# Service Provider Disclosure Form for your 403(b) Plan- Personal Retirement Planner As of June 30, 2024

This form provides information about the annuity product (Products) and related services provided to your plan (Plan) by Horace Mann Life Insurance Company (Horace Mann), its affiliated brokerdealer, Horace Mann Investors, Inc. (HMII) (for variable annuity products), and Horace Mann agents. This form also provides information about the compensation received from all sources by Horace Mann, HMII, and Horace Mann agents for the Product and related services.

# Product

The attached disclosure (Product Disclosure) provide detailed information about this Product made available by Horace Mann for investment by Plan participants.

The Product Disclosure for a variable annuity includes the following Tables:

- Table 1 shows performance information for the variable investment options available under the Product. This performance information also reflects the impact of certain fees and expenses under the Product.
- Table 2 shows performance information for the fixed account option available under the Product.
- Table 3 shows all fees and expenses of the Product.
- Table 4 shows annuity income options available under the Product.

Additional information regarding variable investment options available under the Products, including prospectuses, is available at <u>www.horacemann.com</u> under Retirement and Employer-sponsored Retirement Plans.

# Services

<u>Services Provided by Horace Mann.</u> Horace Mann maintains all records pertaining to Plan participants' investments in the Products offered under the Plan. The recordkeeping and administrative services provided to the Plan in connection with participants' investments in the Products include the following:

- Processing of all transactions under the Products
- Payment of values and benefits under the Products
- Billing for salary reduction contributions
- Monitoring of IRS maximum contribution limits for amounts invested in the Products, including any catch-up contributions allowed by the Plan

- Processing of hardship withdrawals and loans from the Products, if allowed under the Plan
- Processing of other distributions from the Products
- Processing of Qualified Domestic Relations Orders pertaining to the Products
- Providing the Plan sponsor, upon request, with information regarding Plan participants' investments in the Products
- Processing of IRS required minimum distributions from the Products
- Providing quarterly annuity statements pertaining to the Products to Plan participants
- Dollar cost averaging and rebalancing programs (for variable annuity Products)
- Customer Care Call Center
- Voice Response System
- Online annuity services pertaining to the Products for Plan participants

Horace Mann also provides services relating to the underlying funds available as investment options under its variable annuities, including the following: providing information about the funds to variable annuity clients; delivery of prospectuses and other reports or notices relating to the funds to variable annuity clients; training of Horace Mann personnel with respect to the funds; maintenance of records reflecting fund shares purchased and redeemed in connection with variable annuity contracts; providing back office processing and support in connection with the funds; and providing statements or reports to variable annuity clients showing performance and other information relating to the funds.

All recordkeeping and administrative services described above are provided only with respect to Products sold under the Plan.

<u>Services Provided by Agents.</u> The Products offered under the Plan are sold by an agent appointed with Horace Mann. The agent provides education, information, and tools to assist Plan participants in making educated financial decisions for their retirement planning and can answer questions from Plan participants about their annuity contracts and assist them with transactions involving their contracts.

<u>Services Provided by HMII.</u> HMII acts as the distributor for Horace Mann variable annuities. Variable annuities are sold by Horace Mann through its appointed agents who are registered representatives of HMII. HMII provides various services relating to the underlying funds available as investment options under variable annuities, including the following: providing information about the funds to prospective variable annuity clients; delivery of prospectuses to prospective variable annuity clients; and personnel with respect to the funds; and providing statements or reports to prospective variable annuity clients showing performance and other information relating to the funds.

Horace Mann, HMII, and Horace Mann agents who have sold Products under the Plan do not intend to provide services as a fiduciary or as an investment adviser to the Plan or its participants.

## **Compensation for Services**

This section describes all compensation payable from any source to Horace Mann, its agents, or HMII with respect to the Plan, the Products, and the services provided.

<u>Compensation Received by Horace Mann.</u> Horace Mann receives as direct compensation for the above services any fees or charges collected by Horace Mann under the Products, as detailed in the attached Product Disclosure(s). Any such fees or charges are deducted directly from Plan participants' annuity accounts.

