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PORTSMOUTH TOWN HALL / PORTSMOUTH ROOM  
2200 EAST MAIN ROAD / PORTSMOUTH, RI 02871  
AGENDA FOR MARCH 25, 2021  
5:30 PM**

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### **VIRTUAL MEETING VIA ZOOM**

Call to Order and Roll Call - L. Lasky, Finance Director

### **NEW BUSINESS (DISCUSSION/ACTION)**

1. Introduction - L. Lasky, Finance Director
2. Presentation By Pension Advisor - Jason Gentile, Symmetry Partners
  - Symmetry Q4 2020 Update
  - Question/Answer Session

Documents:

[Symmetry-Q4 2020.pdf](#)

3. Discussion On Contract Status & Recommendation On Issuance Of RFP For Pension Advisor Services - Committee

4. **Next Steps & Determination Of Committee Meeting Frequency -  
L. Lasky, Finance Director**

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## MARKET COMMENTARY: Q4 2020

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At the end of the fourth quarter, it is customary to look back to ascertain the various events and economic inputs that might help us understand and contextualize the ebb and flow of markets for both the quarter and the year. 2020, however, is a year unlike any most of us have endured. As market participants, we experienced both precipitous drops and remarkable gains, with global markets ending Q4 2020 on a historically high note, despite the unresolved health and economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic, as well as political upheaval from the U.S election and U.K. Brexit.

In 2019 global equities finished the year on an extraordinary run, powering the S&P 500, Dow Jones Industrial Average, and NASDAQ Composite to historic records, with respective returns of 31.49%, 25.34% and 36.69% for the year. While the MSCI EAFE and MSCI Emerging Markets indexes kept pace with positive returns of 22.66% and 18.90% for the year.<sup>1</sup> Markets continued that upward momentum through early February of 2020, but the health crisis of COVID-19 quickly morphed into an economic crisis, and markets collapsed. The S&P 500 suffered its quickest fall into a bear market on record, taking just 16 days to slump from all-time highs and bring an end to an 11-year bull market.<sup>2</sup> Volatility reached unprecedented levels, with the VIX closing at a record high of 82.69 on March 16th resulting in U.S. equities recording double-digit daily swings.<sup>3</sup> At quarter end, after dropping -33.47% from February 19th to March 23rd, the S&P 500 finished the quarter with a decline of -19.60%, the Dow Jones Industrial Average was down -22.73%, and the NASDAQ Composite finished down -13.95%. International Developed and Emerging Markets suffered a similar fate, with the MSCI EAFE and MSCI Emerging Markets indexes posting negative returns of -22.72% and -23.57%.<sup>4</sup>

In the second quarter, optimism fueled by monetary and fiscal stimulus helped global equities stage a remarkable recovery. Big technology stocks did particularly well, and by quarter end had helped power a strong reversal across markets. The S&P 500 finished up +20.54%, the Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 18.51%, while the tech-heavy NASDAQ Composite finished the quarter up an astounding +30.95%. International Developed and Emerging Markets participated in a similar fashion, albeit to a lesser degree, with the MSCI EAFE and MSCI Emerging Markets indexes posting positive returns for the quarter of +14.88% and +18.08%.<sup>5</sup>

Over the course of the third quarter, optimism gave way to disappointment as a second wave of COVID-19 arose, further fiscal stimulus failed to appear, and the economic recovery waned. However, despite a slump in September, US markets managed to end the quarter in positive territory. For the quarter the S&P 500 finished up +8.93%, the Dow Jones Industrial Average was up +8.22%, while the NASDAQ Composite finished the quarter up +11.24%. International Developed and Emerging Markets participated, with the MSCI EAFE and MSCI Emerging Markets indexes posting positive returns for the quarter of +4.88% and +9.70%.<sup>6</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Morningstar Direct, as of Jan 2, 2020

<sup>2</sup> Georgiadis, P. "How coronavirus tore through global markets in the first quarter", Financial Times, Mar 31, 2020

