

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 <div style="font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold; text-align: center;">2024</div> This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Annual Report Identification Information
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024

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 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
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1a Name of plan <u>WHITEFORD, TAYLOR & PRESTON MONEY PURCHASE PENSION PLAN AND TRUST</u>	1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ <u>002</u>
2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan) Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box) City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions) <u>WHITEFORD, TAYLOR & PRESTON, L.L.P.</u> <u>7 SAINT PAUL STREET, SUITE 1400</u> <u>BALTIMORE, MD 21202-1636</u>	1c Effective date of plan <u>01/01/2001</u> 2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>52-0619214</u> 2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number <u>410-347-8700</u> 2d Business code (see instructions) <u>541110</u>

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

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

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/10/2025	MARY CLAIRE CHESSHIRE
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

3a Plan administrator's name and address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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	382
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)	294
	6a(2)	260
	6b	4
	6c	107
	6d	371
	6e	0
	6f	371
	6g(1)	381
	6g(2)	371
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item)	7	

8a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:
2A 2C 2F 2G 2R 2T 3D 3H

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

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)
(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance	(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance
(2) <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts	(2) <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust	(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust
(4) <input type="checkbox"/> General assets of the sponsor	(4) <input type="checkbox"/> 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	b General Schedules
(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> R (Retirement Plan Information)	(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> H (Financial Information)
(2) <input type="checkbox"/> MB (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary	(2) <input type="checkbox"/> I (Financial Information – Small Plan)
(3) <input type="checkbox"/> SB (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary	(3) <input type="checkbox"/> A (Insurance Information) – Number Attached <u>0</u>
(4) <input type="checkbox"/> DCG (Individual Plan Information) – Number Attached _____	(4) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C (Service Provider Information)
(5) <input type="checkbox"/> MEP (Multiple-Employer Retirement Plan Information)	(5) <input type="checkbox"/> D (DFE/Participating Plan Information)
	(6) <input type="checkbox"/> 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 2024 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2024 Form M-1 annual report, enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the most recent Form M-1 that was required to be filed under the Form M-1 filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid Receipt Confirmation Code will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

Receipt Confirmation Code _____

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning **01/01/2024** and ending **12/31/2024**

A Name of plan WHITEFORD, TAYLOR & PRESTON MONEY PURCHASE PENSION PLAN AND TRUST	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	002
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 WHITEFORD, TAYLOR & PRESTON, L.L.P.	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 52-0619214	

Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)

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

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

a Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder of this Part because they received only eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instructions for definitions and conditions)..... Yes No

b If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person providing the required disclosures for the service providers who received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (see instructions).

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

ONEAMERICA RETIREMENT SERVICES, LLC

46-5378846

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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)

CURIO WEALTH LLC

93-2822251

(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?
28 50	NONE	21986	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

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(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
15 36 37 38 50 64	NONE	5320	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

MATRIX TRUST COMPANY

75-3182674

(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?
19 21 25 62	NONE	0	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	0	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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
MATRIX TRUST COMPANY	19 21 25 62	0
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	
ONEAMERICA RETIREMENT SERVICES, LLC 46-5378846	ONEAMERICA HAS AN AGREEMENT WITH MATRIX TRUST COMPANY TO PAY \$1,500 ANNUAL TRUST AND CUSTODY FEE PLUS 1 BASIS POINT ON MARKET VALUE ANNUALIZED MONTHLY.	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

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

(a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	(b) Nature of Service Code(s)	(c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide

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Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)
(complete as many entries as needed)

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

Explanation:

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

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a Name:	b EIN:
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Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small>	DFE/Participating Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>WHITEFORD, TAYLOR & PRESTON, L.L.P.</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>52-0619214</u>	