<u>Compensation Received by Agents.</u> To compensate agents for the services they provide with respect to the Products, Horace Mann pays commissions to the agents based on their sales of the Products to Plan participants. The commissions payable for the Product described in the attached Product Disclosure is paid at a rate of 0.025% times the outstanding account balance, payable twice monthly. Over the course of one year, this amounts to an annualized rate of \$6.00 per \$1,000 of average account balance.

Finally, when a Participant makes additional contributions to a Product, the agent earns points on an annual basis toward qualifying for certain annual incentive trips paid for by Horace Mann or an affiliate. The agent also earns points toward qualifying for the incentive trips in connection with sales of other retirement products to participants and employers. Points are allocated equally across all retirement products, including this Product. Additional points toward qualifying incentive trips can be earned in connection with sales of insurance products sold by the agent. The value of the incentive trip depends on the hotel, travel, dining and entertainment expenses associated with the applicable trip.

No additional charges or deductions are assessed or made against or from the Product, Plan participants' accounts, or the Plan in order to pay commissions or incentives. Horace Mann intends to recover the amount of the commissions and incentives paid through the fees or charges collected by Horace Mann under the Products or through other corporate revenue.

Agents are predominately independent contractors, with a small number who are employees, all of whom exclusively represent Horace Mann or its affiliates.

<u>Compensation Received by HMII.</u> As described above (under "Compensation Received by Horace Mann"), underlying funds available as investment options under Horace Mann variable annuities may make payments to HMII for its services described above (under "Services Provided by HMII") with respect to those funds.

<u>No Compensation Payable upon Termination.</u> If the Plan sponsor terminates Horace Mann's status as an approved product provider under the Plan, no compensation is payable to Horace Mann, HMII, or any agent or affiliate in connection with that termination. Normal charges and expenses under the Products would apply, as set forth in the Product Disclosure(s).

### Personal Retirement Planner Fixed Indexed Annuity Contract

This document contains information about the Personal Retirement Planner Fixed Indexed Annuity contract (referred to below as the "Product") issued by Horace Mann Life Insurance Company ("Horace Mann") which has been offered as an investment vehicle under your 403(b) plan.

This document has 3 tables. Table 1 shows performance information; Table 2 has information on Product fees/charges; and Table 3 has information about annuity income options available under the Product.

A glossary of terms relevant to the Product is found at the end of this document.

### Table 1- Performance

Table 1 focuses on the performance of the Product. Table 1 shows the annual rate of return of the General Fixed Account, the term or length of time that the participant will earn this rate of return, and other information relevant to performance.

### Rate of return as of December 29, 2023

| The guaranteed annual         |   |
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|                               | Horace Mann reserves the right to adjust the  |
| effective interest rate is    | current interest rate prospectively, but not below  |
| determined at issue           | the guaranteed rate. The current interest rate  |
|                               | applied to any specific premium paid into the   |
|                               | Product will not change more than once in any 12-   |
|                               | month period. Current interest rate information is  |
| anniversary and every         | available by calling 800-999-1030.  |
|                               |   |
| anniversary thereafter.       |   |
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| Period- The guaranteed annual | The fixed account minimum monthly annuity   |
| _                             | option payments provided under the Product are  |
|                               | based on the 2012 IAR Mortality Table, if life  |
|                               | contingent, and the guaranteed interest rate.   |
|                               | These annuity payments may be increased by  |
|                               | Horace Mann. The current annuity payments are   |
|                               | based on the 2012 IAR mortality table, if life  |
|                               | contingent, the current rates and will be adjusted  |
|                               | by the state premium tax, if applicable.  |
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|                               | determined at issue<br>and will be<br>redetermined on the<br>tenth contract<br>anniversary and every<br>fifth contract<br>anniversary thereafter. |

\* The General Fixed Account - Accumulation Phase guaranteed rate is the lowest of all such guaranteed rates that have been offered on the Product. Depending on when a participant's annuity contract was issued, this rate may be higher and will be shown on the contract's data page(s).