<sup>3</sup> Chicago Board Options Exchange

<sup>4</sup> Morningstar Direct, as of Apr 1, 2020

<sup>5</sup> Morningstar Direct, as of July 1, 2020

<sup>6</sup> Morningstar Direct, as of Oct 1, 2020

## MARKET COMMENTARY: Q4 2020

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The fourth quarter saw a broad rally across assets driven by positive developments associated with breakthroughs on vaccines for COVID-19, and the much-awaited fiscal stimulus from Washington. The S&P 500 finished the quarter up 12.15%, and the year up 18.40%. The Dow Jones Industrial Average finished up 10.73% for the quarter, and up 9.72% for the year. The Nasdaq Composite, dominated by tech giants such as Apple, Microsoft, Alphabet and Amazon, gained 15.63% for the quarter, and more than 44% for the year. International markets also ended the year strongly, the MSCI EAFE and MSCI Emerging Markets indexes kept pace with positive returns of 16.05% and 19.70% for the quarter, and 7.82% and 18.31% for the year.<sup>7</sup>

Exposure to risk factors resulted in excess returns in general, though consistent with the topsy-turvy nature of markets, various factor exposures contributed at various times, once again demonstrating the importance of overall factor diversification. Over the course of the year, Value, Size, Momentum, Quality and Minimum Volatility were both rewarded, and lagged. Recent years have seen a particularly strong trend against the original “Fama-French” factors of Value, and Size relative to large-growth. In the fourth quarter of 2020, as well as during the strongest phase of the Q2 recovery, this trend started to show signs of reverting. For Q4, Value and Size outperformed across all markets. For the year overall, Momentum and Quality outperformed across all markets, with Size outperforming across International Developed and Emerging Markets, while Value and Minimum Volatility lagged across all markets.<sup>8</sup>

2020 serves as a reminder that the world can be an unpredictable and chaotic place, dramatically impacting both economics and sentiment. Supply, demand, consumption, despair, tragedy, resilience, and hope all help tell the story of the year. The arc of human history shows us that we learn to adjust, adapt, and overcome. Markets are a meeting place where we can observe that ongoing story unfold and participate. We have learned that a market participant can have meaningful success by remaining committed to a disciplined and diversified long-term investing approach. In most years, that mantra may seem a platitude. In years like 2020, it can serve as a guardrail keeping you from careening off the path.

As always, we at Symmetry Partners will continue to work diligently to help you understand and navigate these issues with an eye on achieving success over the long-term.

Thank you for your trust.

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<sup>7</sup> Morningstar Direct, as of Jan 1, 2021

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## MARKET COMMENTARY: Q4 2020 DISCLOSURE

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Diversification seeks to improve performance by spreading your investment dollars into various asset classes to add balance to your portfolio. Using this methodology, however, does not guarantee a profit or protection from loss in a declining market. Past performance does not guarantee future results.

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**S&P 500 Index** represents the 500 leading U.S. companies, approximately 80% of the total U.S. market capitalization.

**Dow Jones Industrial Average (DJIA)** Is a price-weighted average of 30 significant stocks traded on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) and the NASDAQ.

**The Nasdaq Composite Index (NASDAQ)** measures all Nasdaq domestic and international based common type stocks listed on The Nasdaq Stock Market, and includes over 2,500 companies.

**MSCI USA Small Cap Index** is designed to measure the performance of the small cap segment of the US equity market. With 1,864 constituents, the index represents approximately 14% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization in the US.

**MSCI EAFE Index** is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index that is designed to measure the developed equity market (as defined by MSCI) equity performance, excluding the U.S. and Canada.

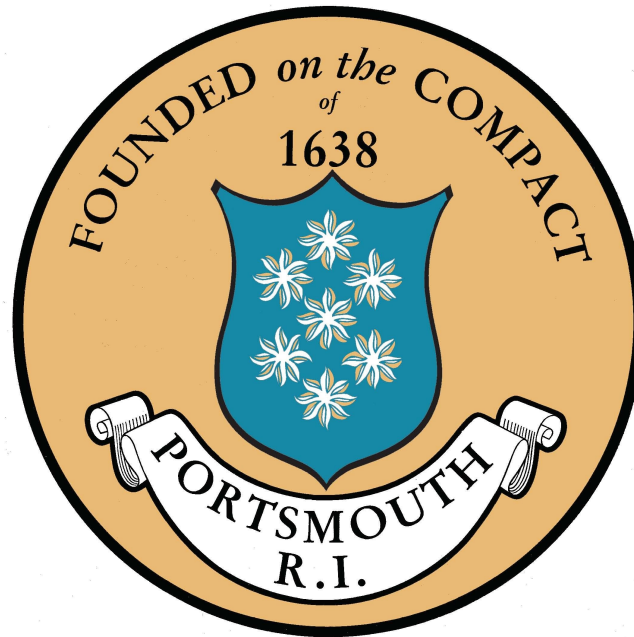
**MSCI Emerging Markets Index** is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index that is designed to measure equity market performance in the global emerging markets (as defined by MSCI). The index consists of the 25 emerging market country indexes.