Part I	Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs) (Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>WILMINGTON TRUST MID CAP VALUE FUND</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>WILMINGTON TRUST, N.A.</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>38-4139852-630</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>0</u>
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>WILMINGTON TRUST SMALL CAP VALUE II</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>WILMINGTON TRUST, N.A.</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>38-4126250-554</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>1959498</u>
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 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 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 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 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 code

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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

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c EIN-PN

d Entity code

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e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	Financial Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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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	19616	5809
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):		
(1) Employer contributions	42985	0
(2) Participant contributions		
(3) Other		
c General investments:		
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)		
(2) U.S. Government securities		
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):		
(A) Preferred		
(B) All other		
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):		
(A) Preferred		
(B) Common		
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests		
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants)		
(8) Participant loans	202664	174771
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	3918858	1959498
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts		
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	111017284	122784789
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....		
(15) Other.....	3935837	4438191

1d Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities.....	1d(1)		
(2) Employer real property.....	1d(2)		
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation.....	1e		
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e).....	1f	119137244	129363058
Liabilities			
g Benefit claims payable.....	1g		
h Operating payables.....	1h		
i Acquisition indebtedness.....	1i		
j Other liabilities.....	1j		
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j).....	1k	0	0
Net Assets			
l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f).....	1l	119137244	129363058

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)	3844608	
(B) Participants.....	2a(1)(B)		
(C) Others (including rollovers).....	2a(1)(C)	169	
(2) Noncash contributions.....	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		3844777
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit).....	2b(1)(A)		
(B) U.S. Government securities.....	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments.....	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants).....	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans.....	2b(1)(E)	15741	
(F) Other.....	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		15741
(2) Dividends:			
(A) Preferred stock.....	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock.....	2b(2)(B)		
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds).....	2b(2)(C)	6356870	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		6356870
(3) Rents.....	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets:			
(A) Aggregate proceeds.....	2b(4)(A)		
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions).....	2b(4)(B)		
(C) Subtract line 2b(4)(B) from line 2b(4)(A) and enter result.....	2b(4)(C)		
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets:			
(A) Real estate.....	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other.....	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B)	2b(5)(C)		

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		310407
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		7840094
c Other income	2c		155577
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2d		18523466

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers.....	2e(1)	8270346	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)		
(3) Other.....	2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3)	2e(4)		8270346
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions).....	2g		
h Interest expense.....	2h		
i Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)		
(3) Recordkeeping fees	2i(3)	5320	
(4) IQPA audit fees	2i(4)		
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees	2i(5)	21986	
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees	2i(6)		
(7) Actuarial fees	2i(7)		
(8) Legal fees	2i(8)		
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees	2i(9)		
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses	2i(10)		
(11) Other expenses.....	2i(11)		
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (11)	2i(12)		27306
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2j		8297652

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		10225814
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan.....	2l(1)		
(2) From this plan	2l(2)		

Part III Accountant's Opinion

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

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

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

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

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

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

(1) Name: **ELLIN & TUCKER, CHARTERED**

(2) EIN: **52-0959934**

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.)		X	
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.)		X	
c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)		X	
d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)		X	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	X		5000000
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?		X	
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?		X	
h Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		X	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	X		
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.)		X	
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?		X	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		X	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)		X	
n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.			

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) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024

A Name of plan <u>WHITEFORD, TAYLOR & PRESTON MONEY PURCHASE PENSION PLAN AND TRUST</u>	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	<u>002</u>
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>WHITEFORD, TAYLOR & PRESTON, L.L.P.</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>52-0619214</u>	

Part I	Distributions
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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): <u>75-3182674</u>		
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	48

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.)
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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	3844608
b Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year	6b	3844608
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	0

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
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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.
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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

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: <input type="checkbox"/> last contributing employer <input type="checkbox"/> alternative <input type="checkbox"/> reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment).....	14a	
b The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year. <input type="checkbox"/> Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment).....	14b	
c The second preceding plan year. <input type="checkbox"/> Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment).....	14c	

