trust agreement established by the Custodian to hold the Plan's assets is exempt from federal income taxes pursuant to appropriate sections of the Internal Revenue Code by letters from the IRS as to the Plan's qualified status.

The prototype has been amended since receiving the determination letters; however, the Plan Administrator believes the Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code. Therefore, no provision for income taxes has been included in the Plan's financial statements.

THE MORGAN GROUP, INC EMPLOYEES' 401(k) PLAN
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DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

NOTE 7 – ADMINISTRATION OF PLAN ASSETS

The Plan's assets are held and certain administrative functions are performed by the Custodian of the Plan. The Company provides certain administrative functions and absorbs certain administrative costs on behalf of the Plan.

NOTE 8 – PARTY-IN-INTEREST

Net assets available for benefits include investments managed by the Custodian at December 31, 2023 and 2022. As a result, these assets and all transactions relating to these assets qualify as party-in-interest transactions. These transactions are exempt from being prohibited transactions by ERISA. For the year ended December 31, 2023, fees were paid directly by the Plan to the Custodian and Third Party Administrator totaled \$63,553.

NOTE 9 – RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rates, market and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible change in values of investment securities will occur in the near term and such change could materially affect participant's account balances and the amount reported in the statement of net assets available for benefits.

NOTE 10 – 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 in whole or in part subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, including partial Plan termination, active participants will become 100% vested in their accounts and the Custodian will distribute all assets remaining after payment of any expenses chargeable to the Plan to participants or their beneficiaries in accordance with the Plan's provisions.

NOTE 11 – RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net asset available for benefits as of December 31, 2023 and 2022 per the financial statements to Form 5500:

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Net Assets Available for Benefits per the Financial Statements	\$ 18,941,208	\$ 15,206,452
Employer Contributions Receivable	—	(78,975)
Participant Contributions Receivable	—	(142,483)
Prefunding Holding Account	<u>—</u>	<u>103,773</u>
Net Assets Available for Benefits per Form 5500	<u>\$ 18,941,208</u>	<u>\$ 15,088,767</u>

THE MORGAN GROUP, INC EMPLOYEES' 401(k) PLAN
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DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

**NOTE 11 – RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500
(CONTINUED)**

The following is a reconciliation of the net change in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2023 per the financial statements to Form 5500:

Net Change in Net Assets Available for Benefits per the Financial Statements	\$ 3,734,756
Less: Current Year Employer Contributions Receivable	—
Add: Prior Year Employer Contributions Receivable	78,975
Less: Current Year Participant Contributions Receivable	—
Add: Prior Year Participant Contributions Receivable	142,483
Less: Prior Year Prefunding Holding Account	<u>(103,773)</u>
Net Change in Net Assets Available for Benefits per Form 5500	<u>\$ 3,852,441</u>

NOTE 12 – PRIOR PERIOD ADJUSTMENT

Near the end of 2022, the Plan transitioned custodians from American Life Insurance Company to John Hancock Trust Company, LLC. During this transition, certain receivables and funding items were not properly accounted for in the Plan's financial statements as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022. As a result, the following adjustments are reflected in the balances as of December 31, 2022 in the accompanying financial statements:

	As Previously Reported	Restatement Amount	As Restated
Assets			
Employer Contributions Receivable	\$ 31,484	\$ 47,491	\$ 78,975
Participant Contributions Receivable	\$ 60,138	\$ 82,345	\$ 142,483
Liabilities			
Prefunding Holding Account	\$ —	\$ 103,773	\$ 103,773
Net Assets Available for Benefits	\$ 15,180,389	\$ 26,063	\$ 15,206,452

NOTE 13 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Plan has evaluated subsequent events through the date of the independent auditors' report, the date which the financial statements were available to be issued. No matters affecting the accompanying financial statements were noted.

SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULES

THE MORGAN GROUP, INC. EMPLOYEES' 401(k) PLAN
 EIN: 76-0197035, PN: 001
 SCHEDULE H, LINE 4a - SCHEDULE OF DELINQUENT PARTICIPANT CONTRIBUTIONS
 DECEMBER 31, 2023

Participant Contributions Transferred Late to Plan	Total Constituting Nonexempt Prohibited Transactions			Total Fully Correted Under VFCP and PTE 2002-51
	Contributions Not Corrected	Contributions Corrected Outside VFCP	Contributions Pending Correction to VFCP	
\$ 206,312	\$ -	\$ 206,312	\$ -	\$ -

Late Participant
Loan Included



THE MORGAN GROUP, INC. EMPLOYEES' 401(k) PLAN
EIN: 76-0197035, PN: 001
SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)
DECEMBER 31, 2022

(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lesser, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value	(e) Current Value
		<u>Variable Investment Options:</u>	
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2010 Fund R6	\$ 304,608
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2015 Fund R6	64,316
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2020 Fund R6	275,870
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2025 Fund R6	1,340,822
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2030 Fund R6	1,208,399
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2035 Fund R6	1,125,393
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2040 Fund R6	615,379
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2045 Fund R6	1,333,893
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2050 Fund R6	1,874,218
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2055 Fund R6	576,067
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2060 Fund R6	419,031
*	John Hancock Trust Company	American Cent SC Growth R6	61,002
*	John Hancock Trust Company	American Funds 2065 TD Ret R6	354,292
*	John Hancock Trust Company	American Funds U.S. Gov Sec R6	62,473
*	John Hancock Trust Company	American High Income Trust R6	47,372
*	John Hancock Trust Company	DFA Inflation-Protect Secs I	751
*	John Hancock Trust Company	DFA Real Estate Securities I	59,195
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Dodge & Cox Global Bond I	54,390
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Dodge & Cox Intl Stock I	39,817
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Invesco SC Value Fund R6	53,936
*	John Hancock Trust Company	JPMorgan US Govt MMkt Cap Cl	41,288
*	John Hancock Trust Company	MFS International Growth R3	8,978
*	John Hancock Trust Company	MFS Mid Cap Growth Fund R6	39,831
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Putnam Large Cap Value R6	63,090
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Schwab Fundmtl Intl Lg Co Idx	106,395
*	John Hancock Trust Company	The Bond Fund of America R6	53,214
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard 500 Index Fd Admiral	3,081,515
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Balanced Index Ad	138,908
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Growth Index Fd Adm	270,171
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Inter Term Bd Idx Adm	20,900
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Intl Growth Fund Adm	14,657
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Mid Cap Index Adm	86,534
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Mid-Cap Val Index Adm	81,864
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Sm Cap Index Fd Adm	88,451
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Sm Cap Val Ind (Adm)	60,732
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Small Growth Adml	53,958
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Total Int Idx Adm	107,327
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Value Index Fd Adm	636,779
		<u>Fully Benefit-Responsive Investment Contract</u>	
*	John Hancock Trust Company	John Hancock Stable Value R11	3,846,181
*	Notes Receivable from Participants	Maturity Dates Ranging from 2024 - 2028 Interest Rates Ranging from 3.25% to 10.50%	269,211
			<u>\$ 18,941,208</u>
*	Party-in-interest		

See the Accompanying Independent Auditors' Report

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) _____
B This return/report is:	☐ the first return/report;	☐ the final return/report;
	☐ an amended return/report;	☐ a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months).
C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here	☐	
D Check box if filing under:	☒ Form 5558;	☐ automatic extension;
	☐ special extension (enter description)	☐ the DFVC program;
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 The Morgan Group, Inc. Employees' 401(k) Plan	1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	001
	1c Effective date of plan	04/01/1996
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) The Morgan Group Inc. 3000 Richmond Ave. US Houston TX 77098	2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) 76-0197035 2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number (713) 208-1572 2d Business code (see instructions) 531130	

