## PROSPECTUS

**Dated May 1, 2023** 



# Fundrise Income Real Estate Fund, LLC

**Common Shares** 

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The Fund. Fundrise Income Real Estate Fund, LLC (the "Fund") is a Delaware limited liability company that is registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act"), as a non-diversified, closed-end management investment company that is operated as an "interval fund." The Fund intends to be taxed and to qualify for treatment each year as a real estate investment trust (a "REIT") under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code") beginning with its taxable year ended December 31, 2022.

The Mission. Rise Companies Corp. ("Rise Companies"), the Fund's sponsor, owns and operates through its subsidiary Fundrise, LLC, an investment platform available both online at <a href="https://www.fundrise.com">www.fundrise.com</a> and through various mobile applications sponsored by Rise Companies (collectively referred to herein along with the Fund's website <a href="https://www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com">www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com</a>, the "Fundrise Platform"). Rise Companies believes in leveraging technology to build a better financial system that empowers individuals. With technology, Rise Companies can create a more efficient mechanism than the conventional financial system to invest in real estate and other alternative assets. Please see "Plan of Distribution" for more information on Rise Companies' mission to make real estate and alternative asset investing easier and more efficient for retail investors.

*Investment Objective.* The Fund's investment objective is to seek current income from which to pay attractive, consistent cash distributions while preserving capital. The Fund's investment objective is non-fundamental and may be changed by the Fund's Board of Directors (the "Board") without approval of the Fund's shareholders ("Shareholders"). There can be no assurance that the Fund will achieve its investment objective.

*Investment Strategies.* The Fund pursues its investment objective by originating, investing in and managing a portfolio of residential and commercial real estate investments. The Fund executes its investment strategy primarily by seeking to invest opportunistically in a broad portfolio of investments across the following primary asset classes:

- · Commercial and residential real property;
- · Commercial and residential real estate loans; and
- Commercial and residential real estate debt and equity securities

The Adviser has broad discretion to allocate the Fund's assets among the three primary asset classes, and other real estate-related assets. There is no maximum or minimum percentage of the Fund's assets that may be allocated to any asset class. The Fund anticipates investing through various types of investment structures, including through co-investment arrangements, non-controlled joint ventures, and subsidiaries where the Fund owns all or a majority of the voting securities of such subsidiary (collectively, "Real Estate Investment Vehicles")).

Under normal circumstances, the Fund will invest at least 80% of its net assets (plus the amount of any borrowings for investment purposes) in residential and commercial real estate, the securities of real estate and real estate-related issuers, and real estate-related loans or other real estate-related debt securities. For this purpose, real estate-related companies are those that derive at least 50% of their revenues or profits from the ownership, construction, management, financing or sale of real estate, or have at least 50% of the fair market value of their assets invested in real estate.

The Fund seeks to create and maintain a portfolio of investments that generate a low volatility income stream of attractive and consistent cash distributions, though there is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve such results.

The Adviser intends to directly structure, underwrite and originate many of the products in which the Fund invests as this provides for the best opportunity to manage borrowers and partner relationships and optimize the terms of Fund investments. The Adviser's proven underwriting process, which the management team has successfully developed over their extensive real estate careers in a variety of market conditions and implemented at the Fund's sponsor, will involve comprehensive financial, structural, operational and legal due diligence of Fund properties, borrowers and partners in order to optimize pricing and structuring and mitigate risk. The Fund believes the current and future market environment (including any existing or future government-sponsored enterprise, as defined below) provides a wide range of opportunities to generate compelling investments with strong risk-return profiles for Fund shareholders.

The Fund may invest in securities of any credit quality, maturity and duration to enhance its income and capital appreciation potential and to provide liquidity to the overall portfolio. This may include, without limit, securities that are rated below investment grade by rating agencies (commonly referred to as junk bonds) or unrated securities that would be rated below investment grade if they were rated. The Adviser expects that a majority of the Fund's real estate-related debt investments will be in secured, unrated real estate loans and debt, as well as debt securities that are rated investment grade.

For a complete discussion of the risks involved with the Fund's investments, please read the section entitled "Risk Factors".

Unlisted Closed-End Fund. An investment in the Fund is subject to, among others, the following risks:

- There is not expected to be any secondary trading market in the Shares.
- Although the Fund offers to repurchase at least 5% of outstanding shares on a quarterly basis in accordance with the Fund's repurchase policy, the Fund is not required to repurchase shares at a shareholder's option nor are shares exchangeable for units, interests or shares of any security. Moreover, the Fund is not required to extend, and shareholders should not expect the Fund's Board to authorize, repurchase offers in excess of 5% of outstanding shares. Accordingly, regardless of how the Fund performs, an investor may not be able to sell or otherwise liquidate his or her shares whenever such investor would prefer and, except to the extent permitted under the quarterly repurchase offer, will be unable to reduce his or her exposure on any market downturn.
- Shareholders should not expect to be able to sell their Shares in a secondary market transaction regardless of how the Fund performs. An investment in the Fund is considered to be of limited liquidity.
- If a Shareholder is able to sell its Shares outside the quarterly repurchase process, the Shareholder likely will receive less than the then-current NAV per Share.
- There is no assurance that distributions paid by the Fund will be maintained at a certain level or that dividends will be paid at all.
- While the Fund seeks to make consistent cash distributions from income, it is possible that the Fund's distributions may be funded from unlimited amounts of offering proceeds or borrowings and may constitute a return of capital, which would reduce the amount of capital available to the Fund for investment. Any capital returned to Shareholders through distributions will be distributed after payment of fees and expenses.
- A return of capital to Shareholders is a return of a portion of their original investment in the Fund, thereby reducing the tax basis of their investment. As a result of such reduction in tax basis, Shareholders may be subject to tax in connection with the sale of Shares, even if such Shares are sold at a loss relative to the Shareholder's original investment.

Investing in Shares is speculative and involves substantial risks, including the risks typically associated with real estate. You should purchase Shares of the Fund only if you can afford a complete loss of your investment. See the "Risk Factors" section beginning on page 30 of this Prospectus to read about the more significant risks you should consider before investing in the Fund, including the risks typically associated with real estate.

Interval Fund. The Fund is designed primarily for long-term investors who can bear the risks associated with the limited liquidity of the Shares and not as a trading vehicle. Shareholders are not able to have their Shares redeemed or otherwise sell their Shares on a daily basis. Moreover, the Fund's Shares are subject to restrictions on transferability and may only be transferred or resold in accordance with the Limited Liability Company Operating Agreement of the Fund (the "LLC Agreement"). The Fund operates as an "interval fund" pursuant to which it, subject to applicable law, will conduct quarterly repurchase offers for between 5% and 25% of the Fund's outstanding common shares of limited liability company interests ("Shares" or "Common Shares") at net asset value ("NAV"). In connection with each repurchase offer, it is likely that the Fund may offer to repurchase only the minimum allowable amount of 5% of its outstanding Shares. It is also possible that a repurchase offer may be oversubscribed, with the result that Fund shareholders ("Shareholders") may only be able to have a portion of their Shares repurchased. There is no assurance that you will be able to tender your Shares when or in the amount that you desire. The Fund does not currently intend to list its shares for trading on any national securities exchange and does not expect any secondary market to develop for its Shares. For this reason, the Shares are not readily marketable. Although the Fund will make quarterly repurchase offers to repurchase a portion of the Shares to try to provide liquidity to Shareholders, you should consider the Shares to have limited liquidity. See "Risk Factors – Non-Listed Closed-End Interval Fund; Liquidity Risk" and "Periodic Repurchase Offers."

Leverage. The Fund may use leverage to provide additional funds to support its investment activities. The Fund may employ leverage of not more than 33 1/3% of total assets as it is limited to 33 1/3% of the Fund's total assets (less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by 1940 Act leverage), in order to provide more funds available for investment. The Fund may utilize debt financing consisting of property level debt (mortgages on the Fund's properties that are generally not recourse to the Fund) and entity level debt (non-mortgage debt at the Fund level). Property level debt will be incurred by special purpose vehicles held by the Fund (including as part of a joint venture with a third party) and secured by real estate owned by such special purpose vehicles. Such special purpose vehicles would own real estate assets and would borrow from a lender using the owned property as mortgage collateral. If any such special purpose vehicle were to default on a loan, the lender's recourse would be to the mortgaged property and the lender would typically not have a claim to other assets of the Fund. The Fund may also incur entity level debt, including unsecured and secured credit facilities from certain financial institutions and other forms of borrowing (collectively, "Borrowings") and is limited to 33 1/3% of the Fund's total assets (i.e., for every dollar of indebtedness from Borrowings, the Fund is required to have at least three dollars of assets). In addition, the Fund may enter into investment management techniques (including reverse repurchase agreements and derivative transactions) that have similar effects as leverage. Furthermore, the Fund may add leverage to its portfolio through the issuance of preferred shares of limited liability company interests ("Preferred Shares") in an aggregate amount of up to 50% of the Fund's total assets immediately after such issuance (i.e., for every dollar of Preferred Shares outstanding, the Fund is required to have at least two dollars of assets). Currently, the Fun

The Adviser. The investment adviser to the Fund is Fundrise Advisors, LLC (the "Adviser"), an investment adviser registered with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, as amended (the "Advisers Act"). Subject to the oversight of the Board, the Adviser is responsible for directing the management of the Fund's business and affairs, managing the Fund's day-to-day affairs, and implementing the Fund's investment strategy. The Adviser is a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Rise Companies, the Fund's sponsor, which owns and operates through a subsidiary the Fundrise Platform. As of December 31, 2022, the Adviser had approximately \$3.10 billion in assets under management.

Subsequent investments may be made in any amount. The Fund reserves the right to modify or waive the minimum purchase requirement. Shares are being offered by the Fund at an offering price equal to the Fund's NAV per share determined following a receipt of a purchase order in good order. Shares are not subject to sales charges. The Fund is not required to sell any specific number or dollar amount of the Fund's Shares, but will use its "best efforts" to sell the Shares. No arrangements have been made to place proceeds in an escrow, trust, or similar account. The Fund intends to distribute its shares primarily through the Fundrise Platform. The Fund will not pay Fundrise, LLC, a subsidiary of Rise Companies and the owner of the Fundrise Platform, any sales commissions or other remuneration for hosting the offering on the Fundrise Platform. The Fund currently offers one class of Shares on a continuous basis. The Fund may offer additional classes of Shares in the future. The Fund may apply for exemptive relief from the SEC that would permit the Fund to issue multiple classes of Shares; there is no assurance, however, that the relief would be granted. Until such exemptive order is granted and the Fund registers a new Share class, the Fund will only offer one class of Shares.

	Per Share(1)	Total(1)
Public Offering Price	At net asset value	Unlimited
Sales Charge (Load) <sup>(1)</sup>	None	None
Proceeds to the Fund (Before Expenses)(2)	Amount invested at net asset value	Unlimited

- (1) Shares are being sold in a continuous offering by the Fund at an offering price equal to the Fund's then-current NAV per Share. Shares are not subject to sales charges.
- (2) The Fund's estimated organization and offering costs for the initial 12-month period of investment operations are \$200,000, or \$0.01 per Share.

This Prospectus provides information that a prospective investor should know about the Fund before investing. Investors are advised to read this Prospectus carefully and to retain it for future reference. Additional information about the Fund, including a statement of additional information about the Fund, dated May 1, 2023 (the "SAI"), has been filed with the SEC and is incorporated by reference in its entirety into this Prospectus. The SAI and the Fund's annual and semi-annual reports and other information filed with the SEC, can be obtained upon request and without charge by writing to the Fund at Fundrise Income Real Estate Fund, LLC Attn: Investor Relations, 11 Dupont Circle NW, 9th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20036, by calling (202) 584-0550, or by visiting the Fund's website at <a href="https://www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com">www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com</a>. In addition, the contact information provided above may be used to request additional information about the Fund and to make Shareholder inquiries. The SAI, other material incorporated by reference into this Prospectus and other information about the Fund is also available on the SEC's website at <a href="https://www.sec.gov">https://www.sec.gov</a>. The address of the SEC's website is provided solely for the information of prospective investors and is not intended to be an active link.

If you purchase Shares of the Fund, you will become bound by the terms and conditions of the LLC Agreement. A copy of the LLC Agreement has been filed as an exhibit to the Fund's registration statement with the SEC.

Neither the SEC nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved these securities or determined if this Prospectus is truthful or complete. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.

Shares are not deposits or obligations of, and are not guaranteed or endorsed by, any bank or other insured depository institution, and Shares are not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System or any other government agency.

You should not construe the contents of this Prospectus as legal, tax or financial advice. You should consult your own professional advisers as to legal, tax, financial or other matters relevant to the suitability of an investment in the Fund.

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This summary does not contain all of the information that a prospective investor should consider before investing in the Fund. Before investing, a prospective investor should carefully read the more detailed information contained or incorporated by reference in this Prospectus and the SAI, particularly the risks of investing in the Fund, as discussed under "Investment Objective, Strategies and Policies – Risk Factors."

#### The Fund

Fundrise Income Real Estate Fund, LLC (the "Fund") is organized as a Delaware limited liability company that is registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940 Act, as amended (the "1940 Act"), as a non-diversified, closed-end management investment company. The Fund is operated as an "interval fund" (as defined below) and continuously offers its common shares of limited liability company interests ("Shares" or "Common Shares") at net asset value ("NAV"). The Fund intends to be taxed and to qualify for treatment each year as a REIT under the Code beginning with its taxable year ended December 31, 2022

## **Investment Objective**

The Fund's investment objective is to seek current income from which to pay attractive, consistent cash distributions while preserving capital. The Fund's investment objective is non-fundamental and may be changed by the Fund's Board of Directors (the "Board") without approval of the Fund's shareholders ("Shareholders"). There can be no assurance that the Fund will achieve its investment objective.

### **Principal Investment Strategies**

The Fund pursues its investment objective by originating, investing in and managing a portfolio of residential and commercial real estate investments. The Fund expects to invest substantially all of its assets

- to originate, acquire and structure real estate loans (including senior mortgage loans, subordinated mortgage loans (also referred to as B-Notes), mezzanine loans, and participations in such loans);
- to acquire investments in income generating properties and other real estate that generates current payments;
- to acquire, hold and finance land for future development; and

to acquire investments in other residential and commercial real estate (including through "Real Estate Investment Vehicles").

Real Estate Investment Vehicles are income generating properties and other real estate that generates current payments, and may also be used to acquire, hold and finance land for future development, and to acquire investments in other residential and commercial real estate (including through co-investment arrangements, joint ventures, and majority-owned subsidiaries with rights to receive preferred economic returns).

The types of commercial and residential real estate in which the Fund may invest include, but are not limited to, the following: (1) rental properties, (2) retail properties, (3) office properties, (4) multifamily properties, (5) single family properties, (6) hospitality properties, (7) industrial properties, (8) healthcare properties, (9) land, (10), self-storage properties, (11) student housing properties, (12) data center properties, and (13) new construction homebuilding.

The Fund may also invest in residential and commercial real estate-related debt securities (including commercial mortgage-backed securities ("CMBS"), residential mortgage-backed securities ("RMBS"), collateralized debt obligations ("CDOs"), government-sponsored enterprises ("GSEs") (GSEs are quasi-governmental entities established to facilitate borrowing for a variety of individuals, including students, farmers, and homeowners, the most common examples of which are Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac), and REIT senior unsecured debt), and other real estate-related assets. Under normal circumstances, the Fund will invest at least 80% of its net assets (plus the amount of any borrowings for investment purposes) in residential and commercial real estate, the securities of real estate and real estate-related issuers, and real estate-related loans or other real estate-related debt securities. For this purpose, real estate-related companies are those that derive at least 50% of their revenues or profits from the ownership, construction, management, financing or sale of real estate, or have at least 50% of the fair market value of their assets invested in real estate.

The Fund may invest in securities of any credit quality, maturity and duration to enhance its income and capital appreciation potential and to provide liquidity to the overall portfolio. This may include, without limit, securities that are rated below investment grade by rating agencies or unrated securities that would be rated below investment grade if they were rated. The Adviser expects that a majority of the Fund's real estate-related debt investments will be in secured, unrated real estate loans and debt, as well as debt securities that are rated investment grade. Bonds that are rated from AAA to BBB by the rating agencies are considered "investment grade."

On a long-term basis, under normal circumstances, the Fund expects to allocate its portfolio among the Fund's three primary asset classes. Since real estate markets are often cyclical in nature, the Fund does not target specific allocations by investment strategy or geography. The Fund will deploy capital into the investment strategy that provides the best opportunities to meet its investment objective.

The Fund seeks to create and maintain a portfolio of investments that generate a low volatility income stream of attractive and consistent cash distributions, though there is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve such results. The Fund's focus on investing in debt instruments and real estate that generates current payments will emphasize the payment of current returns to investors and preservation of invested capital as the Fund's primary investment objectives, with a lesser emphasis on seeking capital appreciation from the Fund's investments.

The Adviser intends to directly structure, underwrite and originate many of the products in which the Fund invests as the Adviser's proven underwriting process, which the management team has successfully developed over their extensive real estate careers in a variety of market conditions and implemented through the Fund's sponsor, will involve comprehensive financial, structural, operational and legal due diligence of Fund properties, borrowers, and partners in order to optimize pricing and structuring and mitigate risk. The Fund believes the current and future market environment (including any existing or future government-sponsored programs, also referred to as "government-sponsored enterprises") provides a wide range of opportunities to generate compelling investments with strong risk-return profiles for shareholders. Government-sponsored enterprises ("GSEs") are quasi-governmental entities established to enhance the flow of credit to specific sectors of the American economy. Created by acts of Congress, these agencies—although they are privately-held—provide public financial services. GSEs help to facilitate borrowing for a variety of individuals, including students, farmers, and homeowners. The most common examples of GSEs are Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac.

## **Principal Risks**

Investing in the Fund involves risks, including the risk that a Shareholder may receive little or no return on his or her investment or that a Shareholder may lose part or all of his or her investment. Below is a summary of the principal risks of investing in the Fund, which include the risks associated with the Fund's direct investments and indirect investments through Real Estate Investment Vehicles. For a more complete discussion of the risks of investing in the Fund, see "Risk Factors." You should carefully consider the following principal risks before investing in the Fund.

**Real Estate Investment Risk Generally.** The Fund's investments are subject to the risks typically associated with real estate, including but not limited to the following:

- Changes in global, national, regional or local economic, demographic or capital market conditions or a prolonged economic slowdown, a lengthy or severe recession or declining real estate values could harm the Fund's operations;
- Future adverse national real estate trends, including increasing vacancy rates, declining rental rates and general deterioration of market conditions may adversely affect the Fund's investments;
- The leases on the properties underlying the Fund's investments may not be renewed on favorable terms, or the occupancy rate of, and the lease rates charged at, properties and the ability to collect on a timely basis all rent may change in a manner which adversely affects the Fund's investments;
- Changes in supply of or demand for similar properties in a given market or metropolitan area could result in rising vacancy rates or decreasing market lease rates;

- Risks of cost overruns and non-completion of the construction or renovation of the properties underlying loans the Fund makes or acquires may materially adversely affect the Fund's investments;
- Changes in interest rates and/or credit spreads could negatively affect the value of the Fund's investments, which could result in reduced earnings or losses and negatively affect the cash available for distribution to the Fund's Shareholders;
- Lack of liquidity is inherent in the nature of real estate assets;
- Property location and conditions, property management decisions and property operating costs, including insurance premiums, real estate taxes, maintenance costs and the expense of leasing, renovation or constructions may affect the value of the Fund's investments;
- Bankruptcies, financial difficulties or defaults by tenants of the properties in which the Fund invests, real estate operators that the Fund works with in acquiring and managing assets, property managers or any other third party that is involved in the Fund's operation may be unavoidable and result in a loss of value in the Fund's investments;
- Real estate investments often incur a relatively greater cost of compliance with applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations, which are subject to future changes in laws, including laws that increase operating expenses or limit rents that may be charged and changes in state or local zoning laws or changes in governmental rules, regulations and fiscal policies;
- The Fund is exposed to environmental liabilities with respect to properties in which the Fund invests, and the potential for increasing costs to comply with environmental laws:
- Real estate investments are subject to unforeseeable events such as social unrest, civil disturbances, terrorism, earthquakes, hurricanes and other natural disasters and
- Real estate investments are subject to general downturns in the industry as well as downturns in specific geographic areas, and downturns caused by public health crises, pandemics and endemics, such as the novel coronavirus (COVID-19). The Fund cannot predict what the occupancy level will be in a particular building or that any tenant or mortgage or other real estate-related loan borrower will remain solvent. The Fund also cannot predict the future value of the Fund's properties. Accordingly, the Fund cannot guarantee that you will receive cash distributions or appreciation of your investment.

Many of these factors are beyond the control of the Fund. Any negative changes in these factors could affect the Fund's performance and its ability to meet its obligations and make distributions to shareholders.

Commercial Real Estate Industry Risk. Commercial real estate is dependent on the commercial real estate industry generally, which in turn is dependent upon broad economic conditions. Challenging economic and financial market conditions may cause the Fund to experience an increase in the number of commercial real estate investments that result in losses, including delinquencies, non-performing assets and a decrease in the value of the property or, in the case of Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities, collateral which secures its investments, all of which could adversely affect the Fund's results of operations.

Residential Real Estate Industry Risk. Investments in residential real estate are subject to various changes in real estate conditions, including fluctuations in interest rates, oversupply, changes in laws and/or government regulations, and changes in national, regional and local economic conditions. Any negative trends in real estate conditions may adversely affect the Fund's investments through decreased revenues or increased costs.

Risks Related to Specific Residential and Commercial Real Estate Property Types. The Fund intends to invest in a variety of residential and commercial real estate property types, which will expose the Fund to risks associated with residential and commercial real estate, including general risks affecting all types of residential and commercial real estate property and certain specific risks associated with specific types of residential and commercial real estate property, including, but not limited to, the following:

• Rental Properties. Rental properties are affected by the overall health of the economy and may be adversely affected by, among other things, the growth of alternative forms of retailing, bankruptcy, departure or cessation of operations of a tenant, a shift in consumer demand due to demographic changes, changes in spending patterns and lease terminations.

- <u>Retail Properties</u>. Retail properties are affected by the overall health of the economy and may be adversely affected by, among other things, the growth of alternative forms of retailing, competition from numerous other retail channels, bankruptcy, departure or cessation of operations of a tenant, a shift in consumer demand due to demographic changes, changes in spending patterns and lease terminations.
- Office Properties. Office properties are affected by the overall health of the economy, and other factors such as a downturn in the businesses operated by their tenants, regulatory compliance costs, obsolescence and non-competitiveness.
- Multifamily Properties. The value and successful operation of a multifamily residential property may be affected by a number of factors such as the location of the property, the ability of the management team, the level of mortgage rates, the presence of competing properties, short-term leases of multifamily units and the risk of declining market rent, significant vacancies which affect the resale value of multifamily properties, competition from other apartment communities for tenants, affordability of single-family homes as an alternative to multifamily housing, adverse economic conditions in the locale, oversupply and rent control laws or other laws affecting such properties.
- <u>Single Family Properties</u>. The value and successful operation of a single family residential property may be affected by a number of factors such as the location of the property, the ability of the management team, the level of mortgage rates, the presence of competing properties, the risk of declining market rent, competition from other institutional investors, affordability of multifamily housing, adverse economic conditions in the locale, oversupply and rent control laws or other laws affecting such properties.
- <u>Hospitality Properties</u>. The risks of hospitality or hotel properties include, among other things, the necessity of a high level of continuing capital expenditures, competition, increases in operating costs which may not be offset by increases in revenues, dependence on business and commercial travelers and tourism, increases in fuel costs and other expenses of travel, and adverse effects of general and local economic conditions. Hospitality properties tend to be more sensitive to seasonal risks, adverse economic conditions, and competition than many other commercial properties.
- <u>Industrial Properties</u>. Industrial properties are affected by downturns in the manufacturing, processing and shipping of goods, and the decline in manufacturing activity in the United States.
- Healthcare Properties. Healthcare properties and healthcare providers are affected by several significant factors, including federal, state and local laws
  governing licenses (especially licensing and certification requirements for participation in government programs including obtaining certificates of
  need), adequacy of care, pharmaceutical distribution, reduction in reimbursement rates from third party payors such as Medicare or Medicaid,
  equipment, personnel and other factors regarding operations, continued availability of revenue from government reimbursement programs and
  competition on a local and regional basis.
- <u>Land</u>. Land may be affected by development risks including insufficient tenant demand to build or construction delays, regulatory delays concerning zoning or various licensing requirements, as well as adverse changes in local and national economic and market conditions.
- <u>Self-Storage Properties</u>. The value and successful operation of a self-storage property may be affected by a number of factors, such as the ability of the management team, the location of the property, the presence of competing properties, changes in traffic patterns and effects of general and local economic conditions with respect to rental rates and occupancy levels.

- <u>Data Center Properties</u>. Data center properties are subject to the risk of obsolescence given changing technology and the high investment cost of such assets. Also tenant demand may fluctuate as companies change their needs for information technology investment.
- New Construction Homebuilding. Homebuilding projects are affected by several significant factors, including rising costs and decreased availability of suitable land; costs of construction labor and materials; overbuilding and price competition; consumer demand and confidence; labor availability; availability of construction financing and residential mortgages; and related interest rates.

**Risks of Investing Through Real Estate Investment Vehicles.** By investing in a Real Estate Investment Vehicle, the Fund is indirectly exposed to risks associated with the Real Estate Investment Vehicle's investments in residential and commercial real estate investments. Such investments may involve risks not otherwise present with other methods of investment, including, for instance, the following risks and conflicts of interest:

- The Fund may not have sole decision-making authority with respect to a Real Estate Investment Vehicle (except any wholly owned Real Estate Investment Vehicle) regarding certain major decisions affecting the ownership of the vehicle or assets of the vehicle, and a co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor in the Real Estate Investment Vehicle could take actions that decrease the value of an investment to the Fund and lower the Fund's overall return:
- A co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor in a Real Estate Investment Vehicle may have economic or other interests or goals that are
  inconsistent with the Fund's interests or goals, including, for instance, the financing, management, operation, leasing or sale of the assets purchased
  by such Real Estate Investment Vehicle;
- A co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor in a Real Estate Investment Vehicle that controls the management of the affairs of a Real Estate Investment Vehicle could become insolvent or bankrupt;
- Fraud or other misconduct by a co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor that controls the management of the affairs of a Real Estate Investment Vehicle may have a materially adverse effect on the Fund's investments;
- Under certain arrangements, no party may have the power to control the Real Estate Investment Vehicle and, under certain circumstances, an impasse could result regarding cash distributions, reserves, or a proposed sale or refinancing of the investment, and this impasse could have an adverse impact on the Real Estate Investment Vehicle, which could adversely impact the operations and profitability of the vehicle and/or the amount and timing of distributions the Fund receives from such vehicle;
- A co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor in a Real Estate Investment Vehicle may be structured differently than the Fund for tax purposes and this could create conflicts of interest and risk to the Fund's ability to qualify as a REIT for tax purposes;
- The Fund may rely upon a co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor in a Real Estate Investment Vehicle to manage the day-to-day operations of the Real Estate Investment Vehicle, as well as to prepare financial information for the vehicle, and any failure to perform these obligations may have a negative impact on the Fund's performance and results of operations;
- A co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor managing a Real Estate Investment Vehicles may experience a change of control, which could result in new management of such co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor with less experience or conflicting interests to the Fund and be disruptive to the Fund's business;
- A co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor in a Real Estate Investment Vehicles may be in a position to take action contrary to the Fund's instructions or requests or contrary to the Fund's policies or objectives, including the Fund's policy with respect to maintaining its qualification as a REIT for tax purposes; and
- The terms of a Real Estate Investment Vehicle could restrict the Fund's ability to sell or transfer its interest to a third party when it desires on advantageous terms, which could result in reduced liquidity.

Any of the above might subject the Fund to liabilities and thus reduce its returns on investments through that Real Estate Investment Vehicle.

Risks of Investing in Private Real Estate Funds. The Fund's investment in private real estate funds will require it to bear a pro rata share of the vehicles' expenses, including management and performance fees. Furthermore, private real estate funds are subject to specific risks, depending on the nature of the vehicle. For example, the Fund's investments in private real estate funds will not be subject to the leverage restrictions imposed by the 1940 Act and as a result, the Fund could be effectively leveraged in an amount exceeding the limitations imposed by the 1940 Act, which could amplify losses suffered by the Fund when compared to unleveraged investments. The private real estate funds will not be registered as investment companies under the 1940 Act and as a result, the Fund will not have the benefit of all of the 1940 Act's protective provisions. These characteristics present additional risks for the Fund. Once the Fund has selected a private real estate fund, the Fund may not have sole decision-making authority over the private real estate funds and may be unable to take actions to protect its interests in these investments.

Mortgage Loan Risk. The Fund may invest in residential and commercial mortgage loans, including mezzanine loans and B-notes, which are secured by multifamily residential, commercial use or other properties and are subject to risks of delinquency and foreclosure and risks of loss. Residential and Commercial mortgage loans are usually non-recourse in nature. Therefore, if a residential or commercial borrower defaults on the mortgage loan, then the options for financial recovery are limited in nature. In the event of any default under a mortgage or real estate loan held directly by the Fund, the Fund will bear a risk of loss of principal to the extent of any deficiency between the value of the collateral and the principal and accrued interest of the mortgage or real estate loan, which could have a material adverse effect on the Fund's profitability.

New Construction and Real Estate Development Risk. The Fund expects to engage in the strategy of acquiring, holding and financing land for future development. The risks inherent in financing, purchasing, owning, selling, and developing land increase as the demand for new homes and rentals decreases. Real estate markets are highly uncertain, and the value of undeveloped land has fluctuated significantly and may continue to fluctuate. The Fund's investments are subject to risks inherent in residential and commercial real estate generally as well as risks inherent to new construction and development, such as the risk that there will be insufficient tenant demand to occupy newly developed properties, the risk that costs of construction materials or construction labor may rise materially during the development, overbuilding and price competition, decreased availability of suitable land, and changing government regulations (including zoning, usage and tax laws). In addition, land carrying costs can be significant and can result in losses or reduced profitability. As a result, the Fund may hold certain land, and may acquire or finance additional land, in its development pipeline at a cost that the Fund may not be able to fully recover or at a cost which precludes profitable development.

CMBS Risk. CMBS are, generally, securities backed by obligations (including certificates of participation in obligations) that are principally secured by mortgages on real property or interests therein having a multifamily or commercial use, such as regional malls, other retail space, office buildings, industrial or warehouse properties, hotels, nursing homes and senior living centers. CMBS are subject to particular risks, including lack of standardized terms, shorter maturities than residential mortgage loans and payment of all or substantially all of the principal only at maturity rather than regular amortization of principal.

RMBS Risk. The Fund's investments RMBS are subject to the risks of defaults, foreclosure timeline extension, fraud, and home price depreciation and unfavorable modification of loan principal amount. In the event of defaults on the residential mortgage loans that underlie the Fund's investments in RMBS and the exhaustion of any underlying or any additional credit support, the Fund may not realize an anticipated return on investments and may incur a loss on these investments. On certain RMBS, prepayments of principal may be made at any time. Prepayment rates are influenced by changes in current interest rates and a variety of economic, geographic, social and other factors and cannot be predicted with certainty.

Non-Listed Closed-End Interval Fund; Liquidity Risk. The Fund is a non-diversified, closed-end management investment company operating as an "interval fund" and designed primarily for long-term investors. Closed-end funds differ from open-end management investment companies (commonly known as mutual funds) because investors in a closed-end fund do not have the right to redeem their shares on a daily basis. Unlike many closed-end funds, which typically list their shares on a securities exchange, the Fund does not currently intend to list the Shares for trading on any securities exchange, and the Fund does not expect any secondary market to develop for the Shares in the foreseeable future. Therefore, an investment in the Fund, unlike an investment in a typical closed-end fund, is not a liquid investment. The Fund is not intended to be a typical traded investment. Shareholders are also subject to transfer restrictions and there is no guarantee that they will be able to sell their Shares. If a secondary market were to develop for the Shares in the future, and a Shareholder is able to sell his or her Shares, the Shareholder will likely receive less than the purchase price and the then-current NAV per Share.

Although the Fund, as a fundamental policy, will make quarterly offers to repurchase at least 5% and up to 25% of its outstanding Shares at NAV, the number of Shares tendered in connection with a repurchase offer may exceed the number of Shares the Fund has offered to repurchase, in which case not all of your Shares tendered in that offer will be repurchased. In connection with any given repurchase offer, it is likely that the Fund may offer to repurchase only the minimum amount of 5% of its outstanding Shares. Hence, you may not be able to sell your Shares when or in the amount that you desire.

Repurchase Offers Risk. The Fund believes that repurchase offers are generally beneficial to the Fund's Shareholders, and repurchases generally will be funded from available cash or sales of portfolio securities. However, the repurchase of Shares by the Fund decreases the assets of the Fund and, therefore, may have the effect of increasing the Fund's expense ratio. Repurchase offers and the need to fund repurchase obligations may also affect the ability of the Fund to be fully invested or force the Fund to maintain a higher percentage of its assets in liquid investments, which may harm the Fund's investment performance. Moreover, diminution in the size of the Fund through repurchases may result in untimely sales of portfolio securities and may limit the ability of the Fund to participate in new investment opportunities or to achieve its investment objective. If the Fund uses leverage, repurchases of Shares may compound the adverse effects of leverage in a declining market. In addition, if the Fund borrows money to finance repurchases, interest on that borrowing will negatively affect Shareholders who do not tender their Shares by increasing Fund expenses and reducing any net investment income.

If a repurchase offer is oversubscribed and the Fund determines not to repurchase additional Shares beyond the repurchase offer amount, or if Shareholders tender an amount of Shares greater than that which the Fund is entitled to purchase, the Fund will repurchase the Shares tendered on a pro rata basis, and Shareholders will have to wait until the next repurchase offer to make another repurchase request. Shareholders will be subject to the risk of NAV fluctuations during that period. Thus, there is also a risk that some Shareholders, in anticipation of proration, may tender more Shares than they wish to have repurchased in a particular quarter, thereby increasing the likelihood that proration will occur. The NAV of Shares tendered in a repurchase offer may fluctuate between the date a Shareholder submits a repurchase request and the Repurchase Request Deadline, and to the extent there is any delay between the Repurchase Request Deadline and the Repurchase Pricing Date may be higher or lower than on the date a Shareholder submits a repurchase request.

**Non-Diversification Risk.** As a "non-diversified" fund, the Fund may invest more than 5% of its total assets in the securities of one or more issuers. Therefore, the Fund may be more susceptible than a diversified fund to being adversely affected by events impacting a single borrower, geographic location, security or investment type. Further, a non-diversified fund is more vulnerable than a more broadly diversified fund to fluctuations in the values of the securities it holds. For these reasons, an investment in the Fund may fluctuate in value and have a greater degree of risk.

Investment and Market Risk. An investment in the Fund is subject to investment risk, including the possible loss of the entire amount that you invest. The value of the Fund's investments may move up or down, sometimes rapidly and unpredictably. At any point in time, your Shares may be worth less than your original investment, even after taking into account the reinvestment of Fund dividends and distributions. Global economic, political and market conditions and economic uncertainty caused by the ongoing coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic may adversely affect the Fund's business, results of operations and financial condition.

Limited Operating History Risk. The Fund is a closed-end management investment company with a limited operating history. As a result, the Fund's performance may not reflect how the Fund may be expected to perform over the long term. In addition, prospective investors have a limited track record and history on which to base their investment decision.

**Delay in Use of Proceeds Risk.** Although the Fund currently intends to invest the proceeds from any sale of the Shares offered hereby as soon as practicable, such investments may be delayed if suitable investments are unavailable at the time. Delays the Fund encounters in the selection, due diligence and origination or acquisition of investments would likely limit its ability to pay distributions and lower overall returns.

**Distributions Risk.** The Fund is required to make distributions sufficient to satisfy the requirements for qualification as a REIT for U.S. federal income tax purposes. There can be no assurance that the Fund will achieve investment results that will allow the Fund to make a specified level of cash distributions or maintain certain levels of cash distributions. All distributions will be paid at the discretion of the Board and may depend on the Fund's earnings, the Fund's net investment income, the Fund's financial condition, compliance with applicable regulations and such other factors as the Board may deem relevant from time to time

Illiquid Investment Risk. Many of the Fund's investments will be illiquid, including the Fund's residential and commercial real estate investments. A variety of factors could make it difficult for the Fund to dispose of any of its illiquid investments on acceptable terms, even under circumstances when the Adviser believes it would be in the best interests of the Fund to do so. The Fund cannot predict whether it will be able to sell any investment for the price or on the terms set by it or whether any price or other terms offered by a prospective purchaser would be acceptable to the Fund. Illiquid investments may also be difficult to value and their pricing may be more volatile than more liquid investments, which could adversely affect the price at which the Fund is able to sell such instruments.

*Valuation Risk.* The Fund is subject to valuation risk, which is the risk that one or more of the assets in which the Fund invests are priced incorrectly, due to factors such as incomplete data, market instability or human error. If the Fund ascribes a higher value to assets and their value subsequently drops or fails to rise because of market factors, returns on the Fund's investment may be lower than expected and could experience losses.

Management Risk. The Fund is subject to management risk because it is an actively managed investment portfolio. The Adviser and each individual investment professional may not be successful in selecting the best investments or investment techniques, and the Fund's performance may lag behind that of similar funds. Moreover, if the Adviser fails to retain its key personnel, the Fund may not be able to achieve its anticipated level of growth and its business could suffer. Rise Companies, the Adviser's parent company, is a development stage company and, as such, Rise Companies faces increased risks, uncertainties, expenses and difficulties that could have an effect on the Adviser's ability to manage the Fund.

Competition Risk. Identifying, completing and realizing attractive portfolio investments is competitive and involves a high degree of uncertainty. In acquiring its target assets, the Fund will compete with a variety of other institutional investors, including public and private funds, REITs, insurance companies, commercial banks, private investment funds, hedge funds, specialty finance companies, online investment platforms and other financial institutions, many of which have greater resources than the Fund. The Fund may not be able to compete successfully for investments. Furthermore, the Fund's success in part depends on its ability to acquire or finance land suitable for residential homebuilding, single-family homes for rent, industrial, and multifamily at reasonable prices. There is strong competition among homebuilders and developers for land that is suitable for development.