15 Enter the ratio of the number of participants under the plan on whose behalf no employer had an obligation to make an employer contribution during the current plan year to:

a The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year	15a	
b The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year	15b	

16 Information with respect to any employers who withdrew from the plan during the preceding plan year:

a Enter the number of employers who withdrew during the preceding plan year	16a	
b If line 16a is greater than 0, enter the aggregate amount of withdrawal liability assessed or estimated to be assessed against such withdrawn employers.....	16b	

17 If assets and liabilities from another plan have been transferred to or merged with this plan during the plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment

Part VI Additional Information for Single-Employer and Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

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

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 11 / 30 / 2020 (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number Q704224A.

ELLIN & TUCKER

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
Whiteford, Taylor & Preston
Money Purchase Pension Plan and Trust
December 31, 2024 and 2023



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December 31, 2024 and 2023

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Plan Administrator of the
Whiteford, Taylor & Preston Money Purchase Pension Plan and Trust

SCOPE AND NATURE OF THE ERISA SECTION 103(A)(3)(C) AUDIT

We performed audits of the accompanying financial statements of the Whiteford, Taylor & Preston Money Purchase Pension Plan and Trust (Plan), an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) [ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit]. The financial statements comprise the Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, the related Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits for the year ended December 31, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, elected to have the audits 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 audits need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the Plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified 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 obtained a certification from a qualified institution as of December 31, 2024 and 2023 and for the year ended December 31, 2024 stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 3 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

OPINION

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

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

BASIS FOR OPINION

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audits 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 audits. We believe that the audit evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the financial statements are available to be issued.

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

AUDITORS' RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE AUDITS OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such

procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.

- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

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

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

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

SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE REQUIRED BY ERISA

The supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of December 31, 2024 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedule, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audits of the financial statements and to 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 to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other procedures in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

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

In our opinion:

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



ELLIN & TUCKER
Certified Public Accountants

Baltimore, Maryland
October 1, 2025

STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
Whiteford, Taylor & Preston Money Purchase Pension Plan and Trust
December 31, 2024 and 2023

	2024	2023
ASSETS		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 39,343	\$ 46,261
Investments at Fair Value (Notes 3 and 4)	129,148,944	118,845,334
Receivables:		
Notes Receivable From Participants	174,771	202,664
Employer Contributions	-	42,985
	\$ 129,363,058	\$ 119,137,244

(See Independent Auditors' Report and Accompanying Notes)

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
Whiteford, Taylor & Preston Money Purchase Pension Plan and Trust
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

ADDITIONS

Investment Income (Note 3):

Interest and Dividends	\$ 6,547,024
Net Appreciation in Fair Value of Investments	8,115,924
Interest Income on Notes Receivable From Participants	15,741
Employer Contributions	3,844,608
Rollover Contributions	169
Total Additions	18,523,466

DEDUCTIONS

Benefit Payments	8,270,346
Administrative Expenses	27,306
Total Deductions	8,297,652
Net Change	10,225,814

NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS – BEGINNING OF YEAR	119,137,244
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NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS – END OF YEAR	\$ 129,363,058
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(See Independent Auditors' Report and Accompanying Notes)

NOTE 1 **DESCRIPTION OF PLAN**

The following description of the Whiteford, Taylor & Preston Money Purchase Pension Plan and Trust (Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Summary Plan Description for more information about the Plan's provisions.

General

The Plan is a defined contribution plan covering all full-time partners and full-time staff members of Whiteford, Taylor & Preston L.L.P. (Firm) credited with at least one month of eligible service, as defined in the Plan. Associates and Counsel are excluded from the Plan. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

Contributions

The Firm contributes a supplemental contribution on behalf of each partner or employee whose enrollment date is after the partner or employee completes one month of service. After the partner or employee completes two years of service, the Firm ceases to make the supplemental contribution and instead contributes a money purchase contribution.

