Barlas O'Reilly Wealth Management, LLC Firm Brochure - Form ADV Part 2A

This brochure provides information about the qualifications and business practices of Barlas O'Reilly Wealth Management, LLC. If you have any questions about the contents of this brochure, please contact us at (727) 474-0382 or by email at: Terry@barlasfinancial.com. The information in this brochure has not been approved or verified by the United States Securities and Exchange Commission or by any state securities authority.

Additional information about Barlas O'Reilly Wealth Management, LLC is also available on the SEC's website at<u>www.adviserinfo.sec.gov</u>. Barlas O'Reilly Wealth Management, LLC's CRD number is: 298413.

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Registration as an investment adviser does not imply a certain level of skill or training.

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Item 2: Material Changes

There are no material changes in this brochure from the last annual updating amendment of Barlas O'Reilly Wealth Management, LLC on 03/02/2023. Material changes relate to Barlas O'Reilly Wealth Management, LLC's policies, practices or conflicts of interests.

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Item 4: Advisory Business

A. Description of the Advisory Firm

Barlas O'Reilly Wealth Management, LLC (hereinafter "BOWM") is a Limited Liability Company organized in the State of Florida. The firm was formed in August 2018, and the principal owners are Terrence F O'Reilly, and Lee Barlas.

B. Types of Advisory Services

Portfolio Management Services

BOWM offers ongoing portfolio management services based on the individual goals, objectives, time horizon, and risk tolerance of each client. BOWM creates an Investment Policy Statement for each client, which outlines the client's current situation (income, tax levels, and risk tolerance levels). Portfolio management services include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Investment strategy
 Personal investment policy
 - Asset selection
- Asset allocationRisk tolerance
- Regular portfolio monitoring

BOWM evaluates the current investments of each client with respect to their risk tolerance levels and time horizon. BOWM will request discretionary authority from clients in order to select securities and execute transactions without permission from the client prior to each transaction. Risk tolerance levels are documented in the Investment Policy Statement, which is given to each client.

BOWM seeks to provide that investment decisions are made in accordance with the fiduciary duties owed to its accounts and without consideration of BOWM's economic, investment or other financial interests. To meet its fiduciary obligations, BOWM attempts to avoid, among other things, investment or trading practices that systematically advantage or disadvantage certain client portfolios, and accordingly, BOWM's policy is to seek fair and equitable allocation of investment opportunities/transactions among its clients to avoid favoring one client over another over time. It is BOWM's policy to allocate investment opportunities and transactions it identifies as being appropriate and prudent among its clients on a fair and equitable basis over time.

Services Limited to Specific Types of Investments

BOWM generally limits its investment advice to mutual funds, fixed income securities, insurance products including annuities, equities, ETFs and treasury inflation protected/inflation linked bonds. BOWM may use other securities as well to help diversify a portfolio when applicable.

C. Client Tailored Services and Client Imposed Restrictions

BOWM offers the same suite of services to all of its clients. However, specific client investment strategies and their implementation are dependent upon the client Investment Policy Statement which outlines each client's current situation (income, tax levels, and risk tolerance levels). Clients may impose restrictions in investing in certain securities or types of securities in accordance with their values or beliefs. However, if the restrictions prevent BOWM from properly servicing the client account, or if the restrictions would require BOWM to deviate from its standard suite of services, BOWM reserves the right to end the relationship.

D. Wrap Fee Programs

A wrap fee program is an investment program where the investor pays one stated fee that includes management fees, transaction costs, fund expenses, and other administrative fees. BOWM recommends EQIS Capital Management, Inc. which acts as portfolio manager of a wrap fee program, which is an investment program where the client pays one stated fee that includes management fees, transaction costs, and certain other administrative fees. The wrap fee program is sponsored by EQIS Capital Management, Inc., and clients utilizing the wrap fee program should also review the sponsor's separate Wrap Fee Program Brochure. BOWM manages the investments in the wrap fee program, but does not manage those wrap fee accounts any differently than it would manage nonwrap fee accounts. BOWM receives the advisory fee set forth in Item 5 below as a management fee under the wrap fee program. Please also see Item 5 and Item 12 of this brochure.