Interest Rate Risk. Changes in interest rates, including changes in expected interest rates or "yield curves," may affect the Fund's business in a number of ways. Changes in the general level of interest rates can affect the Fund's net interest income, which is the difference between the interest income earned on the Fund's interest-earning assets and the interest expense incurred in connection with its interest-bearing borrowings and hedges. Changes in the level of interest rates also can affect, among other things, the Fund's ability to acquire certain of the Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities at attractive prices, acquire or originate certain of the residential and commercial real estate debt investments at attractive prices, and enter into hedging transactions. Generally, as interest rates increase, the value of the Fund's fixed rate securities decreases, which will decrease the book value of the Fund's equity.

Below Investment Grade (High Yield or Junk) Securities Risk. The Fund may have exposure to investments that are rated below investment grade or that are unrated but are judged by the Adviser to be of credit quality comparable to securities rated below investment grade by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization. Lower grade securities may be particularly susceptible to economic downturns and are inherently speculative. Because of the substantial risks associated with investments in lower grade securities, you could lose money on your investment in Shares, both in the short-term and the long-term.

Capital Markets Risk. The Fund expects to fund a portion of its residential and commercial real estate investments with property-level financing. There can be no assurance that any financing will be available to the Fund in the future on acceptable terms, if at all, or that it will be able to satisfy the conditions precedent required to use its credit facilities, if entered into, which could reduce the number, or alter the type, of investments that the Fund would make otherwise. Any failure to obtain financing could have a material adverse effect on the continued development or growth of the Fund's business and harm the Fund's ability to operate and make distributions.

Leverage Risk. The Fund may use leverage in connection with its investments. The Fund may employ leverage of not more than 33 1/3% of total assets as it is limited to 33 1/3% of the Fund's total assets (less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by 1940 Act leverage), in order to provide more funds available for investment. Leverage may result in greater volatility of the NAV of, and distributions on, the Shares because changes in the value of the Fund's portfolio investments, including investments purchased with the proceeds from Borrowings or the issuance of Preferred Stock, if any, are borne entirely by holders of Shares

**Derivatives Risk.** Derivatives are subject to a number of risks described elsewhere in this Prospectus, such as liquidity risk, interest rate risk, credit risk, management risk. Derivatives are also subject to counterparty risk, which is the risk that the other party in the transaction will not fulfill its contractual obligation. Derivative instruments can be illiquid, may disproportionately increase losses, and may have a potentially large impact on Fund performance. Rule 18f-4 under the 1940 Act, among other things, requires that the Fund either use derivatives in a limited manner or comply with an outer limit on fund leverage risk based on value-at-risk. Additional future regulation of the derivatives markets may make derivatives more costly, may limit the availability or reduce the liquidity of derivatives or may otherwise adversely affect the value or performance of derivatives.

Risks Related to the Fund's Tax Status as a REIT. The Fund intends to be taxed and to qualify for treatment each year as a REIT under the Code beginning with its taxable year ended December 31, 2022. However, qualification as a REIT for tax purposes involves the application of highly technical and complex Code provisions for which only a limited number of judicial or administrative interpretations exist. Notwithstanding the availability of cure provisions in the Code, various compliance requirements could be failed and could jeopardize the Fund's REIT tax status. Failure to qualify for taxation as a REIT would cause the Fund to be taxed as a regular corporation, which would substantially reduce funds available for distributions to Shareholders. In addition, complying with the requirements to maintain its REIT tax status may cause the Fund to forego otherwise attractive opportunities or to liquidate otherwise attractive investments, adversely affect the Fund's liquidity and force the Fund to borrow funds during unfavorable market conditions, and/or limit the Fund's ability to hedge effectively and cause the Fund to incur tax liabilities.

Tax Risks of Investing in the Fund. Even if the Fund qualifies and maintains its tax status as a REIT, it may become subject to U.S. federal income taxes and related state and local taxes, which would reduce the Fund's cash flows.

Accordingly, the Fund should be considered a speculative investment that entails substantial risks, and prospective investors should invest in the Fund only if they can sustain a complete loss of their investment.

#### **Investment Adviser**

Fundrise Advisors, LLC serves as the investment adviser to the Fund (the "Adviser"). The Adviser was formed in 2014 and is registered as an investment adviser with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, as amended (the "Advisers Act"). Subject to the supervision of the Board, the Adviser is responsible for directing the management of the Fund's business and affairs, managing the Fund's day-to-day affairs, and implementing the Fund's investment strategy. In carrying out these responsibilities, the Adviser also performs certain administrative, fund accounting and shareholder services for the Fund. The Adviser is a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Rise Companies Corp. ("Rise Companies"), the Fund's sponsor, which owns and operates, through its subsidiary Fundrise, LLC, an investment platform available both online at <a href="https://www.fundrise.com">www.fundrise.com</a> and through various mobile applications sponsored by Rise Companies (collectively referred to herein along with the Fund's website <a href="https://www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com">www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com</a>, the "Fundrise Platform") that allows individuals to become investors in equity or debt holders in real estate opportunities that may have been historically difficult to access for some investors. Through the Fundrise Platform, investors can invest in a variety of real estate investment opportunities using REITs (each, an "eREIT®"), a for-sale housing fund (the "eFund<sup>TM</sup>") and other real estate-focused investment vehicles sponsored by Rise Companies that are managed by the Adviser, without any brokers or selling commissions. The Fund is included among the investment vehicles made available through the Fundrise Platform. As of December 31, 2022, the Adviser had approximately \$3.10 billion in assets under management.

## **Management Fee**

Pursuant to the Investment Management Agreement between the Fund and the Adviser, and in consideration of the services provided by the Adviser to the Fund, the Adviser is entitled to a management fee (the "Management Fee") equal to 0.85% of the Fund's average daily net assets.

#### **Closed-End Fund Structure**

The Fund is organized as a continuously offered, non-diversified, closed-end management investment company that is operated as an interval fund. Closed-end funds differ from open-end funds (commonly known as mutual funds) in that the shareholders of closed-end funds do not have the right to redeem their shares on a daily basis. Unlike many closed-end funds, which typically list their shares on a securities exchange, the Fund does not currently intend to list the Shares for trading on any securities exchange, and the Fund does not expect any secondary market to develop for the Shares in the foreseeable future. Therefore, an investment in the Fund, unlike an investment in a typical closed-end fund, should not be considered to be a liquid investment. To provide some liquidity to Shareholders, the Fund is structured as an "interval fund" and will conduct quarterly repurchase offers for a limited amount of the Fund's Shares (at least 5%). The Fund, similar to a mutual fund, is subject to continuous asset in-flows (purchases), although not subject to continuous out-flows (redemptions).

The Fund believes that an unlisted closed-end structure is most appropriate in light of the long-term nature of the Fund's strategy and the characteristics of its portfolio because, among other things, certain features of open-end funds (such as daily redemptions, which can necessitate the premature sale of investments) could diminish the Fund's ability to execute its investment strategy. Accordingly, an unlisted closed-end structure is expected to help the Fund achieve its investment objective. The Fund's NAV per Share may be volatile. As the Shares are not traded, investors will not be able to dispose of their investment in the Fund, except through repurchases conducted through the Share repurchase program, or, in limited circumstances, as a result of transfers of Shares pursuant to the provisions of the Limited Liability Company Operating Agreement of the Fund (the "LLC Agreement"), no matter how the Fund performs.

## **Investor Suitability**

An investment in the Fund involves substantial risks and may not be suitable for all investors. An investment in the Fund is suitable only for investors who can bear the risks associated with the limited liquidity of the Fund's Shares and should be viewed as a long-term investment. Before making an investment decision, prospective investors and their financial advisors should (i) consider the suitability of an investment in the Fund with respect to the investor's investment objective and personal situation, and (ii) consider factors such as personal net worth, income, age, risk tolerance and liquidity needs. An investment in the Fund should not be viewed as a complete investment program.

## **Periodic Repurchase Offers**

The Shares have no history of public trading, nor is it intended that the Shares will be listed on a public exchange. No secondary market is expected to develop for the Fund.

The Fund is an "interval fund" that is designed to provide some liquidity to Shareholders by making quarterly offers to repurchase between 5% and 25% of its outstanding Shares at NAV, pursuant to Rule 23c-3 under the 1940 Act, unless such offer is suspended or postponed in accordance with relevant regulatory requirements (as discussed below). In connection with any given repurchase offer, it is likely that the Fund may offer to repurchase only the minimum allowable amount of 5% of its outstanding Shares. Repurchase offers will be made at quarterly intervals. The Fund's offer to purchase Shares is a fundamental policy that may not be changed without the approval of the holders of a majority of the Fund's outstanding voting securities (as defined in the 1940 Act). Written notifications of each quarterly repurchase offer (the "Repurchase Offer Notice") are sent to Shareholders at least 21 calendar days before the repurchase request deadline (i.e., the date by which Shareholders can tender their Shares in response to a repurchase offer) (the "Repurchase Request Deadline"); however, the Fund will seek to provide such written notification earlier but no more than 42 calendar days before the Repurchase Request Deadline. The NAV will be calculated no later than the 14<sup>th</sup> calendar day (or the next business day if the 14<sup>th</sup> calendar day is not a business day) after the Repurchase Request Deadline (the "Repurchase Pricing Date"). The Fund will distribute payment to Shareholders within seven calendar days after the Repurchase Pricing Date.

The Fund's Shares are not listed on any securities exchange, and the Fund anticipates that no secondary market will develop for its Shares. Accordingly, you may not be able to sell Shares when and/or in the amount that you desire. Thus, the Shares are appropriate only as a long-term investment. If a repurchase offer is oversubscribed and the Fund determines not to repurchase additional Shares beyond the repurchase offer amount, or if Shareholders tender an amount of Shares greater than that which the Fund is entitled to purchase, the Fund will repurchase the Shares tendered on a *pro rata* basis, and Shareholders will have to wait until the next repurchase offer to make another repurchase request. In addition, the Fund's repurchase offers may subject the Fund and Shareholders to special risks.

#### **U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations**

The Fund intends to be taxed and to qualify for treatment each year as a REIT under the Code beginning with its taxable year ended December 31, 2022. The Fund believes that it is organized, and expects to operate, in such a manner to qualify for taxation as a REIT. The Fund's qualification for taxation as a REIT will depend upon its ability to meet on a continuing basis, through actual operating results, distribution levels, and diversity of Share and asset ownership, the various and complex REIT qualification tests imposed under the Code. No assurance can be given that the Fund will in fact satisfy such requirements for any taxable year. If the Fund qualifies for taxation as a REIT, it generally will be allowed to deduct dividends paid to its Shareholders and, as a result, it generally will not be subject to U.S. federal income tax on that portion of its ordinary income and net capital gain that it annually distributes to its Shareholders, as long as the Fund meets the minimum distribution requirements under the Code. The Fund intends to make distributions to its Shareholders on a regular basis as necessary to avoid material U.S. federal income tax and to comply with the REIT distribution requirements. See "U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations."

## Limitation on Ownership Level

The LLC Agreement contains restrictions on the number and value of Shares of the Fund that any one person may own. The LLC Agreement provides that generally no person may own either more than 9.8% in value or in number of the Fund's Common Shares, whichever is more restrictive, or more than 9.8% in value or in number of the Fund's total shares, whichever is more restrictive. Attempts to acquire Common Shares or any other shares of the Fund in excess of these 9.8% limits would not be effective without an exemption from these limits (prospectively or retroactively) by the Board. These limits may be further reduced if the Board waives these limits for certain holders. See "Description of Capital Shares and Structure — Restrictions on Ownership and Transfer." These restrictions are designed, among other purposes, to enable the Fund to comply with ownership restrictions imposed on REITs by the Code. Attempted acquisitions in excess of these restrictions will, pursuant to the LLC Agreement, be void from the outset.

#### **Distribution Policy**

The Fund intends to make distributions necessary to maintain its qualification for taxation as a REIT. The Fund expects that it will declare and make distributions on a quarterly basis, or more or less frequently as determined by the Board, in arrears. The Board may authorize distributions in stock or in excess of those required for the Fund to maintain REIT tax status depending on the Fund's financial condition and such other factors as the Board may deem relevant. The distribution rate may be modified by the Board from time to time. The Board reserves the right to change or suspend the distribution policy from time to time. See "Distribution Policy."

## **Dividend Reinvestment Plan**

Unless a Shareholder elects to participate in the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan, any dividends and other distributions paid to the Shareholder by the Fund will not be reinvested in additional Shares of the Fund under the plan. Shareholders who do not participate in the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan will receive all dividends and other distributions in cash. See "Dividend Reinvestment Plan."

## SUMMARY OF FUND EXPENSES

## Fees and Expenses of the Fund

The following table is intended to assist investors in understanding the various costs and expenses directly or indirectly associated with investing in the Fund.

Shareholder Transaction Expenses	
Maximum Sales Load (As a Percent of Offering Price)	None
Dividend Reinvestment and Cash Purchase Plan Fees	None
Annual Fund Operating Expenses (as a percentage of net assets attributable to the Shares)	
Management Fees	0.85%
Interest Payments on Borrowed Funds <sup>1</sup>	None
Other Expenses <sup>2</sup>	0.49%
Property Level Expenses <sup>3</sup>	None
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses	1.34%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The table assumes the Fund's use of leverage in an amount equal to 0% of the Fund's total assets (less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by 1940 Act leverage). The Fund's actual interest costs associated with leverage may differ from the estimates above. Although the Fund does not anticipate any interest payments on borrowed funds, the Fund does expect that its unconsolidated operating entities will use borrowings, the costs of which will be indirectly borne by shareholders.

## Example

The following Example is intended to help you compare the cost of investing in the Fund with the cost of investing in other funds. The Example assumes that you invest \$1,000 in the Fund's Shares for the time periods indicated and then redeem all of your Shares at the end of those periods. The Example also assumes that your investment has a 5% return each year, that all dividends and distributions are reinvested at NAV, and that the Fund's Operating Expenses (as described above) remain the same. Based on these assumptions your costs would be:

1 Year	3 Years		5 Years	10 Years	
\$ 14	\$	44 \$	78	\$ 177	

The Example above should not be considered a representation of the Fund's future expenses, and actual expenses may be greater or less than those shown. While the Example assumes a 5.0% annual return, as required by the SEC, the Fund's performance will vary and may result in a return greater or less than 5.0%. For a more complete description of the various fees and expenses borne directly and indirectly by the Fund, see "Fund Expenses" and "Management of the Fund – Management Fee."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Other Expenses are estimated based on projected average net assets of \$535,300,000 for the Fund's current fiscal year. Other Expenses include professional fees, offering expenses, and other general and administrative expenses. Additionally, Other Expenses include Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses, which are estimated to be less than 0.01% of the average net assets of the Fund. Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses are the indirect costs of investing in other investment companies and other pooled investment vehicles, including private real estate funds, that would be investment companies but for Section 3(c)(1) or Section 3(c)(7) of the 1940 Act.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Estimated fees and expenses related to property management, disposition expenses, and any other expenses related to investments in consolidated real property of the Fund's Real Estate Investment Vehicles (including real estate and property taxes and interest payments on properties held in the Fund's Real Estate Investment Vehicles). Although the Fund does not anticipate any property level expenses related to investments in consolidated real property, the Fund does expect that its unconsolidated operating entities will incur property level expenses, the costs of which will be indirectly borne by shareholders and are excluded from the above ratios.

#### FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

The financial highlights in the table below are intended to help you understand the Fund's financial performance for the period(s) shown. Certain information reflects financial results for a single Share. All amounts are in thousands, except Share and per Share amounts. The information has been audited by KPMG LLP, the Fund's independent registered public accounting firm, whose report, along with the Fund's most recent audited financial statements is included in the Fund's Annual Report for the period February 3, 2022 through December 31, 2022. The Fund's Annual Report has been filed with the SEC and is available on the SEC's website at sec.gov, and is also available free of charge from the Fund upon request. This information should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and related notes included in the Fund's Annual Report.

	For the Period Febru	uary $3,2022^{(5)}$ to December
Per share operating performance for a share outstanding throughout the period <sup>(1)</sup>		31, 2022
Net Asset Value, Beginning of Period	\$	10.00
Income from Investment Operations		
Net investment income (loss)	\$	0.42
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments		0.04
<b>Total Income from Investment Operations</b>	\$	0.46
Distributions to Common Shareholders		
Net investment income	\$	(0.40)
Net realized gain		(0.06)
Total Distributions to Common Shareholders		(0.46)
Net Asset Value, End of Period	\$	10.00
Total Investment Return Based on Net Asset Value (2)		4.60%
Ratios and Supplemental Data		
Net assets, end of period	\$	535,285
Ratio of total expenses to average net assets (3)(7)		1.42%
Ratio of net expenses to average net assets (3)(4)(7)		1.49%
Ratio of net investment income (loss) to average net assets (3)(4)(7)		5.61%
Portfolio turnover rate <sup>(6)</sup>		12.52%

- (1) Based on average shares outstanding.
- (2) Total investment return based on net asset value was calculated from the date the Fund commenced investment operations, April 1, 2022, and is not annualized. Total investment return based on net asset value is based upon the change in net asset value per share between the opening and ending net asset values per share and assumes that dividends are reinvested in accordance with the Fund's dividend reinvestment policy. Returns shown do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a Shareholder would pay on Fund distributions or the repurchase of Fund shares.
- (3) Ratios were calculated from the date the Fund commenced investment operations, April 1, 2022, and are annualized.
- (4) The ratio is net of a waiver of 0.02% and is inclusive of fee recoupment of 0.07%.
- (5) Effective date of the Fund's Registration Statement.
- (6) Portfolio turnover rate was calculated from the date the Fund commenced investment operations, April 1, 2022, and is not annualized. This alternative presents, in all material aspects, the most accurate portrayal of portfolio turnover.
- (7) Expenses do not include operating expenses of the underlying investments.

#### THE FUND

Fundrise Income Real Estate Fund, LLC (the "Fund") is a non-diversified, closed-end management investment company that is registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act"). The Fund is structured as an "interval fund" and continuously offers its common shares of limited liability company interests ("Shares" or "Common Shares") at net asset value ("NAV"). The Fund was organized as a Delaware limited liability company on August 27, 2021. Prior to August 27, 2021, the Fund had no investment operating history. The Fund intends to be taxed and to qualify for treatment each year as a REIT under the Code beginning with its taxable year ended December 31, 2022. The Fund's principal office is located at 11 Dupont Circle NW, 9th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20036 and its telephone number is (202) 584-0550.

### **USE OF PROCEEDS**

The proceeds from the sale of Shares are invested by the Fund to pursue its investment program and strategies. The Fund currently intends to fully invest all or substantially all of the net proceeds of its continuous offering in accordance with its investment objective and policies within approximately three to six months after receipt thereof, depending on the amount and timing of proceeds available to the Fund as well as the availability of investments consistent with the Fund's investment objective and policies, and except to the extent proceeds are held in cash to pay dividends or expenses, satisfy repurchase offers or for temporary defensive purposes. Pending investment of the net proceeds, the Fund may invest in short-term, highly liquid or other authorized investments, subject to the requirements for qualification as a REIT for tax purposes. Such investments will not earn as high of a return as the Fund expects to earn on its real estate and real estate-related investments.

## INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE, STRATEGIES AND POLICIES

### **Investment Objective**

The Fund's investment objective is to seek current income from which to pay attractive, consistent cash distributions while preserving capital. The Fund's investment objective is non-fundamental and may be changed by the Fund's Board of Directors (the "Board") without approval of the Fund's shareholders ("Shareholders"). There can be no assurance that the Fund will achieve its investment objective.

## **Principal Investment Strategies**

The Fund pursues its investment objective by investing its assets to originate, acquire, asset manage, selectively leverage, syndicate and opportunistically sell investments in a variety of commercial and residential real estate loans (including senior mortgage loans, subordinated mortgage loans (also referred to as B-Notes), mezzanine loans, and participations in such loans), to acquire investments in income generating properties and other real estate that generates current payments, to acquire, hold and finance land for future development, and to acquire investments in other residential and commercial real estate (including through Real Estate Investment Vehicles). The Real Estate Investment Vehicles are expected to primarily consist of entities in which the Fund will co-invest alongside affiliates of the Fund, including those of the Adviser ("Co-Investment Entities"), subject to the terms and conditions of an exemptive order the Fund received from the SEC allowing the Fund and/or the Co-Investment Entities to co-invest alongside certain entities affiliated with or managed by the Adviser (including the "eREITs®" and "eFund<sup>TM</sup>" described above under "Investment Adviser").

The types of commercial and residential real estate in which the Fund may invest include, but are not limited to, the following: (1) rental properties, (2) retail properties, (3) office properties, (4) multifamily properties, (5) single family properties, (6) hospitality properties, (7) industrial properties, (8) healthcare properties, (9) land, (10), self-storage properties, (11) student housing properties, (12) data center properties, and (13) new construction homebuilding.

The Fund may also invest in residential and commercial real estate-related debt securities (including CMBS, RMBS, CDOs and REIT senior unsecured debt), and other real estate-related assets. Under normal circumstances, the Fund will invest at least 80% of its net assets (plus the amount of any borrowings for investment purposes) in residential and commercial real estate, the securities of real estate and real estate-related issuers, and real estate-related loans or other real estate-related debt securities. For this purpose, real estate-related companies are those that derive at least 50% of their revenues or profits from the ownership, construction, management, financing or sale of real estate, or have at least 50% of the fair market value of their assets invested in real estate. The Fund will seek to create and maintain a portfolio of investments that generate a low volatility income stream that provide attractive and consistent cash distributions; provided, however, that though there is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve such results. The Fund's investment focus will emphasize the payment of current returns to investors and the preservation of invested capital, with a lesser emphasis on seeking capital appreciation. It is expected that the Fund's portfolio of investments will be secured primarily by U.S. based collateral and diversified by security type, property type and geographic location.

The Fund may selectively employ leverage to enhance total returns to Fund shareholders through a combination of senior financing on real estate acquisitions, secured facilities, and capital markets financing transactions. The Fund will seek to secure conservatively structured leverage that is long-term, non-recourse financing to the extent obtainable on a cost effective basis. To the extent a higher level of leverage is employed it may come at the level of the investment the Fund makes either in the form of GSEs or other long-term, non-recourse, non-mark-to-market financing. The Adviser may from time to time modify the Fund's leverage policy in its discretion.

In executing on the Fund's business strategy, the Fund believes that it will benefit from the Adviser's affiliation with the Fund sponsor given the sponsor's strong track record and extensive experience and capabilities as a technology-enabled real estate investment and management platform. These competitive advantages include:

- The Fund sponsor's experience and reputation as a leading real estate investment manager, which historically has given it access to a large investment pipeline similar to the Fund's targeted assets and the key market data used to underwrite and portfolio manage assets;
- The Fund sponsor's direct and online origination capabilities, which are amplified by a proprietary technology platform, business process automation, and a large user base, of which a significant portion are seeking capital for real estate projects;
- The Fund sponsor's relationships with financial institutions and other lenders that originate and distribute commercial real estate debt and
  other real estate-related products and that finance the types of assets the Fund intends to acquire and originate;
- The Fund sponsor's experienced portfolio management team which actively monitors each investment through an established regime of analysis, credit review and protocol; and
- The Fund sponsor's management team which has a successful track record of making residential and commercial real estate investments in a variety of market conditions.

Although the Fund is a "non-diversified" investment company within the meaning of the 1940 Act, the Fund seeks to invest across multiple asset classes including various real estate asset classes, property types, positions in the capital structure such as senior or subordinate mortgage debt, mezzanine debt, preferred equity and common equity, and geographic locations; however, as noted above, the Fund focuses its investments primarily in commercial and residential real estate loans and other real estate investments.

The Fund may invest in securities of any credit quality, maturity and duration to enhance its income and capital appreciation potential and to provide liquidity to the overall portfolio. This may include, without limit, securities that are rated below investment grade by rating agencies or unrated securities that would be rated below investment grade if they were rated. Below investment grade securities, which are often referred to as "high yield" securities or "junk bonds," may have speculative characteristics with respect to the issuer's capacity to pay interest and repay principal.

### **Fund's Target Investment Portfolio**

The Fund executes its investment strategy primarily by seeking to invest opportunistically in a broad portfolio of investments across the following primary asset classes:

- Commercial and residential real property;
- Commercial and residential real estate loans; and
- Commercial and residential real estate debt and equity securities

The Adviser has broad discretion to allocate the Fund's assets among the three primary asset classes, and other real estate-related assets. There is no maximum or minimum percentage of the Fund's assets that may be allocated to any asset class. The Adviser is responsible for overseeing the management of the Fund's activities, including investment strategies, investment goals, asset allocation, leverage limitations, reporting requirements, and other guidelines in addition to the general monitoring of the Fund's portfolios, subject to the oversight of the Board. The Adviser will have sole discretion to make all investments in the Fund. When allocating the Fund's investments across these asset classes, the Fund will take into account the requirements for qualifying to be taxed as a REIT under the Code.

## Investments in Residential and Commercial Real Property

In instances where the Fund invests in securities or other assets through an entity in which the Fund owns all or a majority of the voting securities ("Controlled Subsidiary"), the Adviser, Fund and Controlled Subsidiaries, as relevant, will comply with provisions of Section 15 under the 1940 Act relating to the investment advisory contracts as an investment adviser to the Fund under Section 2(a)(20) of the 1940 Act; provisions related to affiliated transactions and custody (Section 17); provisions governing investment policies (Section 8) and capital structure and leverage (Section 18) on an aggregate basis. Where the Fund participates with a third party in a joint venture, and neither the Fund nor the third party primarily controls the joint venture, the Fund will not consider such a joint venture to be a Controlled Subsidiary. Other than investing in a Controlled Subsidiary or a joint venture, the Fund does not currently intend to invest through an entity in which the Fund owns more than 25% of the voting securities of the entity.

#### Investments in Commercial and Residential Real Estate Loans

The Fund intends to acquire commercial and residential real estate loans by directly originating the loans and by purchasing them from third party sellers. Although the Fund generally prefers the benefits of direct origination, the current market conditions have created situations where holders of residential and commercial real estate debt may be in distress and are therefore willing to sell at prices that compensate the buyer for the lack of control typically associated with directly structured investments. The experience of the Adviser's management team in making distressed investments greatly augments Fund capabilities in this area.

A focus of the Fund will be to originate and invest in the following types of real estate loans:

Senior Mortgage Loans. The Fund intends to invest in senior mortgage loans that are predominantly three to five year term loans providing capital for the acquisition, refinancing or repositioning of quality real estate and may be fixed or floating rate loans that immediately provide the Fund with current income, referred to as current-pay loans. The Fund expects that its senior mortgage loans will be primarily backed by properties located in the U.S. The Fund may selectively syndicate portions of these loans, including senior or junior participations that will effectively provide permanent financing or optimize returns which may include interest-only portions.

Senior mortgage loans provide for a higher recovery rate and lower defaults than other debt positions due to the lender's favorable control features which at times means control of the entire capital structure. Because of these attributes, this type of investment receives favorable treatment from third party rating agencies and financing sources, which should increase the liquidity of these investments.

Subordinated Mortgage Loans, or B-Notes. The Fund may also invest in structurally subordinated first mortgage loans and junior participations in first mortgage loans or participations in these types of assets, commonly referred to as B-Notes, secured by quality real estate properties primarily located in the U.S. The Fund may create subordinated mortgage loans by creating participations of the Fund's directly originated first mortgage loans generally through syndications of senior interests or co-origination with a senior lender or the Fund may buy such assets directly from third party originators. Further, the Fund expects that the re-emergence of the CMBS and RMBS market will allow the Fund to originate first mortgage loans to property owners with near-term liquidity issues and will allow us to contribute the senior AAA rated proceeds of the origination for inclusion in securitizations while retaining the subordinate debt at attractive returns. Due to the current credit market weakness and resulting dearth of capital available in this part of the capital structure, the Fund believes that the opportunities to both directly originate and to buy subordinated mortgage investments from third parties on favorable terms will continue to be attractive.

Investors in subordinated mortgage loans are compensated for the increased risk of such assets from a pricing perspective as compared to first mortgage loans but still benefit from a lien on the related property. Investors typically receive principal and interest payments at the same time as senior debt unless a default occurs, in which case these payments are made only after any senior debt is paid in full. Rights of holders of subordinated mortgage loans are usually governed by participation and other agreements that, subject to certain limitations, typically provide the holders with the ability to cure certain defaults and control certain decisions of holders of senior debt secured by the same properties (or otherwise exercise the right to purchase the senior debt), which provides for additional downside protection and higher recoveries.

Mezzanine Loans. These are loans secured by one or more direct or indirect ownership interests in an entity that directly or indirectly owns residential or commercial real property. The Fund may own mezzanine loans directly or may hold a participation in a mezzanine loan or a sub-participation in a mezzanine loan. Mezzanine loans may be either short (three to five year) or longer (up to 10 year) terms and may be fixed or floating rate. These loans are predominantly current-pay loans (although there may be a portion of the interest that accrues if cash flow generated by the related property is not sufficient to pay current interest) and may provide for participation in the value or cash flow appreciation of the underlying property, which participation is known as an "equity kicker" as described below. The Fund believes that opportunities to both directly originate and to buy mezzanine loans from third parties on favorable terms will continue to be attractive. In the current market, mezzanine loans can be the key piece of capital to bridge the gap between senior debt and borrower equity during a refinance or acquisition. Therefore, the Fund expects to achieve favorable terms — both economic and structural — on the mezzanine loans in which the Fund invests.

Investors in mezzanine loans are compensated for the increased risk of such assets from a pricing perspective and still benefit from the right to foreclose, in many instances more efficiently than senior mortgage debt. Upon a default by the borrower under the mezzanine loan, the mezzanine lender generally can take control on an expedited basis of the property-owning entity, subject to the rights of the holders of debt senior in priority on the property. Rights of holders of mezzanine loans are usually governed by intercreditor or interlender agreements that provide such holders with the right to cure certain defaults and control certain decisions of holders of any senior debt secured by the same properties (or otherwise exercise the right to purchase the senior debt), which provides for additional downside protection and higher recoveries.

Nonetheless, these types of investments involve a higher degree of risk relative to a senior mortgage secured by the underlying real property because the investment may become unsecured as a result of foreclosure by the senior lender if the mezzanine lender is unable to cure senior mortgage defaults. In the event of a bankruptcy of the entity providing the pledge of its ownership interests as security, the Fund may not have full recourse to the assets of such entity, or the assets of the entity may not be sufficient to satisfy the mezzanine loan. If a borrower defaults on Fund mezzanine loans or debt senior to Fund loans, or in the event of a borrower bankruptcy, the Fund's mezzanine loan will be satisfied only after the senior debt has been repaid.

## Commercial and Residential Real Estate-Related Debt Securities

The Fund may invest in securities of any credit quality, maturity and duration to enhance its income and capital appreciation potential and to provide liquidity to the overall portfolio. This may include securities that are rated below investment grade by rating agencies, that would be rated below investment grade if they were rated, or unrated debt securities. The Adviser expects that a majority of the Fund's real estate-related debt investments will be in secured, unrated real estate loans and debt, as well as debt securities that are rated investment grade.

In addition to the Fund's focus on origination of and investments in residential and commercial real estate and residential and commercial real estate loans, the Fund may also invest in residential and commercial real estate-related debt securities such as CMBS, RMBS, CDOs, unsecured debt issued by REITs and interests in other securitized vehicles that own real estate-related debt. While the Fund may invest in any residential and commercial real estate-related debt securities, the Fund expect that the majority of these investments would be CMBS and RMBS.

CMBS. CMBS are commercial mortgages which are pooled together in a trust. Accordingly, these securities are subject to all of the risks of the underlying mortgage loans. The commercial mortgage security is structured with credit enhancement to protect against potential cash flow delays and shortfalls. This credit enhancement usually takes the form of allocation of loan losses to investors in reverse sequential order (equity to AAA classes), whereas interest distributions and loan prepayments are usually applied sequentially (AAA classes to equity).

The typical commercial mortgage is a five or ten year loan, with a 30-year amortization schedule and a balloon principal payment due on the maturity date. Most fixed-rate commercial loans have strong prepayment protection and require prepayment penalty fees or defeasance. The loans are structured in this manner to maintain the collateral pool's cash flow or to compensate the investors from foregone interest collections.

RMBS. RMBS are residential mortgages which are pooled together in a trust. RMBS directly or indirectly represent participations in, or are secured by, and payable from, mortgage loans secured by residential real property. Compared to more traditional debt securities, interest payments and principal repayments on RMBS are made more frequently (usually monthly), and principal may be prepaid at any time because the underlying mortgage loans or other assets generally may be prepaid at any time. These differences can result in significantly greater price and yield volatility than is the case with traditional debt securities.

**CDOs.** CDOs are multiple class debt securities, or bonds, secured by pools of assets, such as mortgage-backed securities, B-Notes, mezzanine loans, REIT debt and credit default swaps. Like typical securities structures, in a CDO, the assets are pledged to a trustee for the benefit of the holders of the bonds. CDOs often have reinvestment periods that typically last for five years during which proceeds from the sale of a collateral asset may be invested in substitute collateral. Upon termination of the reinvestment period, the static pool functions very similarly to a CMBS securitization where repayment of principal allows for redemption of bonds sequentially.

**Publicly-Traded REIT Securities.** The Fund may also choose to invest in the equity or senior unsecured debt securities of publicly-traded equity REITs or mortgage REITs. Publicly-traded REITs typically own large, diversified pools of commercial and residential real estate properties or loans. Most of these companies specialize in particular property types such as regional malls, office properties, loan portfolios, apartment properties and industrial warehouses. Corporate bonds issued by these types of REITs are usually rated investment grade and benefit from strong covenant protection.

Ratings of Residential and Commercial Real Estate-Related Debt Securities. For CMBS, RMBS, and CDOs, the securitization process is governed by one or more of the rating agencies, including Fitch, Moody's and Standard & Poor's, who determine the respective bond class sizes, generally based on a sequential payment structure. Bonds that are rated from AAA to BBB by the rating agencies are considered "investment grade." Bond classes that are subordinate to the BBB class are considered "non-investment" grade. The respective bond class sizes are determined based on the review of the underlying collateral by the rating agencies. The payments received from the underlying loans are used to make the payments on the securities. Based on the sequential payment priority, the risk of nonpayment for the AAA securities is lower than the risk of nonpayment for the non-investment grade bonds. Accordingly, the AAA class is typically sold at a lower yield compared to the non-investment grade classes that are sold at higher yields. The Fund may invest in investment grade classes, non-investment grade classes or the equity of securitizations.

## Residential and Commercial Properties

The Fund may acquire and develop residential and commercial properties for rental operations as multifamily buildings and/or for income producing properties. In each case, these residential and commercial properties must meet the Fund's investment objectives and may include conventional multifamily properties, such as mid-rise, high-rise, and garden-style properties, as well as single family, new construction homebuilding, student housing, age-restricted properties (typically requiring at least one resident of each unit to be 55 or older), industrial, office, and retail properties. Specifically, the Fund may acquire real estate assets that may benefit from enhancement or repositioning and development assets. The Fund may purchase any type of property, including properties that require capital improvement or lease-up and land for development or new construction, to enhance shareholder returns. Location, condition, design and amenities are key characteristics for commercial and residential assets. The Fund focuses on major metropolitan areas and other markets and submarkets that are deemed likely to benefit from ongoing population shifts and/or that are poised for high growth potential.

The terms and conditions of any lease that the Fund enters into with residents may vary substantially; however, it is expected that a majority of the Fund's leases will be standardized leases customarily used between landlords and tenants for the specific type and use of the property in the geographic area where the property is located. In the case of apartment communities, such standardized leases generally have terms of one year or less. All prospective residents for the Fund's apartment communities are required to submit a credit application.

Residential and commercial real estate investments constitute a growing portion of the Fund's sponsor's historical investments, therefore the Fund intends to leverage its sponsor's management team's extensive prior experience in the residential and commercial real estate sectors, as well as its sponsor's origination capabilities and extensive financial institution relationships to identify these investment opportunities that are appropriate for the Fund's investment portfolio at the appropriate time in the real estate cycle. Certain owners of commercial real property are suffering distress. This fact and reduced demand by buyers for such properties has led to price reduction and as a result, the opportunity for higher returns. Improved economics may present an opportunity to acquire such properties. The Fund expects that its acquired properties would have occupancy levels consistent with the performance of the local market and would generate accretive and immediate cash flow. Although current market conditions may allow the Fund to acquire properties with little or no leverage, given the stabilized nature of the targeted properties, the Fund may apply modest levels of leverage to enhance investment returns. In particular, the Fund's sponsor and its real estate professionals who have been performing services for the Fund on behalf of the Adviser have extensive experience in acquiring, managing and disposing of net lease properties. Net lease properties generally have a small number of tenants with longer leases and few or no landlord responsibilities. The Fund will manage and dispose of any real property assets it acquires in the manner that the Adviser determines is most advantageous to the Fund.

#### Other Real Estate Investments

The Fund may invest in private issuances of equity or debt securities of public companies; and in a loan, security or other full recourse obligations for which the business of the related obligor is significantly related to real estate.

These investments may or may not have a scheduled maturity and are expected to be of longer duration (five- to ten-year terms) than the Fund's typical portfolio investment. Such investments are expected to be fixed rate (if they have a stated investment rate), and may have accrual structures and provide other distributions or equity participations in overall returns above negotiated levels. These investments are also expected to be collateralized or otherwise backed primarily by U.S. real estate collateral.

The Fund does not anticipate allocating a large amount of capital or time to these investments initially but as market conditions begin to improve the Fund believes that compelling opportunities will arise that should generate significant returns.

## Investments in Government Sponsored Programs

If the Fund meets the qualifications established by the FDIC, the Fund may elect to invest in any existing or future programs sponsored by the government to facilitate the investment in assets of the type the Fund seeks to acquire for the Fund's portfolio, to the extent consistent with the Fund's investment strategies and objectives.

#### Other Possible Investments

Although the Fund expects that most of the Fund's investments will be of the types described above, the Fund may make other investments. The Fund may invest in whatever types of interests in real estate- or debt-related assets that are believed to be in the Fund's best interests. Although the Fund can purchase any type of interest in real estate- or debt-related assets, the Fund's conflicts of interest policy and operating agreement do limit certain types of investments involving the Adviser, the Fund's sponsor, their officers or any of their affiliates. See "Conflicts of Interest."

## **Investment Process Overview**

The Adviser has the authority to make all the decisions regarding the Fund's investments consistent with the investment guidelines and borrowing policies approved by the Adviser's investment committee and subject to the limitations in the Fund's operating agreement and the direction and oversight of the Adviser's investment committee. The Adviser's investment committee must approve all investments other than investments in residential and commercial real estate loans and residential and commercial real estate-related debt securities, Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities, asset-backed securities, and cash management investments in money market and similar accounts. With respect to investments in residential and commercial real estate loans and residential and commercial real estate-related debt securities, Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities, asset-backed securities, and cash management investments in money market and similar accounts, the Adviser's investment committee intends to adopt investment guidelines that the Adviser must follow when acquiring such assets on the Fund's behalf without the approval of the Adviser's investment committee. The Adviser's investment committee will formally review at a duly called meeting our investment guidelines on an annual basis and the Fund's investment portfolio on a quarterly basis or, in each case, more often as they deem appropriate. Changes to the Fund's investment guidelines must be approved by the Adviser's investment committee.