The supplemental contribution is an amount equal to 3% of the participant's compensation. Certain former partners designated by the Firm as Senior Counsel receive an amount equal to 4% of compensation. Senior Counsel may waive their right to the money purchase contribution and, by doing so, still receive the supplemental contribution.

The money purchase contribution for employees who are not equity partners is an amount equal to 3% of the employee's base compensation plus an amount equal to 6% of the employee's excess compensation as defined by the Summary Plan Description. The Firm contributes an additional amount to the account of each eligible Plan participant who is not an equity partner equal to a percentage of the employee's compensation based upon the age of the employee as of December 31 of the Plan year as set forth below:

<u>Age</u>	<u>Contribution</u>
21-34	1.0%
35-39	1.5%
40-44	2.0%
45-49	3.0%
50-54	4.0%
55-59	5.0%
60+	7.0%

(See Independent Auditors' Report)

The money purchase contribution for equity partners is an amount equal to a percentage of the partner's compensation based upon the age of the partner as of December 31 of the Plan year as set forth below, subject to annual contribution limits under the Internal Revenue Code:

<u>Age</u>	<u>Contribution</u>
21-40	6.0%
40-44	10.0%
45+	12.0%

Base compensation means the portion of an employee's compensation up to and including 100% of the taxable wage base. Excess compensation refers to the portion of an employee's compensation exceeding 100% of the taxable wage base. The taxable wage base means the maximum amount of earnings at the beginning of each Plan year that is subject to Social Security tax.

Compensation for purposes of calculating the Firm's contribution is subject to a maximum annual amount, which is adjusted annually for increases in the cost of living.

Participant Accounts

Each participant's account is credited with allocations of (a) the Firm's contribution and (b) Plan earnings and charged with an allocation of administrative expenses. Allocations are based on participant earnings or account balances, as defined. A participant may direct contributions into any of the Plan's investment options. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

Retirement

Normal retirement age is 65 years old. Upon retirement, a participant can elect to receive the participant's Plan account balance in any of the various payment forms provided in the Plan.

Notes Receivable From Participants

Participants may borrow from their accounts a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum that is equal to the lesser of \$50,000 or 50% of their account balance. The loans bear interest at a rate commensurate with local prevailing rates as determined by the Plan Administrator.

The maximum term for any loan is five years, except where the purpose of the loan is the participant's acquisition of a principal residence. In that case, the maximum term is 10 years. Principal and interest are paid ratably through monthly or bimonthly installments.

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Death Benefits

Upon the death of an active participant, the participant's beneficiary is entitled to receive a death benefit equal to the undistributed vested balance of the participant's Plan account.

Forfeitures

As of December 31, 2024, there were no forfeited non-vested accounts. At December 31, 2023, there was approximately \$1,800 of forfeited non-vested accounts. These accounts are used to reduce future administrative expenses and Firm contributions in accordance with the Summary Plan Description.

Vesting

Each participant is fully vested at all times in the participant's money purchase account. Each participant who completes an hour of service on or after August 1, 2015 is fully vested in the participant's supplemental contribution account.

Investment Options

Upon enrollment in the Plan, a participant may direct all of the employer contributions to various investment options offered by the Plan.

Administrative Expense

Certain Plan expenses are paid by the Firm. In addition, the Firm provides services to the Plan at no cost.

Plan Termination

Although the Firm has not expressed any intent to do so, the Firm has the right to terminate the Plan at any time subject to the provisions of ERISA. Upon termination of the Plan, all interests of the participants would become vested and the net assets of the Plan would be distributed to participants.

NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

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Accounting Standards Codification

All references in the financial statements to the Codification refer to the Accounting Standards Codification and the Hierarchy of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) issued by the Financial Accounting Standards Board. The Codification is the single source of authoritative GAAP in the United States.

Valuation of Investments

Investments are stated at fair value. See Note 4 for a discussion of fair value measurements.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation (depreciation) includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold as well as held during the year.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Use of Estimates

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

Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan provides for investments in various investment securities, which are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, credit and overall volatility. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term, and such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits.