E. Assets Under Management

BOWM has the following assets under management:

Discretionary Amounts:	Non-discretionary Amounts:	Date Calculated:
\$ 17,675,520.00	\$ 0.00	December 2023

Item 5: Fees and Compensation

A. Fee Schedule

Portfolio Management Fees

Total Assets Under Management	Adviser Annual Fee (BPS)	Folio Fee (BPS)	Total Fee (BPS)
\$0 - \$500,000	1.00	0.20	1.20
\$500,001 - \$1,000,000	0.80	0.15	0.95
\$1,000,001 – Unlimited	0.75	0.10	.85

BOWM uses an average of the daily balance in the client's account throughout the billing period, after taking into account deposits and withdrawals, for purposes of determining the market value of the assets upon which the advisory fee is based. Clients' total combined annual fees will not exceed 2.00% of their assets under management.

These fees are generally negotiable and the final fee schedule will be memorialized in the client's advisory agreement. Clients may terminate the agreement without penalty for a full refund of BOWM's fees within five business days of signing the Investment Advisory Contract. Thereafter, clients may terminate the Investment Advisory Contract immediately upon written notice.

B. Payment of Fees

Payment of Portfolio Management Fees

Asset-based portfolio management fees are withdrawn directly from the client's accounts with client's written authorization on a monthly basis. Fees are paid in arrears.

C. Client Responsibility For Third Party Fees

Clients are responsible for the payment of all third party fees (i.e. custodian fees, brokerage fees, mutual fund fees, transaction fees, etc.). Those fees are separate and distinct from the fees and expenses charged by BOWM. The adviser fee and brokerage fee will be combined and charged to the client as one total fee. Please see Item 12 of this brochure regarding broker-dealer/custodian.

EQIS Capital Management Inc. Other Fees and Expenses: In addition to the Program Fee and FP Fee, a Client will bear additional fees and expenses charged by the Account

Custodian and will bear the fees and expenses of any mutual funds, ETFs and ETPs in which the Client's Account is invested. The Account Custodian will charge ancillary fees for certain administrative services and for certain additional services (depending on the services the Client receives from the Account Custodian) including, check writing fees, outgoing transfer fees, annual charges for qualified accounts, special trade charges, and transaction fees assessed by any securities exchange or regulator. Clients are advised to review the Account Custodian's fee schedule for additional fees applicable to the Account. Clients should review and understand their custodial agreement and statements provided by the Account Custodian and immediately notify their FP or EQIS if a discrepancy is discovered.

Certain investment vehicles such as mutual funds, ETFs, ETPs and other exchange traded issues may include additional expenses charged by the product sponsor or issuer. Clients should review the prospectus and/or other disclosure documentation regarding any mutual funds, ETFs and ETPs in which their Account is invested for information regarding the internal fees or other charges which will be assessed against the Account or investment vehicle.

The fees paid to participate in the Programs may exceed the aggregate cost of such services if they were to be provided separately to Client and not combined within the Program. Clients' total combined annual fees will not exceed 2.00% of their assets under management.

D. Prepayment of Fees

BOWM collects its fees in arrears. It does not collect fees in advance.

E. Outside Compensation For the Sale of Securities to Clients

Neither BOWM nor its supervised persons accept any compensation for the sale of investment products, including asset-based sales charges or service fees from the sale of mutual funds.

Item 6: Performance-Based Fees and Side-By-Side Management

BOWM does not accept performance-based fees or other fees based on a share of capital gains on or capital appreciation of the assets of a client.

Item 7: Types of Clients

BOWM generally provides advisory services to Individuals.

There is no account minimum for any of BOWM's services.

Item 8: Methods of Analysis, Investment Strategies, & Risk of Loss

A. Methods of Analysis and Investment Strategies

Methods of Analysis & Investment Strategies

BOWM uses long term trading.

Investing in securities involves a risk of loss that you, as a client, should be prepared to bear.

B. Material Risks Involved

Methods of Analysis & Investment Strategies

Long term trading is designed to capture market rates of both return and risk. Due to its nature, the long-term investment strategy can expose clients to various types of risk that will typically surface at various intervals during the time the client owns the investments. These risks include but are not limited to inflation (purchasing power) risk, interest rate risk, economic risk, market risk, and political/regulatory risk.