**The VIX Index** is a calculation designed to produce a measure of constant, 30-day expected volatility of the U.S. stock market, derived from real-time, mid-quote prices of S&P 500® Index (SPXSM) call and put options. On a global basis, it is one of the most recognized measures of volatility -- widely reported by financial media and closely followed by a variety of market participants as a daily market indicator.

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# Town of Portsmouth, Rhode Island

4th Quarter 2020 Review



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**Starting Portfolio - Investments**

**\$0.00**

Additions	\$90,509,762.18
Withdrawals	-\$59,873,192.75
Interest	\$6,972.11
Dividends	\$11,768,709.97
Expenses	-\$1,368,710.68
Realized Gains & Losses	\$7,332,924.85
Unrealized Gains & Losses	\$13,124,265.35

**Ending Portfolio**

\$64,607,494.91

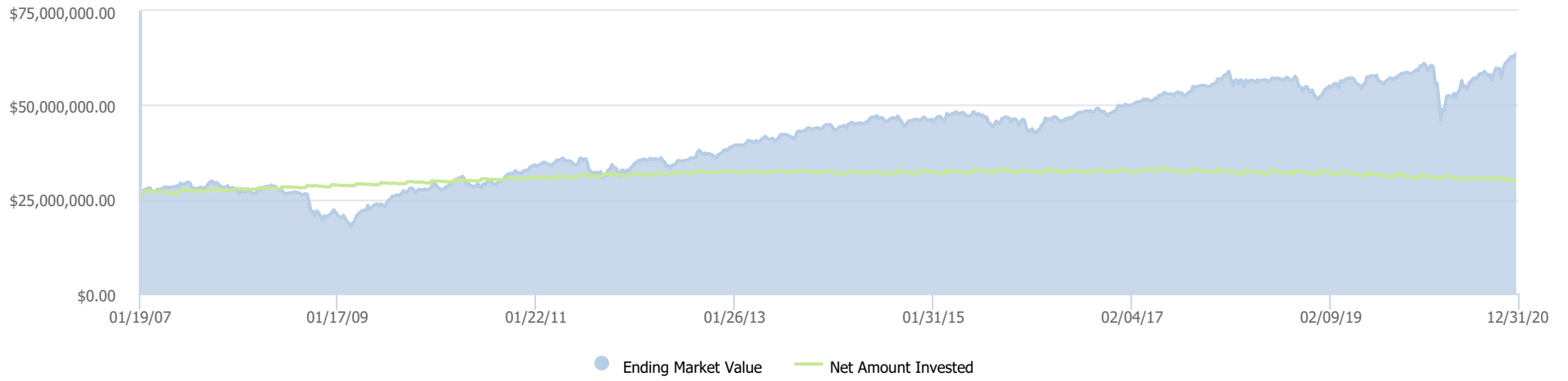
**Total Gain for Period**

\$33,968,930.48

**Period Return**

104.44 %

## Invested Value Comparison



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Current Performance by Security CY 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 and 2020