The Adviser will focus on the direct origination and select purchasing of commercial and residential real estate loans. It will source the Fund's investments from new or existing customers, former and current financing and investment partners, third party intermediaries, competitors looking to share risk and securitization or lending departments of major financial institutions.

In selecting investments, the Adviser utilizes the Fund sponsor's established investment and underwriting process, which focuses on ensuring that each prospective investment is being evaluated appropriately. The criteria that the Adviser considers when evaluating prospective investment opportunities include:

- macroeconomic conditions that may influence operating performance;
- real estate market factors that may influence real estate lending and/or economic performance of the underlying real estate collateral;
- fundamental analysis of the underlying real estate collateral, including tenant rosters, lease terms, zoning, operating costs and the asset's overall competitive position in its market;
- the operating expertise and financial strength of the sponsor or borrower;
- real estate and leasing market conditions affecting the underlying real estate collateral;
- the cash flow in place and projected to be in place over the term of the loan;
- the appropriateness of estimated costs and timing associated with capital improvements of the underlying real estate collateral;
- a valuation of the investment, investment basis relative to its value and the ability to liquidate an investment through a sale or refinancing of the underlying asset;
- review of third-party reports, including appraisals, engineering and environmental reports;
- physical inspections of underlying real estate collateral and analysis of markets; and
- the overall structure of the investment and rights in the loan documentation.

If a potential investment meets the Adviser's underwriting criteria, the Adviser will review the proposed transaction structure, including security, reserve requirements, cash flow sweeps, call protection and recourse provisions. The Adviser will evaluate the asset's position within the overall capital structure and its rights in relation to other capital tranches. The Adviser will analyze each potential investment's risk-return profile and review financing sources, if applicable, to ensure that the investment fits within the parameters of financing facilities and to ensure performance of the underlying real estate collateral.

## **Investment Strategy and Criteria Used in Selecting Investments**

Within the Fund's investment objective and policies, the Adviser's Investment Committee has substantial discretion with respect to the selection of specific investments and the purchase and sale of the Fund's assets. The Fund believes that successful real estate investment requires the implementation of strategies that permit favorable purchases and originations, effective asset management and timely disposition of those assets. As such, the Adviser has developed a disciplined investment approach that combines the experience of the Adviser's team of real estate and debt finance professionals with a structure that emphasizes thorough market research, stringent underwriting standards and an extensive down-side analysis of the risks of each investment. The approach also includes active and aggressive management of each asset acquired.

The Adviser believes that active management is critical to creating value. The Adviser also develops a well-defined exit strategy for each investment the Fund makes. Specifically, the Adviser assigns an exit or refinance timeline to each asset the Fund acquires prior to its purchase as part of the original business plan for the asset. The Adviser then regularly re-evaluates the exit strategy of each asset in response to the performance of the individual asset, market conditions and the Fund's overall portfolio objectives to determine the optimal time to sell the asset.

To execute the Fund's disciplined investment approach, the Adviser's team of real estate and debt finance professionals take responsibility for the business plan of each investment. The following practices summarize the Fund's investment approach:

- Market Research. The investment team extensively researches the acquisition and/or origination and underwriting of each transaction, utilizing both real time market data and the transactional knowledge and experience of the team's network of professionals and in market relationships.
- Underwriting Discipline. The Fund follows a tightly controlled and managed process to examine all elements of a potential investment, including, with respect to real property, its location, income-producing capacity, prospects for long-range appreciation, income tax considerations and liquidity. Only those assets meeting the Fund's investment criteria will be accepted for inclusion in the Fund's portfolio. In an effort to keep an asset in compliance with those standards, the underwriting team remains involved through the investment life cycle of the asset and consults with the other internal professionals responsible for the asset. This team of experts reviews and develops comprehensive reports for each asset throughout the holding period.
- Risk Management. Risk management is a fundamental principle in the construction of portfolios and in the management of each investment. Diversification of portfolios by investment type, investment size and investment risk is critical to controlling portfolio-level risk. Operating or performance risks arise at the investment level and often require real estate operating experience to cure. The Adviser's real estate and debt finance professionals review the operating performance and history of the joint-venture and development partners against projections and provide the oversight necessary to detect and resolve issues as they arise.
- Asset Management. Prior to the purchase of an individual asset or portfolio, the Adviser closely works with the acquisition and underwriting teams to develop an asset business strategy. This is a forecast of the action items to be taken and the capital needed to achieve the anticipated returns. The Adviser reviews asset business strategies regularly to anticipate changes or opportunities in the market during a given phase of a real estate cycle. The Adviser has designed this process to allow for realistic yet aggressive enhancement of value throughout the investment period.

On-going monitoring of the Fund's investments will be utilized to assist the Adviser in maintaining portfolio allocations and managing cash in-flows and outflows. The Adviser may strategically rebalance its targeted asset allocation mix according to the current market conditions, but will remain true to its fundamental analysis with respect to each real estate asset class and sector risk, as applicable, over time. The Adviser manages investments over a long-term time horizon while being mindful of the historical context of the capital markets. No assurance can be given that any or all investment strategies, or the Fund's investment program, will be successful.

The period that the Fund will hold its portfolio investments will vary depending on the type of asset, interest rates and other factors. The Adviser will develop a well-defined exit strategy for each investment made by the Fund. The Adviser will continually perform a hold-sell analysis on each asset in order to determine the optimal time to hold the asset and generate a strong return to the Shareholders. Economic and market conditions may influence the Fund to hold its investments for different periods of time. The Fund may sell an asset before the end of the expected holding period if the Adviser believes that market conditions have maximized its value to the Fund or the sale of the asset would otherwise be in the best interests of Shareholders.

#### Derivatives

Generally, derivatives are financial contracts whose value depends upon, or are derived from, the value of an underlying asset, reference rate or index, and may relate to individual debt or equity instruments, interest rates, currencies or currency exchange rates and related indexes. Under normal circumstances, the Fund will be exposed to the effect of interest rate changes, price changes and currency fluctuations and may seek to limit these risks by following established risk management policies and procedures including the use of derivatives. To mitigate exposure to variability in interest rates, derivatives may be used primarily to fix the rate on debt based on floating-rate indices and manage the cost of borrowing obligations.

The Fund may use a variety of commonly used derivative products, including interest rate swaps, caps, collars, floors, options contracts, futures contracts, options (on securities, bonds, currencies, interest rates, indices or swaps), swaps (including interest rate, credit default, equity index and total return swaps) and other swap agreements for investment, hedging and risk management purposes. Subject to the Fund's 80% investment policy, the Fund may also invest in Treasury futures, Eurodollar futures, interest rate swaps, swaptions or similar instruments and combinations thereof. For purposes of the Fund's 80% policy, derivative instruments will be valued at their market value, or in cases where market value is not available, at fair value, as determined in accordance with the Fund's valuation procedures adopted by the Board. The Fund will engage in derivative transactions only to the extent such transactions are consistent with the requirements of the Code for maintaining its qualification as a REIT for federal income tax purposes. See "U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations."

## **Borrowing Policy**

The Fund believes that the Fund's sponsor's ability to obtain both competitive interim and term financings and its relationships with top tier financial institutions should allow the Adviser to successfully employ moderate levels of borrowing in order to enhance the Fund's returns to shareholders. Although the Fund's investment strategy is not contingent on financing the Fund's assets in the capital markets, our sponsor's past experience and ability in structuring and managing match-funded, flexible term debt facilities and securitization vehicles should provide the Adviser with an advantage in potentially obtaining conservatively structured term financing for many of the Fund's investments, to the extent available, through capital markets and other financing transactions, including allowing the Fund to be among the first to access the capital markets when conditions permit.

The Fund may use leverage to provide additional funds to support its investment activities. The Fund may employ leverage of not more than 33 1/3% of total assets as it is limited to 33 1/3% of the Fund's total assets (less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by 1940 Act leverage), in order to provide more funds available for investment. The Fund believes that careful use of conservatively structured leverage will help achieve diversification goals and potentially enhance the returns on investments. The Adviser may from time to time modify the Fund's leverage policy in its discretion.

### **Other Operating Policies**

Credit Risk Management. The Fund may be exposed to various levels of credit and special hazard risk depending on the nature of the Fund's underlying assets and the nature and level of credit enhancements supporting the Fund's assets. The Adviser and its executive officers will review and monitor credit risk and other risks of loss associated with each investment. In addition, the Fund seeks to diversify its portfolio of assets to avoid undue geographic, issuer, industry and certain other types of concentrations. The Adviser's Investment Committee will monitor the overall portfolio risk and levels of provision for loss.

Interest Rate Risk Management. To the extent consistent with maintaining the Fund's qualification for taxation as a REIT, the Fund follows an interest rate risk management policy intended to mitigate the negative effects of major interest rate changes. The Fund intends to minimize the Fund's interest rate risk from borrowings by attempting to "match-fund", which means the Adviser seeks to structure the key terms of the Fund's borrowings to generally correspond to the interest rate term of the Fund's assets and through hedging activities.

Hedging Activities. The Fund may engage in hedging transactions to protect its investment portfolio from interest rate fluctuations and other changes in market conditions. These transactions may include interest rate swaps, the purchase or sale of interest rate collars, caps or floors, options, mortgage derivatives and other hedging instruments. These instruments may be used to hedge as much of the interest rate risk as the Fund determines is in the best interest of Shareholders, given the cost of such hedges and the need to maintain the Fund's qualification for taxation as a REIT. The Fund may from time to time enter into interest rate swap agreements to offset the potential adverse effects of rising interest rates under certain short-term repurchase agreements. The Fund may elect to bear a level of interest rate risk that could otherwise be hedged when the Adviser believes, based on all relevant facts, that bearing such risk is advisable or economically unavoidable.

Equity Capital Policies. Under the Fund's operating agreement, the Fund has authority to issue an unlimited number of additional common shares or other securities. In particular, the Adviser is authorized to provide for the issuance of an unlimited amount of one or more classes or series of shares in the Fund, including preferred shares, and to fix the number of shares, the relative powers, preferences and rights, and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions applicable to each class or series thereof by resolution authorizing the issuance of such class or series, without shareholder approval. After your purchase in this offering, the Adviser may elect to: (i) sell additional shares in this or future public offerings or (ii) issue equity interests in private offerings. To the extent the Fund issues additional equity interests after your purchase in this offering, your percentage ownership interest in the Fund will be diluted. In addition, depending upon the terms and pricing of any additional offerings and the value of the Fund's investments, you may also experience dilution in the book value and fair value of your shares.

## **Additional Information Regarding Investment Strategies**

The Fund may, from time to time, take defensive positions that are inconsistent with the Fund's principal investment strategy in attempting to respond to adverse market, economic, political or other conditions. During such times, the Adviser may determine that the Fund should invest up to 100% of its assets in cash or cash equivalents, including money market instruments, prime commercial paper, repurchase agreements, Treasury bills and other short-term obligations of the U.S. Government, its agencies or instrumentalities. In these and in other cases, the Fund may not achieve its investment objective. The Adviser may invest the Fund's cash balances in any investments it deems appropriate. The Adviser expects that such investments will be made, without limitation and as permitted under the 1940 Act, in money market funds, repurchase agreements, U.S. Treasury and U.S. agency securities, municipal bonds and bank accounts. Any income earned from such investments is ordinarily reinvested by the Fund in accordance with its investment program. Many of the considerations entering into recommendations and decisions of the Adviser and the Fund's portfolio managers are subjective.

## LEVERAGE

The Fund and certain special purpose vehicles in which the Fund invests may use leverage to provide additional funds to support their investment activities. The Fund may incur entity level debt (non-mortgage debt at the Fund level). In addition, the special purpose vehicles in which the Fund invests may utilize property-level debt financing (mortgages on properties owned by the special purpose vehicles). Such special purpose vehicles would own real estate assets and would borrow from a lender using the owned property as mortgage collateral. If any such special purpose vehicle were to default on a loan, the lender's recourse would be to the mortgaged property and the lender would typically not have a claim to other assets of the Fund. When such property level debt is not recourse to the Fund, the Fund will not treat such non-recourse borrowings as senior securities (as defined in the 1940 Act) for purposes of complying with the 1940 Act's limitations on leverage, unless the special purpose vehicle (or other Real Estate Investment Vehicle) holding such debt is a Controlled Subsidiary of the Fund or the financial statements of the special purpose vehicle (or other Real Estate Investment Vehicle) holding such debt will be consolidated in the Fund's financial statements in accordance with Regulation S-X and other accounting rules unless such debt would be eliminated in the consolidated financial statements in accordance with Regulation S-X and the other accounting rules. Where such special purpose vehicles are not a Controlled Subsidiary of the Fund (e.g. including as part of a non-controlled joint venture with a third party), the Fund would not consider the investments as giving rise to Fund leverage.

Furthermore, the Fund may add leverage to its portfolio through the issuance of preferred shares of limited liability company interests ("Preferred Shares") in an aggregate amount of up to 50% of the Fund's total assets (i.e., for every dollar of Preferred Shares outstanding, the Fund is required to have at least two dollars of assets). Currently, the Fund has no intention to issue Preferred Shares. See "Risk Factors – Risks Related to the Fund's Financing Strategy."

The Fund may not use leverage at all times and the amount of leverage may vary depending upon a number of factors, including the Adviser's outlook for the market and the costs that the Fund would incur as a result of such leverage. Any Borrowings and Preferred Shares would have seniority over the Shares. There is no assurance that the Fund's leveraging strategy will be successful.

Any Borrowings and Preferred Shares (if issued) leverage your investment in Shares. Holders of Shares bear the costs associated with any Borrowings, and if the Fund issues Preferred Shares, holders of Shares bear the offering costs of the Preferred Share issuance. The Board may authorize the use of leverage through Borrowings and Preferred Shares without the approval of the holders of Shares.

The Fund is permitted in the future to negotiate with several large commercial lenders, including commercial banks and insurance companies, to arrange one or more credit facilities (each, a "Credit Facility") pursuant to which the Fund would be entitled to borrow an amount up to approximately 33 1/3% of the Fund's total assets (less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by 1940 Act leverage).

Under the 1940 Act, the Fund is not permitted to incur indebtedness unless immediately thereafter the total asset value of the Fund's portfolio is at least 300% of the aggregate amount of outstanding indebtedness (i.e., the aggregate amount of outstanding debt may not exceed 33½% of the Fund's total assets (less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by 1940 Act leverage)). In addition, the Fund is not permitted to declare any cash distribution on its Shares unless, at the time of such declaration, the NAV of the Fund's portfolio (determined deducting the amount of such distribution) is at least 300% of the aggregate amount of such outstanding indebtedness. If the Fund borrows money, the Fund intends, to the extent possible, to retire outstanding debt from time to time to maintain coverage of any outstanding indebtedness of at least 300%. Under the 1940 Act, the Fund may only issue one class of senior securities representing indebtedness.

The Fund may be required to prepay outstanding amounts or incur a penalty rate of interest upon the occurrence of certain events of default. The Fund's future Credit Facilities may contain customary covenants that, among other things, limit the Fund's ability to pay distributions in certain circumstances, incur additional debt, change its fundamental investment policies and engage in certain transactions, including mergers and consolidations, and require asset coverage ratios in addition to those required by the 1940 Act. In connection with any new Credit Facility, the Fund may be required to pledge some or all of its assets and to maintain a portion of its assets in cash or high-grade securities as a reserve against interest or principal payments and expenses. The Fund's custodian will retain all assets, including those that are pledged, but the lenders of such Credit Facility may have the ability to foreclose on such assets in the event of a default under the Credit Facility pursuant to a tri-party arrangement among the Fund, its custodian and such lenders. The Fund's custodian is not an affiliate of the Fund, as such term is defined in the 1940 Act. The Fund expects that any such Credit Facility would have customary covenant, negative covenant and default provisions. There can be no assurance that the Fund will enter into an agreement for any new Credit Facility on terms and conditions representative of the foregoing, or that additional material terms will not apply. In addition, if entered into, the Credit Facility may in the future be replaced or refinanced by one or more Credit Facilities having substantially different terms or by the issuance of Preferred Shares or debt securities.

Changes in the value of the Fund's portfolio investments, including costs attributable to Borrowings or Preferred Shares, are borne entirely by the holders of the Shares. If there is a net decrease (or increase) in the value of the Fund's investment portfolio, the leverage decreases (or increases) the NAV per share of Shares to a greater extent than if the Fund were not leveraged.

Utilization of leverage is a speculative investment technique and involves certain risks to holders of Shares. These include the possibility of higher volatility of the NAV of the Shares. So long as the Fund is able to realize a higher net return on its investment portfolio than the then-current cost of any leverage together with other related expenses, the effect of the leverage is to cause holders of Shares to realize a higher rate of return than if the Fund were not so leveraged. On the other hand, to the extent that the then-current cost of any leverage, together with other related expenses, approaches the net return on the Fund's investment portfolio, the benefit of leverage to holders of Shares is reduced, and if the then-current cost of any leverage together with related expenses were to exceed the net return on the Fund's portfolio, the Fund's leveraged capital structure would result in a lower rate of return to holders of Shares than if the Fund were not so leveraged.

Under the 1940 Act, the Fund is not permitted to issue Preferred Shares unless immediately after such issuance the value of the Fund's asset coverage is at least 200% of the liquidation value of the outstanding Preferred Shares (i.e., such liquidation value may not exceed 50% of the Fund's assets less all liabilities other than Borrowings and outstanding Preferred Shares). Under the 1940 Act, the Fund may only issue one class of Preferred Shares.

In addition, the Fund is not permitted to declare any cash dividend or other distribution on its Shares unless, at the time of such declaration, the value of the Fund's assets less liabilities other than Borrowings and outstanding Preferred Shares satisfies the above-referenced 200% coverage requirement. If Preferred Shares are issued, the Fund intends, to the extent possible, to purchase or redeem Preferred Shares from time to time to the extent necessary in order to maintain coverage of at least 200%.

If Preferred Shares are outstanding, two of the Fund's Directors will be elected by the holders of Preferred Shares, voting separately as a class. The remaining Directors of the Fund will be elected by holders of Common Shares and Preferred Shares voting together as a single class. In the event that the Fund fails to pay dividends on the Preferred Shares for two years, holders of Preferred Shares would be entitled to elect a majority of the Directors of the Fund.

The Fund may be subject to certain restrictions imposed either by guidelines of a lender, if the Fund borrows from a lender, or by one or more rating agencies which may issue ratings for Preferred Shares. These guidelines may impose asset coverage or portfolio composition requirements that are more stringent than those imposed on the Fund by the 1940 Act. It is not anticipated that these covenants or guidelines will impede the Adviser from managing the Fund's portfolio in accordance with the Fund's investment objective and policies. In addition to other considerations, to the extent that the Fund believes that the covenants and guidelines required by the rating agencies would impede its ability to meet its investment objective, or if the Fund is unable to obtain its desired rating on Preferred Shares, the Fund will not issue Preferred Shares.

### **Effects of Leverage**

The following table illustrates the effect of leverage on Common Shares total return, assuming investment portfolio total returns (comprised of income and changes in the value of securities held in the Fund's portfolio) of -10%, -5%, 0%, 5% and 10%. These assumed investment portfolio returns are hypothetical figures and are not necessarily indicative of the investment portfolio returns experienced or expected to be experienced by the Fund.

The table further reflects the issuance of leverage representing 10% of the Fund's total assets (less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by 1940 Act leverage), net of expenses and the Fund's currently projected annual interest on its leverage of 7.1%. To cover interest payments on such leverage, the Fund would need to achieve a 0.71% annual return.

Assumed Portfolio Total Return (Net of Expenses)	(10)%	(5)%	0%	5%	10%
Common Shares Total Return	(11.90)%	(6.34)%	(0.79)%	4.77%	10.32%

Common Shares total return is composed of two elements: the Common Shares dividends and distributions paid by the Fund (the amount of which is largely determined by the net investment income of the Fund after paying interest on its leverage) and gains or losses on the value of the securities the Fund owns. As required by SEC rules, the table above assumes that the Fund is more likely to suffer capital losses than to enjoy capital appreciation. For example, to assume a total return of 0% the Fund must assume that the return it receives on its investments is entirely offset by losses in the value of those investments.

The Fund is a non-diversified, closed-end management investment company designed primarily as a long-term investment and not as a trading vehicle. The Fund is not intended to be a complete investment program and, due to the uncertainty inherent in all investments, there can be no assurance that the Fund will achieve its investment objective. Your securities at any point in time may be worth less than you invested, even after taking into account the reinvestment of Fund dividends, distributions or interest payments, as applicable.

## RISK FACTORS

An investment in the Fund's Shares is subject to risks. The value of the Fund's investments will increase or decrease based on changes in the prices of the investments it holds. This will cause the value of the Fund's Shares to increase or decrease. You could lose money by investing in the Fund. By itself, the Fund does not constitute a complete investment program. Before investing in the Fund you should consider carefully the following risks of investing in the Fund. There may be additional risks that the Fund does not currently foresee or consider material. You may wish to consult with your legal or tax advisors before deciding whether to invest in the Fund.

#### Commercial and Residential Real Estate Industry Risk

The Fund's residential and commercial real estate and other real estate-related assets will be subject to the risks typically associated with real estate.

The Fund's residential and commercial real estate debt investments and other real estate-related assets will generally be directly or indirectly secured by a lien on real property that, upon the occurrence of a default on the loan, could result in the Fund acquiring ownership of the property. The Fund will not know whether the values of the properties ultimately securing the Fund's loans will remain at the levels existing on the dates of origination of those loans. If the values of the mortgaged properties drop, the Fund's risk will increase because of the lower value of the security associated with such loans. In this manner, real estate values could impact the values of the Fund's loan investments. The Fund's investments in residential and commercial real estate (including equity investments in real property) may be similarly affected by real estate property values. Therefore, the Fund's investments will be subject to the risks typically associated with real estate.

The value of real estate may be adversely affected by a number of risks, including: (i) public health crises, pandemics and epidemics, such as those caused by new strains of viruses such as H5N1 (avian flu), severe acute respiratory syndrome (SARS) and, most recently, the novel coronavirus (COVID-19); (ii) natural disasters such as hurricanes, earthquakes and floods; (iii) acts of war or terrorism, including the consequences of terrorist attacks, such as those that occurred on September 11, 2001; (iv) adverse changes in national and local economic and real estate conditions; (v) an oversupply of (or a reduction in demand for) space in the areas where particular properties are located and the attractiveness of particular properties to prospective tenants; (vi) changes in governmental laws and regulations, fiscal policies and zoning ordinances and the related costs of compliance therewith and the potential for liability under applicable laws; (vii) costs of remediation and liabilities associated with environmental conditions affecting properties; and (viii) the potential for uninsured or underinsured property losses. The value of each property is affected significantly by its ability to generate cash flow and net income, which in turn depends on the amount of rental or other income that can be generated net of expenses required to be incurred with respect to the property. Many expenditures associated with properties (such as operating expenses and capital expenditures) cannot be reduced when there is a reduction in income from the properties. These factors may have a material adverse effect on the ability of the Fund's borrowers to pay their loans, as well as on the value that the Fund can realize from assets the Fund originates, owns or acquires. In addition, to the extent the Fund makes equity investments in residential and commercial real estate, such investments will be subject to all of the risks associated with real estate described above.

Many of the Fund's investments are illiquid and the Fund may not be able to vary the Fund's portfolio in response to changes in economic and other conditions

The illiquidity of the Fund's target investments may make it difficult for the Fund to sell such investments if the need or desire arises. The senior mortgage loans, subordinated loans, mezzanine loans, and other loans and investments the Fund may originate or purchase will be particularly illiquid investments due to their short life and the greater difficulty of recoupment in the event of a borrower's default. In addition, some of the residential and commercial real estate debt investments that the Fund may purchase may be traded in private, unregistered transactions and may therefore be subject to restrictions on resale or otherwise have no established trading market. As a result, the Fund expects many of the Fund's investments will be illiquid, and if the Fund is required to liquidate all or a portion of its portfolio quickly, the Fund may realize significantly less than the value at which the Fund has previously recorded its investments and the Fund's ability to vary its portfolio in response to changes in economic and other conditions may be relatively limited, which could adversely affect the Fund's results of operations and financial condition.

Declines in the market values of Fund's investments may adversely affect periodic reported results of operations and credit availability, which may reduce earnings and, in turn, cash available for distribution to Shareholders.

Some of the Fund's assets are carried at estimated fair value and temporary changes in the market values of those assets will be directly charged or credited to unrealized gain/loss without impacting net investment income on the Statement of Operations. The Fund may pause or halt the recording of the daily accretion/amortization adjustment to the extent that interest income is not expected to be received due to a decline in the fair value of the securities.

A decline in the market value of the Fund's assets may adversely affect the Fund particularly in instances where the Fund has borrowed money based on the market value of those assets. If the market value of those assets declines, the lender may require the Fund to post additional collateral to support the loan. If the Fund were unable to post the additional collateral, the Fund may have to sell assets at a time when it might not otherwise choose to do so. A reduction in credit available may reduce the Fund's earnings and, in turn, cash available for distribution to Shareholders.

Further, credit facility providers may require the Fund to maintain a certain amount of cash reserves or to set aside unlevered assets sufficient to maintain a specified liquidity position, which would allow the Fund to satisfy its collateral obligations. As a result, the Fund may not be able to leverage the Fund's assets as fully as it would choose, which could reduce the Fund's return on equity. In the event that the Fund is unable to meet these contractual obligations, the Fund's financial condition could deteriorate rapidly. Market values of the Fund's investments may decline for a number of reasons, such as changes in prevailing market rates, increases in defaults, increases in voluntary prepayments for those investments that the Fund has that are subject to prepayment risk, widening of credit spreads and downgrades of ratings of the securities by ratings agencies.

A prolonged economic slowdown, a lengthy or severe recession or declining real estate values could harm the Fund's operations.

Many of the Fund's investments may be susceptible to economic slowdowns or recessions, which could lead to financial losses in Fund's investments and a decrease in revenues, net income and assets. An economic slowdown or recession, in addition to other non-economic factors such as an excess supply of properties, could have a material negative impact on the values of residential and commercial real estate, including both commercial real estate and residential real estate properties. Declining real estate values will likely reduce the Fund's level of new mortgage loan originations, since borrowers often use increases in the value of their existing properties to support the purchase or investment in additional properties. Borrowers may also be less able to pay principal and interest on loans if the real estate economy weakens. Further, declining real estate values significantly increase the likelihood that the Fund will incur losses on the loans in the event of default because the value of the Fund's collateral may be insufficient to cover the Fund's cost on the loan. Any sustained period of increased payment delinquencies, foreclosures or losses could adversely affect both the Fund's net interest income from loans in the Fund's portfolio as well as the Fund's ability to originate, sell and securitize loans, which would significantly harm the Fund's revenues, results of operations, financial condition, business prospects and the Fund's ability to make distributions to Shareholders.

Insurance may not cover all potential losses on residential and commercial real estate Investments made by the Fund, which may impair the value of the Fund's assets.

Tenants of real estate equity investments and borrowers under real estate debt investments often (though not in all cases) obtain comprehensive insurance covering the respective properties, including liability, fire and extended coverage. However, there are certain types of losses, generally of a catastrophic nature, such as earthquakes, floods and hurricanes, or terrorism that may be uninsurable or not economically insurable. Inflation, changes in building codes and ordinances, environmental considerations, and other factors also might make it infeasible to use insurance proceeds to replace a property if it is damaged or destroyed. Under such circumstances, the insurance proceeds, if any, might not be adequate to restore the economic value of the mortgaged property, which might impair the Fund's security and decrease the value of the property.

If the Fund overestimates the value or income-producing or incorrectly prices the risks of the Fund's investments, the Fund may experience losses.

Analysis of the value or income-producing ability of a commercial or residential real estate Property investment is highly subjective and may be subject to error. The Fund will value its potential commercial or residential real estate equity investments based on yields and risks, taking into account estimated future losses on the commercial or residential real estate debt investments and the mortgaged property included in the securitization's pools or select residential or commercial real estate equity investments, and the estimated impact of these losses on expected future cash flows and returns. In the event that the risks relative to the price the Fund pays for a particular investment are underestimated, the Fund may experience losses with respect to such investment.

The leases on the properties underlying the Fund's investments may not be renewed on favorable terms.

The properties underlying the Fund's investments could be negatively impacted by the deteriorating economic conditions and weaker rental markets. Upon expiration or earlier termination of leases on these properties, the space may not be relet or, if relet, the terms of the renewal or reletting (including the cost of required renovations or concessions to tenants) may be less favorable than current lease terms. In addition, the poor economic conditions may reduce a tenants' ability to make rent payments under their leases. Any of these situations may result in extended periods where there is a significant decline in revenues or no revenues generated by these properties. Additionally, if market rental rates are reduced, property-level cash flows would likely be negatively affected as existing leases renew at lower rates. If the leases for these properties cannot be renewed for all or substantially all of the space at these properties, or if the rental rates upon such renewal or reletting are significantly lower than expected, the value of the Fund's investments may be adversely effected.

Risks of cost overruns and non-completion of the construction or renovation of the properties underlying loans the Fund makes or acquires may materially adversely affect the Fund's investment.

The renovation, refurbishment or expansion by a borrower under a mortgaged or leveraged property involves risks of cost overruns and non-completion. Costs of construction or improvements to bring a property up to standards established for the market position intended for that property may exceed original estimates, possibly making a project uneconomical. Other risks may include environmental risks and construction, rehabilitation and if applicable, subsequent leasing of the property not being completed on schedule. If such construction or renovation is not completed in a timely manner, or if it costs more than expected, the borrower may experience a prolonged impairment of net operating income and may not be able to make payments on Fund's investment.

Risk associated with new construction homebuilding and development of residential and commercial real estate projects may materially affect the Fund's investment.

The Fund's investments are subject to risks inherent in real estate development and construction, such as the risk that there will be insufficient tenant demand to occupy newly developed properties, changing project requirements, elevated costs for labor and materials, and unexpected construction hurdles that can increase construction costs. Financing risk may also exist should changes in construction costs or financial markets occur. Regulatory risks may exist should changes in regulation occur during construction or if the necessary permits are not secured prior to beginning construction.

The Fund is exposed to environmental liabilities with respect to properties to which the Fund takes title.

In the course of Fund's business, the Fund may take title to real estate, and, if the Fund does take title, the Fund could be subject to environmental liabilities with respect to these properties. In such a circumstance, the Fund may be held liable to a governmental entity or to third parties for property damage, personal injury, and investigation and clean-up costs incurred by these parties in connection with environmental contamination, or may be required to investigate or clean up hazardous or toxic substances, or chemical releases, at a property. The costs associated with investigation or remediation activities could be substantial. If the Fund ever become subject to significant environmental liabilities, the Fund's business, financial condition, liquidity and results of operations could be materially and adversely affected.

Future disruptions in the financial markets, deteriorating economic conditions or public health crises could adversely impact the commercial and residential real estate market as well as the market for debt-related investments generally, which could hinder the Fund's ability to implement the Fund's business strategy and generate returns to Shareholders.

The Fund intends to originate and acquire a portfolio of commercial and residential real estate, Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities and other real estate-related assets. Economic conditions greatly increase the risks of these investments. The value of collateral securing any loan investment the Fund may make could decrease below the outstanding principal amount of such loan. In addition, revenues on the properties and other assets underlying any loan investments the Fund may make could decrease, making it more difficult for borrowers to meet their payment obligations to the Fund. Each of these factors would increase the likelihood of default and foreclosure, which would likely have a negative impact on the value of the Fund's loan investment. More generally, the risks arising from the financial market and economic conditions are applicable to all of the investments the Fund may make. The risks apply to commercial and residential mortgage, mezzanine or bridge loans. They also apply to the debt and equity securities of companies that have investment objectives similar to the Fund's objective.

Future disruptions in the financial markets, deteriorating economic conditions or public health crises may also impact the market for the Fund's investments and the volatility of the Fund's investments. The returns available to investors in the Fund's targeted investments are determined, in part, by: (i) the supply and demand for such investments and (ii) the existence of a market for such investments, which includes the ability to sell or finance such investments. During periods of volatility, the number of investors participating in the market may change at an accelerated pace. If either demand or liquidity increases, the cost of the Fund's targeted investments may increase. As a result, the Fund may have fewer funds available to make distributions to investors. All of the factors described above could adversely impact the Fund's ability to implement its investment strategy and make distributions to its Shareholders and could decrease the value of an investment in the Fund.

The Fund is exposed to risks inherent to residential real estate industry.

A number of the Fund's investments in real estate assets are concentrated in the residential sector. This concentration may expose us to the risk of economic downturns in this sector to a greater extent than if the Fund's business activities included a more significant portion of other sectors of the real estate industry. Investments in residential real estate are subject to various changes in real estate conditions, and any negative trends in real estate conditions may adversely affect the Fund's investments through decreased revenues or increased costs. These conditions include: changes in national, regional and local economic conditions, which may be negatively impacted by concerns about inflation, deflation, government deficits, high unemployment rates, decreased consumer confidence and liquidity concerns; fluctuations in interest rates; the inability of residents and tenants to pay rent; the existence and quality of the competition, including the attractiveness of properties based on considerations such as convenience of location, rental rates, amenities and safety record; increased operating costs, including increased real property taxes, maintenance, insurance and utilities costs; oversupply of apartments, single-family housing or a reduction in demand for real estate; and changes in, or increased costs of compliance with, laws and/or governmental regulations, including those governing usage, zoning, the environment and taxes.

## Risks Related to Property Acquisition and Development

The Fund expects to engage in the strategy of acquiring, holding and financing land for future development. The risks inherent in financing, purchasing, owning, selling, and developing land increase as the demand for new homes and rentals decreases. Real estate markets are highly uncertain, and the value of undeveloped land has fluctuated significantly and may continue to fluctuate. The Fund's investments are subject to risks inherent in residential and commercial real estate generally as well as risks inherent to new construction and development, such as the risk that there will be insufficient tenant demand to occupy newly developed properties, the risk that costs of construction materials or construction labor may rise materially during the development, overbuilding and price competition, decreased availability of suitable land, and changing government regulations (including zoning, usage and tax laws). In addition, land carrying costs can be significant and can result in losses or reduced profitability. As a result, the Fund may hold certain land, and may acquire or finance additional land, in its development pipeline at a cost that the Fund may not be able to fully recover or at a cost which precludes profitable development.

The Fund may finance, own, and develop residential communities in concentrated geographic areas. Residential land development, construction, and lot sales can be highly cyclical and can be affected by the availability of mortgage financing, interest rates and local issues, including the availability of jobs, transportation and the quality of public schools. Once a development is undertaken, no assurances can be given that the Fund will be able to sell the various developed lots or rent the properties in a timely manner. Failure to sell such lots or rent the properties in a timely manner could result in significantly increased carrying costs and erosion or elimination of profit with respect to any development. In a recession or period of prolonged economic downturn, sales of lots and new rents can decline significantly. The Fund is exposed to these increased carrying costs and reduction of profit throughout this recessionary period until conditions improve.

In addition, actual construction and development costs with respect to development can exceed estimates for various reasons, including unknown site conditions. The timing of subdivision lot sales and unimproved or improved property sales are, by their nature, difficult to predict with any precision. Additionally, some of the Fund's residential properties are multi-year projects, and market conditions may change between the time the Fund decides to develop a property and the time that all or some of the lots or tracts may be ready for sale. Similarly, the Fund may hold undeveloped land for long periods of time prior to development or sale. Any changes in market conditions between the time the Fund acquires land and the time it develops, rents, and/or sells the land could cause the Fund's estimates of proceeds and related profits from such sales or rents to be lower or result in an impairment charge. Periods of economic downturn can cause estimated sales prices to decline, increasing the likelihood that the Fund will be required to record one or more impairment charges. Estimates of sales, rents, and profits may differ substantially from actual sales, rents, and profits and as a result, the Fund's results of operations may differ substantially from these estimates.

## Risks Related to Specific Real Estate Property Types

The Fund's portfolio will be significantly impacted by the performance of the real estate market and may experience more volatility and be exposed to greater risk than a more diversified portfolio. The Fund will subject to the risks associated with ownership of commercial and residential estate generally.

In addition to these general risks associated with commercial and residential real estate equity investments, the Fund will also be subject to special risks associated with particular sectors or types of commercial and residential real estate, including, but not limited to, the following:

- Rental Properties. Rental properties are affected by the overall health of the economy and may be adversely affected by, among other things, the growth of alternative forms of retailing, bankruptcy, departure or cessation of operations of a tenant, a shift in consumer demand due to demographic changes, changes in spending patterns and lease terminations.
- <u>Retail Properties</u>. Retail properties are affected by the overall health of the economy and may be adversely affected by, among other things, the growth of alternative forms of retailing, competition from numerous other retail channels, bankruptcy, departure or cessation of operations of a tenant, a shift in consumer demand due to demographic changes, changes in spending patterns and lease terminations.
- Office Properties. Office properties are affected by the overall health of the economy, and other factors such as a downturn in the businesses operated by their tenants, regulatory compliance costs, obsolescence and non-competitiveness.
- <u>Multifamily Properties</u>. The value and successful operation of a multifamily residential property may be affected by a number of factors such as the location of the property, the ability of the management team, the level of mortgage rates, the presence of competing properties, short-term leases of multifamily units and the risk of declining market rent, significant vacancies which affect the resale value of multifamily properties, competition from other apartment communities for tenants, affordability of single-family homes as an alternative to multifamily housing, adverse economic conditions in the locale, oversupply and rent control laws or other laws affecting such properties.
- <u>Single Family Properties</u>. The value and successful operation of a single family residential property may be affected by a number of factors such as the location of the property, the ability of the management team, the level of mortgage rates, the presence of competing properties, the risk of declining market rent, competition from other institutional investors, affordability of multifamily housing, adverse economic conditions in the locale, oversupply and rent control laws or other laws affecting such properties.
- <u>Hospitality Properties</u>. The risks of hospitality or hotel properties include, among other things, the necessity of a high level of continuing capital expenditures, competition, increases in operating costs which may not be offset by increases in revenues, dependence on business and commercial travelers and tourism, increases in fuel costs and other expenses of travel, and adverse effects of general and local economic conditions. Hospitality properties tend to be more sensitive to seasonal risks, adverse economic conditions, and competition than many other commercial properties.