Notes Receivable From Participants

Notes receivable from participants are carried at their unpaid principal balance plus accrued interest. Delinquent participant loans are reclassified as distributions based upon the terms of the Summary Plan Description.

Reclassification

Certain prior year amounts were reclassified to conform to the current year presentation.

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Subsequent Events

The Plan evaluated subsequent events and transactions for potential recognition or disclosure in the financial statements through October 1, 2025, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

NOTE 3 INFORMATION PREPARED AND CERTIFIED BY TRUSTEE

The Plan's investments were held by the Trustee, Matrix Trust Company, at December 31, 2024 and 2023. Financial information related to those investments at December 31, 2024 and 2023 is included in the accompanying financial statements based on information certified as complete and accurate by the Trustee. The information was not audited by the Plan's independent auditors. As of December 31, 2024 and 2023, certified investment information consisted of the following:

	2024	2023
Money Market Funds	\$ 6,954,354	\$ 6,422,328
Mutual Funds	115,830,435	104,594,952
Self-Directed Brokerage Accounts – Equity Securities	4,318,363	3,909,196
Self-Directed Brokerage Accounts – Debt Securities	86,294	-
Common and Collective Trusts	1,959,498	3,918,858
Total Investments	\$ 129,148,944	\$ 118,845,334

During 2024, certified investment income consisted of the following:

Net Appreciation in Fair Value of Investments	\$ 8,115,924
Interest and Dividends	6,547,024
Total Investment Income	\$ 14,662,948

NOTE 4 VALUATION OF INVESTMENTS

Investments are recorded at fair value in accordance with the provisions of the Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures Topic of the Codification, which establishes a framework for measuring fair value. The framework provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements).

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The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described below:

Level 1 Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access.

Level 2 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 that are observable for the asset or liability;

Inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3 Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

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

Below are descriptions of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There were no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2024 and 2023.

Common and Collective Trusts: Valued using NAV per unit. The NAV is based on the value of the underlying investments owned by each fund, minus its liabilities, and then divided by the number of units outstanding. Participant-initiated transactions may occur daily at NAV.

Money Market and Mutual Funds: Valued at the net asset value (NAV) of shares held by the Plan at year end. NAV is based on the value of the underlying assets owned by the fund, minus its liabilities, and then divided by the number of shares outstanding. NAV is a quoted price in an active market.

Self-Directed Brokerage Accounts – Equity Securities: Valued at the closing price reported in the active market on which the individual securities are traded.

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Self-Directed Brokerage Accounts – Debt Securities: Valued using inputs, such as benchmark yields, reported trades, broker/dealer quotes, and issuer spreads.

The methods described above may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, while the Plan believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's assets at fair value as of December 31, 2024 and 2023:

	2024		
	Level 1	Level 2	Total
Money Market Funds	\$ 6,954,354	\$ -	\$ 6,954,354
Common and Collective Trusts	-	1,959,498	1,959,498
Self-Directed Brokerage Accounts – Equity Securities	4,318,363	-	4,318,363
Self-Directed Brokerage Accounts – Debt Securities	-	86,294	86,294
Mutual Funds	115,830,435	-	115,830,435
Total	\$ 127,103,152	\$ 2,045,792	\$ 129,148,944
	2023		
	Level 1	Level 2	Total
Money Market Funds	\$ 6,422,328	\$ -	\$ 6,422,328
Common and Collective Trusts	-	3,918,858	3,918,858
Self-Directed Brokerage Accounts – Equity Securities	3,909,196	-	3,909,196
Mutual Funds	104,594,952	-	104,594,952
Total	\$ 114,926,476	\$ 3,918,858	\$ 118,845,334

NOTE 5 TAX STATUS

The Plan adopted a non-standardized pre-approved money purchase plan, and the Internal Revenue Service stated in a letter dated in November 2020 that the Plan, as then designed, was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Service. The Plan since was amended and restated. The Plan Administrator believes the Plan is designed and

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operating in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Internal Revenue Code. Therefore, no provision for income taxes was included in the Plan's financial statements.