Asset	Ticker	Current Allocation	Ending Value	Time-Weighted Return*	Time-Weighted Return*	Time-Weighted Return*	Time-Weighted Return*	Time-Weighted Return*	Time-Weighted Return*	Time-Weighted Return*
				CY 2014	CY 2015	CY 2016	CY 2017	CY 2018	CY 2019	CY 2020
<b>Equity</b>										
<b>US Equity</b>										
DFA U.S. Core Equity 2 Portfolio (I)	DFQTX	14.04 %	\$9,073,835.83	9.32 %	-3.14 %	16.57 %	18.94 %	-9.62 %	29.38 %	15.70 %
DFA US Vector Equity	DFVEX	15.55 %	\$10,048,759.57	6.55 %	-5.13 %	21.03 %	14.64 %	-13.24 %	26.09 %	7.44 %
AQR Large Cap Multi-Style R6	QCERX	9.63 %	\$6,220,120.24	N/A	-3.25 %	7.21 %	24.37 %	-10.76 %	24.42 %	14.99 %
<b>International Developed Equity</b>										
DFA International Core Equity Portfolio (I)	DFIEX	2.55 %	\$1,648,931.46	-5.90 %	-0.29 %	5.29 %	28.04 %	-17.40 %	21.68 %	7.55 %
DFA Intl Vector Equity	DFVQX	6.10 %	\$3,940,192.20	-6.18 %	-0.11 %	6.80 %	28.94 %	-18.99 %	20.85 %	5.86 %
AQR Intl Core Equity R6	QICRX	4.57 %	\$2,954,824.78	N/A	-6.94 %	-3.89 %	24.99 %	-14.67 %	20.62 %	5.95 %
<b>Emerging Market Equity</b>										
DFA Emerging Markets Core Equity Portfolio Institutional Class	DFCEX	6.23 %	\$4,025,700.58	-0.86 %	-14.96 %	12.49 %	36.44 %	-15.25 %	16.04 %	13.69 %
AQR Emerging Core Equity R6	QECRX	3.39 %	\$2,191,920.15	N/A	-19.79 %	6.21 %	36.81 %	-15.83 %	14.91 %	16.16 %
<b>Real Estate</b>										
DFA Global Real Estate Securities	DFGEX	5.04 %	\$3,253,430.27	22.77 %	0.65 %	6.65 %	9.19 %	-4.15 %	26.40 %	-6.76 %
<b>Total Equity:</b>		<b>67.11 %</b>	<b>\$43,357,715.08</b>							
<b>Bond</b>										
<b>Fixed Income</b>										
Vanguard Total Bond Market Index I	VBPIX	14.68 %	\$9,481,515.54	N/A	N/A	-2.83 %	3.54 %	-0.02 %	8.73 %	7.76 %

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				CY 2014	CY 2015	CY 2016	CY 2017	CY 2018	CY 2019	CY 2020
DFA Five Year Global Fixed Income Portfolio (I)	DFGBX	6.12 %	\$3,955,464.61	2.86 %	1.45 %	1.78 %	1.96 %	1.67 %	4.04 %	1.52 %
Vanguard Total Intl Bd Index Instl	VTIFX	9.89 %	\$6,392,055.10	N/A	N/A	-1.85 %	2.43 %	2.98 %	7.89 %	4.59 %
<b>Total Bond:</b>		<b>30.69 %</b>	<b>\$19,829,035.25</b>							
<b>Money Market</b>										
<b>Cash</b>										
Schwab Bank Sweep	SchwabCash	2.20 %	\$1,420,744.58	0.24 %	0.20 %	0.03 %	0.10 %	7.33 %	0.90 %	0.08 %
<b>Total Money Market:</b>		<b>2.20 %</b>	<b>\$1,420,744.58</b>							
<b>Portfolio Totals:</b>		<b>100.00 %</b>	<b>\$64,607,494.91</b>	3.42 %	-1.96 %	8.46 %	14.95 %	-7.65 %	17.34 %	8.43 %
<b>Benchmarks</b>										
65/35 All World Benchmark				5.17 %	-0.90 %	6.85 %	16.30 %	-5.81 %	19.91 %	13.96 %
S&P 500 (Net TR)				12.99 %	0.75 %	11.23 %	21.10 %	-4.94 %	30.70 %	17.75 %
MSCI EAFE (TR Net)				-4.90 %	-0.81 %	1.00 %	25.03 %	-13.79 %	22.01 %	7.82 %

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Portfolio Performance by Security 1/19/2007 - 12/31/2020