- <u>Industrial Properties</u>. Industrial properties are affected by downturns in the manufacturing, processing and shipping of goods, and the decline in manufacturing activity in the United States.
- Healthcare Properties. Healthcare properties and healthcare providers are affected by several significant factors, including federal, state and local laws governing licenses (especially licensing and certification requirements for participation in government programs including obtaining certificates of need), adequacy of care, pharmaceutical distribution, reduction in reimbursement rates from third party payors such as Medicare or Medicaid, equipment, personnel and other factors regarding operations, continued availability of revenue from government reimbursement programs and competition on a local and regional basis. The failure of any healthcare operator to comply with governmental laws and regulations may affect its ability to operate its facility or receive government reimbursements.
- <u>Land</u>. Land may be affected by development risks including insufficient tenant demand to build or construction delays, regulatory delays concerning zoning or various licensing requirements, as well as adverse changes in local and national economic and market conditions.
- <u>Self-Storage Properties</u>. The value and successful operation of a self-storage property may be affected by a number of factors, such as the ability of the management team, the location of the property, the presence of competing properties, changes in traffic patterns and effects of general and local economic conditions with respect to rental rates and occupancy levels.
- <u>Student Housing Properties</u>. Student housing properties are affected by fluctuations in underlying demand, which is tied to student enrollments, as well as short-term and seasonal leasing demands. Other factors affecting student housing include the supply of university-owned housing and the availability and accessibility of transportation. In addition, tuition costs and the ability for students to borrow in order to fund their studies will impact available income for student housing costs.
- <u>Data Center Properties</u>. Data center properties are subject to the risk of obsolescence given changing technology and the high investment cost of such assets. Also tenant demand may fluctuate as companies change their needs for information technology investment. Data center properties are also subject to the risks associated with security breaches or the failures of the networks, systems, or technology located within the data centers, and dependence on computer systems due to demographic changes, changes in spending patterns and lease terminations.
- New Construction Homebuilding. Homebuilding projects are affected by several significant factors, including rising costs and decreased availability of suitable land; costs of construction labor and materials; overbuilding and price competition; consumer demand and confidence; labor availability; availability of construction financing and residential mortgages; and related interest rates.

### Risks of Investing Through Real Estate Investment Vehicles

By investing in a Real Estate Investment Vehicle, the Fund is indirectly exposed to risks associated with the Real Estate Investment Vehicle's investments in residential and commercial real estate investments. Such investments may involve risks not otherwise present with other methods of investment, including, for instance, the following risks and conflicts of interest:

• The Fund may not have sole decision-making authority with respect to a Real Estate Investment Vehicle (except any wholly owned Real Estate Investment Vehicle) regarding certain major decisions affecting the ownership of the vehicle or assets of the vehicle, and a co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor in the Real Estate Investment Vehicle could take actions that decrease the value of an investment to the Fund and lower the Fund's overall return;

- A co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor in a Real Estate Investment Vehicle may have economic or other interests or goals that are
  inconsistent with the Fund's interests or goals, including, for instance, the financing, management, operation, leasing or sale of the assets purchased
  by such Real Estate Investment Vehicle:
- A co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor in a Real Estate Investment Vehicle that controls the management of the affairs of a Real Estate Investment Vehicle could become insolvent or bankrupt;
- Fraud or other misconduct by a co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor that controls the management of the affairs of a Real Estate Investment Vehicle may have a materially adverse effect on the Fund's investments;
- Under certain arrangements, no party may have the power to control the Real Estate Investment Vehicle and, under certain circumstances, an impasse could result regarding cash distributions, reserves, or a proposed sale or refinancing of the investment, and this impasse could have an adverse impact on the Real Estate Investment Vehicle, which could adversely impact the operations and profitability of the vehicle and/or the amount and timing of distributions the Fund receives from such vehicle;
- A co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor in a Real Estate Investment Vehicle may be structured differently than the Fund for tax purposes and this could create conflicts of interest and risk to the Fund's ability to qualify as a REIT for tax purposes;
- The Fund may rely upon a co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor in a Real Estate Investment Vehicle to manage the day-to-day operations of the Real Estate Investment Vehicle, as well as to prepare financial information for the vehicle, and any failure to perform these obligations may have a negative impact on the Fund's performance and results of operations;
- A co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor managing a Real Estate Investment Vehicles may experience a change of control, which could
  result in new management of such co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor with less experience or conflicting interests to the Fund and be
  disruptive to the Fund's business;
- A co-investor, joint venture partner or other investor in a Real Estate Investment Vehicles may be in a position to take action contrary to the Fund's instructions or requests or contrary to the Fund's policies or objectives, including the Fund's policy with respect to maintaining its qualification as a REIT for tax purposes;
- The terms of a Real Estate Investment Vehicle could restrict the Fund's ability to sell or transfer its interest to a third party when it desires on advantageous terms, which could result in reduced liquidity; and
- Because a Real Estate Investment Vehicle is not registered under the 1940 Act, the Fund, as an investor in the Real Estate Investment Vehicle, will not have all of the protections and substantive regulation of the 1940 Act offered to investors in registered investment companies. However, to the extent they are applicable to the investment activities of any Real Estate Investment Vehicle, such Real Estate Investment will be managed pursuant to the 1940 Act compliance policies and procedures of the Fund. Changes in the laws of the United States, under which the Fund and a Real Estate Investment Vehicle are organized, including the regulations under the Code, could result in the inability of the Fund and/or the Real Estate Investment Vehicle to operate as described in this Prospectus and the SAI and could negatively affect the Fund and it shareholders.

Any of the above might subject the Fund to liabilities and thus reduce its returns on investments through that Real Estate Investment Vehicle.

# Risks of Investing in Private Real Estate Funds

The Fund may not have sole decision-making authority over the private real estate funds and may be unable to take actions to protect its interests in these investments.

Once the Adviser has selected private real estate funds in which it intends for the Fund to invest, the Adviser may have limited or no control over the investment decisions made by any such private real estate funds, although the Adviser may evaluate regularly each private real estate funds and its institutional asset manager to determine whether their respective investment programs are consistent with the Fund's investment objective. Even though the private real estate funds are subject to certain constraints, the asset managers may change aspects of their investment strategies at any time. The Adviser's ability to withdraw an investment or allocate away from the private real estate funds, may be constrained by limitations imposed by the private real estate funds, which may prevent the Fund from actively managing its portfolio away from underperforming private real estate funds or in uncertain markets. By investing in the Fund, a Shareholder will not be deemed to be an investor in any private real estate funds and will not have the ability to exercise any rights attributable to an investor in any such private real estate funds related to their investment. Such private real estate funds may impose another level of fees, both management and incentive fees, which would result in higher costs for the Fund and, therefore, for the Fund's Shareholders.

The Fund may be subject to additional risks if it fails to meet a capital call from the private real estate funds.

Under the terms of the limited partnership agreements or limited liability company operating agreements, as applicable, of many of the private real estate funds in which the Fund intends to invest, the Fund will make commitments to make capital contributions in specified maximum amounts to such private real estate funds (each, a "Capital Contribution") based on notices provided by the private real estate funds (each, a "Capital Call"). These Capital Contributions will be made from time to time generally on an as needed basis rather than upfront. The Capital Contributions would be used by the applicable private real estate funds to pay specified expenses of the private real estate funds and to make investments in a manner consistent with the investment strategy or guidelines established by the applicable private real estate funds. As a result, the Fund as an investor in a private real estate fund may be required to make a Capital Contribution to such private real estate fund without the benefit of an extensive notice period after a Capital Call and without regard to the Fund's current financial condition and availability of cash to make such Capital Contribution.

The limited partnership agreement or limited liability company operating agreement, as applicable, of the applicable private real estate funds may contain detailed provisions regarding the failure of an investor in such private real estate funds to honor its Capital Contribution obligation. The consequences that may be imposed upon a defaulting investor in such private real estate funds include interest on overdue amounts, a loss of voting rights in the private real estate funds as long as the default is continuing, and (in many cases) a forced sale or forfeiture of the defaulting investor's interest in the private real estate funds in favor of the other investors in such private real estate funds.

Because the Fund may have comparatively little notice of when or the amount in which a Capital Call will be made by a private real estate funds, and such Capital Call will be required regardless of the financial condition or availability of cash of the Fund, the Fund is subject to the risk that it may default on its obligation to make a Capital Contribution. Should the Fund default on its obligations to make a Capital Contribution, it may be required to pay interest on the overdue amounts, lose its voting rights in the private real estate funds, or be subject to a forced sale or forfeiture of all or a portion of its interest in the private real estate funds. In such instance, the Fund may experience an adverse effect on its investment in such private real estate funds, which could result in a negative impact to the Fund's Shareholders.

The private real estate funds will not be registered as investment companies under the 1940 Act and as a result, the Fund will not have the benefit of the 1940 Act's protective provisions.

The private real estate funds will not be registered as investment companies under the 1940 Act and, therefore, the Fund will not be able to avail itself of the protections of the 1940 Act with respect to the private real estate funds, including certain corporate governance protections, such as the requirement to have 40% of the board be Independent Directors statutory protections against self-dealings and joint transactions by the institutional asset managers and their affiliates, and leverage limitations. Furthermore, some of the institutional asset managers for the private real estate funds may not be registered under the Advisers Act, meaning that the Fund will not be able to rely on the statutory protections of that Advisers Act either.

Certain private real estate fund investments may be short-lived assets and the Fund may not be able to reinvest capital in comparable investments.

Because certain private real estate fund investments are short-lived, the Fund may be unable to reinvest the distributions received from the private real estate funds in investments with similar returns, which could adversely impact the Fund's performance.

The private real estate funds and REITs may pursue investment strategies that compete with each other or do not align with those of the Fund.

The Fund's investments in any particular private real estate funds could increase the level of competition for the same trades that other private real estate funds might otherwise make, including the priorities of order entry. This could make it difficult or impossible to invest in or liquidate a position in a particular security at a price consistent with the Fund's strategy.

The valuations of the Fund's investments in the private real estate funds provided by the institutional asset managers of such private real estate funds may not be accurate or reliable

The valuation of the Fund's investments in private real estate funds will be determined by the institutional asset managers of those private real estate funds, which valuation may not be accurate or reliable. While the valuation of the Fund's publicly traded securities are more readily ascertainable, the Fund's ownership interests in private real estate funds are not publicly traded and the Fund will depend on appraisers, service providers, and the institutional asset manager to a private real estate fund to provide a valuation, or assistance with a valuation, of those investments. Any such valuation is a subjective analysis of the fair market value of an asset and requires the use of techniques that are costly and time-consuming and ultimately provide no more than an estimate of value. Moreover, the valuation of the Fund's investment in a private real estate funds, as provided by an institutional asset manager for its assets as of a specific date, may vary from the actual sales price of its assets or any secondary market value price for the underlying fund's interest, if such investments were sold to a third party.

The Fund's investments in private real estate funds and certain Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities may be subject to the credit risks of the borrowers of debt investments held by such private real estate funds or certain Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities issuers.

The Fund's investments in private real estate funds and certain Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities may be subject to the credit risks of any borrowers of the debt investments held by certain of the private real estate funds or Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities. There is a risk that borrowers to certain private real estate funds or Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities in which the Fund invests will not make payments, resulting in losses to the Fund. In addition, the credit quality of securities may be lowered if an issuer's financial condition changes. Lower credit quality may lead to greater volatility in the price of an investment and in shares of the Fund. Lower credit quality also may affect liquidity and make it difficult to sell the investment. Default, or the market's perception that an issuer is likely to default, could reduce the value and liquidity of securities, thereby reducing the value of an investor's investment in Fund shares. In addition, default may cause the Fund to incur expenses in seeking recovery of principal or interest on its portfolio holdings.

# Risks Related to the Fund's Residential and Commercial Real Estate Loans

The residential and commercial real estate loan investments the Fund originates and invests in could be subject to delinquency, foreclosure and loss, which could result in losses to the Fund.

Commercial and residential real estate loans are secured by residential or commercial use property and are subject to risks of delinquency and foreclosure. The ability of a borrower to repay a loan secured by an income-producing property typically is dependent primarily upon the successful operation of such property rather than upon the existence of independent income or assets of the borrower. If the net operating income of the property is reduced, the borrower's ability to repay the loan may be impaired. Net operating income of an income-producing property can be affected by, among other things: tenant mix, success of tenant businesses, property management decisions, property location and condition, competition from comparable types of properties, changes in laws that increase operating expenses or limit rents that may be charged, any need to address environmental contamination at the property, the occurrence of any uninsured casualty at the property, changes in national, regional or local economic conditions and/or specific industry segments, declines in regional or local real estate values, declines in regional or local rental or occupancy rates, increases in interest rates, real estate tax rates and other operating expenses, changes in governmental rules, regulations and fiscal policies, including environmental legislation, natural disasters, terrorism, social unrest and civil disturbances. In addition, to the extent the Fund originates or acquire adjustable rate mortgage loans, such loans may contribute to higher delinquency rates because borrowers with adjustable rate mortgage loans may be exposed to increased monthly payments if the related mortgage interest rate adjusts upward from the initial fixed rate.

In the event of any default under a mortgage loan held by the Fund, the Fund will bear a risk of loss of principal to the extent of any deficiency between the value of the collateral and the principal and accrued interest of the mortgage loan, which could have a material adverse effect on the Fund's cash flow from operations. The Fund expects that many of the residential and commercial real estate debt investments that the Fund originates will be fully or substantially non-recourse. In the event of a default by a borrower on a non-recourse loan, the Fund will only have recourse to the underlying asset (including any escrowed funds and reserves) collateralizing the loan. If a borrower defaults on one of Fund's residential or commercial real estate debt investments and the underlying asset collateralizing the residential or commercial real estate debt investments, the Fund may suffer a loss of principal or interest. In addition, even if the Fund has recourse to a borrower's assets, the Fund may not have full recourse to such assets in the event of a borrower bankruptcy.

Foreclosure of a mortgage loan can be an expensive and lengthy process that could have a substantial negative effect on the Fund's anticipated return on the foreclosed mortgage loan. In the event of the bankruptcy of a mortgage loan borrower, the mortgage loan to such borrower will be deemed to be secured only to the extent of the value of the mortgaged property at the time of bankruptcy (as determined by the bankruptcy court), and the lien securing the mortgage loan will be subject to the avoidance powers of the bankruptcy trustee or debtor-in-possession to the extent the lien is unenforceable under state law. The resulting time delay could reduce the value of the Fund's investment in the defaulted mortgage loans, impede the Fund's ability to foreclose on or sell the mortgaged property or to obtain proceeds sufficient to repay all amounts due to the Fund on the mortgage loan.

Competition with third parties in acquiring and originating investments may reduce the Fund's profitability and the return on a Shareholder's investment.

The Fund has significant competition with respect to its acquisition and origination of assets with many other companies, including other REITs, insurance companies, commercial banks, private investment funds, hedge funds, specialty finance companies, online investment platforms and other investors, many of which have greater resources than the Fund. The Fund may not be able to compete successfully for investments. In addition, the number of entities and the amount of funds competing for suitable investments may increase. If the Fund pay higher prices for investments or originate loans on more generous terms than the Fund's competitors, the Fund's returns will be lower and the value of the Fund's assets may not increase or may decrease significantly below the amount the Fund paid for such assets. If such events occur, Shareholders may experience a lower return on their investments.

The Fund's investments in subordinated commercial and residential real estate loans may be subject to losses.

The may acquire or originate subordinated commercial and residential real estate loans. In the event a borrower defaults on a subordinated loan and lacks sufficient assets to satisfy the loan, the Fund may suffer a loss of principal or interest. In the event a borrower declares bankruptcy, the Fund may not have full recourse to the assets of the borrower, or the assets of the borrower may not be sufficient to satisfy the loan. If a borrower defaults on the loan or on debt senior to the loan, or in the event of a borrower bankruptcy, the loan will be satisfied only after the senior debt is paid in full. Where debt senior to the loan exists, the presence of intercreditor arrangements may limit the Fund's ability to amend its loan documents, assign the loans, accept prepayments, exercise the Fund's remedies (through "standstill periods"), and control decisions made in bankruptcy proceedings relating to borrowers.

The mezzanine loans in which the Fund may invest involves greater risks of loss than senior loans secured by the same properties.

The Fund may invest in mezzanine loans that take the form of subordinated loans secured by a pledge of the ownership interests of either the entity owning the real property or an entity that owns (directly or indirectly) the interest in the entity owning the real property. These types of investments may involve a higher degree of risk than long-term senior mortgage lending secured by income-producing real property because the investment may become unsecured as a result of foreclosure by the senior lender. In the event of a bankruptcy of the entity providing the pledge of its ownership interests as security, the Fund may not have full recourse to the assets of such entity, or the assets of the entity may not be sufficient to satisfy the mezzanine loan. If a borrower defaults on Fund's mezzanine loan or debt senior to the loan, or in the event of a borrower bankruptcy, the mezzanine loan will be satisfied only after the senior debt. As a result, the Fund may not recover some or all of its investment. In addition, mezzanine loans may have higher loan-to-value ratios than conventional mortgage loans, resulting in less equity in the real property and increasing the risk of loss of principal.

Controlled subsidiaries the Fund may invest in will be subject to specific risks relating to the particular subsidiary.

The Fund may invest in Controlled subsidiaries owning real estate where the Fund is entitled to receive a preferred economic return. Such investments may be subordinate to debt financing. These investments will involve special risks relating to the particular subsidiary, including the financial condition and business outlook of the subsidiary. To the extent these investments are subordinate to debt financing, they will also be subject to risks of (i) limited liquidity in the secondary trading market, (ii) substantial market price volatility resulting from changes in prevailing interest rates, (iii) subordination to the prior claims of banks and other senior lenders to the issuer, (iv) the operation of mandatory sinking fund or call or redemption provisions during periods of declining interest rates that could cause the subsidiary to reinvest any redemption proceeds in lower yielding assets, (v) the possibility that earnings of the subsidiary may be insufficient to meet any distribution obligations and (vi) the declining creditworthiness and potential for insolvency of the subsidiary during periods of rising interest rates and economic downturn. As a result, the Fund may not recover some or all of its capital, which could result in losses.

Investments in non-conforming or non-investment grade rated loans involve greater risk of loss.

Some of the Fund's investments may not conform to conventional loan standards applied by traditional lenders and either will not be rated or may be rated as non-investment grade by the rating agencies. The non-investment grade ratings for these assets typically result from the overall leverage of the loans, the lack of a strong operating history for the properties underlying the loans, the borrowers' credit history, the properties' underlying cash flow or other factors. As a result, these investments may have a higher risk of default and loss than investment grade rated assets. Any loss the Fund incurs may be significant and may reduce distributions to Fund's Shareholders and adversely affect the value of the Fund's Shares.

The Fund may invest in CMBS and RMBS, which are subject to several types of risks that may adversely impact Fund performance.

Commercial mortgage-backed securities, or CMBS, are bonds that evidence interests in, or are secured by, a single commercial mortgage loan or a pool of commercial mortgage loans. Accordingly, the mortgage-backed securities the Fund may invest in are subject to all the risks of the underlying mortgage loans, including the risks of prepayment or default.

In a rising interest rate environment, the value of CMBS may be adversely affected when repayments on underlying mortgage loans do not occur as anticipated, resulting in the extension of the security's effective maturity and the related increase in interest rate sensitivity of a longer-term instrument. The prices of lower credit quality securities are generally less sensitive to interest rate changes than more highly rated assets but more sensitive to adverse economic downturns or individual issuer developments. A projection of an economic downturn, for example, could cause a decline in the price of lower credit quality securities because the ability of obligors of mortgages underlying CMBS to make principal and interest payments or to refinance may be impaired. In this case, existing credit support in the securitization structure may be insufficient to protect us against loss of the Fund's principal on these securities. The value of CMBS also may change due to shifts in the market's perception of issuers and regulatory or tax changes adversely affecting the mortgage securities markets as a whole. In addition, CMBS are subject to the credit risk associated with the performance of the underlying mortgage properties.

Residential mortgage-backed securities, or RMBS, are bonds that evidence interests in, or are secured by, a single residential mortgage loan or a pool of residential mortgage loans. Accordingly, the mortgage-backed securities the Fund may invest in are subject to all the risks of the underlying mortgage loans, including the risks of prepayment or default.

The investment characteristics of RMBS differ from traditional debt securities. The major differences include the fact that interest payments and principal repayments on RMBS are made more frequently (usually monthly), and principal may be prepaid at any time because the underlying mortgage loans or other assets generally may be prepaid at any time. These differences can result in significantly greater price and yield volatility than is the case with traditional debt securities. Prepayments on a pool of mortgage loans is influenced by a variety of economic, geographic, social and other factors, including changes in mortgagors' housing needs, job transfer, unemployment, mortgagors' net equity in the mortgaged properties and servicing decisions. The timing and level of prepayments cannot be predicted. Generally, however, prepayments on fixed rate mortgage loans will increase during a period of falling mortgage interest rates and decrease during a period of rising mortgage interest rates. Accordingly, amounts available for reinvestment by the Fund are likely to be greater during a period of declining mortgage interest rates and, if general interest rates also decline, are likely to be reinvested at lower interest rates than the Fund was earning on the RMBS that were prepaid. During a period of rising interest rates, amounts available for reinvestment by the Fund are likely to be lower and the effective maturities of RMBS may extend.

CMBS and RMBS are also subject to several risks created through the securitization process. Certain subordinate CMBS are paid interest only to the extent that there are funds available to make payments. To the extent the collateral pool includes a large percentage of delinquent loans, there is a risk that interest payment on subordinate CMBS or RMBS will not be fully paid. Subordinate securities of CMBS and RMBS are also subject to greater risk than those CMBS and RMBS that are more highly rated.

The Fund may not control the special servicing of the mortgage loans included in the CMBS in which the Fund invests and, in such cases, the special servicer may take actions that could adversely affect the Fund's interests.

With respect to each series of CMBS in which the Fund may invest, overall control over the special servicing of the related underlying mortgage loans may be held by a directing certificate-holder, which is appointed by the holders of the most subordinate class of CMBS in such series. The Fund may acquire classes of existing series of CMBS where it will not have the right to appoint the directing certificate-holder. In connection with the servicing of the specially serviced mortgage loans, the related special servicer may, at the direction of the directing certificate-holder, take actions that could adversely affect the Fund's interests.

Adjustable rate mortgage loans may entail greater risks of default to lenders than fixed rate mortgage loans.

Adjustable rate mortgage loans may contribute to higher delinquency rates. Borrowers with adjustable rate mortgage loans may be exposed to increased monthly payments if the related mortgage interest rate adjusts upward from the initial fixed rate or a low introductory rate, as applicable, in effect during the initial period of the mortgage loan to the rate computed in accordance with the applicable index and margin. This increase in borrowers' monthly payments, together with any increase in prevailing market interest rates, after the initial fixed rate period, may result in significantly increased monthly payments for borrowers with adjustable rate mortgage loans, which may make it more difficult for the borrowers to repay the loan or could increase the risk of default of their obligations under the loan.

The Fund may invest in CDOs and such investments may involve significant risks.

The Fund may invest in CDOs. CDOs are multiple class debt securities, or bonds, secured by pools of assets, such as mortgage-backed securities, B-Notes, mezzanine loans, REIT debt and credit default swaps. Like typical securities structures, in a CDO, the assets are pledged to a trustee for the benefit of the holders of the bonds. Like CMBS and RMBS, CDOs are affected by payments, defaults, delinquencies and losses on the underlying commercial or residential real estate loans. CDOs often have reinvestment periods that typically last for five years during which proceeds from the sale of a collateral asset may be invested in substitute collateral. Upon termination of the reinvestment period, the static pool functions very similarly to a CMBS or RMBS securitization where repayment of principal allows for redemption of bonds sequentially. To the extent the Fund invests in the equity securities of a CDO, the Fund will be entitled to all of the income generated by the CDO after the CDO pays all of the interest due on the senior debt securities and its expenses. However, there will be little or no income or principal available to the CDO equity if defaults or losses on the underlying collateral exceed a certain amount. In that event, the value of the Fund's investment in any equity class of a CDO could decrease substantially. In addition, the equity securities of CDOs are generally illiquid and often must be held by a REIT and because they represent a leveraged investment in the CDO's assets, the value of the equity securities will generally have greater fluctuations than the values of the underlying collateral.

Changes in interest rates and/or credit spreads could negatively affect the value of the Fund's investments, which could result in reduced earnings or losses and negatively affect the cash available for distribution to Fund's Shareholders.

The Fund may invest in fixed-rate debt investments with fixed distribution amounts. Under a normal yield curve, an investment in these instruments will decline in value if long-term interest rates increase or if credit spreads widen. The Fund may also invest in floating-rate debt investments, for which decreases in interest rates or narrowing of credit spreads will have a negative effect on value and interest income. Even though a loan or other debt investment may be performing in accordance with its loan agreement and the underlying collateral has not changed, the economic value of the loan may be negatively impacted by the incremental interest foregone from the changes in interest rates or credit spreads. Declines in market value may ultimately reduce earnings or result in losses to the Fund, which may negatively affect cash available for distribution to Shareholders.

Prepayments can adversely affect the yields on the Fund's investments.

Prepayments on debt instruments, where permitted under the debt documents, are influenced by changes in current interest rates and a variety of economic, geographic and other factors beyond the Fund's control, and consequently, such prepayment rates cannot be predicted with certainty. If the Fund is unable to invest the proceeds of such prepayments received, the yield on the Fund's portfolio will decline. In addition, the Fund may acquire assets at a discount or premium and if the asset does not repay when expected, the Fund's anticipated yield may be impacted. Under certain interest rate and prepayment scenarios the Fund may fail to recoup fully Fund's cost of acquisition of certain investments.

Investments that are not United States government insured involve risk of loss.

The Fund may originate and acquire uninsured loans and assets as part of its investment strategy. Such loans and assets may include mortgage loans, mezzanine loans and bridge loans. While holding such interests, the Fund is subject to risks of borrower defaults, bankruptcies, fraud, losses and special hazard losses that are not covered by standard hazard insurance. In the event of any default under loans, the Fund bears the risk of loss of principal and nonpayment of interest and fees to the extent of any deficiency between the value of the collateral and the principal amount of the loan. To the extent the Fund suffers such losses with respect to its investments in such loans, the value of the Fund's Shares may be adversely affected.

With respect to mortgaged properties, options and other purchase rights may affect value or hinder recovery.

A borrower under certain mortgage loans may give its tenants or another person a right of first refusal or an option to purchase all or a portion of the related mortgaged property. These rights may impede the lender's ability to sell the related mortgaged property at foreclosure or may adversely affect the value or marketability of the property.

 $\label{lem:absolute} A\ borrower's\ form\ of\ entity\ may\ cause\ special\ risks\ or\ hinder\ the\ Fund's\ recovery.$ 

Since most of the borrowers for the Fund's residential and commercial real estate debt investments are legal entities rather than individuals, the Fund's risk of loss may be greater than those of mortgage loans made to individuals. Unlike individuals involved in bankruptcies, most of the entities generally do not have personal assets and creditworthiness at stake. The terms of the mortgage loans generally require that the borrowers covenant to be single-purpose entities, although in some instances the borrowers are not required to observe all covenants and conditions that typically are required in order for them to be viewed under standard rating agency criteria as "single-purpose entities." Borrowers' organizational documents or the terms of the mortgage loans may limit their activities to the ownership of only the related mortgaged property or properties and limit the borrowers' ability to incur additional indebtedness. These provisions are designed to mitigate the possibility that the borrowers' financial condition would be adversely impacted by factors unrelated to the mortgaged property and the mortgage loan in the pool.

The bankruptcy of a borrower, or a general partner or managing member of a borrower, may impair the ability of the lender to enforce its rights and remedies under the related mortgage. Borrowers that are not single-purpose entities structured to limit the possibility of becoming insolvent or bankrupt, may be more likely to become insolvent or the subject of a voluntary or involuntary bankruptcy proceeding because the borrowers may be (i) operating entities with a business distinct from the operation of the mortgaged property with the associated liabilities and risks of operating an ongoing business or (ii) individuals that have personal liabilities unrelated to the property.

# Risks Related to Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities

The Fund's investments in the securities of publicly traded REITs will be subject to the risks affecting these REITs directly.

The Fund's investments in the securities of publicly traded REITs will be subject to a variety of risks affecting those REITs directly. Investments (directly or indirectly) in REITs will subject the Fund to various risks. Share prices of publicly traded REITs may decline because of adverse developments affecting the real estate industry and real property values. In general, real estate values can be affected by a variety of factors, including supply and demand for properties, the economic health of the country or of different regions, and the strength of specific industries that rent properties. REITs often invest in highly leveraged properties. Returns from REITs, which typically are small or medium capitalization stocks, may trail returns from the overall stock market. In addition, changes in interest rates may hurt real estate values or make REIT shares less attractive than other income-producing investments, as rising interest rates can negatively impact the value of real estate securities. REITs are also subject to heavy cash flow dependency, defaults by borrowers and self-liquidation.

The Fund's investments in the unsecured debt of publicly traded REITs will be subject to the credit risk of those REITs.

The Fund may also acquire senior unsecured debt of publicly traded REITs that acquire and hold real estate. Publicly traded REITs may own large, diversified pools of residential and commercial real estate properties or they may focus on a specific type of property, such as regional malls, office properties, apartment properties and industrial warehouses. Publicly traded REITs typically employ leverage, which magnifies the potential for gains and the risk of loss.

The Fund will face certain risks specific to its investments in real estate operating companies (REOCs).

The Fund's investments in REOCs expose the Fund to unique risks associated with REOCs, including REOC management fees and expenses, volatility in trading markets, and poor performance of the REOC's holdings. REOCs, like REITs, expose the Fund to the risks of the real estate market. These risks can include: fluctuations in the value of underlying properties; destruction of underlying properties; defaults by borrowers or tenants; market saturation; changes in general and local economic conditions; decreases in market rates for rents; increases in vacancies; competition; property taxes; capital expenditures, or operating expenses; and other economic, political or regulatory occurrences affecting the real estate industry. REOCs may also be affected by risks similar to investments in debt securities, including changes in interest rates and the quality of credit extended. REOCs require specialized management and pay management expenses; may have less trading volume; may be subject to more abrupt or erratic price movements than the overall securities markets; and may invest in a limited number of properties, in a narrow geographic area, or in a single property type which increase the risk that the portfolio could be unfavorably affected by the poor performance of a single investment or investment type. In addition, defaults on or sales of investments that the REOC holds could reduce the cash flow needed to make distributions to investors.

The Fund may invest in CMBS and RMBS, which are subject to several types of risks that may adversely impact the Fund's performance.

Commercial mortgage-backed securities, or CMBS, are bonds that evidence interests in, or are secured by, a single commercial mortgage loan or a pool of commercial mortgage loans. Accordingly, the mortgage-backed securities the Fund may invest in are subject to all the risks of the underlying mortgage loans, including the risks of prepayment or default.

In a rising interest rate environment, the value of CMBS may be adversely affected when repayments on underlying mortgage loans do not occur as anticipated, resulting in the extension of the security's effective maturity and the related increase in interest rate sensitivity of a longer-term instrument. The prices of lower credit quality securities are generally less sensitive to interest rate changes than more highly rated assets but more sensitive to adverse economic downturns or individual issuer developments. A projection of an economic downturn, for example, could cause a decline in the price of lower credit quality securities because the ability of obligors of mortgages underlying CMBS to make principal and interest payments or to refinance may be impaired. In this case, existing credit support in the securitization structure may be insufficient to protect the Fund against loss of Fund's principal on these securities. The value of CMBS also may change due to shifts in the market's perception of issuers and regulatory or tax changes adversely affecting the mortgage securities markets as a whole. In addition, CMBS are subject to the credit risk associated with the performance of the underlying mortgage properties.

Residential mortgage-backed securities, or RMBS, are bonds that evidence interests in, or are secured by, a single residential mortgage loan or a pool of residential mortgage loans. Accordingly, the mortgage-backed securities the Fund may invest in are subject to all the risks of the underlying mortgage loans, including the risks of prepayment or default.

The investment characteristics of RMBS differ from traditional debt securities. The major differences include the fact that interest payments and principal repayments on RMBS are made more frequently (usually monthly), and principal may be prepaid at any time because the underlying mortgage loans or other assets generally may be prepaid at any time. These differences can result in significantly greater price and yield volatility than is the case with traditional debt securities. Prepayments on a pool of mortgage loans is influenced by a variety of economic, geographic, social and other factors, including changes in mortgagors' housing needs, job transfer, unemployment, mortgagors' net equity in the mortgaged properties and servicing decisions. The timing and level of prepayments cannot be predicted. Generally, however, prepayments on fixed rate mortgage loans will increase during a period of falling mortgage interest rates and decrease during a period of rising mortgage interest rates. Accordingly, amounts available for reinvestment by the Fund are likely to be greater during a period of declining mortgage interest rates and, if general interest rates also decline, are likely to be reinvested at lower interest rates than the Fund was earning on the RMBS that were prepaid. During a period of rising interest rates, amounts available for reinvestment by the Fund are likely to be lower and the effective maturities of RMBS may extend.

CMBS and RMBS are also subject to several risks created through the securitization process. Certain subordinate CMBS are paid interest only to the extent that there are funds available to make payments. To the extent the collateral pool includes a large percentage of delinquent loans, there is a risk that interest payment on subordinate CMBS or RMBS will not be fully paid. Subordinate securities of CMBS and RMBS are also subject to greater risk than those CMBS and RMBS that are more highly rated.

Credit markets, including the CMBS and RMBS market, have periodically experienced decreased liquidity on the primary and secondary markets during periods of market volatility. For example, the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic has caused significant market pricing and liquidity dislocation, causing a broad-based market decline across securities including CMBS and RMBS. Such market conditions could re-occur and would impact the valuations of the Fund's investments in CMBS and RMBS and impair the Fund's ability to sell such investments if it were required to liquidate all or a portion of its CMBS and RMBS investments quickly.

The Fund may not control the special servicing of the mortgage loans included in the CMBS in which the Fund may invest and, in such cases, the special servicer may take actions that could adversely affect the Fund's interests.

With respect to each series of CMBS in which the Fund may invest, overall control over the special servicing of the related underlying mortgage loans may be held by a directing certificate-holder, which is appointed by the holders of the most subordinate class of CMBS in such series. The Fund may acquire classes of existing series of CMBS where the Fund will not have the right to appoint the directing certificate-holder. In connection with the servicing of the specially serviced mortgage loans, the related special servicer may, at the direction of the directing certificate-holder, take actions that could adversely affect the Fund's interests.

Certain of the Fund's Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities investments may be adversely affected by changes in credit spreads.

Certain Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities investments the Fund may invest in are subject to changes in credit spreads. When credit spreads widen, the economic value of the Fund's investments decrease even if such investment is performing in accordance with its terms and the underlying collateral has not changed.

Commercial and residential real estate equity investments will be subject to risks inherent in ownership of real estate.

Real estate cash flows and values are affected by a number of factors, including competition from other available properties and Fund's ability to provide adequate property maintenance and insurance and to control operating costs. Real estate cash flows and values are also affected by such factors as government regulations (including zoning, usage and tax laws), interest rate levels, the availability of financing, property tax rates, utility expenses, potential liability under environmental and other laws and changes in environmental and other laws. Commercial and residential real estate equity investments that the Fund make will be subject to such risks.

The Fund will face certain risks specific to its investments in ETFs.

The Fund may invest directly in public securities, including ETFs. Much like an index mutual fund, an ETF represents a portfolio of securities, which is often designed to track a particular market segment or index. Because ETFs trade on a securities exchange, their shares may trade at a premium or discount to their NAV. An investment in an ETF, like one in any investment company, carries the same risks as those of its underlying securities. An ETF may fail to accurately track the returns of the market segment or index that it is designed to track, and the price of an ETF's shares may fluctuate or lose money.

The Fund will incur brokerage costs if it buys or sells shares of an ETF and will also bear its proportionate share of the ETF's fees and expenses, which are passed through to its shareholders. There can be no assurance that an active trading market for an ETF will develop or be maintained. In addition, there can be no assurance that the requirements of the exchange necessary to maintain the listing of the ETF will continue to be met or remain unchanged. In the event substantial market or other disruptions affecting ETFs should occur in the future, the liquidity and value of the Fund's shares could also be substantially and adversely affected.

## Non-Listed Closed-End Interval Fund; Liquidity Risk

The Fund is a non-diversified, closed-end management investment company operating as an "interval fund" and designed primarily for long-term investors. Closed-end funds differ from open-end management investment companies (commonly known as mutual funds) because investors in a closed-end fund do not have the right to redeem their shares on a daily basis. Unlike many closed-end funds, which typically list their shares on a securities exchange, the Fund does not currently intend to list the Shares for trading on any securities exchange, and the Fund does not expect any secondary market to develop for the Shares in the foreseeable future. Therefore, an investment in the Fund, unlike an investment in a typical closed-end fund, is not a liquid investment. The Fund is not intended to be a typical traded investment. Shareholders are also subject to transfer restrictions and there is no guarantee that they will be able to sell their Shares. If a secondary market were to develop for the Shares in the future, and a Shareholder is able to sell his or her Shares, the Shareholder will likely receive less than the purchase price and the then-current NAV per Share. It is also likely that Shares would not be accepted as the primary collateral for a loan.

Although the Fund, as a fundamental policy, will make quarterly offers to repurchase at least 5% and up to 25% of its outstanding Shares at NAV, the number of Shares tendered in connection with a repurchase offer may exceed the number of Shares the Fund has offered to repurchase, in which case not all of your Shares tendered in that offer will be repurchased. In connection with any given repurchase offer, it is likely that the Fund may offer to repurchase only the minimum amount of 5% of its outstanding Shares. Hence, you may not be able to sell your Shares when or in the amount that you desire.

## Repurchase Offers Risk

The Fund believes that repurchase offers are generally beneficial to the Fund's Shareholders, and repurchases generally will be funded from available cash or sales of portfolio securities. However, the repurchase of Shares by the Fund decreases the assets of the Fund and, therefore, may have the effect of increasing the Fund's expense ratio. Repurchase offers and the need to fund repurchase obligations may also affect the ability of the Fund to be fully invested or force the Fund to maintain a higher percentage of its assets in liquid investments, which may harm the Fund's investment performance. Moreover, diminution in the size of the Fund through repurchases may result in untimely sales of portfolio securities and may limit the ability of the Fund to participate in new investment opportunities or to achieve its investment objective. If the Fund uses leverage, repurchases of Shares may compound the adverse effects of leverage in a declining market. In addition, if the Fund borrows money to finance repurchases, interest on that borrowing will negatively affect Shareholders who do not tender their Shares by increasing Fund expenses and reducing any net investment income.