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	<i>Ashley M. Rule</i> Signature of plan administrator	<i>10.11.2024</i> Date	Ashley Rule Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	<i>Paulina Marvan</i> Signature of employer/plan sponsor	<i>10/11/2024</i> Date	Paulina Marvan 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 and the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report: a Sponsor's name THE MORGAN GROUP INC. c Plan name THE MORGAN GROUP INC. EMPLOYEES 401K PLAN	4b EIN 76-0197035 4d PN 001
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	5 576
6 Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines 6a(1) , 6a(2) , 6b , 6c , and 6d).	
a(1) Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year	6a(1) 484
a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	6a(2) 537
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	6b 0
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	6c 83
d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c	6d 620
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits	6e 0
f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e	6f 620
g(1) Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	6g(1) 320
g(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	6g(2) 330
h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	6h 0
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 2T 3D	
b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:	

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)
(1) ☒ Insurance	(1) ☒ Insurance
(2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts	(2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
(3) ☒ Trust	(3) ☒ Trust
(4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor	(4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor

10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)

a Pension Schedules

- (1)** ☒ **R** (Retirement Plan Information)
- (2)** ☐ **MB** (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
- (3)** ☐ **SB** (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
- (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 H, Line 4

Schedule of Delinquent Participant Contributions

For the Plan Year Beginning 01/01/2023 and Ending 12/31/2023

Name of Plan: The Morgan Group, Inc. Employees' 401(k) Plan

Employer Identification Number: 76-0197035 Three-digit plan number: 001

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THE MORGAN GROUP, INC. EMPLOYEES' 401(k) PLAN
EIN: 76-0197035, PN: 001
SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)
DECEMBER 31, 2022

(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lesser, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value	(e) Current Value
		<u>Variable Investment Options:</u>	
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2010 Fund R6	\$ 304,608
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2015 Fund R6	64,316
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2020 Fund R6	275,870
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2025 Fund R6	1,340,822
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2030 Fund R6	1,208,399
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2035 Fund R6	1,125,393
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2040 Fund R6	615,379
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2045 Fund R6	1,333,893
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2050 Fund R6	1,874,218
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2055 Fund R6	576,067
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Amer Target 2060 Fund R6	419,031
*	John Hancock Trust Company	American Cent SC Growth R6	61,002
*	John Hancock Trust Company	American Funds 2065 TD Ret R6	354,292
*	John Hancock Trust Company	American Funds U.S. Gov Sec R6	62,473
*	John Hancock Trust Company	American High Income Trust R6	47,372
*	John Hancock Trust Company	DFA Inflation-Protect Secs I	751
*	John Hancock Trust Company	DFA Real Estate Securities I	59,195
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Dodge & Cox Global Bond I	54,390
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Dodge & Cox Intl Stock I	39,817
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Invesco SC Value Fund R6	53,936
*	John Hancock Trust Company	JPMorgan US Govt MMkt Cap Cl	41,288
*	John Hancock Trust Company	MFS International Growth R3	8,978
*	John Hancock Trust Company	MFS Mid Cap Growth Fund R6	39,831
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Putnam Large Cap Value R6	63,090
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Schwab Fundmtl Intl Lg Co Idx	106,395
*	John Hancock Trust Company	The Bond Fund of America R6	53,214
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard 500 Index Fd Admiral	3,081,515
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Balanced Index Ad	138,908
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Growth Index Fd Adm	270,171
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Inter Term Bd Idx Adm	20,900
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Intl Growth Fund Adm	14,657
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Mid Cap Index Adm	86,534
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Mid-Cap Val Index Adm	81,864
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Sm Cap Index Fd Adm	88,451
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Sm Cap Val Ind (Adm)	60,732
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Small Growth Adml	53,958
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Total Int Idx Adm	107,327
*	John Hancock Trust Company	Vanguard Value Index Fd Adm	636,779
		<u>Fully Benefit-Responsive Investment Contract</u>	
*	John Hancock Trust Company	John Hancock Stable Value R11	3,846,181
*	Notes Receivable from Participants	Maturity Dates Ranging from 2024 - 2028 Interest Rates Ranging from 3.25% to 10.50%	269,211
			<u>\$ 18,941,208</u>
*	Party-in-interest		

See the Accompanying Independent Auditors' Report