GAAP requires Plan management to evaluate uncertain tax positions for recognition in the financial statements. The Plan Administrator concluded that there were no uncertain tax positions taken as of December 31, 2024.

NOTE 6 **PARTIES-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS**

The Plan pays investment, management, and administrative fees to parties in interest. The Plan paid approximately \$27,000 to parties in interest for the year ended December 31, 2024. These parties-in-interest transactions are exempt from the prohibited transaction rules of ERISA. Fees incurred by the Plan for investment management services are included in the net appreciation in fair value of investments.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION



A Name of Plan
**Whiteford, Taylor & Preston Money Purchase
Pension Plan and Trust**

B Three-Digit Plan Number **002**

C Plan Sponsor's Name as Shown on Line 2a
of Form 5500
Whiteford, Taylor & Preston, L.L.P

D Employer Identification # **52-0619214**

E As of **December 31, 2024**

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

(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value	(d) Cost	(e) Current value
Vanguard Federal Money Market	Money Market		\$ 6,954,354
American Balanced Fund	Mutual Fund		5,299,253
American Fundamental Investors Fund	Mutual Fund		6,598,188
BlackRock Sustainable Advantage	Mutual Fund		882,417
Calvert International Responsible Index I	Mutual Fund		4,135
Dodge & Cox Income Fund	Mutual Fund		1,931,778
Dodge & Cox International Stock	Mutual Fund		152,748
Fidelity 500 Index Fund	Mutual Fund		8,631,715
Fidelity Extended Market Index Fund	Mutual Fund		721,638
Fidelity International Cap Appreciation Fund K5	Mutual Fund		4,437,651
Fidelity International Index Fund	Mutual Fund		253,093
Fidelity U.S. Bond Index Fund	Mutual Fund		2,687,472
Janus Henderson Venture Fund	Mutual Fund		2,368,770
JPMorgan Mid Cap Growth	Mutual Fund		2,010,045
Loomis Sayles Growth Fund	Mutual Fund		8,731,590
Vanguard Equity Income Fund	Mutual Fund		2,804,457
Vanguard Inflation Protected Securities Fund Admiral	Mutual Fund		2,065,353
Vanguard Target Retirement Income Investor	Mutual Fund		7,867,435
Vanguard Target Retirement 2020 Investor Grade Fund	Mutual Fund		9,551,065
Vanguard Target Retirement 2025 Investor Grade Fund	Mutual Fund		13,998,179
Vanguard Target Retirement 2030 Investor Grade Fund	Mutual Fund		13,220,811
Vanguard Target Retirement 2035 Investor Grade Fund	Mutual Fund		8,098,517
Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 Investor Grade Fund	Mutual Fund		5,008,145
Vanguard Target Retirement 2045 Investor Grade Fund	Mutual Fund		3,569,394
Vanguard Target Retirement 2050 Investor Grade Fund	Mutual Fund		621,638
Vanguard Target Retirement 2055 Investor Grade Fund	Mutual Fund		496,952
Vanguard Target Retirement 2060 Investor Grade Fund	Mutual Fund		156,216
Vanguard Target Retirement 2065 Investor Grade Fund	Mutual Fund		104,994
Vanguard Short Term Investment Grade Fund	Mutual Fund		1,338,428
Victory Sycamore Established Value R6	Mutual Fund		2,218,358
Small Cap Value Fund II Class R1	Common and Collective Trust		1,959,498
Self-Directed Brokerage Accounts	Self-Directed Brokerage Accounts		4,404,657
* Participant Loans	Due through December 2030, bearing interest at 3.25% to 8.50% per annum		174,771
Total			\$ 129,323,715