Investing in securities involves a risk of loss that you, as a client, should be prepared to bear.

C. Risks of Specific Securities Utilized

Clients should be aware that there is a material risk of loss using any investment strategy. The investment types listed below (leaving aside Treasury Inflation Protected/Inflation Linked Bonds) are not guaranteed or insured by the FDIC or any other government agency.

Mutual Funds: Investing in mutual funds carries the risk of capital loss and thus you may lose money investing in mutual funds. All mutual funds have costs that lower investment returns. The funds can be of bond "fixed income" nature (lower risk) or stock "equity" nature.

Equity investment generally refers to buying shares of stocks in return for receiving a future payment of dividends and/or capital gains if the value of the stock increases. The value of equity securities may fluctuate in response to specific situations for each company, industry conditions and the general economic environments.

Fixed income investments generally pay a return on a fixed schedule, though the amount of the payments can vary. This type of investment can include corporate and government debt securities, leveraged loans, high yield, and investment grade debt and structured products, such as mortgage and other asset-backed securities, although individual bonds may be the best known type of fixed income security. In general, the fixed income market is volatile and fixed income securities carry interest rate risk. (As interest rates rise, bond prices usually fall, and vice versa. This effect is usually more pronounced for longer-term securities.) Fixed income securities also carry inflation risk, liquidity risk, call risk, and credit and default risks for both issuers and counterparties. The risk of default on treasury inflation protected/inflation linked bonds is dependent upon the U.S. Treasury defaulting (extremely unlikely); however, they carry a potential risk of losing share price value, albeit rather minimal. Risks of investing in foreign fixed income securities also include the general risk of non-U.S. investing described below.

Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs): An ETF is an investment fund traded on stock exchanges, similar to stocks. Investing in ETFs carries the risk of capital loss (sometimes up to a 100% loss in the case of a stock holding bankruptcy). Areas of concern include the lack of transparency in products and increasing complexity, conflicts of interest and the possibility of inadequate regulatory compliance.

Annuities are a retirement product for those who may have the ability to pay a premium now and want to guarantee they receive certain monthly payments or a return on investment later in the future. Annuities are contracts issued by a life insurance company designed to meet requirement or other long-term goals. An annuity is not a life insurance policy. Variable annuities are designed to be long-term investments, to meet retirement and other long-range goals. Variable annuities are not suitable for meeting short-term goals because substantial taxes and insurance company charges may apply if you withdraw your money early. Variable annuities also involve investment risks, just as mutual funds do.

Past performance is not indicative of future results. Investing in securities involves a risk of loss that you, as a client, should be prepared to bear.

Item 9: Disciplinary Information

A. Criminal or Civil Actions

There are no criminal or civil actions to report.

B. Administrative Proceedings

There are no administrative proceedings to report.

C. Self-regulatory Organization (SRO) Proceedings

There are no self-regulatory organization proceedings to report.

Item 10: Other Financial Industry Activities and Affiliations

A. Registration as a Broker/Dealer or Broker/Dealer Representative

Neither BOWM nor its representatives are registered as, or have pending applications to become, a broker/dealer or a representative of a broker/dealer.

B. Registration as a Futures Commission Merchant, Commodity Pool Operator, or a Commodity Trading Advisor

Neither BOWM nor its representatives are registered as or have pending applications to become either a Futures Commission Merchant, Commodity Pool Operator, or Commodity Trading Advisor or an associated person of the foregoing entities.

C. Registration Relationships Material to this Advisory Business and Possible Conflicts of Interests

Terrence F O'Reilly Jr is a licensed insurance agent and operates under the entity Barlas Financial Service, LLC. From time to time, he will offer clients advice or products from this activity. Clients should be aware that these services pay a commission and involve a possible conflict of interest, as commissionable products can conflict with the fiduciary duties of a registered investment adviser. Barlas O'Reilly Wealth Management, LLC always acts in the best interest of the client; including in the sale of commissionable products to advisory clients. Clients are in no way required to implement the plan through any representative of Barlas O'Reilly Wealth Management, LLC in their capacity as a licensed insurance agent.

Terrence F O'Reilly Jr is a Managing Member of the Wealth Management Division for Barlas Tax & Financial Group LLC.

