

CleanSource Securities, LLC (“CSS”) is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC”) as a broker-dealer. It is also a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (“FINRA”) and the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (“SIPC”). **As a broker-dealer it provides brokerage accounts and services.**

Brokerage and investment advisory services and fees differ, and it is important for you to understand these differences. Free and sample tools are available to research firms and financial professionals at www.investor.gov/crs, which also provides educational materials about broker-dealers, investment advisers, and investing.

This document gives you a summary of the types of services we provide and how you pay. There are some suggested questions that follow each description.

What investment services and advice can you provide me?

While we offer our brokerage services to owners of business, owners seeking project finance, and issuers of securities in the form of investment banking activities. There are retail customers that may purchase securities as part of the investment banking activities. Through the processing of securities purchases on a subscription basis there may be interactions with retail investors, who become subscribers in investment banking transactions. The minimum purchase amounts we impose on any given subscriber are those related to the offering documents and the stated minimum investment accepted by the issuer. We do not open or maintain any accounts for any retail customers and only process transactions as described in the offering documents.

With the processing of any subscriptions, there are no recommendations offered to retail investors as part of our services, and we do not monitor investments. We will deliver confirmations of securities purchases, but do not issue ongoing statements.

You may select investments for purchase in investment banking activities, and the ultimate investment decision as to your investment strategy and the purchase or sale of investments will be yours.

We offer a limited selection of investments, and do not offer any proprietary products, except for certain bespoke project finance offerings. Other firms may offer a wider range of products and services, some of which might have lower costs.

Conversation Starters: Questions to Ask

1. Given my financial situation, should I choose a brokerage account? Why or why not?
2. How will you choose investments to recommend to me?
3. What is your relevant experience, including your licenses, education, and other qualifications? Please explain what the abbreviations in your licenses are and what they mean.

What fees will I pay?

The fee you pay is based on the specific transaction and not the value of your account and will generally be charged as a fee per amount of securities purchased or sold, commonly referred to as a commission or success fee. Commissions are generally collected by the issuer or seller as part of the total amount of capital raised, and the commissions are then paid by the issuer or seller to CSS.

The more and larger transactions you purchase, the more fees we charge the issuer/seller and that may lead to larger amounts of capital needed to be raised. We therefore have an incentive to encourage you to engage in larger and more frequent transactions.

You will pay fees and costs whether you make or lose money on your investments. Fees and costs will reduce any amount of money you make on your investments over time. Please make sure you understand what fees and costs you are paying.

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4. Help me understand how these fees and costs might affect my investments. If I give you \$10,000 to invest, how much will go to fees and costs, and how much will be invested for me?

What are your legal obligations to me when providing recommendations? How else does your firm make money and what conflicts of interest do you have?

If we provide you with a recommendation, we have to act in your best interest and not put our interest ahead of yours. We do not make specific investment recommendations to issuers, sellers, or to retail investors, as part of CSS's services.

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5. How might your conflicts of interest affect me, and how will you address them?

How do your financial professionals make money?

Our Financial Professionals are paid annual salaries, and bonuses. They are not paid commissions on the close of securities transactions.

Do you or your financial professionals have legal or disciplinary history?

No. Any history can be reviewed on BrokerCheck (BrokerCheck.Finra.org), which is FINRA's free tool to research background information of brokers, advisers and firms.

Visit Investor.gov/CRS for a free and simple search tool to research you and your financial professionals.

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6. As a financial professional, do you have any disciplinary history? For what type of conduct?

Additional Information. We encourage you to seek additional information.

For additional information about our brokers and services, visit Investor.gov, BrokerCheck (BrokerCheck.Finra.org). You may reach us at 704-271-9890 to request a copy of the relationship summary.

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7. Who is my primary contact person? Is he or she a representative of an investment adviser or a broker-dealer? Who can I talk to if I have concerns about how this person is treating me?