If a repurchase offer is oversubscribed and the Fund determines not to repurchase additional Shares beyond the repurchase offer amount, or if Shareholders tender an amount of Shares greater than that which the Fund is entitled to purchase, the Fund will repurchase the Shares tendered on a pro rata basis, and Shareholders will have to wait until the next repurchase offer to make another repurchase request. Shareholders will be subject to the risk of NAV fluctuations during that period. Thus, there is also a risk that some Shareholders, in anticipation of proration, may tender more Shares than they wish to have repurchased in a particular quarter, thereby increasing the likelihood that proration will occur. The NAV of Shares tendered in a repurchase offer may fluctuate between the date a Shareholder submits a repurchase request and the Repurchase Request Deadline, and to the extent there is any delay between the Repurchase Request Deadline and the Repurchase Pricing Date may be higher or lower than on the date a Shareholder submits a repurchase request.

#### Non-Diversification Risk

As a "non-diversified" investment company, the Fund may invest more than 5% of its total assets in the securities of one or more issuers. Therefore, the Fund may be more susceptible than a diversified fund to being adversely affected by events impacting a single borrower, geographic location, security or investment type. Further, a non-diversified fund is more vulnerable than a more broadly diversified fund to fluctuations in the values of the securities it holds. For these reasons, an investment in the Fund may fluctuate in value and have a greater degree of risk.

Certain commercial and residential real estate investments and other real estate-related assets in which the Fund invests may be in or secured by a single property or properties in one geographic location. These investments may carry the risks associated with significant geographical concentration. The Fund has not established and do not plan to establish any investment criteria to limit Fund's exposure to these risks for future investments. As a result, properties underlying the Fund's investments may be overly concentrated in certain geographic areas, and the Fund may experience losses as a result. A worsening of economic conditions in the geographic area in which the Fund's investments may be concentrated could have an adverse effect on Fund's business, including reducing the demand for new financings, limiting the ability of customers to pay financed amounts and impairing the value of the Fund's collateral.

# **Investment and Market Risk**

Economic recessions or downturns may result in a prolonged period of market illiquidity, which could have an adverse effect on the Fund's business, financial condition and results of operations. Unfavorable economic conditions also could reduce investments on the Fundrise Platform by investors and engagement by real estate operators. Periods of economic slowdown or recession, inflation, supply chain disruptions, sanctions, significantly rising interest rates, declining employment levels, decreasing demand for real estate, or the public perception that any of these events may occur, have resulted in and could continue to result in a general decline in acquisition, disposition and leasing activity, as well as a general decline in the value of real estate and in rents. These events could adversely affect the Fund's demand among investors, which will impact the Fund's results of operations.

During an economic downturn, it may also take longer for the Fund to dispose of real estate investments, or the disposition prices may be lower than originally anticipated. As a result, the carrying value of such real estate investments may become impaired and the Fund could record losses as a result of such impairment or could experience reduced profitability related to declines in real estate values. These events could adversely affect the Fund's performance and, in turn, the Fund's business, and negatively impact the Fund's results of operations.

Negative general economic conditions could continue to reduce the overall amount of sale and leasing activity in the commercial and residential real estate industry, and hence the demand for Fund's securities, which may in turn adversely affect the Fund's revenues. The Fund is unable to predict the likely duration and severity of the current disruption in financial markets and adverse economic conditions in the United States and other countries.

Recent U.S. debt ceiling and budget deficit concerns have increased the possibility of additional credit rating downgrades and economic slowdowns, or a recession in the United States. Although U.S. lawmakers passed legislation to raise the federal debt ceiling on multiple occasions, ratings agencies have lowered or threatened to lower the long-term sovereign credit rating on the United States. The impact of this or any further downgrades to the U.S. government's sovereign credit rating or its perceived creditworthiness could adversely affect the United States and global financial markets and economic conditions. With the improvement of the U.S. economy, the Federal Reserve may continue to raise interest rates, which would increase borrowing costs and may negatively impact the Fund's ability to access the debt markets on favorable terms. In addition, disagreement over the federal budget has caused the U.S. federal government to essentially shut down for periods of time. Continued adverse political and economic conditions could have an adverse effect on Fund's business, financial condition and results of operations.

The current worldwide financial market situation, various social and political tensions in the United States and around the world, and the public health crisis caused by the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) may continue to contribute to increased market volatility, may have long-term effects on the United States and worldwide financial markets, and may cause further economic uncertainties or deterioration in the United States and worldwide. Economic uncertainty can have a negative impact on the Fund's business through changing spreads, structures and purchase multiples, as well as the overall supply of investment capital. Since 2010, several European Union, or EU, countries, including Greece, Ireland, Italy, Spain, and Portugal, have faced budget issues, some of which may have negative long-term effects for the economies of those countries and other EU countries. The United Kingdom formerly left the EU on January 31, 2020, commonly referred to as "Brexit." Following withdrawal from the EU, the United Kingdom entered into a transition period, during which EU law continued to apply in the United Kingdom. Additionally, the precise details and the resulting impact of the United Kingdom's vote to leave the EU, commonly referred to as "Brexit," remain uncertain at this point. The effect on the United Kingdom's economy will likely depend on the nature of trade relations with the EU following its exit. The United Kingdom and the EU signed a trade agreement on December 30, 2020, which was subsequently ratified by the EU Parliament and entered into force on May 1, 2021. Aspects of the EU-United Kingdom trade relationship remain subject to further negotiation, and global financial markets have experienced significant volatility due to the uncertainty around Brexit. Due to political uncertainty, it is not possible to anticipate the form or nature of the future trading relationship between the EU and the United Kingdom. The decision may cause increased volatility and have a significant adverse impact on world financial markets, other international trade agreements, and the United Kingdom and European economies, as well as the broader global economy for some time. Further, there is continued concern about national-level support for the Euro and the accompanying coordination of fiscal and wage policy among European Economic and Monetary Union member countries. In addition, the fiscal policy of foreign nations, such as China, may have a severe impact on the worldwide and United States financial markets. Finally, public health crises, pandemics and epidemics, such as those caused by new strains of viruses such as H5N1 (avian flu), severe acute respiratory syndrome (SARS) and, most recently, the novel coronavirus (COVID-19), may increase as international travel continues to rise and could adversely impact the Fund's business by interrupting business, supply chains and transactional activities, disrupting travel, and negatively impacting local, national or global economies. The Fund does not know how long the financial markets will continue to be affected by these events and cannot predict the effects of these or similar events in the future on the United States economy and securities markets or on the Fund's investments. As a result of these factors, there can be no assurance that the Fund will be able to successfully monitor developments and manage the Fund's investments in a manner consistent with achieving the Fund's investment objective.

The ongoing COVID-19 pandemic and measures intended to prevent its spread could have a material adverse effect on the Fund's business, results of operations, cash flows and financial condition. The COVID-19 pandemic has caused, could continue to cause, severe economic, market and other disruptions worldwide. The Fund cannot assure you that conditions in the bank lending, capital and other financial markets will not continue to deteriorate as a result of the pandemic, or that the Fund's access to capital and other sources of funding will not become constrained, which could adversely affect the availability and terms of future borrowings, renewals or refinancings. In addition, the deterioration of global economic conditions as a result of the pandemic may ultimately decrease occupancy levels and pricing across the Fund's portfolio and may cause one or more of the Fund's tenants to be unable to meet their rent obligations to the Fund in full, or at all, or to otherwise seek modifications of such obligations. In addition, governmental authorities may enact laws that will prevent the Fund from taking action against tenants who do not pay rent. The extent of the COVID-19 pandemic's effect on the Fund's operational and financial performance will depend on future developments, including the duration, spread and intensity of the outbreak, all of which are uncertain and difficult to predict. The COVID-19 pandemic could adversely impair the Fund's net investment income, net asset value, liquidity, ability to make new investments, ability to obtain financing on attractive terms or at all, ability to value its assets, ability to pay distributions and ability to satisfy repurchase requests. In addition, the outbreak of COVID-19, and measures taken to mitigate its effects, could result in disruptions to the services provided to the Fund by its service providers, including the Adviser. Due to the speed with which the situation is developing, the Fund is not able at this time to estimate the effect of these factors on the Fund's business, or any future pandemics that may arise, but the adverse impact on the Fund's business, results of operations, financial condition and cash flows could be material. For example, COVID-19 has had a significant impact on the CMBS market, which has been exposed to selling pressure and concern over market fundamentals, and has also impacted residential and commercial, which has become exposed to increase risk of tenant defaults and/or rent deferral. Certain asset classes, such as hotels and retail, have seen widespread closures or reduced operations.

Due to global supply chain disruptions, a rise in energy prices, strong consumer demand as economies continue to reopen due to the closures relating to the COVID-19 pandemic, and other factors, inflation has accelerated in the U.S. and globally. Recent inflationary pressures have increased the costs of labor, energy and raw materials and have adversely affected consumer spending and economic growth. Additionally, the Federal Reserve has raised, and has indicated its intent to continue raising, certain benchmark interest rates in an effort to combat inflation. As such, inflation may continue in the near to median-term in the U.S. with the possibility that monetary policy may tighten in response. Inflation risk is the risk that the value of certain assets or income from the Fund's investments will be worth less in the future as inflation decreases the value of money. As inflation increase, the real value of the Fund and its distributions can decline. In addition, during any periods of rising inflation, the dividend rates or borrowing costs associated with the Fund's use of leverage would likely increase, which would tend to further reduce returns to shareholders. Deflation risk is the risk that prices throughout the economy decline over time. The Adviser expects that the recent public market correction could still be in its early stages, given the Federal Reserve's messaging around continued tightening and its primary goal of restraining inflation. These measures may result in a "hard landing," consistent with a recession.

In addition, public health concerns (such as the spread of infectious diseases, pandemics and epidemics), natural/environmental disasters, acts of God, political or social unrest, market manipulation, government defaults, government shutdowns, political changes or diplomatic developments, fire, wars and occupation, terrorism and related geopolitical risks have led, and may in the future lead, to increased short-term market volatility and may have adverse long-term effects on local, U.S. and world economies and markets generally. The Fund does not know how long the U.S. economy, financial markets and real estate markets and operations may be affected by these events and cannot predict the effects of these events or similar events in the future on the U.S. economy, financial markets and real estate markets and operations. Those events also could have an acute effect on individual issuers or tenants or related groups of issuers or tenants. These risks also could adversely affect individual properties and investments, interest rates, secondary trading, risk of tenant defaults, decreased occupancy at the Fund's properties, credit risk, inflation, deflation and other factors that could adversely affect the Fund's investments and cause the Fund to lose value.

#### **Limiting Operating History Risk**

As of the date of this Prospectus, the Fund has limited operating history. As a result, the Fund's performance may not reflect how the Fund may be expected to perform over the long term. In addition, prospective investors have a limited track record and history on which to base their investment decision. The Fund is subject to all of the business risks and uncertainties associated with any new business, including the risk that the Fund will not achieve its investment objective, achieve its desired portfolio composition, or raise sufficient capital. The Fund may not be able to attract sufficient assets to fully implement the Fund's principal investment strategies and achieve investment and trading efficiencies.

Because Shareholders will be unable to thoroughly evaluate the economic merit of assets before the Fund invests in them, Shareholders will have to rely on the ability of the Adviser to select suitable and successful investment opportunities. These factors increase the risk that a Shareholder's investment may not generate returns comparable to the Fund's competitors.

# Delay in the Use of Proceeds Risk

The Fund relies upon the Adviser's real estate and debt finance professionals to identify suitable investments. Rise Companies and other Fundrise entities also rely on these professionals for investment opportunities. To the extent that Adviser's real estate and debt finance professionals face competing demands upon their time in instances when the Fund has capital ready for investment, the Fund may face delays in execution. The Fund could also suffer from delays in locating suitable investments as a result of the Fund's reliance on the Adviser at times when its officers, employees, or agents are simultaneously seeking to locate suitable investments for other Fundrise sponsored programs, some of which have investment objectives and employ investment strategies that are similar to those of the Fund. Further, it may be difficult for the Fund to invest the net offering proceeds promptly and on attractive terms. Delays the Fund encounters in the selection and origination of income-producing loans and other assets would likely limit the Fund's ability to pay distributions to Shareholders and lower their overall returns. Similar concerns arise when there are prepayments, maturities or sales of the Fund's investments.

The Fund's ability to achieve its investment objective and to pay distributions depends upon the performance of the Adviser in the acquisition of the Fund's investments and the ability of the Adviser to source loan origination opportunities for the Fund. The more money the Fund raises in the offering of its Shares, the greater the Fund's challenge will be to invest all of the net offering proceeds on attractive terms. In some cases, the Fund may also depend upon the performance of third-party loan servicers to service the Fund's loan investments. Except for the Fund's 80% investment policy, Shareholders will have no opportunity to evaluate the economic merits or the terms of the Fund's investments before making a decision to invest in the Fund. Shareholders must rely entirely on the management abilities of the Adviser and the loan servicers the Adviser may select. The Fund cannot assure Shareholders that the Adviser will be successful in obtaining suitable investments on financially attractive terms or that, if the Adviser makes investments on the Fund's objective will be achieved.

Although the Fund currently intends to invest the proceeds from any sale of the Shares offered hereby as soon as practicable, such investments may be delayed if suitable investments are unavailable at the time. If the Fund is unable to find suitable investments promptly or deploy capital in a timely or efficient manner, it may be forced to invest in cash, cash equivalents or other assets. The rate of return on these investments, which affects the amount of cash available to make distributions, may be less than the return obtainable from the type of investments in the real estate industry the Fund seeks to originate or acquire. Such investments may also make it more difficult for the Fund to qualify as a REIT. Therefore, delays the Fund encounters in the selection, due diligence and origination or acquisition of investments would likely limit its ability to pay distributions and lower overall returns. There can be no assurances as to how long it will take the Fund to invest the net proceeds from sales of Fund Shares. If the Fund would continue to be unsuccessful in locating suitable investments, the Fund may ultimately decide to liquidate.

This offering is being made on a "best efforts" basis, meaning that the Fund is only required to use its best efforts to sell the shares and has no firm commitment or obligation to purchase any shares in the offering. As a result, the amount of proceeds the Fund raises in the offering may be substantially less than the amount the Fund would need to create a diversified portfolio of investments. If the Fund is unable to raise substantial funds, the Fund will make fewer investments resulting in less diversification in terms of the type, number and size of investments that it makes. As a result, the value of a Shareholder's investment may be reduced in the event the Fund's assets underperform. Moreover, the potential impact of any single asset's performance on the overall performance of the portfolio increases. In addition, the Fund's ability to achieve its investment objective could be hindered, which could result in a lower return on the investments. Further, the Fund will have certain fixed operating expenses regardless of whether the Fund is able to raise substantial funds in this offering. The Fund's inability to raise substantial funds would increase its fixed operating expenses as a percentage of gross income, reducing the Fund's net income and limiting its ability to make distributions.

## **Distributions Risk**

The Fund is required to make distributions sufficient to satisfy the requirements for qualification as a REIT for U.S. federal income tax purposes. There can be no assurance that the Fund will achieve investment results that will allow the Fund to make a specified level of cash distributions or maintain certain levels of cash distributions. All distributions will be paid at the discretion of the Board and may depend on the Fund's earnings, the Fund's net investment income, the Fund's financial condition, compliance with applicable regulations and such other factors as the Board may deem relevant from time to time.

# Illiquid Investment Risk

Many of the Fund's investments will be illiquid, including the Fund's residential and commercial real estate investments. A variety of factors could make it difficult for the Fund to dispose of any of its illiquid investments on acceptable terms, even under circumstances when the Adviser believes it would be in the best interests of the Fund to do so. The Fund cannot predict whether it will be able to sell any investment for the price or on the terms set by it or whether any price or other terms offered by a prospective purchaser would be acceptable to the Fund. The Fund also cannot predict the length of time needed to find a willing purchaser and to close the sale of an asset. The Fund may be required to expend cash to correct defects or to make improvements before an asset can be sold, and there can be no assurance that it will have cash available to correct those defects or to make those improvements. As a result, the Fund's ability to sell investments in response to changes in economic and other conditions could be limited. Limitations on the Fund's ability to respond to adverse changes in the performance of its investments may have a material adverse effect on the Fund's business, financial condition and results of operations and the Fund's ability to make distributions. Illiquid investments may also be difficult to value and their pricing may be more volatile than more liquid investments, which could adversely affect the price at which the Fund is able to sell such instruments. The risks associated with illiquid investments may be particularly acute in situations in which the Fund's operations require cash (such as in connection with repurchase offers) and could result in the Fund borrowing to meet its short-term needs or incurring losses on the sale of illiquid investments.

#### Valuation Risk

The Fund is subject to valuation risk, which is the risk that one or more of the assets in which the Fund invests are priced incorrectly, due to factors such as incomplete data, market instability or human error. If the Fund ascribes a higher value to assets and their value subsequently drops or fails to rise because of market factors, returns on the Fund's investment may be lower than expected and could experience losses.

The Adviser has been designated by the Board as the Fund's valuation designee to make all fair value determinations with respect to the Fund's portfolio investments, including the Fund's commercial real estate investments, subject to the Board's oversight. As the valuation designee, the Adviser has adopted and implemented procedures to be followed when making fair value determinations. Within the parameters of the Adviser's valuation procedures, the valuation methodologies used to value the Fund's real estate investments will involve subjective judgments and projections and may not be accurate. Valuation methodologies will also involve assumptions and opinions about future events, which may or may not turn out to be correct. Valuations and third-party appraisals of the Fund's real estate investments will be only estimates of fair value. Ultimate realization of the value of an asset depends to a great extent on economic, market and other conditions beyond the Fund's control and the control of the Adviser's and the Fund's independent third party valuation agents or pricing services. Valuations and appraisals of the Fund's real estate investments are only conducted on a periodic basis. If the relevant asset's value changes after such appraisal, it will be difficult for the Adviser to quantify the impact of such change and the necessary information to make a full assessment of the value may not be immediately available, which may require the Adviser to make an assessment of fair value with incomplete information. A material change in a real estate investment or a new appraisal of a real estate investment may have a material impact on the Fund's overall NAV, resulting in a sudden increase or decrease to the Fund's NAV per Share.

It also may be difficult to reflect fully and accurately rapidly changing market conditions or material events that may impact the value of the Fund's CRE investments within every valuation, or to obtain complete information regarding any such events in a timely manner. For example, an unexpected termination or renewal of a material lease, a material increase or decrease in vacancies, an unanticipated structural or environmental event at a property or material changes in market, economic and political conditions globally and in the jurisdictions and sectors in which a property operates, may cause the value of a property to change materially, yet obtaining sufficient relevant information after the occurrence has come to light and/or analyzing fully the financial impact of such an event may be difficult to do and may require some time. As a result, the Fund's NAV per share may not reflect a material event until such time as sufficient information is available and the impact of such an event on a property's valuation is evaluated, such that the Fund's NAV may be appropriately updated in accordance with the Fund's valuation guidelines.

Further, valuations do not necessarily represent the price at which an asset would sell, since market prices of assets can only be determined by negotiation between a willing buyer and seller. As such, the carrying value of an asset may not reflect the price at which the asset could be sold in the market, and the difference between carrying value and the ultimate sales price could be material. In addition, accurate valuations are more difficult to obtain in times of low transaction volume because there are fewer market transactions that can be considered in the context of the appraisal. It also may be difficult to reflect fully and accurately rapidly changing market conditions or material events that may impact the value of the Fund's residential and commercial real estate investments between valuations, or to obtain complete information regarding any such events in a timely manner. For example, an unexpected termination or renewal of a material lease, a material increase or decrease in vacancies or an unanticipated structural or environmental event at a property may cause the value of a property to change materially, yet obtaining sufficient relevant information after the occurrence has come to light and/or analyzing fully the financial impact of such an event may be difficult to do and may require some time. The Adviser will rely on the independent third party valuation agents' or pricing services' appraisals in determining the fair value of the residential and commercial real estate investments. There will be no retroactive adjustment in the valuation of such assets, the offering price of the Shares, the price the Fund paid to repurchase Shares or NAV-based fees the Fund paid to the Adviser to the extent such valuations prove to not accurately reflect the realizable value of the Fund's assets. Because the price you will pay for Shares in this offering, and the price at which your Shares may be repurchase offer by the Fund, are based on NAV per Share, you may pay more than realizable value or receive less tha

#### Management Risk

Rise Companies is a development stage company and, as such, Rise Companies faces increased risks, uncertainties, expenses and difficulties.

In order for the Fund to be successful, the volume of investments and financings originated through the Fundrise Platform will need to increase, which will require Rise Companies to increase its facilities, personnel and infrastructure to accommodate the greater obligations and demands on the Fundrise Platform. The Fundrise Platform is dependent upon the website to maintain current listings and transactions in real estate-related assets. Rise Companies also expects to constantly update its software and website, expand its customer support services and retain an appropriate number of employees to maintain the operations of the Fundrise Platform. If the Fund's business grows substantially, Rise Companies may need to make significant new investments in personnel and infrastructure to support that growth. If Rise Companies is unable to increase the capacity of the Fundrise Platform and maintain the necessary infrastructure, or if Rise Companies is unable to make significant investments on a timely basis or at reasonable costs, Shareholders may experience delays in receipt of distributions on the Fund's Shares, periodic downtime of the Fundrise Platform or other disruptions to Fund's business and operations.

In addition, to continue the development of the Fundrise Platform, Rise Companies will require substantial additional funds. To meet such financing requirements in the future, Rise Companies may raise funds through equity offerings, debt financings or strategic alliances. Raising additional funds may involve agreements or covenants that restrict Rise Companies' business activities and options. Additional funding may not be available to it on favorable terms, or at all. If Rise Companies is unable to obtain additional funds for the operation of the Fundrise Platform, it may be forced to reduce or terminate its operations, which may adversely affect the Fund's business and results of operations.

If the security of Shareholders' confidential information stored in Rise Companies' systems is breached or otherwise subjected to unauthorized access, Shareholders' secure information may be stolen.

The Fundrise Platform may store investors' bank information and other personally-identifiable sensitive data. The Fundrise Platform is hosted in data centers that are compliant with payment card industry security standards and the website uses daily security monitoring services provided by Symantec Corporation. However, any accidental or willful security breach or other unauthorized access could cause Shareholders' secure information to be stolen and used for criminal purposes, and Shareholders would be subject to increased risk of fraud or identity theft. Because techniques used to obtain unauthorized access or to sabotage systems change frequently and generally are not recognized until they are launched against a target, the Fundrise Platform and its third-party hosting facilities may be unable to anticipate these techniques or to implement adequate preventative measures. security breach, whether actual or perceived, would harm the Fund's reputation, resulting in the potential loss of investors and adverse effect on the value of a Shareholder's investment in the Fund.

Any significant disruption in service on the Fundrise Platform or in its computer systems could reduce the attractiveness of the Fundrise Platform and result in a loss of users.

If a catastrophic event resulted in a platform outage and physical data loss, the Fundrise Platform's ability to perform its functions would be adversely affected. The satisfactory performance, reliability, and availability of Rise Companies' technology and its underlying hosting services infrastructure are critical to Rise Companies' operations, level of customer service, reputation and ability to attract new users and retain existing users. Rise Companies' hosting services infrastructure is provided by a third party hosting provider (the "Hosting Provider"). Rise Companies also maintains a backup system at a separate location that is owned and operated by a third party. The Hosting Provider does not guarantee that users' access to the Fundrise Platform will be uninterrupted, error-free or secure. Rise Companies' operations depend on the Hosting Provider's ability to protect its and Rise Companies' systems in its facilities against damage or interruption from natural disasters, power or telecommunications failures, air quality, temperature, humidity and other environmental concerns, computer viruses or other attempts to harm the Fund's systems, criminal acts and similar events. If Rise Companies' arrangement with the Hosting Provider is terminated, or there is a lapse of service or damage to its facilities, Rise Companies could experience interruptions in its service as well as delays and additional expense in arranging new facilities. Any interruptions or delays in Rise Companies' service, whether as a result of an error by the Hosting Provider or other third-party error, Rise Companies' own error, natural disasters or security breaches, whether accidental or willful, could harm the Fund's ability to perform any services for corresponding project investments or maintain accurate accounts, and could harm Rise Companies' relationships with users of the Fundrise Platform and Rise Companies' reputation. Additionally, in the event of damage or interruption, Rise Companies' insurance policies may not adequately compensate Rise Companies for any losses that the Fund may incur. Rise Companies' disaster recovery plan has not been tested under actual disaster conditions, and it may not have sufficient capacity to recover all data and services in the event of an outage at a facility operated by the Hosting Provider. These factors could prevent the Fund from processing or posting payments on the corresponding investments, damage Rise Companies' brand and reputation, divert Rise Companies' employees' attention, and cause users to abandon the Fundrise Platform.

The Fund's ability to implement its investment strategy is dependent, in part, upon its ability to successfully conduct the offering through the Fundrise Platform, which makes an investment in the Fund more speculative.

The Fund will conduct the offering primarily through the Fundrise Platform, which is owned by Fundrise, LLC. Rise Companies has sponsored other real estate investment opportunities under other formats prior to this offering, but this is the initial registered investment company being offered through the Fundrise Platform. The success of this offering, and the Fund's ability to implement its investment strategy, is dependent upon the Fund's ability to sell its Shares to investors through the Fundrise Platform. If the Fund is not successful in selling its Shares through the Fundrise Platform, the Fund's ability to raise proceeds through this offering will be limited and the Fund may not have adequate capital to implement its investment strategy. If the Fund is unsuccessful in implementing its investment strategy, a Shareholder could lose all or a part of his or her investment.

The Fund relies on third-party banks and on third-party computer hardware and software. If the Fund is unable to continue utilizing these services, the Fund's business and ability to service the corresponding project loans may be adversely affected.

The Fund and the Fundrise Platform rely on third-party and FDIC-insured depository institutions to process the Fund's transactions, including payments of corresponding loans, processing of subscriptions under this offering and distributions to Shareholders. Under the Automated Clearing House (ACH) rules, if the Fund experiences a high rate of reversed transactions (known as "chargebacks"), the Fund may be subject to sanctions and potentially disqualified from using the system to process payments. The Fundrise Platform also relies on computer hardware purchased and software licensed from third parties. This purchased or licensed hardware and software may be physically located off-site, as is often the case with "cloud services." This purchased or licensed hardware and software may not continue to be available on commercially reasonable terms, or at all. If the Fundrise Platform cannot continue to obtain such services elsewhere, or if it cannot transition to another processor quickly, the Fund's ability to process payments will suffer and Shareholders' ability to receive distributions will be delayed or impaired.

If the Adviser fails to retain its key personnel, the Fund may not be able to achieve its anticipated level of growth and its business could suffer.

The Fund's future depends, in part, on the Adviser's ability to attract and retain key personnel. The Fund's future also depends on the continued contributions of the executive officers and other key personnel of the Adviser, each of whom would be difficult to replace. In particular, the Founder/Chief Executive Officer of Rise Companies, who is the Chief Executive Officer of the Adviser, is critical to the management of the Fund's business and operations and the development of the Fund's strategic direction. The loss of the services of the Chief Executive Officer or other executive officers or key personnel of the Adviser and the process to replace any of the Adviser's key personnel would involve significant time and expense and may significantly delay or prevent the achievement of the Fund's business objectives.

If the Fund's techniques for managing risk are ineffective, the Fund may be exposed to unanticipated losses.

In order to manage the significant risks inherent in the Fund's business, the Fund must maintain effective policies, procedures and systems that enable the Fund to identify, monitor and control the Fund's exposure to market, operational, legal and reputational risks. The Fund's risk management methods may prove to be ineffective due to their design or implementation or as a result of the lack of adequate, accurate or timely information. If the Fund's risk management efforts are ineffective, the Fund could suffer losses or face litigation, particularly from the Fund's clients, and sanctions or fines from regulators. The Fund's techniques for managing risks may not fully mitigate the risk exposure in all economic or market environments, or against all types of risk, including risks that the Fund might fail to identify or anticipate. Any failures in the Fund's risk management techniques and strategies to accurately quantify such risk exposure could limit the Fund's ability to manage risks or to seek positive, risk-adjusted returns. In addition, any risk management failures could cause fund losses to be significantly greater than historical measures predict. The Fund's more qualitative approach to managing those risks could prove insufficient, exposing the Fund to unanticipated losses in the Fund's NAV and therefore a reduction in the Fund's revenues.

The Fund may not be successful in allocating among its targeted asset classes, and there is no assurance that the Fund's asset allocation will achieve the Fund's investment objective or deliver positive returns.

The Fund may not allocate effectively among its targeted asset classes, and its allocations may be unsuccessful in achieving its investment objective. The ability of the Fund to achieve its investment objective depends, in part, on the ability of the Adviser to allocate effectively among the Fund's target investments. There can be no assurance that the actual allocations will be effective in achieving the Fund's investment objective or delivering positive returns.

#### **Competition Risk**

The real estate lending market is competitive and rapidly changing. The Fund expects competition to persist and intensify in the future, which could harm the Fund's ability to increase volume on the Fundrise Platform.

The Fund's principal competitors include major banking institutions, private equity funds, real estate investment trusts, as well as online lending platforms that compete with the Fundrise Platform. Competition could result in reduced volumes, reduced fees or the failure of the Fundrise Platform to achieve or maintain more widespread market acceptance, any of which could harm the Fund's business. In addition, in the future the Fund and the Fundrise Platform may experience new competition from more established internet companies possessing large, existing customer bases, substantial financial resources and established distribution channels. In particular, the Fund's investment objective and strategies are similar to other REITs and for-sale housing funds sponsored by Rise Companies that are managed and advised by the Adviser. If any of these companies or any major financial institution decided to enter the online lending business, acquire one of the Fund's existing competitors or form a strategic alliance with one of the Fund's competitors, the Fund's ability to compete effectively could be significantly compromised and the Fund's operating results could be harmed.

Most of the Fund's current or potential competitors have significantly more financial, technical, marketing and other resources than the Fund does and may be able to devote greater resources to the development, promotion, sale and support of their platforms and distribution channels. The Fund's potential competitors may also have longer operating histories, more extensive customer bases, greater brand recognition and broader customer relationships than the Fun has. These competitors may be better able to develop new products, to respond quickly to new technologies and to undertake more extensive marketing campaigns. The online real estate investing industry is driven by constant innovation. If the Fund or the Fundrise Platform are unable to compete with such companies and meet the need for innovation, the demand for the Fundrise Platform could stagnate or substantially decline.

Furthermore, the Fund's success in part depends on its ability to acquire or finance land suitable for residential homebuilding, single-family homes for rent, industrial, and multifamily at reasonable prices. There is strong competition among homebuilders and developers for land that is suitable for development. The future availability of suitable undeveloped land and finished and partially finished developed lots depends on number of factors outside the Fund's control, including land availability in general competition with other developers, homebuilders, and land buyers for desirable property inflation in land prices zoning allowable housing density and other regulatory requirements. As competition for suitable land increases and as available land is developed, the cost of acquiring or financing suitable remaining land could rise and the availability of suitable land at acceptable prices may decline. Any land shortages or any decrease in the supply of suitable land at reasonable prices could limit the Fund's ability to finance, develop, or purchase new communities or result in increased land costs.

#### **Interest Rate Risk**

The Fund's financial performance will be influenced by changes in interest rates; in particular, such changes may affect certain of the Fund's residential and commercial real estate debt investments and Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities to the extent such debt does not float as a result of floors or otherwise. Changes in interest rates, including changes in expected interest rates or "yield curves," may affect the Fund's business in a number of ways. Changes in the general level of interest rates can affect the Fund's net interest income, which is the difference between the interest income earned on the Fund's interest-earning assets and the interest expense incurred in connection with its interest-bearing borrowings and hedges. Changes in the level of interest rates also can affect, among other things, the Fund's ability to acquire certain of the Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities at attractive prices, acquire or originate certain of the residential and commercial real estate debt investments at attractive prices, and enter into hedging transactions.

Interest rates are highly sensitive to many factors, including governmental monetary and tax policies, domestic and international economic and political conditions, and other factors beyond the Fund's control. If market interest rates continue to increase further in the future, the interest rate on any variable rate borrowings will increase and will create higher debt service requirements, which would adversely affect the Fund's cash flow and could adversely impact the Fund's results of operations. Interest rate changes may also impact the Fund's NAV as certain Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities, residential and commercial real estate debt investments, and hedge derivatives, if any, are marked to market. Generally, as interest rates increase, the value of the Fund's fixed rate securities decreases, which will decrease the book value of the Fund's equity.

Furthermore, shifts in the U.S. Treasury yield curve reflecting an increase in interest rates would also affect the yield required on certain of the Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities and residential and commercial real estate debt investments and therefore their value. For instance, increasing interest rates would reduce the value of the fixed rate assets the Fund holds at the time because the higher yields required by increased interest rates result in lower market prices on existing fixed rate assets in order to adjust the yield upward to meet the market and *vice versa*. This would have similar effects on the Fund's Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities and residential and commercial real estate debt investments and the Fund's financial position and operations as a change in interest rates generally.

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, as with other serious economic disruptions, governmental authorities and regulators are enacting significant fiscal and monetary policy changes, including providing direct capital infusions into companies, creating new monetary programs and lowering interest rates considerably. As a result, interest rates in the United States and many parts of the world had been near recent historically low levels. In response to the historically low interest rates, the Federal Reserve has raised, and has indicated its intent to continue raising, certain benchmark interest rates. The Adviser expects that the recent public market correction could still be in its early stages, given the Federal Reserve's messaging around continued tightening and its primary goal of restraining inflation. These measures may result in a "hard landing," consistent with a recession.

# Below Investment Grade (High Yield or Junk) Securities Risk

The Fund may have exposure to investments that are rated below investment grade or that are unrated but are judged by the Adviser to be of credit quality comparable to securities rated below investment grade by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization. Lower grade securities may be particularly susceptible to economic downturns and are inherently speculative. It is likely that any such economic downturn could adversely affect the ability of the issuers of such securities to repay principal and pay interest thereon and increase the incidence of default for such securities.

Lower grade securities, though high yielding, are characterized by high risk. They may be subject to certain risks with respect to the issuing entity and to greater market fluctuations than certain lower yielding, higher rated securities. The retail secondary market for lower grade securities may be less liquid than that for higher rated securities. Adverse conditions could make it difficult at times to sell certain securities or could result in lower prices than those used in calculating the Fund's NAV. Because of the substantial risks associated with investments in lower grade securities, you could lose money on your investment in Shares, both in the short-term and the long-term.

### Risks Related to the Fund's Financing Strategy

The Fund may be unable to obtain financing required to acquire or originate investments as contemplated in its investment strategy, which could compel it to restructure or abandon a particular acquisition or origination and harm its ability to make distributions.

The Fund expects to fund a portion of its investments with financing. The Fund's business may be adversely affected by disruptions in the debt and equity capital markets and institutional lending market, including the lack of access to capital or prohibitively high costs of obtaining or replacing capital. Access to the capital markets and other sources of liquidity was severely disrupted during the credit crisis and, despite recent improvements, the markets could suffer another severe downturn and another liquidity crisis could emerge. The COVID-19 pandemic has had, and may continue to have, a material adverse effect on credit markets. There can be no assurance that any financing will be available to the Fund in the future on acceptable terms, if at all, or that it will be able to satisfy the conditions precedent required to use its credit facilities, if entered into, which could reduce the number, or alter the type, of investments that the Fund would make otherwise. This may reduce the Fund's income. To the extent that financing proves to be unavailable when needed, the Fund may be compelled to modify its investment strategy to optimize the performance of the portfolio. Any failure to obtain financing could have a material adverse effect on the continued development or growth of the Fund's business and harm the Fund's ability to operate and make distributions.

In a period of rising interest rates, the Fund's interest expense could increase while the interest it earns on its fixed-rate assets or LIBOR capped floating rate assets would not change, which would adversely affect the Fund's profitability.

The Fund's operating results will depend in large part on differences between the income from the Fund's assets less its operating costs, reduced by any credit losses and financing costs. Income from the Fund's assets may respond more slowly to interest rate fluctuations than the cost of its borrowings. Consequently, changes in interest rates, particularly short-term interest rates, may significantly influence the Fund's net income. Increases in these rates may decrease the Fund's net income and fair value of the Fund's assets. Interest rate fluctuations resulting in the Fund's interest expense exceeding the income from the Fund's assets would result in operating losses for the Fund and may limit the Fund's ability to make distributions. In addition, if the Fund needs to repay existing borrowings during periods of rising interest rates, it could be required to liquidate one or more of its investments at times that may not permit realization of the maximum return on those investments, which would adversely affect the Fund's profitability.

In March 2021, the United Kingdom's Financial Conduct Authority and the administrator of LIBOR announced that it will cease publication of many of its LIBOR settings after December 31, 2021, and that it will cease publication of certain commonly-used tenors of US dollar LIBOR after June 30, 2023. Currently, the U.S. and other countries are working to replace LIBOR with alternative reference rates. The transition effort in the U.S. is being led by the Alternative Reference Rate Committee, a diverse group of market participants convened by the Federal Reserve, and selected the Secured Overnight Financing Rate ("SOFR") as the preferred LIBOR successor for U.S. dollar markets. SOFR is intended to serve as a reference rate for U.S. dollar-based debt and derivatives and ultimately reduce the markets' dependence on LIBOR. Bank working groups and regulators in other countries have suggested other alternatives for their markets, including the Sterling Overnight Interbank Average Rate in the UK. Although the structured transition to the new rates is designed to mitigate the risks of disruption to financial markets, such risks exist. Abandonment of LIBOR may affect the value, liquidity or return on certain Fund investments, especially those that reference LIBOR but do not include an alternative or fallback rate-setting methodology, and may result in costs incurred in connection with closing out positions and entering into new trades. Any pricing adjustments to the Fund's investments resulting from an alternative reference rate may also adversely affect the Fund's performance and/or NAV. While some instruments may contemplate a scenario where LIBOR is no longer available by providing for an alternative rate setting methodology, not all instruments may have such provisions and there are significant uncertainty regarding the effectiveness of any such alternative or fallback methodologies.

The effect of the LIBOR transition could lead to significant short-term and long-term uncertainty and market instability. For instance, uncertainty remains as to how such a transition would be implemented and the effects such changes would have on the Fund's investments in instruments that pay interest at floating rates based on LIBOR and financial markets generally, cannot be determined. Such changes may adversely affect interest expense related to the Fund's borrowings and real estate-related investments and could result in losses to the Fund. These effects could occur prior to the phase out as the utility of LIBOR as a reference rate could deteriorate during the transition period.

The Fund may use short-term borrowings to finance its investments and it may need to use such borrowings for extended periods of time to the extent it is unable to access long-term financing. This may expose the Fund to increased risks associated with decreases in the fair value of the underlying collateral, which could have an adverse impact on the Fund's results of operations.