Ryan Joseph McCarty is a licensed insurance agent. From time to time, he will offer clients advice or products from this activity. Clients should be aware that these services pay a commission and involve a possible conflict of interest, as commissionable products can conflict with the fiduciary duties of a registered investment adviser. Barlas O'Reilly Wealth Management, LLC always acts in the best interest of the client; including in the sale of commissionable products to advisory clients. Clients are in no way required to

implement the plan through any representative of Barlas Chambers O'Reilly Wealth Management, LLC in their capacity as a licensed insurance agent.

Ryan Joseph McCarty is a partner of an Insurance Marketing Organization called Megastar Advisors.

Ryan Joseph McCarty is a Chief Business Development Officer at Megastar Advisors, LLC.

D. Selection of Other Advisers or Managers and How This Adviser is Compensated for Those Selections

BOWM does not utilize nor select third-party investment advisers.

Item 11: Code of Ethics, Participation or Interest in Client Transactions and Personal Trading

A. Code of Ethics

BOWM has a written Code of Ethics that covers the following areas: Prohibited Purchases and Sales, Insider Trading, Personal Securities Transactions, Exempted Transactions, Prohibited Activities, Conflicts of Interest, Gifts and Entertainment, Confidentiality, Service on a Board of Directors, Compliance Procedures, Compliance with Laws and Regulations, Procedures and Reporting, Certification of Compliance, Reporting Violations, Compliance Officer Duties, Training and Education, Recordkeeping, Annual Review, and Sanctions. BOWM's Code of Ethics is available free upon request to any client or prospective client.

B. Recommendations Involving Material Financial Interests

BOWM does not recommend that clients buy or sell any security in which a related person to BOWM or BOWM has a material financial interest.

C. Investing Personal Money in the Same Securities as Clients

From time to time, representatives of BOWM may buy or sell securities for themselves that they also recommend to clients. This may provide an opportunity for representatives of BOWM to buy or sell the same securities before or after recommending the same securities to clients resulting in representatives profiting off the recommendations they provide to clients. Such transactions may create a conflict of interest. BOWM will always document any transactions that could be construed as conflicts of interest and will never engage in trading that operates to the client's disadvantage when similar securities are being bought or sold.

D. Trading Securities At/Around the Same Time as Clients' Securities

From time to time, representatives of BOWM may buy or sell securities for themselves at or around the same time as clients. This may provide an opportunity for representatives of BOWM to buy or sell securities before or after recommending securities to clients resulting in representatives profiting off the recommendations they provide to clients. Such transactions may create a conflict of interest; however, BOWM will never engage in trading that operates to the client's disadvantage if representatives of BOWM buy or sell securities at or around the same time as clients.

Item 12: Brokerage Practices

A. Factors Used to Select Custodians and/or Broker/Dealers

Custodians/broker-dealers will be recommended based on BOWM's duty to seek "best execution," which is the obligation to seek execution of securities transactions for a client on the most favorable terms for the client under the circumstances. Clients will not necessarily pay the lowest commission or commission equivalent, and BOWM may also consider the market expertise and research access provided by the brokerdealer/custodian, including but not limited to access to written research, oral communication with analysts, admittance to research conferences and other resources provided by the brokers that may aid in BOWM's research efforts. BOWM will never charge a premium or commission on transactions, beyond the actual cost imposed by the broker-dealer/custodian.

BOWM will require clients to use Folio Institutional.

1. Research and Other Soft-Dollar Benefits

While BOWM has no formal soft dollars program in which soft dollars are used to pay for third party services, BOWM may receive research, products, or other services from custodians and broker-dealers in connection with client securities transactions ("soft dollar benefits"). BOWM may enter into soft-dollar arrangements consistent with (and not outside of) the safe harbor contained in Section 28(e) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. There can be no assurance that any particular client will benefit from soft dollar research, whether or not the client's transactions paid for it, and BOWM does not seek to allocate benefits to client accounts proportionate to any soft dollar credits generated by the accounts. BOWM benefits by not having to produce or pay for the research, products or services, and BOWM will have an incentive to recommend a broker-dealer based on receiving research or services. Clients should be aware that BOWM's acceptance of soft dollar benefits may result in higher commissions charged to the client.