Asset	Ticker	Current Allocation	Ending Value	Time-Weighted Return Since Inception	Time-Weighted Return* Fiscal Year 2015	Time-Weighted Return* Fiscal Year 2016	Time-Weighted Return* Fiscal Year 2017	Time-Weighted Return* Fiscal Year 2018	Time-Weighted Return* Fiscal Year 2019	Time-Weighted Return* Fiscal Year 2020
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## Performance and Standard Deviation Summary

	<b>1 Year Return (%)</b> <i>Dec 2019 - Dec 2020</i>	<b>3 Year Ann. Return (%)</b> <i>Dec 2017 - Dec 2020</i>	<b>3 Year Ann. Standard Deviation (%)</b> <i>Dec 2017 - Dec 2020</i>	<b>Since Inception Ann. Return (%)</b> <i>Jan 2007 - Dec 2020</i>	<b>Since Inception Ann. Standard Deviation (%)</b> <i>Jan 2007 - Dec 2020</i>
Town of Portsmouth (65/35)	8.43 %	5.52 %	12.76 %	5.26 %	11.65 %
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### Disclosure

**65/35 All World Benchmark** is a custom benchmark for portfolios which seek to provide both capital appreciation and income by investing in two major areas: equity and fixed income. This custom benchmark consists of the MSCI ACWI Investable Market Index (IMI) (65%) and Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate TR (USD Hedged) Index (35%).

**Standard & Poor's 500 Index** represents the 500 leading U.S. companies, approximately 80% of the total U.S. market capitalization.

**MSCI EAFE Index** (Europe, Australasia, Far East) is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index that is designed to measure the developed equity market (as defined by MSCI) equity performance, excluding the U.S. and Canada. The Index consists of the 21 developed market country indexes.

**MSCI ACWI IMI: The MSCI ACWI Investable Market Index (IMI)** captures large, mid and small cap representation across 23 Developed Markets (DM) and 23 Emerging Markets (EM) countries\*. With 8,575 constituents, the index is comprehensive, covering approximately 99% of the global equity investment opportunity set.

**Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate (USD Hedged) Index** is a flagship measure of global investment grade debt from twenty-four local currency markets. This multi-currency benchmark includes treasury, government-related, corporate and securitized fixed-rate bonds from both developed and emerging market issuers. Index is USD hedged.

**Standard deviation** is a measure of the volatility, or risk, of an investment that considers the range of returns and their difference from the average return. If data is distributed normally, adding and subtracting standard deviation from the mean return encompasses approximately 68% of the historical returns of the investment and multiplying by two then doing the same encompasses approximately 95%. For example, if an investment has a mean return of 10% and a standard deviation of 15%, 68% of the historical returns fell between 25% and -5% and 95% of historical returns were contained in the interval 40% to -20%.

The comparison to the above indices is chosen to demonstrate the performance against widely recognized indices. These indices do not necessarily represent a benchmark for portfolio comparison. All indexes have certain limitations. Investors cannot invest directly in an index. Indexes have no fees. Historical performance results for investment indexes generally do not reflect the deduction of

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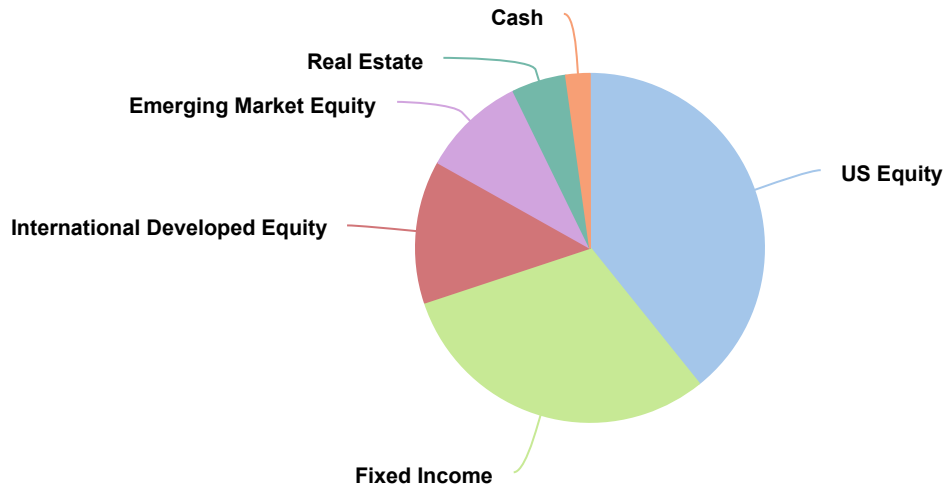


