

1919 Socially Responsive Balanced Fund

March 31, 2018

Morningstar Rating™

Overall Rating as of March 31, 2018



As of 3/31/18, Class I shares rated 4 stars among 680 50% to 70% U.S. Equity Allocation funds, based upon risk-adjusted returns derived from a weighted average of the performance figures associated with 3-, 5and 10-year (if applicable) Morningstar Ratings metrics without adjustment for sales load.

Morningstar Sustainability Rating™











High

Sustainability Percentile Rank in Category: 7 Sustainability Score: 48

Based on 82% of AUM out of a universe of 173 50-70% U.S. Equity Allocation Funds. Sustainability Score as of 12/31/17. Sustainability Rating as of 2/28/18. Applicable for all share classes.

Tickers

Class A: Class C: Class I: SSIAX SESLX **LMRNX**

Portfolio Management



Ronald T. Bates Portfolio Manager

Ronald T. Bates is a Managing Director at 1919 Investment Counsel and manages the equity portion of the Fund. He is the Director of the Socially Responsive Investment Department and has over 27 years of industry experience.



Aimee M. Eudy Portfolio Manager

Aimee M. Eudy is a Principal at 1919 Investment Counsel and manages the Fixed Income portion of the fund. She has over 21 years of industry experience.



Alison Bevilacqua Head of Social Research

Alison is a Principal at 1919 Investment Counsel and the Head of Social Research. As a Social Research Analyst, she specializes in Corporate Responsibility research and has over 22 years industry experience.

Commentary

Portfolio Manager Ron Bates shares his team's insights on socially responsible investing and the Fund's focus for 2018.

Q1. Several large state pensions have increased their positions on low carbon companies while others are taking a deeper look at labor rights, water usage, and diversity when selecting portfolio companies. Is this a growing trend in socially responsible investing?

As the conversation has evolved from purely values-based socially responsible investing (SRI) towards an additional focus on ESG (environment, sustainability and corporate governance) criteria, we have seen the interest level from larger institutions grow. These investors seem to be seeking companies whose business practices align with ESG criteria and avoid those considered high risk from an ESG perspective.

As a signatory to the United Nations' Principles for Responsible Investment (PRI), 1919 Investment Counsel completes an annual self-audit, demonstrating how ESG factors are incorporated into our investment decision making process.

Q2. How is ESG defined and what has been the challenge as socially responsible investing has evolved to incorporate ESG?

Unlike SRI values-based criteria, ESG is less about making a values-based judgment on what is right or wrong but more about examining the risks or opportunities for a business. Many ESG-focused organizations continue to work towards finding commonality in defining ESG which continues to be challenging:

- ▶ The "E" typically focuses on the opportunities and risks around the environment and climate change.
- ▶ The "S" can be more challenging as it focuses on evaluating future social impact. For example, while estimating the future social impact of tobacco may be more straightforward in terms of the risks associated with healthcare costs and litigation, the discussion may be more complex around alcohol.
- ▶ The "G" typically focuses on corporate governance, which can be easier to measure, for example, in terms of board diversity, board independence or executive compensation versus a peer group.

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Q3. Would you please provide an update on green bond issuance and projects associated with the bonds?

Green bonds are typically issued to fund projects that have positive environmental and/or climate benefits. Global green bond issuance reached a record \$155 billion in 2017. The majority of that growth was not U.S. based but led by China and France. However, we do expect to see more domestic green bond issuance to satisfy increasing demand. The most common use of green bond proceeds went to renewable energy projects; however, low-carbon buildings, energy efficiency and low-carbon transport were on the rise. Within the Fund's portfolio, we have added an International Finance green bond and will continue to evaluate opportunities as they arise.

Q4. Would you please provide an updated outlook on the market for 2018 and how you've positioned the Fund to capitalize on your view?

We are still positive on equities. With the anticipation of continued volatility, we see 2018 as a stock pickers'

market where active managers take stronger stances where they see opportunity. From a sector perspective, we are overweight relative to the S&P 500 Index in Industrials, a sector we believe should benefit from increased infrastructure spending. We are also overweight in Consumer Discretionary; job creation, the beginning of wage growth and tax reform may have a positive impact on consumer spending. We have a higher relative weighting in Technology as we believe the potential for growth continues to offer compelling opportunities.

Q5. Please discuss the Fund's carbon footprint relative to the S&P 500.

In terms of our carbon footprint, the Fund is 69% less carbon intensive than the S&P 500.* In the Fund's portfolio, we are continually working to decrease our carbon footprint by investing in companies whose projects, products, and/or processes support a transition to a lower-carbon economy.

About 1919 Investment Counsel

1919 Investment Counsel is the investment advisor to the 1919 Funds and manages approximately \$11.1 billion in assets as of March 31, 2018. The cornerstone of 1919's investment process is proprietary, fundamental research with an emphasis on quality, risk management and diversification. In addition to the 1919 Funds, 1919 Investment Counsel provides customized equity and fixed income strategies for institutions, family offices and high net worth individuals.

Disclosure

*Source: TRUCOST as of December 31, 2017.

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The Morningstar Sustainability Rating is depicted by globe icons where High equals 5 globes and Low equals 1 globe. Since a Sustainability Rating is assigned to all funds that meet the above criteria, the rating it is not limited to funds with explicit sustainable or responsible investment mandates. Morningstar updates its Sustainability Ratings monthly. The Portfolio Sustainability Score is calculated when Morningstar receives a new portfolio. Then, the Sustainability Rating is calculated one month and six business days after the reported as-of date of the most recent portfolio. As part of the evaluation process, Morningstar uses Sustainalytics' ESG scores from the same month as the portfolio as-of date. Please click on http://corporate1.morningstar.com/SustainableInvesting/ for more detailed information about the Morningstar Sustainability Rating methodology and calculation frequency.

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