Item 2 – Material Changes

This Item 2 summarizes only the material changes that were made since the Brochure issued on May 15, 2023. It is not a summary of the Brochure in its entirety. Following is a listing of the material changes to the Brochure:

- 1. We added Item 4D to reflect North Star's Cash Sweep Program.
- 2. In Item 4E (formerly Item 4D), we updated the assets under discretionary management.
- 3. We added to Item 8C disclosure information about The Blackstone Private Credit Fund ("BCRED") and The Blackstone Private Equity Strategies ("BXPE").

You may obtain a copy of our current Brochure any time by contacting our Firm's Chief Compliance Officer at the telephone number listed on the cover page of this Brochure.