* Party in Interest

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Assets Held at End of Year
As of December 31, 2024

Plan Name: Whiteford, Taylor & Preston Money Purchase Pension Plan & Trust
Sponsor Name: Whiteford, Taylor & Preston, L.L.P.
EIN: 52-0619214
PN: 002

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
IDENTITY OF ISSUE, BORROWER, LESSOR OR SIMILAR PARTY		DESCRIPTION OF INVESTMENT including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value	COST	CURRENT VALUE
Participant Loans				
	Master Participant Loan	Participant Loans - Interest rate range 3.25% - 8.50%	**	174,771
Value of Interest in Common / Collective Trusts				
	Small Cap Value Fund II CL R1	Small Cap Value Fund II CL R1	**	1,959,498
Value of Interest in Registered Investment Companies				
	American Funds American Balanced R6	American Funds American Balanced R6	**	5,299,253
	American Funds Fundamental Invs R6	American Funds Fundamental Invs R6	**	6,598,188
	Blackrock Sustainable Advantage Large Cap Core Fund K	Blackrock Sustainable Advantage Large	**	882,417
	Calvert International Responsible Idx I	Calvert International Responsible Idx	**	4,135
	Dodge & Cox Income Cl I	Dodge & Cox Income Cl I	**	1,931,778
	Dodge & Cox International Stock Cl I	Dodge & Cox International Stock Cl I	**	152,748
	Fidelity International Cap Appreciation Fund K6	Fidelity International Cap Appreciati	**	4,437,651
	Fidelity® 500 Index Institutional Prem	Fidelity® 500 Index Institutional Pre	**	8,631,715
	Fidelity® Extended Market Index InstlPrm	Fidelity® Extended Market Index Instl	**	721,638
	Fidelity® International Index InstlPrm	Fidelity® International Index InstlPr	**	253,093
	Fidelity® US Bond Index Instl Prem	Fidelity® US Bond Index Instl Prem	**	2,687,472
	Janus Henderson Venture Fund N Shares	Janus Henderson Venture Fund N Shares	**	2,368,770
	Jpmorgan Mid Cap Growth-R6	Jpmorgan Mid Cap Growth-R6	**	2,010,045
	Loomis Sayles Growth N	Loomis Sayles Growth N	**	8,731,590
	Vanguard Equity-Income Adm	Vanguard Equity-Income Adm	**	2,804,457
	Vanguard Federal Money Market Investor	Vanguard Federal Money Market Investo	**	6,954,354
	Vanguard Inflation-Protected Secs Adm	Vanguard Inflation-Protected Secs Adm	**	2,065,353
	Vanguard Short-Term Investment-Grade Adm	Vanguard Short-Term Investment-Grade	**	1,338,428
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2020 Inv	Vanguard Target Retirement 2020 Inv	**	9,551,065
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2025 Inv	Vanguard Target Retirement 2025 Inv	**	13,998,179
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2030 Inv	Vanguard Target Retirement 2030 Inv	**	13,220,811
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2035 Inv	Vanguard Target Retirement 2035 Inv	**	8,098,517
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 Inv	Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 Inv	**	5,008,145
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2045 Inv	Vanguard Target Retirement 2045 Inv	**	3,569,394
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2050 Inv	Vanguard Target Retirement 2050 Inv	**	621,638
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2055 Inv	Vanguard Target Retirement 2055 Inv	**	496,952
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2060 Inv	Vanguard Target Retirement 2060 Inv	**	156,216
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2065 Inv	Vanguard Target Retirement 2065 Inv	**	104,994
	Vanguard Target Retirement Income Inv	Vanguard Target Retirement Income Inv	**	7,867,435
	Victory Sycamore Established Value R6	Victory Sycamore Established Value R6	**	2,218,358
	Individual Brokerage Accounts		**	4,438,191.00

* A party-in-interest as defined by ERISA

** Cost omitted for participant directed accounts