Portfolio Assets as of 12/31/2020

Asset	Ticker	Asset Classification	Shares	Current Market Value	Current Allocation	Target Allocation	Variance
Schwab Bank Sweep	SchwabCash	Cash	1,420,744.58	\$1,420,744.58	2.20 %	N/A	2.20 %
DFA Emerging Markets Core Equity Portfolio Institutional Class	DFCEX	Emerging Market Equity	165,871.47	\$4,025,700.58	6.23 %	5.80 %	0.43 %
AQR Emerging Core Equity R6	QECRX	Emerging Market Equity	187,023.90	\$2,191,920.15	3.39 %	3.30 %	0.09 %
Vanguard Total Bond Market Index I	VBPIX	Fixed Income	815,965.19	\$9,481,515.54	14.68 %	16.80 %	-2.12 %
DFA Five Year Global Fixed Income Portfolio (I)	DFGBX	Fixed Income	363,219.89	\$3,955,464.61	6.12 %	7.00 %	-0.88 %
Vanguard Total Intl Bd Index Instl	VTIFX	Fixed Income	182,109.83	\$6,392,055.10	9.89 %	11.20 %	-1.31 %
DFA International Core Equity Portfolio (I)	DFIEX	International Developed Equity	113,173.06	\$1,648,931.46	2.55 %	2.50 %	0.05 %
DFA Intl Vector Equity	DFVQX	International Developed Equity	310,251.35	\$3,940,192.20	6.10 %	5.90 %	0.20 %
AQR Intl Core Equity R6	QICRX	International Developed Equity	245,825.69	\$2,954,824.78	4.57 %	4.60 %	-0.03 %
DFA Global Real Estate Securities	DFGEX	Real Estate	302,644.68	\$3,253,430.27	5.04 %	5.20 %	-0.16 %
DFA U.S. Core Equity 2 Portfolio (I)	DFQTX	US Equity	336,441.82	\$9,073,835.83	14.04 %	13.60 %	0.44 %
DFA US Vector Equity	DFVEX	US Equity	485,212.92	\$10,048,759.57	15.55 %	14.30 %	1.25 %
AQR Large Cap Multi-Style R6	QCERX	US Equity	346,331.86	\$6,220,120.24	9.63 %	9.80 %	-0.17 %

For additional information, please refer to the disclosure page at the end of this report.

Asset Allocation



Category	Percentage	Value
US Equity	39.2 %	\$ 25,342,716
Fixed Income	30.7 %	\$ 19,829,035
International Developed Equity	13.2 %	\$ 8,543,948
Emerging Market Equity	9.6 %	\$ 6,217,621
Real Estate	5.0 %	\$ 3,253,430
Cash	2.2 %	\$ 1,420,745
<b>Total Portfolio</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>\$ 64,607,495</b>



## Index Definitions & Disclosures

**65/35 All World Benchmark** is a custom benchmark for portfolios which seek to provide both capital appreciation and income by investing in two major areas: equity and fixed income. This custom benchmark consists of the MSCI ACWI Investable Market Index (IMI) (65%) and Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate TR (USD Hedged) Index (35%).

**Standard & Poor's 500 Index** represents the 500 leading U.S. companies, approximately 80% of the total U.S. market capitalization.

**MSCI EAFE Index** (Europe, Australasia, Far East) is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index that is designed to measure the developed equity market (as defined by MSCI) equity performance, excluding the U.S. and Canada. The Index consists of the 21 developed market country indexes.

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**TWR:** The overall portfolio returns are calculated based upon a time-weighted return (TWR). The TWR seeks to eliminate the effect of cash flows on the reported return. A TWR is meant to be comparable among money managers, and thus creates an overall return by equally weighting all time periods, regardless of how much was invested during any individual time period.

**IRR:** The individual fund returns are calculated based upon an internal rate of return (IRR). The IRR shows the return, assuming compounding, earned in each period taking into account the initial investment and all cash flows to equal out to the ending investment. The IRR is affected by the specific timing of cash flows made by the investor, and thus provides the investor with a view of his own realized return on the investment.