While the Fund expects to seek non-recourse, long-term financing through securitization financing transactions or other structures, such financing may be unavailable to it on favorable terms or at all. Consequently, the Fund may be dependent on short-term financing arrangements that are not matched in duration to its financial assets. Short-term borrowing through repurchase arrangements, credit facilities and other types of borrowings may put the Fund's assets and financial condition at risk. Any such short-term financing may also be recourse to the Fund, which will increase the risk of its investments. The Fund's financing structures may economically resemble short-term, floating-rate financing and usually require the maintenance of specific loan-to-collateral value ratios and other covenants. In the event that the Fund is unable to meet the collateral obligations for its short-term financing arrangements, the Fund's financial condition could deteriorate rapidly.

The Fund may use leverage to provide additional funds to support its investment activities. The Fund may employ leverage of not more than 33 1/3% of total assets as it is limited to 33 1/3% of the Fund's total assets (less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by 1940 Act leverage), in order to provide more funds available for investment, which may increase the risk of loss associated with its investments.

The Fund and certain special purpose vehicles in which the Fund invests may use leverage to provide additional funds to support their investment activities. The Fund may incur entity level debt (non-mortgage debt at the Fund level). In addition, the special purpose vehicles in which the Fund invests may utilize property-level debt financing (mortgages on properties owned by the special purpose vehicles). Such special purpose vehicles would own real estate assets and would borrow from a lender using the owned property as mortgage collateral. If any such special purpose vehicle were to default on a loan, the lender's recourse would be to the mortgaged property and the lender would typically not have a claim to other assets of the Fund. When such property level debt is not recourse to the Fund, the Fund will not treat such non-recourse borrowings as senior securities (as defined in the 1940 Act) for purposes of complying with the 1940 Act's limitations on leverage, unless the special purpose vehicle (or other Real Estate Investment Vehicle) holding such debt is a Controlled Subsidiary of the Fund or the financial statements of the special purpose vehicle (or other Real Estate Investment Vehicle) holding such debt will be consolidated in the Fund's financial statements in accordance with Regulation S-X and other accounting rules unless such debt would be eliminated in the consolidated financial statements in accordance with Regulation S-X and the other accounting rules. Where such special purpose vehicles are not a Controlled Subsidiary of the Fund (e.g. including as part of a non-controlled joint venture with a third party), the Fund would not consider the investments as giving rise to Fund leverage.

The Fund will pay (and stockholders will bear) any costs and expenses relating to the use of leverage by the Fund, to the extent the Fund bears such costs, which will result in a reduction in the NAV of the Shares.

Leverage may result in greater volatility of the NAV of, and distributions on, the Shares because changes in the value of the Fund's portfolio investments, including investments purchased with the proceeds from Borrowings or the issuance of Preferred Shares, if any, are borne entirely by holders of Shares. Shares income may fall if the interest rate on Borrowings or the dividend rate on Preferred Stock rises, and may fluctuate as the interest rate on Borrowings or the dividend rate on Preferred Shares varies. So long as the Fund is able to realize a higher net return on its investment portfolio than the then-current cost of any leverage together with other related expenses, the effect of the leverage will be to cause holders of Shares to realize higher current net investment income than if the Fund were not so leveraged. On the other hand, the Fund's use of leverage will result in increased operating costs. Thus, to the extent that the then-current cost of any leverage, together with other related expenses, approaches the net return on the Fund's investment portfolio, the benefit of leverage to holders of Shares will be reduced, and if the then-current cost of any leverage together with related expenses were to exceed the net return on the Fund's leveraged capital structure would result in a lower rate of return to holders of Shares than if the Fund were not so leveraged.

Any decline in the NAV of the Fund will be borne entirely by holders of Shares. Therefore, if the market value of the Fund's portfolio declines, the Fund's use of leverage will result in a greater decrease in NAV to holders of Shares than if the Fund were not leveraged.

Certain types of Borrowings may result in the Fund being subject to covenants in credit agreements relating to asset coverage or portfolio composition or otherwise. In addition, the terms of the credit agreements may also require that the Fund pledge some or all of its assets as collateral. Such restrictions may be more stringent than those imposed by the 1940 Act and limit the Fund's ability to effectively manage its portfolio.

In addition, the Fund may enter into investment management techniques (including reverse repurchase agreements and derivative transactions) that have similar effects as leverage, but which are not subject to the foregoing  $33\frac{1}{3}\%$  limitation if effected in compliance with applicable SEC rules and guidance.

In October 2020, the SEC adopted Rule 18f-4 under the 1940 Act, which provides for the regulation of registered investment companies' use of derivatives and certain related instruments. Rule 18f-4 imposes limits on the amount of derivatives a fund can enter into and replaces the asset segregation framework previously used by funds to comply with Section 18 of the 1940 Act, among other requirements. Under Rule 18f-4, a fund's derivatives exposure is limited through a value-at-risk test and requires the adoption and implementation of a derivatives risk management program for certain derivatives users. However, subject to certain conditions, funds that do not invest heavily in derivatives may be deemed limited derivatives users (as defined in Rule 18f-4) and would not be subject to the full requirements of Rule 18f-4. In connection with the adoption of Rule 18f-4, the SEC also eliminated the asset segregation and cover framework arising from prior SEC guidance for covering derivatives and certain financial instruments. Rule 18f-4 could limit the Fund's ability to engage in certain derivatives and other transactions and/or increase the costs of such transactions, which could adversely affect the value or performance of the Fund. The Fund is designated as a limited derivatives user (as defined in Rule 18f-4).

There can be no assurance that the Fund's leveraging strategy will be successful.

Hedging against interest rate exposure may adversely affect the Fund's earnings, limit the Fund's gains or result in losses, which could adversely affect cash available for distribution to Shareholders.

The Fund may enter into interest rate swap agreements or pursue other interest rate hedging strategies. The Fund's hedging activity, if any, will vary in scope based on the level of interest rates, the type of portfolio investments held, and other changing market conditions. Interest rate hedging may fail to protect or could adversely affect the Fund because, among other things: (i) interest rate hedging can be expensive, particularly during periods of rising and volatile interest rates; (ii) available interest rate hedging may not correspond directly with the interest rate risk for which protection is sought; (iii) the duration of the hedge may not match the duration of the related liability or asset; (iv) Fund's hedging opportunities may be limited by the treatment of income from hedging transactions under the rules determining REIT tax qualification; (v) the credit quality of the party owing money on the hedge may be downgraded to such an extent that it impairs Fund's ability to sell or assign Fund's side of the hedging transaction; (vi) the party owing money in the hedging transaction may default on its obligation to pay; and (vii) the Fund may purchase a hedge that turns out not to be necessary, i.e., a hedge that is out of the money. Any hedging activity the Fund engages in may adversely affect the Fund's earnings, which could adversely affect cash available for distribution to Shareholders. Therefore, while the Fund may enter into such transactions to seek to reduce interest rate risks, unanticipated changes in interest rates may result in poorer overall investment performance than if the Fund had not engaged in any such hedging transactions. In addition, the degree of correlation between price movements of the instruments used in a hedging strategy and price movements in the portfolio positions being hedged or liabilities being hedged may vary materially. Moreover, for a variety of reasons, the Fund may not seek to establish a perfect correlation between such hedging instruments and the portfolio holdin

Credit facilities may contain recourse obligations and any default could materially adversely affect the Fund's business, liquidity and financial condition.

The Fund may finance certain of its investments through the use of repurchase agreements with one or more financial institutions. Obligations under certain repurchase agreements could be recourse obligations to the Fund and any default thereunder could result in margin calls and further force a liquidation of assets at times when the pricing may be unfavorable to the Fund. The Fund's default under such repurchase agreements could negatively impact the Fund's business, liquidity and financial condition.

The Fund may enter into a variety of arrangements to finance its investments, which may require it to provide additional collateral and significantly impact the Fund's liquidity position.

The Fund may use a variety of structures to finance its investments. To the extent these financing arrangements contain mark-to-market provisions, if the market value of the investments pledged by the Fund declines due to credit quality deterioration, it may be required by its lenders to provide additional collateral or pay down a portion of its borrowings. In a weakening economic environment, the Fund would generally expect credit quality and the value of the investment that serves as collateral for its financing arrangements to decline, and in such a scenario, it is likely that the terms of its financing arrangements would require partial repayment from it, which could be substantial. Posting additional collateral to support its financing arrangements could significantly reduce the Fund's liquidity and limit its ability to leverage its assets. In the event the Fund does not have sufficient liquidity to meet such requirements, its lenders can accelerate its borrowings, which could have a material adverse effect on the Fund's business and operations.

Lenders may require the Fund to enter into restrictive covenants relating to its operations, which could limit the Fund's ability to make distributions.

When providing financing, a lender may impose restrictions on the Fund that affect its distribution and operating policies and its ability to incur additional borrowings. Financing arrangements that the Fund may enter into may contain covenants that limit its ability to further incur borrowings and restrict distributions to the shareholders or that prohibit it from discontinuing insurance coverage or replacing the Investment Adviser. Credit facilities the Fund may enter into may contain financial covenants, including a minimum unrestricted cash covenant. These or other limitations would decrease the Fund's operating flexibility and its ability to achieve its operating objectives, including making distributions.

#### **Derivatives Risk**

The Fund may invest in derivative instruments, such as options contracts, futures contracts, options on futures contracts, indexed securities, credit linked notes, credit default swaps and other swap agreements for investment, hedging and risk management purposes. The Fund may invest without limitation in Treasury futures, interest rate swaps, swaptions or similar instruments and combinations thereof. A derivative is a financial contract whose value depends on changes in the value of one or more underlying assets or reference rates. Derivatives are subject to a number of risks described elsewhere in this prospectus, such as liquidity risk, interest rate risk and management risk. Derivatives are also subject to counterparty risk, which is the risk that the other party in the transaction will not fulfill its contractual obligation. Changes in the credit quality of the companies that serve as the Fund's counterparties with respect to its derivative transactions will affect the value of those instruments. By using derivatives that expose the Fund to counterparties, the Fund assumes the risk that its counterparties could experience financial hardships that could call into question their continued ability to perform their obligations. In addition, in the event of the insolvency of a counterparty to a derivative transaction, the derivative transaction would typically be terminated at its fair market value. If the Fund is owed this fair market value in the termination of the derivative transaction and its claim is unsecured, the Fund will be treated as a general creditor of such counterparty, and will not have any claim with respect to the underlying security. As a result, concentrations of such derivatives in any one counterparty would subject the Fund to an additional degree of risk with respect to defaults by such counterparty. Derivatives also involve the risk of mispricing or improper valuation and the risk that changes in the value of a derivative may not correlate perfectly with an underlying asset, interest rate or index. Suitable derivative transactions may not be available in all circumstances and there can be no assurance that the Fund will engage in these transactions to reduce exposure to other risks when that would be beneficial. If the Fund invests in a derivative instrument, it could lose more than the principal amount invested. Rule 18f-4 under the 1940 Act, among other things, requires that the Fund either use derivatives in a limited manner or comply with an outer limit on fund leverage risk based on value-at-risk. Rule 18f-4 could limit the Fund's ability to engage in certain derivatives and other transactions and/or increase the costs of such transactions, which could adversely affect the value or performance of the Fund.

Derivative instruments can be illiquid, may disproportionately increase losses, and may have a potentially large impact on Fund performance.

#### Risks Related to the Fund's Tax Status as a REIT

Failure to maintain its REIT tax status would cause the Fund to be taxed as a regular corporation, which would substantially reduce funds available for distributions to Shareholders.

The Fund believes that its organization, prior and proposed ownership and method of operation will enable the Fund to meet the requirements for qualification as a REIT for tax purposes. However, the Fund cannot assure Shareholders that it will qualify as such. This is because qualification as a REIT for tax purposes involves the application of highly technical and complex provisions of the Code as to which there are only limited judicial and administrative interpretations and involves the determination of facts and circumstances not entirely within Fund's control. Future legislation, new regulations, administrative interpretations or court decisions may significantly change the tax laws or the application of the tax laws with respect to qualification as a REIT for tax purposes or the U.S. federal income tax consequences of such qualification.

If the Fund fails to maintain its REIT tax status in any taxable year, the Fund will face serious tax consequences that will substantially reduce the funds available for distributions to Shareholders because: (i) the Fund would not be allowed a deduction for dividends paid to shareholders in computing Fund's taxable income and would be subject to U.S. federal income tax at regular corporate rates; and (ii) unless the Fund is entitled to relief under certain U.S. federal income tax laws, the Fund could not re-elect REIT tax status until the fifth calendar year after the year in which the Fund failed to maintain its REIT status.

In addition, if the Fund fails to maintain its REIT tax status, the Fund will no longer be required to make distributions. As a result of all these factors, the Fund's failure to maintain its REIT tax status could impair the Fund's ability to expand the Fund's business and raise capital, and it would adversely affect the value of the Fund's Shares. See "U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations" for a discussion of certain U.S. federal income tax considerations relating to the Fund and its Shares.

Even if the Fund maintains its REIT tax status, the Fund may owe other taxes that will reduce the Fund's cash flows.

Even if the Fund qualifies for taxation as a REIT, the Fund may be subject to certain U.S. federal, state and local taxes on the Fund's income and assets, on taxable income that the Fund does not distribute to its Shareholders, on net income from certain "prohibited transactions," and on income from some activities conducted as a result of a foreclosure, and state or local income, property and transfer taxes. For example, to the extent the Fund satisfies the 90% distribution requirement but distribute less than 100% of the Fund's REIT taxable income, the Fund will be subject to U.S. federal corporate income tax on the Fund's undistributed taxable income and gain. The Fund also will be subject to a 4% nondeductible excise tax if the actual amount that the Fund distributes to its Shareholders in a calendar year is less than a minimum amount specified under the Code. As another example, the Fund is subject to a 100% "prohibited transaction" tax on any gain from a sale of property that is characterized as held for sale, rather than investment, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, unless the Fund complies with a statutory safe harbor or earn the gain through a taxable REIT subsidiary (a "TRS"). Further, any TRS that the Fund establishes will be subject to regular corporate U.S. federal, state and local taxes. Any of these taxes would decrease cash available for distribution to Shareholders

REIT distribution requirements could adversely affect the Fund's liquidity and may force the Fund to borrow funds during unfavorable market conditions.

In order to maintain the Fund's REIT tax status and to meet the REIT distribution requirements for tax purposes, the Fund may need to borrow funds on a short-term basis or sell assets, even if the then-prevailing market conditions are not favorable for these borrowings or sales. In addition, the Fund may need to reserve cash (including proceeds from this offering) to satisfy the Fund's REIT distribution requirements for tax purposes, even though there are attractive investment opportunities that may be available. To maintain its REIT tax status, the Fund generally must distribute to Fund's Shareholders at least 90% of the Fund's net taxable income each year, excluding capital gains. In addition, the Fund will be subject to corporate income tax to the extent the Fund distributes less than 100% of its taxable income including any net capital gain. The Fund intends to make distributions to Fund's Shareholders to comply with the requirements of the Code for maintaining REIT tax status and to minimize or eliminate the Fund's corporate income tax obligation to the extent consistent with the Fund's business objectives. The Fund's cash flows from operations may be insufficient to fund required distributions, for example as a result of differences in timing between the actual receipt of income and the recognition of income for U.S. federal income tax purposes, the effect of non-deductible capital expenditures, limitations on interest expense and net operating loss deductibility, the creation of reserves or required debt service or amortization payments. The Fund generally is required to accrue income from mortgage loans, mortgage-backed securities, and other types of debt instruments currently over the term of the asset, even if the Fund does not receive the cash payments corresponding to such income until later periods. Thus, all or a part of the anticipated increase in yield on the loans the Fund holds that are attributable to deferred interest, exit fees and/or equity participation features generally must be accrued currently notwithstanding that the corresponding cash payment is deferred or uncertain. The insufficiency of Fund's cash flows to cover the Fund's distribution requirements could have an adverse impact on the Fund's ability to raise short- and long-term debt or sell equity securities in order to fund distributions required to maintain the Fund's REIT tax status. In addition, the Fund will be subject to a 4% nondeductible excise tax on the amount, if any, by which distributions paid by the Fund in any calendar year are less than the sum of 85% of the Fund's ordinary income, 95% of Fund's capital gain net income and 100% of Fund's undistributed income from prior years. To address and/or mitigate some of these issues, the Fund may make taxable distributions that are in part paid in cash and in part paid in the Fund's Shares. In such cases Shareholders may have tax liabilities from such distributions in excess of the cash they receive. The treatment of such taxable share distributions is not clear, and it is possible the taxable share distribution will not count towards Fund's distribution requirement, in which case adverse consequences could apply.

If the Fund fails to invest a sufficient amount of the net proceeds from selling the Fund's Shares in real estate assets within one year from the receipt of the proceeds, the Fund could fail to maintain its REIT tax status.

Temporary investment of the net proceeds from sales of the Fund's Shares in short-term securities and income from such investment generally will allow the Fund to satisfy various REIT income and asset requirements for tax purposes, but only during the one-year period beginning on the date the Fund receives the net proceeds. If the Fund is unable to invest a sufficient amount of the net proceeds from sales of the Fund's Shares in qualifying real estate assets within such one-year period, the Fund could fail to satisfy one or more of the gross income or asset tests and/or the Fund could be limited to investing all or a portion of any remaining funds in cash or cash equivalents. If the Fund fails to satisfy any such income or asset test, unless the Fund is entitled to relief under certain provisions of the Code, the Fund could fail to maintain its REIT tax status.

If the Fund forms a taxable REIT subsidiary (TRS), the Fund's overall tax liability could increase.

Any TRS the Fund forms will be subject to U.S. federal, state and local income tax on its taxable income. Accordingly, although the Fund's ownership of any TRSs may allow the Fund to participate in the operating income from certain activities that the Fund could not participate in without violating the REIT income tests requirements of the Code for tax purposes or incurring the 100% tax on gains from prohibited transactions, the TRS through which the Fund earns such operating income or gain will be fully subject to corporate income tax. The after-tax net income of any TRS would be available for distribution to the Fund; however, any dividends received by the Fund from its domestic TRSs will only be qualifying income for the 95% REIT income test, not the 75% REIT income test, for tax purposes. See "U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations – Income Tests" for additional information.

Although the Fund's use of TRSs may partially mitigate the impact of meeting certain requirements necessary to maintain the Fund's qualification for taxation as a REIT, there are limits on the Fund's ability to own and engage in transactions with TRSs, and a failure to comply with the limits would jeopardize the Fund's REIT qualification and may result in the application of a 100% excise tax.

A fund that qualifies for taxation as a REIT may own up to 100% of the stock or securities of one or more TRSs. A TRS may hold assets and earn income that would not be qualifying assets or income if held or earned directly by a fund that qualifies for taxation as a REIT. A TRS also may sell assets without incurring the 100% tax on prohibited transactions. Both the subsidiary and the fund that qualifies for taxation as a REIT must jointly elect to treat the subsidiary as a TRS. A corporation of which a TRS directly or indirectly owns more than 35% of the voting power or value of the stock will automatically be treated as a TRS. Overall, no more than 20% of the value of assets of a fund that qualifies for taxation as a REIT may consist of stock or securities of one or more TRSs. The rules impose a 100% excise tax on certain transactions between a TRS and its parent fund that qualifies for taxation as a REIT that are not conducted on an arm's-length basis. The Fund may jointly elect with one or more subsidiaries for those subsidiaries to be treated as TRSs for U.S. federal income tax purposes. These TRSs will pay U.S. federal, state and local income tax on their taxable income, and their after-tax net income will be available for distribution to the Fund but is not required to be distributed to the Fund. The Fund will monitor the value of its respective investments in any TRSs the Fund may form for the purpose of ensuring compliance with TRS ownership limitations and intend to structure the Fund's transactions with any such TRSs on terms that the Fund believes are arm's-length to avoid incurring the 100% excise tax described above. There can be no assurance, however, that the Fund will be able to comply with the 20% TRS limitation or to avoid application of the 100% excise tax.

Dividends payable by funds that qualify for taxation as REITs generally do not qualify for reduced tax rates under current law.

The maximum U.S. federal income tax rate for certain qualified dividends payable to U.S. Shareholders that are individuals, trusts and estates generally is 20%. Dividends payable by funds that qualify for taxation as REITs, however, are generally not eligible for the reduced rates and therefore may be subject to a 37% maximum U.S. federal income tax rate on ordinary income when paid to such Shareholders. The more favorable rates applicable to regular corporate dividends under current law could cause investors who are individuals, trusts and estates or are otherwise sensitive to these lower rates to perceive investments in funds that qualify for taxation as REITs to be relatively less attractive than investments in the stocks of non-REIT corporations that pay dividends, which could adversely affect the value of the stock of funds that qualify for taxation as REITs, including the Fund's Shares. However, for taxable years beginning before January 1, 2026, non-corporate taxpayers may deduct up to 20% of "qualified REIT dividends." Qualified REIT dividends eligible for this deduction generally will include the Fund's dividends received by a non-corporate U.S. Shareholder that the Fund does not designate as capital gain dividends and that are not qualified dividend income.

Complying with REIT requirements for tax purposes may cause the Fund to forego otherwise attractive opportunities or to liquidate otherwise attractive investments.

To qualify for taxation as a REIT, the Fund must continually satisfy tests concerning, among other things, the sources of the Fund's income, the nature and diversification of Fund's assets, the amounts the Fund distributes to its Shareholders and the ownership of the Fund's Shares. The Fund may be required to make distributions to its Shareholders at disadvantageous times or when the Fund does not have funds readily available for distribution. Thus, compliance with the REIT requirements for tax purposes may, for instance, hinder the Fund's ability to make certain otherwise attractive investments or undertake other activities that might otherwise be beneficial to the Fund and its Shareholders, or may require the Fund to borrow or liquidate investments in unfavorable market conditions and, therefore, may hinder Fund's investment performance. As a fund that qualifies for taxation as a REIT, at the end of each calendar quarter, at least 75% of the value of the Fund's assets must consist of cash, cash items, U.S. Government securities and qualified "real estate assets." The remainder of the Fund's investments in securities (other than cash, cash items, U.S. Government securities, securities issued by a TRS and qualified real estate assets) generally cannot include more than 10% of the outstanding voting securities of any one issuer or more than 10% of the total value of the outstanding securities of any one issuer. In addition, in general, no more than 5% of the value of Fund's total assets (other than cash, cash items, U.S. Government securities, securities issued by a TRS and qualified real estate assets) can consist of the securities of any one issuer, no more than 20% of the value of Fund's total securities can be represented by securities of one or more TRSs, and no more than 25% of the value of Fund's total assets may be represented by debt instruments of publicly offered funds that qualify for taxation as REITs that are not secured by mortgages on real property or interests in real property. After meeting these requirements at the close of a calendar quarter, if the Fund fails to comply with these requirements at the end of any subsequent calendar quarter, the Fund must correct the failure within 30 days after the end of the calendar quarter or qualify for certain statutory relief provisions to avoid losing Fund's REIT tax status. As a result, the Fund may be required to liquidate from the Fund's portfolio or forego otherwise attractive investments. These actions could have the effect of reducing the Fund's income and amounts available for distribution to Shareholders.

The Fund may be restricted from acquiring, transferring or redeeming certain amounts of the Fund's Shares.

In order to maintain Fund's REIT tax status, among other requirements, no more than 50% in value of the Fund's outstanding Shares may be owned, directly or indirectly, by five or fewer individuals, as defined in the Code to include certain kinds of entities, during the last half of any taxable year, other than the first year for which a REIT election for tax purposes is made. To assist the Fund in qualifying for taxation as a REIT, the Fund's LLC Agreement contains an aggregate Share ownership limit and a Common Shares ownership limit. Generally, any of the Fund's Shares owned by affiliated owners will be added together for purposes of the aggregate Share ownership limit, and any Common Shares owned by affiliated owners will be added together for purposes of the common Shares ownership limit.

If anyone attempts to transfer or own Shares in a way that would violate the aggregate Share ownership limit or the Common Shares ownership limit (or would prevent the Fund from continuing to qualify for taxation as a REIT), unless such ownership limits have been waived by the Adviser, those Shares instead will be deemed transferred to a trust for the benefit of a charitable beneficiary and will be either redeemed by the Fund or sold to a person whose ownership of the Shares will not violate the aggregate Share ownership limit or the Common Shares ownership limit and will not prevent the Fund from qualifying for taxation as a REIT. If this transfer to a trust fails to prevent such a violation or the Fund's disqualification as a REIT for tax purposes, then the initial intended transfer or ownership will be null and void from the outset. Anyone who acquires or owns Shares in violation of the aggregate Share ownership limit or the common Shares ownership limit, unless such ownership limit or limits have been waived by the Adviser, or the other restrictions on transfer or ownership in the LLC Agreement, bears the risk of a financial loss when the Shares are redeemed or sold, if the NAV of the Fund's Shares falls between the date of purchase and the date of repurchase. The Fund's limits on ownership of the Fund's Shares also may require the Fund to decline redemption requests that would cause other Shareholders to exceed such ownership limits. In addition, in order to comply with certain of the distribution requirements applicable to funds that qualify for taxation as REITs, the Fund will decline to honor any redemption request that the Fund believes is a "dividend equivalent" redemption as discussed in "U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations – Repurchase of Shares."

The failure of a mezzanine loan to qualify as a real estate asset could adversely affect the Fund's ability to qualify for taxation as a REIT.

The Fund may acquire mezzanine loans, for which the Internal Revenue Service, or the IRS, has provided a safe harbor but not rules of substantive law. Pursuant to the safe harbor, if a mezzanine loan meets certain requirements, it will be treated by the IRS as a real estate asset for purposes of the REIT asset tests, and interest derived from the mezzanine loan will be treated as qualifying mortgage interest for purposes of the REIT 75% income test. To the extent that any of the Fund's mezzanine loans do not meet all of the requirements for reliance on the safe harbor, such loans may not be real estate assets and could adversely affect the Fund's REIT tax status.

The Fund intends to make certain other investments through Real Estate Investment Vehicles (with rights to receive preferred economic returns) and may invest in "kickers" with respect to certain investments that the Fund determines to hold outside of a TRS. The character of such investments for REIT tax purposes may depend on the assets and operations of the issuer, which the Fund generally will not control. Thus, no assurance can be given that any such issuer will not operate in a manner that causes the Fund to fail an income or asset test requirement. In addition, the proper treatment of certain investments, including investments through Real Estate Investment Vehicles (with rights to receive preferred economic returns) and "kickers," for U.S. federal income tax purposes is unclear. If the IRS were to successfully challenge the Fund's characterization of an investment, it could adversely affect the Fund's REIT tax status.

Complying with REIT requirements for tax purposes may limit the Fund's ability to hedge effectively and may cause the Fund to incur tax liabilities.

The REIT tax provisions of the Code substantially limit the Fund's ability to hedge the Fund's liabilities. Generally, income from a hedging transaction the Fund enter into to manage risk of interest rate changes with respect to borrowings made or to be made to acquire or carry real estate assets or to offset certain other positions does not constitute "gross income" for purposes of the 75% or 95% gross income tests, provided certain circumstances are satisfied. To the extent that the Fund enters into other types of hedging transactions, the income from those transactions is likely to be treated as non-qualifying income for purposes of both of the gross income tests. As a result of these rules, the Fund may need to limit the Fund's use of advantageous hedging techniques or implement those hedges through a TRS. This could increase the cost of the Fund's hedging activities because the Fund's TRS would be subject to tax on income or gains resulting from hedges entered into by it or expose the Fund to greater risks associated with changes in interest rates than the Fund would otherwise want to bear. In addition, losses in the Fund's TRSs will generally not provide any tax benefit, except for being carried forward for use against future taxable income in the TRSs.

The ability of the Adviser to revoke the Fund's qualification for taxation as a REIT with Board approval but without Shareholder approval may cause adverse consequences to Shareholders.

Subject to approval by the Board, the Adviser may revoke or otherwise terminate the Fund's REIT tax status election, without the approval of Shareholders, if it determines that it is no longer in the Fund's best interest to qualify for taxation as a REIT. If the Fund ceases to maintain its REIT tax status, the Fund will not be allowed a deduction for dividends paid to Shareholders in computing the Fund's taxable income and will be subject to U.S. federal income tax at regular corporate rates, as well as state and local taxes, which may have adverse consequences on the Fund's total return to Shareholders.

The IRS may take the position that gains from sales of property are subject to a 100% prohibited transaction tax.

The Fund may have to sell assets from time to time to fund redemption requests, to satisfy the Fund's REIT distribution requirements, to satisfy other REIT tax requirements, or for other purposes. It is possible that the IRS may take the position that one or more sales of Fund's properties may be a prohibited transaction, which is a sale of property held by the Fund primarily for sale in the ordinary course of the Fund's trade or business. If the Fund is deemed to have engaged in a prohibited transaction, the Fund's gain from such sale would be subject to a 100% tax. The Code sets forth a safe harbor under which a fund that qualifies for taxation as a REIT may, under certain circumstances, sell property without risking the imposition of the 100% tax, but there is no assurance that the Fund will be able to qualify for the safe harbor. The Fund does not intend to hold property for sale in the ordinary course of business, but there is no assurance that the IRS will not challenge Fund's position, especially if the Fund makes frequent sales or sales of property in which the Fund has short holding periods. For example, the Fund could be subject to this tax if it were to dispose of or securitize loans (or portions thereof) in a manner that was treated as a sale of the loans for U.S. federal income tax purposes. Therefore, in order to avoid the prohibited transactions tax, the Fund may choose not to engage in certain sales of loans at the Fund level (and may conduct such sales through a TRS), and may limit the structures the Fund utilizes for any securitization transactions, even though the sales or structures might otherwise be beneficial to the Fund.

Legislative or regulatory action related to federal income tax laws could adversely affect Fund's Shareholders and/or the Fund's business.

On December 22, 2017, the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act ("TCJA") was enacted. The TCJA makes major changes to the Code, including a number of provisions of the Code that affect the taxation of funds that qualify for taxation as REITs and their stockholders. The effect of certain of the significant changes made by the TCJA is highly uncertain, and administrative guidance will be required in order to fully evaluate the effect of many provisions. The effect of any technical corrections with respect to the TCJA could have an adverse effect on the Fund or its Shareholders. Investors should consult their tax advisors regarding the implications of the TCJA on their investment in the Fund's Shares.

In addition, in recent years, numerous legislative, judicial and administrative changes have been made to the federal income tax laws applicable to investments in funds that qualify for taxation as REITs and similar entities. Additional changes to tax laws and regulations are likely to continue to occur in the future, and the Fund cannot assure Shareholders that any such changes will not adversely affect the taxation of a Shareholder or will not have an adverse effect on an investment in the Fund's Shares. Shareholders are urged to consult with their own tax advisors with respect to the potential effect that the TCJA or other legislative, regulatory or administrative developments and proposals could have on their investment in the Fund's Shares.

A portion of the Fund's distributions may be treated as a return of capital for U.S. federal income tax purposes, which could reduce the basis of a Shareholder's investment in the Fund's Shares and may trigger taxable gain.

A portion of the Fund's distributions may be treated as a return of capital for U.S. federal income tax purposes. As a general matter, a portion of the Fund's distributions will be treated as a return of capital for U.S. federal income tax purposes if the aggregate amount of the Fund's distributions for a year exceeds Fund's current and accumulated earnings and profits for that year. To the extent that a distribution is treated as a return of capital for U.S. federal income tax purposes, it will reduce a holder's adjusted tax basis in the holder's Shares, and to the extent that it exceeds the holder's adjusted tax basis will be treated as gain resulting from a sale or exchange of such Shares.

The Fund's ability to provide certain services to the Fund's tenants may be limited by the REIT taxation rules, or may have to be provided through a TRS.

As a fund that qualifies for taxation as a REIT, the Fund generally cannot hold interests in rental property where tenants receive services other than services that are customarily provided by landlords, nor can the Fund derives income from a third party that provides such services. If services to tenants at properties in which the Fund holds an interest are limited to customary services, those properties may be disadvantaged as compared to other properties that can be operated without the same restrictions. However, the Fund can provide such non-customary services to tenants or share in the revenue from such services if the Fund does so through a TRS, though income earned through the TRS will be subject to corporate income taxes.

The Adviser and its affiliates have limited experience managing a portfolio of assets owned by a fund that qualifies for taxation as REIT.

Funds are subject to numerous complex requirements in order to maintain their REIT tax status, including income and asset composition tests. The Adviser and its affiliates have limited experience managing a portfolio in the manner intended to comply with such requirements. To the extent the Adviser and its affiliates manage the Fund in a manner that causes the Fund to fail to qualify for taxation as a REIT, it could adversely affect the value of the Fund's Shares.

The Fund's qualification for taxation as a REIT and avoidance of 100% tax may depend on the characterization of loans that the Fund makes as debt for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

For U.S. federal income tax purposes, the IRS or a court may treat a loan with sufficient equity characteristics as equity for tax purposes. The Fund may obtain equity participation rights with respect to the Fund's loans, and the Fund may make loans with relatively high loan-to-value ratios and/or high yields, which are among the features that can cause a loan to be treated as equity for U.S. federal income tax purposes. Although the Fund intends to structure each of the Fund's loans so that the loan should be respected as debt for U.S. federal income tax purposes, it is possible that the IRS or a court could disagree and seek to recharacterize the loan as equity. Recharacterization of one of the Fund's loans as equity for U.S. federal income tax purposes generally would require the Fund to include its share of the gross assets and gross income of the borrower in the Fund's REIT asset and income tests. Inclusion of such items could jeopardize the Fund's REIT tax status. Moreover, to the extent the Fund's borrowers hold their assets as dealer property or inventory, if the Fund is treated as holding equity in a borrower for U.S. federal income tax purposes, the Fund's share of gains from sales by the borrower would be subject to the 100% tax on prohibited transactions (except to the extent earned through a TRS).

The failure of a loan to qualify as an obligation secured by a mortgage on real property within the meaning of the REIT rules could adversely affect the Fund's ability to qualify for taxation as a REIT.

The Fund may make investments in loans whose qualification as a real estate mortgage loan for REIT taxation purposes is uncertain or which are treated in part as qualifying mortgage loans and in part as unsecured loans. The failure of a loan that the Fund treated as a qualifying mortgage loan to qualify as such for REIT taxation purposes could cause the Fund to fail one or more of the REIT income or asset tests, and thereby cause the Fund to fail to qualify for taxation as a REIT unless certain relief provisions also apply.

In general, interest income accrued on a loan that is secured by real property and personal property during a taxable year constitutes qualifying mortgage interest in its entirety for purposes of the 75% gross income test only if the loan is secured by a mortgage on real property with a value (at the time the Fund committed to acquire the loan) at least equal to the highest outstanding principal amount of the loan during such taxable year. In the case of loans to improve or develop real property, the value of the real property collateral when the Fund commits to acquire a loan is deemed to include the reasonably estimated cost of the improvements or developments (other than personal property) which will secure the loan and which will be constructed from the proceeds of the loan. Subject to a limited exemption, if the outstanding principal balance of a mortgage loan during the taxable year exceeds the deemed value of the real property securing the loan at the time the Fund committed to acquire the loan, a portion of the interest accrued during the year will not be qualifying mortgage interest for the 75% income test and a portion of such loan likely will not be a qualifying real estate asset. In that case, the Fund could earn income that is not qualifying for the 75% income test and be treated as holding a non-real estate investment in whole or part, which could result in the Fund's failure to qualify for taxation as a REIT. However, a mortgage loan secured by both real property and personal property will be treated as a wholly qualifying real estate asset and all interest will be qualifying income for purposes of the 75% income test if the fair market value of such personal property does not exceed 15% of the total fair market value of all such property, even if the real property collateral value is less than the outstanding principal balance of the loan.

The "taxable mortgage pool" rules may increase the taxes that the Fund or its Shareholders may incur, and may limit the manner in which the Fund effects future securitizations.

Any borrowings incurred by the Fund could result in the creation of taxable mortgage pools for U.S. federal income tax purposes. Except as provided below, the Fund generally would not be adversely affected by the characterization as a taxable mortgage pool so long as the Fund owns 100% of the equity interests in a taxable mortgage pool. Certain categories of Shareholders, however, such as non-U.S. Shareholders eligible for treaty or other benefits, shareholders with net operating losses, and certain U.S. tax-exempt shareholders that are subject to unrelated business income tax, could be subject to increased taxes on a portion of their dividend income from the Fund that is attributable to the taxable mortgage pool. In addition, to the extent that the Fund's Shares are owned by tax-exempt "disqualified organizations," such as certain government-related entities and charitable remainder trusts that are not subject to tax on unrelated business income, the Fund may incur a corporate level tax on a portion of the Fund's income from the taxable mortgage pool. In that case, the Fund may reduce the amount of the Fund's distributions to any disqualified organization whose Share ownership gave rise to the tax. Moreover, the Fund would be precluded from selling equity interests in these securitizations to outside investors, or selling any debt securities issued in connection with these securitizations that might be considered to be equity interests for U.S. federal income tax purposes. These limitations may prevent the Fund from using certain techniques to maximize the Fund's returns from securitization transactions.

The SAI describes the Fund's principal investment risks in more detail and also describes other risks applicable to the Fund. The additional risks include the following:

By purchasing a Share, you are bound by the provisions contained in the LLC Agreement that require you to waive your rights to request to review and obtain information relating to the Fund, including, but not limited to, names and contact information of the Fund's shareholders.

By purchasing a Share, you are bound by the provisions contained in the LLC Agreement requiring you to waive your rights to request to review and obtain information relating to and maintained by the Fund, including, but not limited to, names and contact information of the Fund's shareholders, information listed in Section 18-305 of the Delaware LLC Act, and any other information deemed to be confidential by the Fund in its sole discretion (the "Waiver Provisions").

Through the Fund's required public filing disclosures, periodic reports and obligation to provide annual reports and tax information to its shareholders, much of the information listed in Section 18-305 of the Delaware LLC Act will be available to shareholders notwithstanding the Waiver Provisions. While the intent of such Waiver Provisions is to protect your personally identifiable information from being disclosed pursuant to Section 18-305 of the Delaware LLC Act, by agreeing to be subject to the Waiver Provisions, you are severely limiting your right to seek access to the personally identifiable information of other shareholders, such as names, addresses and other information about shareholders and the Fund that the Fund deems to be confidential. As a result, the Waiver Provision could impede your ability to communicate with other shareholders, and such provisions, on their own, or together with the effect of the arbitration provisions contained in the LLC Agreement, may impede your ability to bring or sustain claims against the Fund, including under applicable securities laws. The SAI provides additional information about the arbitration provisions. A court may choose not to enforce the Waiver Provisions.

BY AGREEING TO BE SUBJECT TO THE WAIVER PROVISIONS, INVESTORS WILL NOT BE DEEMED TO WAIVE THE FUND'S COMPLIANCE WITH THE FEDERAL SECURITIES LAWS AND THE RULES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED THEREUNDER.