2. Brokerage for Client Referrals

BOWM receives no referrals from a broker-dealer or third party in exchange for using that broker-dealer or third party.

3. Clients Directing Which Broker/Dealer/Custodian to Use

BOWM will require clients to use a specific custodian to execute transactions. BOWM will not allow clients to direct trading away from recommends Folio Institutional.

B. Aggregating (Block) Trading for Multiple Client Accounts

BOWM does not aggregate or bunch the securities to be purchased or sold for multiple clients. This may result in less favorable prices, particularly for illiquid securities or during volatile market conditions.

Item 13: Review of Accounts

A. Frequency and Nature of Periodic Reviews and Who Makes Those Reviews

All client accounts for BOWM's advisory services provided on an ongoing basis are reviewed at least Quarterly by Terrence F O'Reilly, CEO, with regard to clients' respective investment policies and risk tolerance levels. All accounts at BOWM are assigned to this reviewer.

B. Factors That Will Trigger a Non-Periodic Review of Client Accounts

Reviews may be triggered by material market, economic or political events, or by changes in client's financial situations (such as retirement, termination of employment, physical move, or inheritance).

C. Content and Frequency of Regular Reports Provided to Clients

Each client of BOWM's advisory services provided on an ongoing basis will receive a monthly report detailing the client's account, including assets held, asset value, and calculation of fees. This written report will come from the custodian.

Item 14: Client Referrals and Other Compensation

A. Economic Benefits Provided by Third Parties for Advice Rendered to Clients (Includes Sales Awards or Other Prizes)

BOWM does not receive any economic benefit, directly or indirectly from any third party for advice rendered to BOWM's clients.

B. Compensation to Non – Advisory Personnel for Client Referrals

BOWM does not directly or indirectly compensate any person who is not advisory personnel for client referrals.

Item 15: Custody

When advisory fees are deducted directly from client accounts at client's custodian, BOWM will be deemed to have limited custody of client's assets and must have written authorization from the client to do so. Clients will receive all account statements and billing invoices that are required in each jurisdiction, and they should carefully review those statements for accuracy.

Item 16: Investment Discretion

BOWM provides discretionary and non-discretionary investment advisory services to clients. The advisory contract established with each client sets forth the discretionary authority for trading. Where investment discretion has been granted, BOWM generally manages the client's account and makes investment decisions without consultation with the client as to when the securities are to be bought or sold for the account, the total amount of the securities to be bought/sold, what securities to buy or sell, or the price per share.

Item 17: Voting Client Securities (Proxy Voting)

BOWM will not ask for, nor accept voting authority for client securities. Clients will receive proxies directly from the issuer of the security or the custodian. Clients should direct all proxy questions to the issuer of the security.

Item 18: Financial Information

A. Balance Sheet

BOWM neither requires nor solicits prepayment of more than \$500 in fees per client, six months or more in advance, and therefore is not required to include a balance sheet with this brochure.

B. Financial Conditions Reasonably Likely to Impair Ability to Meet Contractual Commitments to Clients

Neither BOWM nor its management has any financial condition that is likely to reasonably impair BOWM's ability to meet contractual commitments to clients.

C. Bankruptcy Petitions in Previous Ten Years

BOWM has not been the subject of a bankruptcy petition in the last ten years.

Item 19: Requirements For State Registered Advisers

A. Principal Executive Officers and Management Persons; Their Formal Education and Business Background

BOWM currently has only one management person: Terrence F O'Reilly. Education and business background can be found on the individual's Form ADV Part 2B brochure supplement.

B. Other Businesses in Which This Advisory Firm or its Personnel are Engaged and Time Spent on Those (If Any)

Other business activities for each relevant individual can be found on the Form ADV Part 2B brochure supplement for each such individual.

C. Calculation of Performance-Based Fees and Degree of Risk to Clients

BOWM does not accept performance-based fees or other fees based on a share of capital gains on or capital appreciation of the assets of a client.

D. Material Disciplinary Disclosures for Management Persons of this Firm

There are no civil, self-regulatory organization, or arbitration proceedings to report under this section.

E. Material Relationships That Management Persons Have With Issuers of Securities (If Any)

See Item 10.C and 11.B.