**Indexed Account Options**. Prior to the Annuity Date, a participant may allocate premium and contract value to the Indexed Accounts available under the Product. The guaranteed minimum interest rate for the Indexed Accounts is 0.00%. The actual indexed interest credited will depend on the change in value of the applicable Index over the one-year index period and the current cap rate and participation rate for the Indexed Account. Horace Mann can adjust the cap rate and participation rate at each index date, but not below the minimums stated in a participant's contract. Contract value may not be transferred from an Indexed Account during an index period. Any indexed interest is credited at the end of the index period, and amounts taken from an Indexed Account during an index period for a withdrawal, payment of a death benefit, loan or annuitization will receive no indexed interest for that index period.

Information on the performance of the Product, including any Indexed Account(s) selected by the participant, may be found in the quarterly statements mailed to the participant for the participant's annuity contract. A participant may also access these

### Table 2 - Fees/Charges

Surrender Charges. The Product has no Surrender Charges.

The cumulative effect of fees/charges can substantially reduce the growth of retirement savings. Visit the Department of Labor's Web site for an example showing the long-term effect of fees/charges at

<u>http://www.dol.gov/ebsa/publications/401k\_employee.html</u>. Fees/charges are only one of many factors a participant should consider when deciding whether to invest in a particular product. A participant should also think about whether an investment in a particular product, along with other investments, will help achieve the participant's financial goals.

#### Table 3 - Annuity Options

#### The information in the table below is as of December 29, 2023

Table 3 focuses on the annuity payout options available under the Product. Any guarantees by Horace Mann under these options are subject to its long-term financial strength and claims-paying ability. Once an annuity payout option has been selected and the payout phase begins, withdrawals are not allowed.

| Name   | Objectives/Goals  | Pricing Factors   | Restrictions/fees  |
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| Life Income Option                                     | <ul> <li>Annuity payments are made during the<br/>lifetime of the annuitant.</li> <li>Does not allow for a guaranteed minimum<br/>number of payments.</li> </ul>  | The cost depends upon your age, gender<br>and the interest environment when you<br>elect the option.  | Proof of survivorship<br>may be required<br>annually.  |
| Life with Increase Option without<br>Guaranteed Period | <ul> <li>o Annuity payments are made during the lifetime of the annuitant.</li> <li>o Does not allow for a guaranteed minimum number of payments.</li> <li>o The annuity payment amount will increase annually on the anniversary of the annuity date based on the annuity payment increase percentage elected.</li> <li>o Available annuity payment increase percentages are 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 percent.</li> </ul>  | The cost depends upon your age, gender<br>and the interest environment when you<br>elect the option. The higher the increase<br>percentage selected, the lower the intial<br>payout amount.   | Proof of survivorship<br>may be required<br>annually.  |
| Life with Installment refund upon<br>death             | <ul> <li>o Annuity payments are made during the lifetime of the annuitant.</li> <li>o Installment refund at death will continue annuity payments to the payee until the net premium has been paid out, thereby ending the contract</li> </ul>   | The cost depends upon your age, gender<br>and the interest environment when you<br>elect the option.  | Proof of survivorship<br>may be required<br>annually.  |
| Life with cash refund upon death                       | <ul> <li>Annuity payments are made during the<br/>lifetime of the annuitant</li> <li>A cash refund at death pays out the difference<br/>between the net premium and the payments<br/>made to date, thereby ending the contract</li> </ul>   | The cost depends upon your age, gender<br>and the interest environment when you<br>elect the option.  | Proof of survivorship<br>may be required<br>annually.  |
| Life with Guaranteed period                            | <ul> <li>Annuity payments are made during the<br/>lifetime of the annuitant, or until the end of the<br/>guaranteed period, whichever is later</li> <li>Guaranteed period can be from 1-30 years as<br/>long as it does not extend beyond the life<br/>expectancy of the annuitant</li> </ul>   | The cost depends upon your age, gender<br>and the interest environment when you<br>elect the option. The longer the<br>guaranteed period, the lower the initial<br>payout amount.   | Proof of survivorship<br>may be required<br>annually. Guaranteed<br>period cannot extend<br>beyond the life<br>expectancy of the<br>annuitant. |
| Life with Guaranteed Period and<br>Increase Option     | <ul> <li>Annuity payments are made during the lifetime of the annuitant, or until the end of the guaranteed period, whichever is later.</li> <li>Guaranteed period can be from 1-30 years as long as it does not extend beyond the life expectancy of the annuitant.</li> <li>The annuity payment amount will increase annually on the anniversary of the annuity date based on the annuity payment increase percentage elected.</li> <li>Available annuity payment increase percentages are 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 percent.</li> </ul> | The cost depends upon your age, gender<br>and the interest environment when you<br>elect the option. The longer the<br>guaranteed period, the lower the initial<br>payout amount. The higher the increase<br>percentage selected, the lower the initial<br>payout amount. | Proof of survivorship<br>may be required<br>annually. Guaranteed<br>period cannot extend<br>beyond the life<br>expectancy of the<br>annuitant. |
| Specified Period                                       | <ul> <li>Annuity payments are made for the specified period of time as elected</li> <li>A ten-year minimum period is required for this option</li> </ul>  | The cost depends upon your length of the specified period and the interest environment when you elect the option.   | Specified period cannot<br>extend beyond the life<br>expectancy of the<br>annuitant.   |