### MANAGEMENT OF THE FUND

### **Board of Directors**

Pursuant to the LLC Agreement, the Fund's business and affairs are managed under the direction of the Board, which has overall responsibility for monitoring and overseeing the Fund's management and operations. The Board appoints officers who are responsible for the day-to-day operations of the Fund and who execute policies authorized by the Board. The Board currently consists of five Directors, four of whom are not "interested persons" of the Fund, as that term is defined in the 1940 Act (the "Independent Directors"). The Directors are subject to removal or replacement in accordance with Delaware law and the LLC Agreement. The Directors currently serving on the Board were elected by the initial Shareholder of the Fund. The SAI provides additional information about the Directors.

#### **Investment Adviser**

The Fund's investment adviser is Fundrise Advisors, LLC (the "Adviser"). The Adviser was formed in 2014 and is registered as an investment adviser with the SEC under the Advisers Act. The Adviser is located at 11 Dupont Circle NW, 9th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20036. The Adviser is a wholly owned subsidiary of the Rise Companies Corp. ("Rise Companies"), the Fund's sponsor, which owns and operates, through its subsidiary Fundrise, LLC, an investment platform available both online at <a href="https://www.fundrise.com">www.fundrise.com</a> and through various mobile applications sponsored by Rise Companies (collectively referred to herein along with the Fund's website <a href="https://www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com">www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com</a>, the "Fundrise Platform") that allows individuals to become investors in equity or debt holders in real estate opportunities that may have been historically difficult to access for some investors. The Fund is included among the investment vehicles made available through the Fundrise Platform. As of December 31, 2022, the Adviser had approximately \$3.10 billion in assets under management.

Pursuant to the Investment Management Agreement between the Fund and the Adviser, the Adviser is responsible for directing the management of the Fund's business and affairs, managing the Fund's day-to-day affairs, and implementing the Fund's investment strategy, subject to the supervision of the Board. In carrying out these responsibilities, the Adviser also performs certain administrative, fund accounting, shareholder and other services for the Fund. The Adviser and its officers and directors are not required to devote all of their time to the Fund's business and are only required to devote such time to the Fund's affairs as their duties require. The Fund will follow investment guidelines adopted by the Adviser and the investment and borrowing policies set forth in this Registration Statement unless they are modified by the Adviser. The Adviser may establish further written policies on investments and borrowings and will monitor the Fund's administrative procedures, investment operations and performance to ensure that the policies are fulfilled. The SAI provides additional information about the services provided by the Adviser to the Fund under the Investment Management Agreement.

# **Experience of the Management Team**

Rise Companies generates revenue from fees related to a portfolio of approximately \$6 billion of real estate and technology assets. As of December 31, 2022, the Sponsored Programs have a total AUM of \$3.2 billion with over 387,000 active investor accounts and \$1,800,000 active users on the Fundrise Platform. Of the \$3.2 billion total AUM in the Sponsored Programs, approximately \$1.9 billion, or approximately 58%, is in a 40 Act Fund. The portfolios included in the Fundrise Platform investment opportunities are diversified by investment size, security type, property type and geographic region. As a result of the depth and thoroughness of its underwriting process, the extensive investing experience of its management team and its strong performance record in managing a diverse portfolio of assets, Rise Companies has earned a reputation as a leading alternative asset manager, which has allowed it to access funding from a broad base of investors.

# Management Fee

Pursuant to the Investment Management Agreement, and in consideration of the services provided by the Adviser to the Fund, the Adviser is entitled to a management fee (the "Management Fee"). The Management Fee is calculated and payable monthly in arrears at the annual rate of 0.85% of the average daily value of the Fund's net assets.

#### Approval of the Investment Management Agreement

A discussion regarding the basis for the Board's approval of the Investment Management Agreement is available in the Fund's annual report for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022.

#### **Adviser's Investment Committee**

The Adviser has established an Investment Committee comprised of three persons to assist the Adviser in fulfilling its responsibilities under the Investment Management Agreement. The Investment Committee is responsible for (i) considering and approving each investment made by the Fund, (ii) establishing the Fund's investment strategies and policies and overseeing the Fund's investments, and the investment activity of other accounts and funds held for the benefit of the Fund, and (iii) overseeing the investment activities of certain of the Fund's Real Estate Investment Vehicles.

The members of the Investment Committee serve as the Fund's portfolio managers. They are ultimately responsible for all investment decisions made for the Fund and are solely responsible for the day to day investment operations of the Fund. Each has served as a portfolio manager to the Fund since inception.

The members of the Investment Committee, and their professional background and experience, are as follows:

Benjamin S. Miller – Mr. Miller currently serves as Chief Executive Officer of the Adviser and has served as Chief Executive Officer and a Director of Rise Companies since its inception on March 14, 2012. In December 2011, Mr. Miller started Popularise LLC, a real estate crowdsourcing website, which he currently manages. Prior to Rise Development, Mr. Miller had been a Managing Partner of the real estate company WestMill Capital Partners from October 2010 to June 2012, and before that, was President of Western Development Corporation from April 2006 to October 2010, after joining the company in early 2003 as a board advisor and then as COO in 2005. Western Development Corp. is one of the largest retail, mixed-use real estate companies in Washington, D.C.. While at Western Development, Mr. Miller led the development activities of over 1.5 million square feet of property, including more than \$300 million of real estate acquisition and financing. Mr. Miller was an Associate and part of the founding team of Democracy Alliance, a progressive investment collaborative, from 2003 until he joined Western Development in 2005. From 1999 to 2001, Mr. Miller was an associate in business development at Lyte Inc., a retail technology start-up. Starting in 1997 until 1999, Mr. Miller worked as an analyst at a private equity real estate fund, Lubert-Adler, and for venture capital firm IL Management. Mr. Miller has a Bachelor of Arts from the University of Pennsylvania. Mr. Miller is on the Board of Trustees of the National Center for Children and Families.

Brandon T. Jenkins – Mr. Jenkins currently serves as Chief Operating Officer of the Adviser and has served in such capacities with the sponsor since February of 2014, prior to which time he served as Head of Product Development and Director of Real Estate which he continues to do currently. Additionally, Mr. Jenkins has served as Director of Real Estate for WestMill Capital Partners since March of 2011. Previously, Mr. Jenkins spent two and a half years as an investment advisor and sales broker at Marcus & Millichap, the largest real estate investment sales brokerage in the country. Prior to his time in brokerage, Mr. Jenkins also worked for Westfield Corporation, a leading shopping center owner. Mr. Jenkins earned his Bachelor of Arts in Public Policy and Economics from Duke University.

R. Whitaker Booth – Mr. Booth has served as Senior Vice President of Real Estate at Rise Companies since February 2020, and has supported real estate acquisition, asset management and valuation functions since joining the company in July 2014. Previously, Mr. Booth worked in debt underwriting at Walker & Dunlop and RMBS litigation in Navigant Consulting's Disputes and Investigations practice. Mr. Booth received his MBA from University of Pennsylvania's Wharton School and his Bachelor of Science in Commerce from University of Virginia's McIntire School.

The Fund's SAI provides additional information about each portfolio manager's compensation, other accounts managed by each portfolio manager and each portfolio manager's ownership of shares of the Fund.

#### **Control Persons**

A "control person" generally is a person who beneficially owns more than 25% of the voting securities of the Fund or has the power to exercise control over the management or policies of the Fund. As of December 31, 2022, the Fund does not know of any control persons of the Fund.

#### **Other Information**

This Prospectus and the SAI, related regulatory filings, and any other Fund communications or disclosure documents do not purport to create any contractual obligations between the Funds and Shareholders. The Fund may amend any of these documents or enter into (or amend) a contract on behalf of the Fund without Shareholder approval except where Shareholder approval is specifically required. Further, Shareholders are not intended third-party beneficiaries of any contracts entered into by (or on behalf of) the Fund, including contracts with the Adviser or other parties who provide services to the Fund.

# FUND EXPENSES

The Adviser bears all of the ordinary and usual overhead expenses of the Adviser or any of its affiliates (including expenses such as rental payments for its offices) in providing services to the Fund pursuant to the Investment Management Agreement and the salaries or other compensation of the employees of the Adviser or any of its affiliates. As described below, however, the Fund bears all other expenses incurred in the business and operation of the Fund, including any third party charges and out-of-pocket costs and expenses that are related to the organization, business or operation of the Fund.

Expenses borne directly by the Fund include:

- · Certain corporate, organizational and offering costs relating to the offering of Shares, to the extent permissible;
- · the cost of calculating the NAV of Shares, including the cost of any third party pricing or valuation services;
- the cost of effecting sales and repurchases of Shares and other securities;
- · the Management Fee;
- investment related expenses (e.g., expenses that, in the Adviser's discretion, are related to the investment of the Fund's assets, whether or not such
  investments are consummated), including, as applicable, brokerage commissions and other transaction expenses in connection with the Fund's
  purchase and sale of assets, borrowing charges on securities sold short (if any), clearing and settlement charges, recordkeeping, interest expense,
  line of credit fees, dividends on securities sold but not yet purchased, margin fees, investment-related travel and lodging expenses and researchrelated expenses;
- fees and expenses associated with the selection, acquisition, origination, monitoring or management of real estate properties, construction, real estate development, special servicing of non-performing assets (including, but not limited to, reimbursement of non-ordinary expenses and employee time required to special service a non-performing asset), and the sale of equity investments in real estate. The Adviser or its affiliates may be entitled to certain of these fees as permitted by the 1940 Act or as otherwise permitted by applicable law and regulation;

- professional fees relating to investments, including expenses of consultants, investment bankers, attorneys, accountants, tax advisors and other experts;
- fees and expenses relating to software tools, programs or other technology (including risk management software, fees to risk management services providers, third-party software licensing, implementation, data management and recovery services and custom development costs);
- research and market data (including news and quotation equipment and services, and any computer hardware and connectivity hardware (e.g., telephone and fiber optic lines) incorporated into the cost of obtaining such research and market data);
- all costs and charges for equipment or services used in communicating information regarding the Fund's transactions among the Adviser and any
  custodian or other agent engaged by the Fund;
- transfer agent and custodial fees;
- Distributor costs (if any);
- · fees and expenses associated with marketing efforts (if any);
- · federal and any state registration or notification fees;
- federal, state and local taxes;
- fees and expenses of the Independent Directors;
- the costs of preparing, printing and mailing reports, notices and other communications, including repurchase offer correspondence or similar materials, to Shareholders;
- · fidelity bond, Directors and officers/errors and omissions liability insurance and other insurance premiums;
- direct costs such as printing, mailing, long distance telephone and staff;
- legal expenses (including those expenses associated with preparing the Fund's public filings, attending and preparing for Board meetings, and generally serving as counsel to the Fund);
- external accounting expenses (including fees and disbursements and expenses related to the annual audit of the Fund and the preparation of the Fund's tax information);
- · any costs and expenses associated with or related to due diligence performed with respect to the Fund's offering of its Shares;
- costs associated with reporting and compliance obligations under the 1940 Act and applicable federal and state securities laws, including compliance with The Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, as amended;
- fees and expenses related to compliance with rules and regulations related to maintaining the Fund's tax status as a REIT;
- · all other expenses incurred by the Fund or the Adviser in connection with administering the Fund's business; and
- any expenses incurred outside of the ordinary course of business, including, without limitation, costs incurred in connection with any claim, litigation, arbitration, mediation, government investigation or similar proceeding and indemnification expenses as provided for in the Fund's organizational documents.

Except as otherwise described in this Prospectus, the Adviser will be reimbursed by the Fund for any of the costs and expenses which are an obligation of the Fund that the Adviser or an affiliate pays, incurs on behalf of the Fund, or otherwise is entitled to, including the costs and expenses described above.

Subject to the 1940 Act and agreement by the Board, Rise Companies or its affiliates may receive acquisition or origination fees from co-investors, joint venture partners, borrowers or property holding entities in connection with the acquisition or origination of residential and commercial real estate investments (including real estate loans) that are funded by the Fund. The Fund will not be entitled to these fees.

In addition, Fundrise Real Estate, LLC (the "Affiliated Service Provider"), an affiliate of Rise Companies has entered into real estate services agreements with the Fund to perform certain services for the Fund and/or its underlying commercial real estate assets in-lieu of Rise Companies outsourcing such services to an unaffiliated third party. These non-advisory services are necessary for investments in the underlying commercial real estate assets and include some or all of the following: construction, real estate acquisition and development, property management, real estate asset servicing (including debt servicing and loan servicing) and sales, sourcing debt capital towards the acquisition and development of property, services managing third-party leasing of space, and administrative and accounting services. The Affiliated Service Provider is entitled to receive compensation for performing such services for the Fund, in an amount that the Affiliated Service Provider believes is comparable to the total amount customarily charged by unaffiliated third parties for comparable service, as determined by the Affiliated Service Provider in its sole discretion. Pursuant to the real estate services agreements, the Affiliated Service Provider is also entitled to reimbursement of third-party costs and overhead associated with the performance of certain services under the agreements. These costs are also borne by the Fund. The agreements with the Affiliated Service Provider are subject to the requirements of applicable law and are approved by the Fund's Independent Directors.

#### DETERMINATION OF NET ASSET VALUE

The price you pay for your Shares is based on the Fund's NAV. The NAV per share of the Fund is determined daily, as of the close of regular trading on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") (normally, 4:00 p.m., Eastern time) on each day that the NYSE is open. The Fund does not calculate NAV on dates the NYSE is closed for trading, which include New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr. Day, President's Day, Good Friday, Memorial Day, Juneteenth Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day and other holidays observed by the NYSE. The Fund's NAV per share is calculated by dividing the value of the Fund's total assets (including interest and dividends accrued but not yet received) minus liabilities (including accrued expenses) by the total number of Shares outstanding. Requests to purchase Shares are processed at the NAV per share next calculated after the Fund receives your subscription in proper form. If the NYSE is closed due to inclement weather, technology problems or any other reason on a day it would normally be open for business, or the NYSE has an unscheduled early closing on a day it has opened for business, the Fund reserves the right to treat such day as a business day and accept subscriptions until, and calculate the Fund's NAV per share as of, the normally scheduled close of regular trading on the NYSE for that day.

As permitted by Rule 2a-5 under the 1940 Act, the Board has designated the Adviser as the Fund's valuation designee (the "Valuation Designee") to perform fair value determinations relating to all portfolio investments. As the Valuation Designee, the Adviser has adopted and implemented procedures to be followed when making fair value determinations. The Adviser carries out its designated responsibilities as Valuation Designee through various teams pursuant to the valuation procedures, which govern the Valuation Designee's selection and application of methodologies and independent pricing services for determining and calculating the fair value of portfolio investments.

Generally, portfolio securities and other assets for which market quotations are readily available are valued at market value, which is ordinarily determined on the basis of official closing prices or the last reported sales prices. Investments for which market quotations are not readily available or are deemed to be unreliable are, valued at fair value as determined in good faith pursuant to Rule 2a-5 under the 1940 Act, taking into consideration all available information and other factors that the Adviser deems pertinent, in each case subject to the oversight of the Board. Such determinations may be made on the basis of valuations obtained from independent third party valuation agents or pricing services or other third party sources ("Pricing Services"), provided that the Adviser shall retain the discretion to use any relevant data, including information obtained from any Pricing Service, that the Adviser deems to be reliable in determining fair value under the circumstances. The Adviser is responsible for ensuring that any Pricing Service engaged to provide valuations discharges its responsibilities in accordance with the Adviser's valuation procedures, and will periodically receive and review such information about the valuation of the Fund's securities or other assets as it deems necessary to exercise its oversight responsibility.

In calculating the Fund's NAV, the Adviser uses various valuation methodologies in a manner consistent with Accounting Standards Codification Topic 820, Fair Value Measurements and Disclosure, issued by the Financial Accounting Standards Board. When pricing securities or other assets at fair value, the Adviser seeks to assign the value that represents the amount that the Fund might reasonably expect to receive to sell an asset or pay to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. Given the subjectivity inherent in fair value measurements and the fact that events could occur after NAV calculation, the actual market prices, or prices that are used by others, for a security or other asset may differ from the fair value of that security or other asset as determined by the Adviser at the time of NAV calculation. In addition, the use of fair value pricing may not always result in adjustments to the prices of securities or other assets held by the Fund. It is possible that the fair value determined for a security or other asset may be materially different from the value that could be realized upon the sale of such security or other asset. Thus, fair value measurements may have an unintended dilutive or accretive effect on the value of Shareholders' investments in the Fund.

To the extent practicable, the Adviser generally endeavors to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs by requiring that the most observable inputs are to be used when available. The availability of valuation techniques and observable inputs can vary from investment to investment and are affected by a wide variety of factors. When valuation is based on models or inputs that are less observable or unobservable in the market, the determination of fair value requires more judgment, and may involve alternative methods to obtain fair values where market prices or market-based valuations are not readily available. Because of the inherent uncertainty of valuation, those estimated values may be materially higher or lower than the values that would have been used if a ready market for the investments existed. As a result, the Adviser may exercise a higher degree of judgment in determining fair value for certain securities or other assets.

The following is a summary of certain of the methods generally used currently to value investments of the Fund under the Adviser's valuation procedures:

The Fund's real estate equity investments are typically fair valued based on a discounted cash flow, or other income approach. The Adviser accounts for properties at the individual property level and such assets are fair valued using inputs that take into account property-level data that is gathered and evaluated periodically to reflect new information (e.g., rental payment history) regarding the property or the appreciation interest, if any.

Investments in newly acquired real estate properties will initially be valued at cost. Thereafter, each property will be evaluated by the Adviser for a change in valuation methodology or inputs/assumptions no less than quarterly, but more frequently if market or property specific factors indicate a different methodology or inputs/assumptions would result in a valuation that is more representative of fair value. The Adviser expects the primary methodology used to value the Fund's properties after the initial period of valuation at cost will be the income approach, whereby value is derived by determining the present value of an asset's stream of future cash flows (for example, discounted cash flow analysis). Income related to each property will be accrued on the basis of data extracted from (1) the annual budget for such property and (2) material, unbudgeted non-recurring income and expense events such as capital expenditures, prepayment penalties, assumption fees, tenant buyouts, lease termination fees and tenant turnover with respect to the Fund's properties when the Adviser becomes aware of such events and the relevant information is available. Consistent with industry practices, the income approach incorporates subjective judgments regarding comparable rental and operating expense data, the capitalization or discount rate and projections of future rent and expenses based on appropriate market evidence. Other methodologies that may also be used to value properties include market approaches like sales comparisons and cost approaches.

Each quarter, the Adviser may also determine an accrual schedule for the daily value of each real property based on an estimated quarter-end value. The Adviser will use the daily values determined in such accrual schedule for purposes of calculating the Fund's NAV. Any material changes to the valuation of property investments and related changes to the daily accrual schedule for any property investment, will be reflected in the Adviser's NAV calculation beginning with the day that a revised valuation is determined.

In addition, the Adviser will monitor the Fund's properties for events that the Adviser believes may have a material impact on the most recent estimated values of such property. Possible examples of such a material change include an unexpected termination or renewal of a material lease, a material change in vacancies, an unanticipated structural or environmental event at a property, capital market events, recent financial results or changes in the capital structure of the property, development milestones, material changes in cap rates or discount rates, any regulatory changes that affect the investment, or a significant industry event or adjustment to the industry outlook that may cause the value of a property to change materially. Provided that the Adviser is aware that such an event has occurred and after a determination by the Adviser that a material change has occurred and the financial effects of such change are quantifiable, any estimates of value should be performed as soon as reasonably practicable. All of these factors may be subject to adjustments based upon the particular circumstances of an investment or the Fund's actual investment position. The choice of analyses and the weight assigned to such factors may vary across investments and may change within an investment if events occur that warrant such a change.

Properties held through joint ventures generally will be valued in a manner that is consistent with the methods described above. Once the value of a property held by the joint venture is determined, the Adviser will separately determine the fair value of any other assets and liabilities, including mortgage and senior note payable. The fair values of mortgage and senior notes payable are generally determined by discounting the difference between the contractual interest rates and estimated market interest rates considering changes in credit spreads, as applicable. After the fair value of the assets and liabilities are determined, the Adviser applies its ownership interest to the net asset value.

The Fund's real estate debt investments in loans, including, senior mortgage loans, subordinated mortgage loans (also referred to as B-Notes) and mezzanine loans initial value will generally be the par value or acquisition price of such instrument. The Adviser will generally determine subsequent revaluations of the Fund's real estate debt investments in loans and other debt instruments by the yield method using a discounted cash flow model using current market rates derived from observable market data. The Adviser will value each debt investment at least quarterly and will monitor events intra-quarter that may affect the values of the Fund's real estate debt or other debt and incorporate the impact of those events in estimated fair values, as needed.

Short-term debt investments, such as commercial paper, bankers' acceptances and U.S. Treasury Bills, having a maturity of 60 days or less, are generally valued at amortized cost.

Other debt investments, including government debt securities and municipal debt securities in each case having a remaining maturity in excess of 60 days, commercial mortgage-backed securities, residential mortgage-backed securities, collateralized mortgage obligations and other asset-backed securities are typically valued by Pricing Service at an evaluated (or estimated) mean between the closing bid and asked prices.

Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities, including equity securities issued by real estate-related companies, REITs or real estate-related investment companies, are typically valued at the last sale, official close or if there are no reported sales at the mean between the bid and asked price on the primary exchange on which they are traded. Publicly Traded Real Estate Securities may be valued by an outside pricing service overseen by the Valuation Designee. The pricing service may employ a pricing model that takes into account, among other things, bids, yield spreads and/or other market data and specific security characteristics.

Private real estate funds are typically fair valued based on reports of net asset value of the Fund's interests in such funds provided by the managers of such funds or their agents. Net asset values will be provided to the Fund on a monthly or quarterly basis based on the interim unaudited financial statements of such funds, and, therefore, will be estimates subject to adjustment (upward or downward) upon the completion of the audit of such financial statements and may fluctuate as a result. The Adviser will perform an independent review of such net asset values and will consider all relevant information, including the reliability of the pricing information provided by the managers of the private real estate funds. The Adviser may conclude, in certain circumstances, that the net asset values provided by the manager of a vehicle is not indicative of what actual fair value would be in an active, liquid or established market. In those circumstances, the Adviser may value its interests in the vehicle at a discount or a premium to the net asset value it receives from the fund. Additionally, between the monthly or quarterly dates on which such vehicle provides a net asset value, the fair value of the Fund's interest in such vehicle may be adjusted more frequently based on the estimated total return that such fund will generate during such period and other general market or fund-specific changes the Adviser is aware of. At the end of the month or quarter, as applicable, the private real estate fund's net asset value is adjusted based on the actual income and appreciation or depreciation realized by such fund when the monthly or quarterly valuations and income are reported.

Because the Adviser relies on various sources to calculate the Fund's NAVs, the Adviser is subject to certain operational risks associated with reliance on the Pricing Services and other service providers and data sources. The Fund's NAV calculation may be impacted by operational risks arising from factors such as failures in systems and technology. Such failures may result in delays in the calculation of the Fund's NAV and/or the inability to calculate NAV over extended time periods. The Fund may be unable to recover any losses associated with such failures.

## CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

An investment in the Fund is subject to a number of actual or potential conflicts of interest. For example and as discussed in further detail below, the Adviser and its affiliates are engaged in a variety of business activities that are unrelated to managing the Funds, which may give rise to actual, potential or perceived conflicts of interest in connection with making investment decisions for the Fund. The Fund and the Adviser (and its affiliates) have established various policies and procedures that are designed to minimize conflicts and prevent or limit the Fund from being disadvantaged. There can be no guarantee that these policies and procedures will be successful in every instance. In certain circumstances, these various activities may prevent the Fund from participating or restrict the Fund's participation in an investment decision, disadvantage the Fund or benefit the Adviser or its affiliates.

The officers and directors of the Adviser and the key real estate and debt finance professionals of Rise Companies who perform services for the Fund on behalf of the Adviser are also officers, directors, managers, and/or key professionals of Rise Companies and other Fundrise entities (such as the eREITs<sup>®</sup> and the eFund<sup>TM</sup>). These persons have legal obligations with respect to those entities that are similar to their obligations to the Fund. In the future, these persons and other affiliates of Rise Companies may organize other real estate-related or debt-related programs and acquire for their own account real estate-related investments that may be suitable for the Fund. In addition, Rise Companies may grant equity interests in the Adviser to certain management personnel performing services for the Adviser.

The Management Fee paid to Adviser will be based on the Fund's NAV, which will be calculated by Rise Companies' internal accountants and asset management team. The Adviser may benefit by the Fund retaining ownership of its assets at times when Shareholders may be better served by the sale or disposition of the Fund's assets in order to avoid a reduction in the Fund's NAV.

The Fund relies on the Adviser's executive officers and Rise Companies' key real estate and debt finance professionals who act on behalf of the Adviser to identify suitable investments. Rise Companies and other Fundrise entities also rely on these same key real estate and debt finance professionals. Rise Companies has in the past, and expects to continue in the future, to offer other Fundrise Platform investment opportunities, primarily through the Fundrise Platform, including offerings that acquire or invest in residential and commercial real estate equity investments, including residential properties, commercial and residential real estate loans, and other select real estate-related assets. Rise Companies has previously organized similar Fundrise Platform investment opportunities. A full list of such Fundrise Platform investment opportunities, as of the date of this Prospectus, is available in the Fund's SAI. These additional programs may have investment criteria that compete with the Fund.

If an investment opportunity would be suitable for more than one program, Rise Companies will allocate it using its business judgment. Any allocation of this type may involve the consideration of a number of factors that Rise Companies determines to be relevant. The factors that Rise Companies' real estate and debt finance professionals could consider when determining the entity for which an investment opportunity would be the most suitable include the following: (i) the investment objectives and criteria of Rise Companies and the other Fundrise entities; (ii) the cash requirements of Rise Companies and the other Fundrise entities; (iii) the effect of the investment on the diversification of Rise Companies' or the other Fundrise entities' portfolio by type of investment, and risk of investment; (iv) the policy of Rise Companies or the other Fundrise entities relating to leverage; (v) the anticipated cash flow of the asset to be acquired; (vi) the income tax effects of the purchase on Rise Companies or the other Fundrise entities; (vii) the size of the investment; and (viii) the amount of funds available to Rise Companies or the Fundrise entities. If a subsequent event or development causes any investment, in the opinion of Rise Companies' real estate and debt finance professionals, to be more appropriate for another Fundrise entity, they may offer the investment to such entity.

Except under any policies that may be adopted by the Adviser, which policies are designed to minimize conflicts among the programs and other investment opportunities provided on the Fundrise Platform, no program or Fundrise Platform investment opportunity (including the Fund) has any duty, responsibility or obligation to refrain from: (i) engaging in the same or similar activities or lines of business as any program or Fundrise Platform investment opportunity; (ii) doing business with any potential or actual tenant, lender, purchaser, supplier, customer or competitor of any program or Fundrise Platform investment opportunity; (iii) engaging in, or refraining from, any other activities whatsoever relating to any of the potential or actual tenants, lenders, purchasers, suppliers or customers of any program or Fundrise Platform investment opportunity; (iv) establishing material commercial relationships with another program or Fundrise Platform investment opportunity; or (v) making operational and financial decisions that could be considered to be detrimental to another program or Fundrise Platform investment opportunity.

In addition, any decisions by the Adviser to renew, extend, modify or terminate an agreement or arrangement, or enter into similar agreements or arrangements in the future, may benefit one program more than another program or limit or impair the ability of any program to pursue business opportunities. In addition, third parties may require as a condition to their arrangements or agreements with or related to any one particular program that such arrangements or agreements include or not include another program, as the case may be. Any of these decisions may benefit one program more than another program.

The Adviser may determine it appropriate for the Fund and one or more Fundrise entities (such as the eREITs<sup>®</sup> and eFund<sup>TM</sup>) to participate in an investment opportunity. To the extent the Fund is able to make co-investments with other Fundrise entities, these co-investment opportunities may give rise to conflicts of interest or perceived conflicts of interest among the Fund and the other participating Fundrise entities. To mitigate these conflicts, the Adviser will seek to execute such transactions for all of the participating entities, including the Fund, on a fair and equitable basis, taking into account such factors as available capital, portfolio concentrations, suitability and any other factors deemed appropriate. However, there can be no assurance the risks posed by these conflicts of interest will be mitigated.

The Fund relies on Rise Companies' key real estate and debt finance professionals who act on behalf of the Adviser, including Mr. Benjamin S. Miller, for the day-to-day operation of the Fund's business. Mr. Benjamin S. Miller is also the Chief Executive Officer of Rise Companies and other Fundrise entities. As a result of his interests in other Fundrise entities, his obligations to other investors and the fact that he engages in and he will continue to engage in other business activities on behalf of himself and others, Mr. Benjamin S. Miller faces conflicts of interest in allocating his time among the Fund, the Adviser and other Fundrise entities and other business activities in which he is involved. However, the Fund believes that the Adviser and its affiliates have sufficient real estate and debt finance professionals to fully discharge their responsibilities to the Fundrise entities for which they work.

The Adviser and its affiliates receives fees from the Fund. These fees could influence the Adviser's advice to the Fund as well as the judgment of affiliates of the Adviser, some of whom also serve as the Adviser's officers and directors and the key real estate and debt finance professionals of Rise Companies. Among other matters, these compensation arrangements could affect their judgment with respect to: (i) the continuation, renewal or enforcement of provisions in the LLC Agreement involving the Adviser and its affiliates or the Investment Management Agreement; (ii) the offering of Shares by the Fund, which entitles the Adviser to a Management Fee and other fees; (iii) acquisitions of investments and originations of loans at higher purchase prices, which entitle the Adviser to higher acquisition fees and origination fees regardless of the quality or performance of the investment or loan; (iv) borrowings up to the Fund's stated borrowing policy to acquire investments and to originate loans, which borrowings will increase the Management Fee payable by the Fund to the Adviser; (v) whether the Fund seeks necessary approvals to internalize the Fund's management, which may entail acquiring assets (such as office space, furnishings and technology costs) and the key real estate and debt finance professionals of Rise Companies who are performing services for the Fund on behalf of the Adviser for consideration that would be negotiated at that time and may result in these real estate and debt finance professionals receiving more compensation from the Fund than they currently receive from Rise Companies; and (vi) whether and when the Fund merges or consolidates its assets with other funds, including funds affiliated with the Adviser.

The Adviser's officers and directors and the key real estate and debt finance professionals of Rise Companies performing services on behalf of the Adviser are also officers, directors, managers and/or key professionals of: (i) Rise Companies; (ii) the Adviser; (iii) Fundrise, LLC; (iv) other investment programs sponsored by Rise Companies; and (v) other Fundrise entities. As a result, they owe duties to each of these entities, their shareholders, members and limited partners. These duties may from time to time conflict with the duties that they owe to the Fund.

As the Fund is conducting the continuous offering of the Fund's Shares without the aid of an independent principal underwriter, Shareholders will not have the benefit of an independent due diligence review and investigation of the type normally performed by an independent principal underwriter in connection with the offering of securities. The Fund has entered into a license agreement with Rise Companies pursuant to which Rise Companies granted the Fund a non-exclusive, royalty free license to use the name "Fundrise."

### PERIODIC REPURCHASE OFFERS

The Fund does not currently intend to list its Shares on any securities exchange and does not expect any secondary market for them to develop in the foreseeable future. Therefore, Shareholders should expect that they will be unable to sell their Shares for an indefinite time or at a desired price. No Shareholder will have the right to require the Fund to repurchase such Shareholder's Shares or any portion thereof. Shareholders are not permitted to transfer their investment from the Fund to any other registered investment company. Because no public market exists for the Shares, and no such market is expected to develop in the foreseeable future, Shareholders will not be able to liquidate their investment, other than through the Fund's share repurchase program, or, in limited circumstances, as a result of transfers of Shares to other investors.

The Fund is an "interval fund," which is a structure designed to provide some liquidity to Shareholders by allowing for periodic offers to repurchase between 5% and 25% of its outstanding Shares at NAV, pursuant to Rule 23c-3 under the 1940 Act. The Fund intends to make quarterly repurchase offers for its Shares, unless such offer is suspended or postponed in accordance with relevant regulatory requirements (as discussed below). In connection with any given repurchase offer, it is likely that the Fund may offer to repurchase only the minimum allowable amount of 5% of its outstanding Shares. Repurchase offers will be made at quarterly intervals. The Fund's offer to purchase Shares is a fundamental policy that may not be changed without the approval of the holders of a majority of the Fund's outstanding voting securities (as defined in the 1940 Act). Written notifications of each quarterly repurchase offer (the "Repurchase Offer Notice") will be sent to Shareholders at least 21 calendar days before the repurchase request deadline (*i.e.*, the date by which Shareholders can tender their Shares in response to a repurchase offer) (the "Repurchase Request Deadline"); however, the Fund will seek to provide such written notification earlier but no more than 42 calendar days before the Repurchase Request Deadline. The NAV will be calculated no later than the Repurchase Pricing Date, which will be no later than 14 calendar days after the Repurchase Request Deadline or the next business day if the fourteenth day is not a business day) after the Repurchase Pricing Date. The Fund's Shares are not listed on any securities exchange, and the Fund anticipates that no secondary market will develop for its Shares. Accordingly, you may not be able to sell Shares when and/or in the amount that you desire. Thus, the Shares are appropriate only as a long-term investment. In addition, the Fund's repurchase offers may subject the Fund and Shareholders to special risks.

## **Determination of Repurchase Offer Amount**

The Board of Directors, or a committee thereof, in its sole discretion, will determine the number of Shares that the Fund will offer to repurchase (the "Repurchase Offer Amount") in connection with any given Repurchase Request Deadline. However, the Repurchase Offer Amount will be no less than 5% and no more than 25% of the total number of Shares outstanding on the Repurchase Request Deadline.

#### **Notice to Shareholders**

No less than 21 days and no more than 42 days before each Repurchase Request Deadline, the Fund will send the Repurchase Offer Notice each Shareholder of record and to each beneficial owner of the Shares that are the subject of the repurchase offer a notification ("Shareholder Notification"). The Shareholder Notification will contain information Shareholders should consider in deciding whether to tender their Shares for repurchase. The notice also will include detailed instructions on how to tender Shares for repurchase, state the Repurchase Offer Amount and identify the dates of the Repurchase Request Deadline, the scheduled Repurchase Pricing Date, and the date the repurchase proceeds are scheduled for payment (the "Repurchase Payment Deadline"). The notice also will indicate the NAV that has been computed no more than seven days before the date of notification, and the process through which Shareholders may learn the NAV after the notification date. Written instructions with respect to each Shareholder's tender of shares in a Repurchase Offer must be completed in the manner described, and on the appropriate forms included, in the Shareholder Notification.

The Repurchase Request Deadline will be strictly observed. If a Shareholder fails to submit a repurchase request in good order by the Repurchase Request Deadline, the Shareholder will be unable to liquidate Shares until a subsequent repurchase offer, and will have to resubmit a request in the next repurchase offer. Shareholders may withdraw or change a repurchase request with a proper instruction submitted in good order any point before the Repurchase Request Deadline.

# Repurchase Price

The repurchase price of the Shares will be the Fund's NAV as of the close of regular trading on the NYSE on the Repurchase Pricing Date. You may visit the Fund's website at <a href="https://www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com">www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com</a> to learn the NAV. The notice of the repurchase offer also will provide information concerning the NAV, such as the NAV as of a recent date or a sampling of recent NAVs of the Fund, and a toll-free number to call for information regarding the repurchase offer. The NAV per Share may change materially between the time that the Shareholder Notification is sent to Shareholders and the Repurchase Request Deadline, and it may also change materially between the Repurchase Request Deadline and Repurchase Pricing Date. The method by which the Fund calculates NAV is discussed above under "Determination of Net Asset Value."

The Fund does not currently charge a repurchase fee, and it does not currently expect to impose a repurchase fee. However, the Fund may in the future charge a repurchase fee of up to 2.00%, subject to approval of the Board, which the Fund would retain to help offset non-de minimis estimated direct or indirect costs incurred by the Fund in connection with the repurchase of Shares, thus allocating estimated transaction costs to the Shareholder whose Shares are being repurchased. The Fund may introduce, or modify the amount of, a repurchase fee at any time. The Fund may waive or reduce a repurchase fee if the Adviser determines that the repurchase is offset by a corresponding purchase or if for other reasons the Fund will not incur transaction costs or will incur reduced transaction costs. If you invest in the Fund through a financial intermediary, your financial intermediary may charge service fees for handling Share repurchases. In such cases, there may be fees imposed by the intermediary on different terms (and subject to different exceptions) than those set forth above. Please consult your financial intermediary for details. See "Plan of Distribution – Transactions Through Your Financial Intermediary" below.

#### Repurchase Amounts and Payment of Proceeds

Shares tendered for repurchase by Shareholders prior to any Repurchase Request Deadline will be repurchased subject to the aggregate Repurchase Offer Amount established for that Repurchase Request Deadline. Payment pursuant to the repurchase offer will be made by check to the Shareholder's address of record, or credited directly to a predetermined bank account on the Purchase Payment Date, which will be no more than seven calendar days after the Repurchase Pricing Date. The Board may establish other policies for repurchases of Shares that are consistent with the 1940 Act, regulations thereunder and other applicable laws.

If Shareholders tender for repurchase more than the Repurchase Offer Amount for a given repurchase offer, the Fund may, but is not required to, repurchase an additional amount of Shares up to, but not to exceed, 2.00% of the outstanding Shares of the Fund on the Repurchase Request Deadline. If the Fund determines not to repurchase more than the Repurchase Offer Amount, or if Shareholders tender Shares in an amount exceeding the Repurchase Offer Amount plus the additional amount of Shares repurchased at the Fund's discretion (up to 2.00% of the outstanding Shares) on the Repurchase Request Deadline, the Fund will repurchase the Shares on a *pro rata* basis. However, the Fund is permitted to accept all Shares tendered for repurchase by Shareholders who own less than one hundred Shares and who tender all of their Shares, before prorating other amounts tendered.

With respect to any required minimum distributions from an individual retirement account or other qualified retirement plan, it is the obligation of the shareholder to determine the amount of any such required minimum distribution and to otherwise satisfy the required minimum. In the event that shareholders tender for repurchase more than the Repurchase Offer Amount for a given repurchase offer, the Fund will repurchase the shares on a pro rata basis which may result in the Fund not honoring the full amount of a required minimum distribution requested by a shareholder.

If any Shares that you wish to tender to the Fund are not repurchased because of proration, you will have to wait until the next repurchase offer and resubmit a new repurchase request, and your repurchase request will not be given any priority over other shareholders' requests. Thus, there is a risk that the Fund may not purchase all of the Shares you wish to have repurchased in a given repurchase offer or in any subsequent repurchase offer. In anticipation of the possibility of proration, some Shareholders may tender more Shares than they wish to have repurchased in a particular quarter in order to ensure the repurchase of a specific number of Shares, increasing the likelihood of proration.