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Please note that not all indices listed below are presented in this report.

BBgBarc Global Aggregate TR Hdg USD The index measures the performance of global investment grade fixed-rate debt markets, including the U.S. Aggregate, the Pan-European Aggregate, the Asian-Pacific Aggregate, Global Treasury, Eurodollar, Euro-Yen, Canadian, and Investment Grade 144A index-eligible securities.

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Bloomberg Commodity PR index measures the performance of future contracts on physical commodities which traded on US exchanges and London Metal Exchange. The commodity weightings are based on production and liquidity, subject to weighting restrictions applied annually.

MSCI Emerging Markets Net (USD) index measures the performance of the large and mid-cap segments of emerging market equity securities. It is free float-adjusted market-capitalization weighted.

Bloomberg Barclays Capital 1-3 Year Govt TR index measures the performance of US dollar-denominated, fixed-rate, nominal debt issued by the US Treasury. It is the subset of the US Treasury Index includes bonds with maturities of 1 to 3 years. For each index, Barclays maintains two universes of securities: the Returns (Backward) and Statistics (Forward) Universes. The composition of the Returns Universe is rebalanced at each month-end and represents the fixed set of bonds on which index returns are calculated for the next month. The Statistics Universe is a forward-looking projection that changes daily to reflect issues dropping out of and entering the index but is not used for return calculations. On the last business day of the month (the rebalancing date), the composition of the latest Statistics Universe becomes the Returns Universe for the following month.

MSCI US REIT GR USD index measures the performance of the large, mid and small cap segments of the US equity securities. It is comprised of Equity REITs securities and based on the MSCI USA Investable Market Index, with the exception of Mortgage REIT and selected Specialized REITs. The index represents approximately most of the US REIT universe and securities are classified in the REIT sector according to the Global Industry Classification Standard. It is a free float market capitalization weighted index.

Russell 3000 TR index measures the performance of the largest 3000 US companies representing approximately 98% of the investable US equity market. It is market-capitalization weighted.

S&P 500 index measures the performance of 500 widely held stocks in US equity market. Standard and Poor's chooses member companies for the index based on market size, liquidity and industry group representation. Included are the stocks of industrial, financial, utility, and transportation companies. Since mid-1989, this composition has been more flexible and the number of issues in each sector has varied. It is market capitalization-weighted.

BBgBarc US Agg Bond TR USD index measures the performance of investment grade, U.S. dollar-denominated, fixed-rate taxable bond market, including Treasuries, government-related and corporate securities, MBS (agency fixed-rate and hybrid ARM passthroughs), ABS, and CMBS. It rolls up into other Barclay's flagship indices, such as the multi-currency Global Aggregate Index and the U.S. Universal Index, which includes high yield and emerging markets debt.

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a measure that examines the weighted average of prices of a basket of consumer goods and services, such as transportation, food and medical care. It is calculated by taking price changes for each item in the predetermined basket of goods and averaging them.

BBgBarc US Treasury Bill 1-3 Mon TR USD index measures the performance of public obligations of the U.S. Treasury with maturities of 1-3 month, including securities roll up to the U.S. Aggregate, U.S. Universal, and Global Aggregate Indices.

MSCI EAFE index measures the performance of the large and mid-cap segments of developed markets, excluding the US & Canada equity securities. It is free float-adjusted market-capitalization weighted.

BBgBarc Intermediate Treasury TR USD index measures the performance of public obligations of the U.S. Treasury with maturities of 1-10 years, including securities roll up to the U.S. Aggregate, U.S. Universal, and Global Aggregate Indices.

For the Domestic Composite custom benchmark, the blend consists of the S&P 500 and the Bloomberg Barclays US Agg Bond. For the Structured and PrecisionCore ETF custom benchmark, the blend consists of the Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate Total Return Index and the MSCI ACWI.

Bloomberg Barclays Intermediate US Gov/Credit Bond index measures the performance of U.S. Dollar denominated U.S. Treasuries, government-related and investment grade U.S. corporate securities that have a remaining maturity of greater than one year and less than ten years.