| Specified Period with Increase Option   | <ul> <li>Annuity payments are made for the specified period of time as elected</li> <li>A ten-year minimum period is required for this option.</li> <li>The annuity payment amount will increase annually on the anniversary of the annuity date based on the annuity payment increase percentage elected.</li> <li>Available annuity payment increase percentages are 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 percent.</li> </ul>  | The cost depends upon the length of the<br>specified period selected and the interest<br>environment when you elect the option.<br>The higher the increase percentage<br>selected, the lower the initial payout<br>amount.  | Specified period cannot<br>extend beyond the life<br>expectancy of the<br>annuitant. |
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| Joint and Survivor Life without<br>Guaranteed Period  | <ul> <li>Annuity payments are made while both the annuitant and joint annuitant are living and during the survivor's remaining lifetime.</li> <li>Available survivor options are 50 percent, 2/3 (66.7 percent) and 100 percent.</li> <li>Does not allow for a guaranteed minimum number of payments.</li> </ul>   | The cost depends upon the ages, genders<br>of both annuitants and the interest<br>environment when you elect the option.<br>The higher the survivor percentage<br>selected, the lower the initial payout<br>amount.   | Proof of survivorship<br>may be required<br>annually.                                |
| Joint and Survivor Life with 100<br>percent Survivor Benefit and<br>Installment Refund upon Second<br>Death | <ul> <li>Annuity payments are made while both the annuitant and joint annuitant are living and during the survivor's remaining lifetime</li> <li>Available survivor option is 100 percent</li> <li>Upon the death of the survivor, this option will continue annuity payments to a payee until the total of annuity payments made equals the net premium, thereby ending the contract</li> </ul>   | The cost depends upon the ages, genders<br>of both annuitants and the interest<br>environment when you elect the option.  | Proof of survivorship<br>may be required<br>annually.                                |
| Joint and Survivor Life with Increase<br>Option and without Guaranteed<br>Period                            | <ul> <li>o Annuity payments are made while both the annuitant and joint annuitant are living and during the survivor's remaining lifetime.</li> <li>o Available survivor options are 50 percent, 2/3 (66.7 percent) and 100 percent.</li> <li>o Does not allow for a guaranteed minimum number of payments.</li> <li>o The annuity payment amount will increase annually on the anniversary of the annuity date based on the annuity payment increase percentage elected.</li> <li>o Available annuity payment increase percentages are 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 percent.</li> </ul> | The cost depends upon the ages, genders<br>of both annuitants and the interest<br>environment when you elect the option.<br>The higher the survivor percentage<br>selected, the lower the initial payout<br>amount. The higher the increase<br>percentage selected, the lower the initial<br>payout amount. | Proof of survivorship<br>may be required<br>annually.                                |

Information regarding the annuity payout options available under the Product may be found in the participant's annuity contract.