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Altman Investment Management Named to PSN Top Guns List of Best Performing Strategies for Q3 2023

Quarterly PSN Top Guns List published by Zephyr identifies best-in-class separate accounts, managed accounts, and managed ETF strategies

Princeton, New Jersey – Altman Investment Management is pleased to announce its Core Value Balanced and Fixed Income strategies have both been awarded the celebrated PSN Top Guns distinction by Zephyr's PSN manager database, North America's longest-running database of investment managers. The highly anticipated list, published by Zephyr, remains one of the most important references for investors and asset managers, recognizing the top 10 performers in the peer group for the period ending September 30, 2023.

"We are honored to receive a 3-star Top Gun rating for our Core Value Balanced and Fixed Income investment programs. We are proud that this distinction reflects on our long-standing discipline of staying the course despite compelling arguments to the contrary. Our balanced approach has helped mitigate risk in portfolios by maintaining a long-term perspective on the markets. We utilize top-down analysis in our equity portfolio construction in selecting stocks and diversifying our sector exposure. In terms of fixed income, our short duration high quality asset allocation continued to reflect our belief that bonds were both overvalued - and would be subjected to elevated volatility associated with the uncertainty of a Fed policy response to a shift in long term inflationary expectations. The strategy to remain in the investment grade markets, and comparatively low duration, highlights our continued attention to risk management disciplines that are the hallmarks of our process." said Peter Altman, President of Altman Investment Management.

Through a combination of PSN's proprietary performance screens, the PSN Top Guns List ranks products in six proprietary categories in over 75 universes based on continued performance over time.

Altman's Core Value Balance program earned Top Guns status in the 3-star (US Balanced Universe) category, which represents top ten returns for the three-year period ending September 30, 2023. Altman's Fixed Income program earned Top Guns status in the 3-Star (Intermediate Core Plus Universe) category, which represents top ten returns for the three-year period ending September 30, 2023.

"Investing in SMAs has grown substantially over the past decade," says Chris Volpe, Director of Wealth Management Solutions for Zephyr. "Zephyr's PSN SMA database pioneered the curation of SMA data and is the leader in providing important due diligence on strategies. Altman Investment Management is a best-in-class performer and worthy of this influential recognition."

The complete list of PSN Top Guns and an overview of the methodology can be located at https://psn.fi.informais.com/. Registration is required.

About Altman Investment Management: The firm is an SEC Registered Investment Adviser, providing a suite of investment strategies for individual and institutional clients that include traditional equity, fixed income and balanced portfolios. For more information, visit www.altmaninvest.com. In addition to the PSN database, Altman Investment Management's investment strategies can be found on the eVestment Alliance platform, another one of the largest research and investment databases in the industry.

About PSN: For nearly four decades, <u>PSN</u> has been a top resource for investment professionals. Asset managers rely on Zephyr's PSN to effectively reach institutional and retail investors. Over 2,800 firms, 285 universes, and more than 21,000 products comprise the PSN SMA database showing asset breakdowns, compliance, key personnel, ownership diversity, ESG, business objectives and strategy, style, fees, GIC sectors, fixed income ranges and full holdings. Unique to PSN is its robust historical database of **n**early 40 Years of Data Including Net and Gross-of-Fee Returns. For more details on the methodology behind the PSN Top Guns Rankings or to purchase PSN Top Guns Reports, contact Robby Resendez at PSNdata@informa.com. Visit <u>PSN online</u> to learn more.

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