For shareholders who hold Shares with more than one record date, repurchase requests will be applied to such Shares in the order in which they settled, on a last in first out basis – meaning, those Shares that have been continuously held for the shortest amount of time will be repurchased first.

There is no assurance that you will be able to tender your Shares when and/or in the amount that you desire.

# Suspension or Postponement of Repurchase Offer

The Fund may suspend or postpone a repurchase offer in limited circumstances set forth in Rule 23c-3 under the 1940 Act, as described below, but only with the approval of a majority of the Independent Directors. The Fund may suspend or postpone a repurchase offer only: (a) if making or effecting the repurchase offer would cause the Fund to lose its status as a REIT under the Code; (b) for any period during which the NYSE or any market on which the securities owned by the Fund are principally traded is closed, other than customary weekend and holiday closings, or during which trading in such market is restricted; (c) for any period during which an emergency exists as a result of which disposal by the Fund of securities owned by it is not reasonably practicable, or during which it is not reasonably practicable for the Fund fairly to determine the value of its net assets; or (d) for such other periods as the SEC may by order permit for the protection of Shareholders of the Fund. The Fund will send to its Shareholders notice of any suspension or postponement and notice of any renewed repurchase offer after a suspension or postponement. The Adviser will monitor and consult with the Board regarding the Fund's preparation for periodic repurchase offers to assess any liquidity, valuation or other issues in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic and their potential impact on the management of the Fund's portfolio, continuing sales and liquidity for future repurchase offers.

## **Liquidity Requirements**

From the time the Fund sends the Shareholder Notification until the Repurchase Pricing Date for that offer, the Fund must maintain liquid assets at least equal to the percentage of its Shares subject to the repurchase offer. For this purpose, "liquid assets" means assets that may be sold or otherwise disposed of in the ordinary course of business, at approximately the price at which the Fund values them, within the period between the Repurchase Request Deadline and the Repurchase Payment Deadline. The Fund is also permitted to borrow up to the maximum extent permitted under the 1940 Act to meet repurchase requests. The Board has adopted procedures that are reasonably designed to ensure that the Fund's assets are sufficiently liquid so that the Fund can comply with the repurchase offer and these liquidity requirements. If, at any time, the Fund falls out of compliance with these liquidity requirements, the Board will take whatever action it deems appropriate to seek to ensure compliance.

# **Consequences of Repurchase Offers**

Repurchase offers will typically be funded from available cash or sales of portfolio securities. Payment for repurchased Shares, however, may require the Fund to liquidate portfolio holdings earlier than the Adviser otherwise would, thus increasing the Fund's portfolio turnover and potentially causing the Fund to realize losses. The Adviser intends to take measures to attempt to avoid or minimize such potential losses and turnover, and instead of liquidating portfolio holdings, may borrow money to finance repurchases of Shares. If the Fund borrows to finance repurchases, interest on that borrowing will negatively affect Shareholders who do not tender their Shares in a repurchase offer by increasing the Fund's expenses and reducing any net investment income. There is no assurance that the Fund will be able sell a significant amount of additional Shares so as to mitigate these effects. To the extent the Fund finances repurchase amounts by selling Fund investments, the Fund may hold a larger proportion of its assets in less liquid securities. The sale of portfolio securities to fund repurchases also could reduce the market price of those underlying securities, which in turn, would reduce the Fund's NAV.

Repurchase of the Fund's Shares will tend to reduce the amount of outstanding Shares and, depending upon the Fund's investment performance, its net assets. A reduction in the Fund's net assets would increase the Fund's expense ratio, to the extent that additional Shares are not sold and expenses otherwise remain the same (or increase). In addition, the repurchase of Shares by the Fund will be a taxable event to Shareholders, potentially even to those Shareholders that do not participate in the repurchase. For a discussion of these tax consequences, see "U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations" below and in the SAI.

The Fund is intended as a long-term investment. The Fund's quarterly repurchase offers are a Shareholder's only means of liquidity with respect to his or her Shares. Shareholders have no rights to redeem or transfer their Shares, other than limited rights pursuant to certain conditions and restrictions in the LLC Agreement.

## DISTRIBUTION POLICY

The Fund expects to declare and make distributions on a quarterly basis, or more or less frequently as determined by the Board, in arrears. Any distributions the Fund makes will be at the discretion of the Board, and will be based on, among other factors, the Fund's present and reasonably projected future cash flow. The Fund expects that the rate of distributions will be set at a level that will be reasonably consistent and sustainable over time. Shares that are issued to a Shareholder will accrue dividends until the Shareholder's request that the Fund repurchase its Shares is accepted on the Repurchase Request Deadline. Shareholders will be entitled to declared distributions on each of their Shares from the time the Shares are issued to the Shareholder until such Shares are repurchased by the Fund as described in "Periodic Repurchase Offers."

The Fund is required to make distributions sufficient to satisfy the requirements for qualification as a REIT for U.S. federal income tax purposes. Generally, income distributed will not be taxable to the Fund under the Code if the Fund distributes at least 90% of its REIT taxable income each year (computed without regard to the dividends paid deduction and the Fund's net capital gain). Distributions will be authorized at the discretion of the Board, in accordance with the Fund's earnings, present and reasonably projected future cash flows and general financial condition. The Board's discretion will be directed, in substantial part, by the Fund's obligation to comply with the REIT requirements and to avoid U.S. federal income and excise taxes on retained income and gains.

The Fund is not prohibited from distributing its own securities in lieu of making cash distributions to Shareholders. The LLC Agreement also gives the Fund the right to distribute other assets rather than cash. The receipt of the Fund's securities or assets in lieu of cash distributions may cause Shareholders to incur transaction expenses in liquidating the securities or assets. The Fund does not have any current intention to list its Shares on a stock exchange or other trading market, nor is it expected that a public market for the Shares will develop. The Fund also do not anticipate that it will distribute other assets in kind.

Although the Fund's goal is to fund the payment of distributions solely from cash flow from operations, the Fund may pay distributions from other sources, including the net proceeds of the offering, cash advances by the Adviser, cash resulting from a waiver of fees or reimbursements due to the Adviser, borrowings in anticipation of future operating cash flow and the issuance of additional Shares, and the Fund has no limit on the amounts it may pay from such other sources. If the Fund funds distributions from financings or the net proceeds from the offering, the Fund will have less funds available for investment in real estate and real estate-related investments. Because the Fund may receive income at various times during its fiscal year and because the Fund may need cash flow from operations during a particular period to fund expenses, the Fund expects that from time to time, the Fund may declare distributions in anticipation of cash flow that the Fund expects to receive during a later period and these distributions would be paid in advance of the Fund's actual receipt of these funds. In these instances, the Fund expects to look to third party borrowings, the offering proceeds or other sources to fund its distributions. Additionally, the Fund will make certain payments to the Adviser for services provided to the Fund. See "Management of the Fund – Fund Expenses." Such payments will reduce the amount of cash available for distributions. Finally, payments to fulfill repurchase requests under the Share repurchase program will also reduce funds available for distribution to remaining Shareholders.

The Fund's distributions will constitute a return of capital to the extent that they exceed the Fund's current and accumulated earnings and profits as determined for U.S. federal income tax purposes. To the extent that a distribution is treated as a return of capital for U.S. federal income tax purposes, it will reduce a Shareholder's adjusted tax basis in the Shareholder's Shares, and to the extent that it exceeds the Shareholder's adjusted tax basis will be treated as gain resulting from a sale or exchange of such Shares.

Section 19(b) of the 1940 Act and Rule 19b-1 thereunder generally limit the Fund to one long-term capital gain distribution per year, subject to certain exceptions. For purposes of declaring and paying distributions, the Fund will determine its monthly net investment income to distribute in accordance with GAAP, which may differ from income tax regulations. For tax purposes, a distribution that for purposes of GAAP is composed of return of capital and net investment income may be subsequently re-characterized to also include capital gains. Shareholders will be informed of the tax characteristics of any distributions after the close of the Fund's fiscal year.

The Board may authorize distributions in stock or in excess of those required for the Fund to maintain REIT tax status depending on the Fund's financial condition and such other factors as the Board may deem relevant. The distribution rate may be modified by the Board from time to time. The Board reserves the right to change or suspend the distribution policy from time to time.

#### DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT PLAN

The Fund operates under a dividend reinvestment plan administered by the Adviser. Pursuant to the plan, the income dividends or capital gains or other distributions declared by the Fund, net of any applicable U.S. withholding tax, will be reinvested in the Shares of the Fund, provided that, if a Shareholder participates in an investment plan offered by the Adviser, such distributions will be reinvested in accordance with such investment plan.

Shareholders will not automatically participate in the dividend reinvestment plan. Shareholders must make an affirmative election to participate in the plan. If a Shareholder "opts in" to the plan (elects to reinvest in Shares), the Shareholder will participate in the plan unless and until the Shareholder elects to "opt out" of the plan (elects not to reinvest in Shares). As a result, if the Fund declares a cash dividend or other distribution payable in cash, Shareholders who are not enrolled in the plan will receive such dividends or distributions in cash, rather than having their dividends or distributions automatically reinvested in additional Shares of the Fund or pursuant to their investment plan, if applicable.

A Shareholder may elect to enroll and un-enroll in the dividend reinvestment plan by visiting his or her account on the Fundrise Platform website at <a href="https://www.fundrise.com">www.fundrise.com</a>. Any such election by a Shareholder generally must be received and processed by the Adviser before the end of the applicable calendar quarter or such election may not apply to the payment of that particular distribution.

When the Fund declares a distribution payable in cash, the Shareholders enrolled in the dividend reinvestment plan will receive an equivalent amount in Shares from the Fund either newly issued or repurchased from Shareholders by the Fund or according to their investment plan, if applicable. The number of Shares to be received when distributions are reinvested will be determined by dividing the amount of the distribution (or the percentage of the distribution allocable to the Fund under the terms of the investment plan, if applicable) by the Fund's NAV per Share next computed after the distribution is paid.

The automatic reinvestment of dividends will not relieve participants of any federal, state or local income tax that may be payable (or required to be withheld) on such dividends. See "U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations." The Fund reserves the right to amend or terminate the dividend reinvestment plan, including the right to suspend or limit at any time the ability of Shareholders to reinvest distributions.

For further information about the dividend reinvestment plan, visit the Fundrise Platform website at <a href="www.fundrise.com">www.fundrise.com</a>. All correspondence concerning the dividend reinvestment policy should be directed to the Fund by visiting the Fundrise Platform website at <a href="www.fundrise.com">www.fundrise.com</a>.

## U.S. FEDERAL INCOME TAX CONSIDERATIONS

The following is a summary of certain U.S. federal income tax considerations relating to the Fund's qualification for taxation as a REIT and the acquisition, holding, and disposition of the Fund's Shares. For purposes of this section, references to the "Fund" means only the Fund and not its subsidiaries or other lower-tier entities, except as otherwise indicated. This summary is based upon the Code, the regulations promulgated by the U.S. Treasury Department, current administrative interpretations and practices of the IRS (including administrative interpretations and practices expressed in private letter rulings which are binding on the IRS only with respect to the particular taxpayers who requested and received those rulings) and judicial decisions, all as currently in effect and all of which are subject to differing interpretations or to change, possibly with retroactive effect. No assurance can be given that the IRS would not assert, or that a court would not sustain, a position contrary to any of the tax considerations described below. No advance ruling has been or will be sought from the IRS regarding any matter discussed in this summary. The summary is also based upon the assumption that the operation of the Fund, and of any subsidiaries and other lower-tier affiliated entities, will be in accordance with its applicable organizational documents and as described in this Registration Statement. This summary is for general information only, and does not purport to discuss all aspects of U.S. federal income taxation that may be important to a particular Shareholder in light of its investment or tax circumstances or to Shareholders subject to special tax rules.

Except to a limited extent noted below, this summary does not address state, local or non-U.S. tax considerations. This summary assumes that Shareholders will hold the Fund's Shares as capital assets, within the meaning of Section 1221 of the Code, which generally means as property held for investment.

For the purposes of this summary, a U.S. person is a beneficial owner of the Fund's Shares who for U.S. federal income tax purposes is: (i) a citizen or resident of the United States; (ii) a corporation (including an entity treated as a corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes) created or organized in or under the laws of the United States or of a political subdivision thereof (including the District of Columbia); (iii) an estate whose income is subject to U.S. federal income taxation regardless of its source; or (iv) any trust if (1) a U.S. court is able to exercise primary supervision over the administration of such trust and one or more U.S. persons have the authority to control all substantial decisions of the trust or (2) it has a valid election in place to be treated as a U.S. person.

For the purposes of this summary, a U.S. Shareholder is a beneficial owner of the Fund's Shares who is a U.S. person. A tax exempt organization is a U.S. person who is exempt from U.S. federal income tax under Section 401(a) or 501(a) of the Code. For the purposes of this summary, a non-U.S. person is a beneficial owner of the Fund's Shares who is a nonresident alien individual or a non-U.S. corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes, and a non-U.S. shareholder is a beneficial owner of the Fund's Shares who is a non-U.S. person. The term "corporation" includes any entity treated as a corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes, and the term "partnership" includes any entity treated as a partnership for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

The information in this section is based on the current Code, current, temporary and proposed Treasury Regulations, the legislative history of the Code, current administrative interpretations and practices of the IRS, including its practices and policies as endorsed in private letter rulings, which are not binding on the IRS except in the case of the taxpayer to whom a private letter ruling is addressed, and existing court decisions. Future legislation, regulations, administrative interpretations and court decisions could change current law or adversely affect existing interpretations of current law, possibly with retroactive effect. Any change could apply retroactively. The Fund has not obtained any rulings from the IRS concerning the tax treatment of the matters discussed below. Thus, it is possible that the IRS could challenge the statements in this discussion that do not bind the IRS or the courts and that a court could agree with the IRS.

Prospective investors are urged to consult their own tax advisors regarding an investment in the Shares of the Fund in light of their own particular circumstances.

### **Taxation of the Fund**

The Fund intends to be taxed and to qualify for treatment each year as a REIT under the Code beginning with its taxable year ended December 31, 2022. A REIT generally is not subject to U.S. federal income tax on the income that it distributes to its stockholders if it meets the applicable REIT distribution and other requirements for qualification. The Fund believes that it will be organized, owned and operated in conformity with the requirements for qualification for taxation as a REIT under the Code, and that the Fund's proposed ownership, organization and method of operation will enable the Fund to meet the requirements for qualification for taxation as a REIT under the Code. However, given the highly complex nature of the rules governing REITs, the ongoing importance of factual determinations (including with respect to matters that the Fund may not control or for which it is not possible to obtain all the relevant facts) and the possibility of future changes in the Fund's circumstances or applicable law, no assurance can be given that the Fund will so qualify for any particular year or that the IRS will not challenge the Fund's conclusions with respect to its satisfaction of the REIT requirements.

Qualification for taxation as a REIT depends on the Fund's ability to meet, on a continuing basis, through actual results of operations, distribution levels, diversity of share ownership and various qualification requirements imposed upon REITs by the Code. In addition, the Fund's ability to qualify for taxation as a REIT may depend in part upon the operating results, organizational structure and entity classification for U.S. federal income tax purposes of certain entities in which the Fund invests, which the Fund may not control. The Fund's ability to qualify for taxation as a REIT also requires that the Fund satisfy certain asset and income tests, some of which depend upon the fair market values of assets directly or indirectly owned by the Fund or which serve as security for loans made by the Fund. Such values may not be susceptible to a precise determination. Accordingly, no assurance can be given that the actual results of the Fund's operations for any taxable year will satisfy the requirements for qualification for taxation as a REIT. For additional information regarding the taxation of the Fund, see the SAI.

#### **Taxation of REITs in General**

Provided that the Fund qualifies for taxation as a REIT, the Fund will generally be entitled to a deduction for dividends that the Fund pays and, therefore, will not be subject to U.S. federal corporate income tax on the Fund's net taxable income that is currently distributed to Shareholders. This treatment substantially eliminates the "double taxation" at the corporate and Shareholder levels that results generally from investment in a corporation. Rather, income generated by a REIT is generally taxed only at the Shareholder level, upon a distribution of dividends by the REIT.

Even if the Fund qualifies for taxation as a REIT, the Fund will be subject to U.S. federal income taxation as follows:

- The Fund will be subject to regular U.S. federal corporate tax on any undistributed income, including capital gain and undistributed cashless income such as accrued but unpaid interest.
- If the Fund has net income from "prohibited transactions," which are, in general, sales or other dispositions of property held primarily for sale to customers in the ordinary course of business, other than foreclosure property, such income will be subject to a 100% tax.
- If the Fund elects to treat property that the Fund acquire in connection with a foreclosure of a mortgage loan or from certain leasehold terminations as "foreclosure property," the Fund may thereby avoid (1) the 100% tax on gain from a resale of that property (if the sale would otherwise constitute a prohibited transaction) and (2) treating any income from such property as non-qualifying for purposes of the REIT gross income tests discussed below, provided however, that the gain from the sale of the property or net income from the operation of the property that would not otherwise qualify for the 75% income test but for the foreclosure property election will be subject to U.S. federal corporate income tax at the highest applicable rate (currently 21%).
- If the Fund fails to satisfy the 75% gross income test or the 95% gross income test but nonetheless maintains its qualification for taxation as a REIT because other requirements are met, the Fund will be subject to a 100% tax on an amount equal to (1) the greater of (A) the amount by which the Fund fails the 75% gross income test or (B) the amount by which the Fund fails the 95% gross income test, as the case may be, multiplied by (2) a fraction intended to reflect profitability.
- If the Fund fails to satisfy any of the REIT asset tests, other than a failure of the 5% or 10% REIT asset tests that do not exceed a statutory de minimis amount as described more fully below, but the Fund's failure is due to reasonable cause and not due to willful neglect and the Fund nonetheless maintain its REIT tax qualification because of specified cure provisions, the Fund will be required to pay a tax equal to the greater of \$50,000 or the highest corporate tax rate of the net income generated by the non-qualifying assets during the period in which the Fund failed to satisfy the asset tests.
- If the Fund fails to satisfy any provision of the Code that would result in the Fund's failure to qualify for taxation as a REIT (other than a gross income or asset test requirement) and the violation is due to reasonable cause and not due to willful neglect, the Fund may retain the Fund's REIT tax qualification but the Fund will be required to pay a penalty of \$50,000 for each such failure.
- If the Fund fails to distribute during each calendar year at least the sum of (1) 85% of the Fund's REIT ordinary income for such year, (2) 95% of the Fund's REIT capital gain net income for such year and (3) any undistributed taxable income from prior periods (or the required distribution), the Fund will be subject to a 4% excise tax on the excess of the required distribution over the sum of (A) the amounts actually distributed (taking into account excess distributions from prior years), plus (B) retained amounts on which income tax is paid at the corporate level.
- The Fund may be required to pay monetary penalties to the IRS in certain circumstances, including if the Fund fails to meet record-keeping requirements intended to monitor the Fund's compliance with rules relating to the composition of Shareholders.
- A 100% excise tax may be imposed on some items of income and expense that are directly or constructively paid between the Fund and any TRS, and any other TRSs the Fund may own if and to the extent that the IRS successfully adjusts the reported amounts of these items because the reported amounts were not consistent with arm's length amounts.

- If the Fund acquires appreciated assets from a corporation that is not a REIT in a transaction in which the adjusted tax basis of the assets in the Fund's hands is determined by reference to the adjusted tax basis of the assets in the hands of the non-REIT corporation, the Fund may be subject to tax on such appreciation at the highest U.S. federal corporate income tax rate then applicable if the Fund subsequently recognize gain on a disposition of any such assets during the 5-year period following their acquisition from the non-REIT corporation.
- The Fund may elect to retain and pay U.S. federal income tax on the Fund's net long-term capital gain. In that case, a Shareholder would include its proportionate share of the Fund's undistributed long-term capital gain in its income (to the extent the Fund makes a timely designation of such gain to the Shareholder), would be deemed to have paid the tax that it paid on such gain, and would be allowed a credit for its proportionate share of the tax deemed to have been paid, and an adjustment would be made to increase the Shareholder's basis in the Fund's Shares.
- The Fund may own subsidiaries that will elect to be treated as TRSs and the Fund may hold equity interests in the Fund's borrowers or other investments through such TRSs, the earnings of which will be subject to U.S. federal corporate income tax.
- The Fund will generally be subject to tax on the portion of any excess inclusion income derived from an investment in residual interests in real estate mortgage investment conduits ("REMICs") or "taxable mortgage pools" to the extent the Fund's stock is held in record name by specified tax exempt organizations not subject to tax on unrelated business tax income ("UBTI") or non-U.S. sovereign investors.

In addition, the Fund may be subject to a variety of taxes other than U.S. federal income tax, including state, local, and non-U.S. income, franchise property and other taxes.

# Requirements for Qualification as a REIT for U.S. Federal Income Tax Purposes

The Fund intends to be taxed and to qualify for treatment each year as a REIT under the Code beginning with its taxable year ended December 31, 2022. In order to have so qualified, the Fund must meet and continue to meet the requirements relating to the Fund's organization, ownership, sources of income, nature of assets and distributions of income to stockholders.

The Code defines a REIT as a corporation, trust or association:

- 1. that is managed by one or more trustees or directors;
- 2. the beneficial ownership of which is evidenced by transferable shares or by transferable certificates of beneficial interest;
- 3. that would be taxable as a domestic corporation but for its election to be subject to tax as a REIT under Sections 856 through 860 of the Code;
- 4. that is neither a financial institution nor an insurance company subject to specific provisions of the Code;
- 5. commencing with its second REIT taxable year, the beneficial ownership of which is held by 100 or more persons during at least 335 days of a taxable year of 12 months, or during a proportionate part of a taxable year of less than 12 months;
- 6. in which, commencing with its second REIT taxable year, during the last half of each taxable year, not more than 50% in value of the outstanding stock is owned, directly or indirectly, by five or fewer "individuals" as defined in the Code to include specified entities (the "5/50 Test");
- 7. that makes an election to be a REIT for the current taxable year or has made such an election for a previous taxable year that has not been terminated or revoked and satisfies all relevant filing and other administrative requirements established by the IRS that must be met to elect and maintain REIT tax status;
- 8. that has no earnings and profits from any non-REIT taxable year at the close of any taxable year;
- 9. that uses the calendar year for U.S. federal income tax purposes, and complies with the record-keeping requirements of the Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder; and
- 10. that meets other tests described below, including with respect to the nature of its income and assets and the amount of its distributions.

For purposes of condition (1), "directors" generally means persons treated as "directors" for purposes of the 1940 Act. The Fund's Shares are generally freely transferable, and the Fund believes that the restrictions on ownership and transfers of the Shares do not prevent the Fund from satisfying condition (2). Although the Fund is organized as a limited liability company, for U.S. federal income tax purposes the Fund elected to be classified as a corporation in compliance with condition (3). The Fund believes that the Shares sold in this offering will allow the Fund to timely comply with condition (6). However, depending on the number of Shareholders who subscribe for Shares in the offering and the timing of subscriptions, the Fund may need to conduct an additional offering of Shares to timely comply with (5). For purposes of determining stock ownership under condition (6) above, a certain stock bonus, pension, or profit sharing plan, a supplemental unemployment compensation benefits plan, a private foundation and a portion of a trust permanently set aside or used exclusively for charitable purposes generally are each considered an individual. A trust that is a qualified trust under Code Section 401(a) generally is not considered an individual, and beneficiaries of a qualified trust generally are treated as holding shares of a REIT in proportion to their actuarial interests in the trust for purposes of condition (6) above.

To monitor compliance with the Share ownership requirements, the Fund is generally required to maintain records regarding the actual ownership of the Fund's Shares. Provided the Fund complies with these recordkeeping requirements and that the Fund would not otherwise have reason to believe the Fund fails the 5/50 Test after exercising reasonable diligence, the Fund will be deemed to have satisfied the 5/50 Test. In addition, the LLC Agreement provides restrictions regarding the ownership and transfer of Shares, which are intended to assist the Fund in satisfying the Share ownership requirements described above.

For purposes of condition (9) above, the Fund will use a calendar year for U.S. federal income tax purposes, and the Fund intends to comply with the applicable recordkeeping requirements.

#### **Gross Income Tests**

In order to maintain the Fund's qualification for taxation as a REIT, the Fund annually must satisfy two gross income tests. First, at least 75% of the Fund's gross income for each taxable year, excluding gross income from sales of inventory or dealer property in "prohibited transactions" and certain hedging and foreign currency transactions, must be derived from investments relating to real property or mortgages on real property, including "rents from real property," dividends received from and gains from the disposition of other shares of REITs, interest income derived from mortgage loans secured by real property or by interests in real property, and gains from the sale of real estate assets, including personal property treated as real estate assets, as discussed below (but not including certain debt instruments of publicly-offered REITs that are not secured by mortgages on real property or interests in real property), as well as income from certain kinds of temporary investments. Interest and gain on debt instruments issued by publicly offered REITs that are not secured by mortgages on real property or interests in real property are not qualifying income for purposes of the 75% income test. Second, at least 95% of the Fund's gross income in each taxable year, excluding gross income from prohibited transactions and certain hedging and foreign currency transactions, must be derived from some combination of income that qualifies under the 75% income test described above, as well as other dividends, interest, and gain from the sale or disposition of stock or securities, which need not have any relation to real property. For additional information regarding the gross income tests, see the SAI.

# **Asset Tests**

At the close of each calendar quarter, the Fund must also satisfy five tests relating to the nature of the Fund's assets. First, at least 75% of the value of the Fund's total assets must be represented by some combination of "real estate assets," cash, cash items, and U.S. Government securities. For this purpose, real estate assets include loans secured by mortgages on real property or on interests in real property to the extent described below, certain mezzanine loans and mortgage backed securities as described below, interests in real property (such as land, buildings, leasehold interests in real property and personal property leased with real property if the rents attributable to the personal property would be rents from real property under the income tests discussed above), shares in other qualifying REITs and stock or debt instruments held for less than one year purchased with the proceeds from an offering of Shares of the Fund's stock or certain debt. Second, not more than 25% of the Fund's assets may be represented by securities other than those in the 75% asset test. Third, of the assets that do not qualify for purposes of the 75% test and that are not securities of the Fund's TRSs: (i) the value of any one issuer's securities owned by the Fund may not exceed 5% of the value of the Fund's gross assets, and (ii) the Fund generally may not own more than 10% of any one issuer's outstanding securities, as measured by either voting power or value. Fourth, the aggregate value of all securities of TRSs held by the Fund may not exceed 20% of the value of the Fund's gross assets. Fifth, not more than 25% of the value of the Fund's gross assets may be represented by debt instruments of publicly offered REITs that are not secured by mortgages on real property or interests in real property. For additional information regarding the asset tests, see the SAI.

# **Annual Distribution Requirements**

In order to qualify for taxation as a REIT, the Fund is required to distribute dividends, other than capital gain dividends, to the Fund's Shareholders in an amount at least equal to: (i) the sum of: (a) 90% of the Fund's "REIT taxable income" (computed without regard to its deduction for dividends paid and its net capital gains); and (b) 90% of the net income (after tax), if any, from foreclosure property (as described below); minus (ii) the sum of specified items of non-cash income that exceeds a percentage of the Fund's income.

These distributions must be paid in the taxable year to which they relate or in the following taxable year if such distributions are declared in October, November or December of the taxable year, are payable to Shareholders of record on a specified date in any such month and are actually paid before the end of January of the following year. Such distributions are treated as both paid by the Fund and received by each Shareholder on December 31 of the year in which they are declared. In addition, at the Fund's election, a distribution for a taxable year may be declared before the Fund timely files its tax return for the year and be paid with or before the first regular dividend payment after such declaration, provided that such payment is made during the 12-month period following the close of such taxable year. These distributions are taxable to the Fund's Shareholders in the year in which paid, even though the distribution relate to the Fund's prior taxable year for purposes of the 90% distribution requirement. For additional information regarding the annual distribution requirements, see the SAI.

#### **Distributions to Shareholders**

The following discussion describes taxation of Shareholders on distributions from the Fund in years in which the Fund qualifies to be taxed as a REIT.

Provided that the Fund qualifies for taxation as a REIT, distributions made to the Fund's taxable U.S. Shareholders out of the Fund's current or accumulated earnings and profits, and not designated as capital gain dividends, will generally be taken into account by them as ordinary dividend income and will not be eligible for the dividends received deduction for corporations. Dividends received from REITs are generally not eligible to be taxed at the preferential qualified dividend income rates applicable to individual U.S. Shareholders who receive dividends from taxable subchapter C corporations. However, for taxable years before January 1, 2026, non-corporate taxpayers may deduct up to 20% of "qualified REIT dividends." Qualified REIT dividends eligible for this deduction generally will include the Fund's dividends received by a non-corporate U.S. Shareholder that the Fund does not designate as capital gain dividends and that are not qualified dividend income. If the Fund fails to qualify for taxation as a REIT, such Shareholders may not claim this deduction with respect to dividends paid by the Fund. As discussed above, if the Fund realizes excess inclusion income from a residual interest in REMIC or a taxable mortgage pool and allocate such excess inclusion income to a taxable U.S. Shareholder, that income cannot be offset by net operating losses of such Shareholder.

Distributions from the Fund that are designated as capital gain dividends will be taxed to U.S. Shareholders as long-term capital gains, to the extent that they do not exceed the Fund's actual net capital gain for the taxable year, without regard to the period for which the U.S. Shareholder has held the Fund's Shares. To the extent that the Fund elects under the applicable provisions of the Code to retain the Fund's net capital gains, U.S. shareholders will be treated as having received, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, the Fund's undistributed capital gains as well as a corresponding credit or refund, as the case may be, for taxes paid by the Fund on such retained capital gains. U.S. Shareholders will increase their adjusted tax basis in the Fund's Shares by the difference between their allocable share of such retained capital gain and their share of the tax paid by the Fund. Corporate U.S. Shareholders may be required to treat up to 20% of some capital gain dividends as ordinary income. Long-term capital gains are generally taxable at maximum U.S. federal rates of 20% in the case of U.S. Shareholders who are individuals and 21% for corporations. Capital gains attributable to the sale of depreciable real property held for more than 12 months generally are subject to a 25% maximum U.S. federal income tax rate for U.S. Shareholders who are individuals, to the extent of previously claimed depreciation deductions.

Distributions from the Fund in excess of its current or accumulated earnings and profits will not be taxable to a U.S. Shareholder to the extent that they do not exceed the adjusted tax basis of the U.S. Shareholder's Shares in respect of which the distributions were made, but rather will reduce the adjusted tax basis of these Shares. To the extent that such distributions exceed the adjusted tax basis of a U.S. Shareholder's Shares, they will be treated as gain from the disposition of the Shares and thus will be included in income as long-term capital gain, or short-term capital gain if the Shares have been held for one year or less

To the extent that the Fund has available net operating losses and capital losses carried forward from prior tax years, such losses, subject to limitations, may reduce the amount of distributions that must be made in order to comply with the REIT distribution requirements. Such losses, however, are not passed through to U.S. Shareholders and do not offset income of U.S. Shareholders from other sources, nor do they affect the character of any distributions that are actually made by the Fund.

## **Dispositions of Shares**

In general, capital gains recognized by individuals and other non-corporate U.S. Shareholders upon the sale or disposition of the Fund's Shares will be subject to tax at capital gains rates, if such Shares were held for more than one year, and will be taxed at ordinary income rates if such Shares were held for one year or less. Gains recognized by U.S. Shareholders that are corporations are subject to U.S. federal corporate income tax, whether or not classified as long-term capital gains.

Capital losses recognized by a U.S. Shareholder upon the disposition of Shares held for more than one year at the time of disposition will be considered long-term capital losses (or short-term capital losses if the shares have not been held for more than one year), and are generally available only to offset capital gain income of the U.S. Shareholder but not ordinary income (except in the case of individuals, who may offset up to \$3,000 of ordinary income each year). In addition, any loss upon a sale or exchange of Shares by a U.S. Shareholder who has held the Shares for six months or less, after applying holding period rules, will be treated as a long-term capital loss to the extent of distributions received from the Fund that were required to be treated by the U.S. Shareholder as long-term capital gain.

# Repurchase of Shares

A repurchase of Shares will be treated under Section 302 of the Code as a taxable distribution unless the repurchase satisfies one of the tests set forth in Section 302(b) of the Code enabling the repurchase to be treated as a sale or exchange of the repurchased Shares. A repurchase that is not treated as a sale or exchange will be taxed in the same manner as regular distributions (e.g., ordinary dividend income to the extent paid out of earnings and profits unless properly designated as a capital gain dividend), and a repurchase treated as a sale or exchange will be taxed in the same manner as other taxable sales discussed above.

The repurchase will be treated as a sale or exchange if it (i) is "substantially disproportionate" with respect to the Shareholder, (ii) results in a "complete termination" of the Shareholder's interest in the Fund, or (iii) is "not essentially equivalent to a dividend" with respect to the Shareholder, all within the meaning of Section 302(b) of the Code. In determining whether any of these tests have been met, Shares considered to be owned by the Shareholder by reason of certain constructive ownership rules set forth in the Code, as well as Shares actually owned, must generally be taken into account. Because the determination as to whether any of the alternative tests of Section 302(b) of the Code is satisfied with respect to any particular repurchase will depend upon the facts and circumstances as of the time the determination is made and the constructive ownership rules are complicated, prospective Shareholders are advised to consult their own tax advisers to determine such tax treatment.

If a repurchase of Shares is treated as a distribution that is taxable as a dividend, the amount of the distribution would be measured by the amount of cash and the fair market value of the property received by the repurchasing Shareholder. In addition, although guidance is sparse, the IRS could take the position that Shareholders who do not participate in any repurchase treated as a dividend should be treated as receiving a constructive stock distribution taxable as a dividend in the amount of the increased percentage ownership in the Fund as a result of the repurchase, even though such Shareholder did not actually receive cash or other property as a result of such repurchase. The amount of any such constructive dividend would be added to the non-repurchasing Shareholder's basis in his or her Shares. It also is possible that under certain technical rules relating to the deduction for dividends paid, the IRS could take the position that repurchases taxed as dividends impair the Fund's ability to satisfy the Fund's distribution requirements under the Code. To avoid certain issues related to the Fund's ability to comply with the REIT distribution requirements, the Fund has implemented procedures designed to track Shareholders' percentage interests in the Fund's Shares and identify any such dividend equivalent redemptions, and the Fund will decline to effect a repurchase to the extent that the believes that it would constitute a dividend equivalent redemption. However, there can be no assurance that the Fund will be successful in preventing all dividend equivalent redemptions.

# Treatment of Tax Exempt U.S. Shareholders

U.S. tax exempt entities, including qualified employee pension and profit sharing trusts and individual retirement accounts, generally are exempt from U.S. federal income taxation. However, they are subject to taxation on their UBTI. While many investments in real estate may generate UBTI, the IRS has ruled that regular distributions from a REIT to a tax exempt entity do not constitute UBTI. Based on that ruling, and provided that (1) a tax exempt U.S. Shareholder has not held the Fund's Shares as "debt financed property" within the meaning of the Code (that is, where the acquisition or holding of the property is financed through a borrowing by the tax exempt Shareholder) and (2) the Fund does not hold REMIC residual interests or interests in a taxable mortgage pool that gives rise to "excess inclusion income," distributions from the Fund and income from the sale of the Fund's Shares generally should not give rise to UBTI to a tax exempt U.S. Shareholder. Excess inclusion income from REMIC residual interests or interests in a taxable mortgage pool, if any, that the Fund allocates to a tax-exempt U.S. Shareholder will be treated as UBTI (or, in the case of a disqualified organization, taxable to us).

Tax exempt U.S. Shareholders that are social clubs, voluntary employee benefit associations, or supplemental unemployment benefit trusts exempt from U.S. federal income taxation under Sections 501(c)(7), (c)(9), or (c)(17) of the Code, respectively, are subject to different UBTI rules, which generally will require them to characterize distributions from the Fund as UBTI.

A pension trust (1) that is described in Section 401(a) of the Code, (2) is tax exempt under Section 501(a) of the Code, and (3) that owns more than 10% of the Fund's stock could be required to treat a percentage of the dividends from the Fund as UBTI if the Fund is a "pension-held REIT." The Fund will not be a pension-held REIT unless (1) either (A) one pension trust owns more than 25% of the value of the Fund's stock, or (B) a group of pension trusts, each individually holding more than 10% of the value of the Fund's stock, collectively owns more than 50% of such stock; and (2) the Fund would not have satisfied the 5/50 Test but for a special rule that permits the Fund to "look-through" such trusts to the ultimate beneficial owners of such trusts in applying the 5/50 Test.

Tax exempt U.S. shareholders are urged to consult their tax advisors regarding the U.S. federal, state, local and non-U.S. tax consequences of owning the Fund's Shares.

### U.S. Taxation of Non-U.S. Shareholders

In general, non-U.S. Shareholders will not be considered to be engaged in a U.S. trade or business solely as a result of their ownership of the Fund's Shares. In cases where a non-U.S. Shareholder's investment in the Fund's Shares is, or is treated as, effectively connected with the non-U.S. Shareholder's conduct of a U.S. trade or business, dividend income received in respect of Shares and gain from the sale of Shares generally will be "effectively connected income" ("ECI") subject to U.S. federal income tax at graduated rates in the same manner as if the non-U.S. Shareholder were a U.S. Shareholder, and such dividend income may also be subject to the 30% branch profits tax (subject to possible reduction under a treaty) on the income after the application of the income tax in the case of a non-U.S. Shareholder that is a corporation. Additionally, non-U.S. Shareholders that are nonresident alien individuals who are present in the U.S. for 183 days or more during the taxable year and have a "tax home" in the U.S. are subject to a 30% withholding tax on their capital gains.

# **Backup Withholding and Information Reporting**

The Fund will report to its U.S. Shareholders and the IRS the amount of dividends paid during each calendar year and the amount of any tax withheld. Under the backup withholding rules, a U.S. Shareholder may be subject to backup withholding with respect to dividends paid unless the holder is a corporation or comes within other exempt categories and, when required, demonstrates this fact or provides a taxpayer identification number or social security number, certifies as to no loss of exemption from backup withholding and otherwise complies with applicable requirements of the backup withholding rules. A U.S. Shareholder that does not provide his or her correct taxpayer identification number or social security number may also be subject to penalties imposed by the IRS. Backup withholding is not an additional tax. In addition, the Fund may be required to withhold a portion of dividends or capital gain distribution to any U.S. Shareholder who fails to certify their non-foreign status.

The Fund must report annually to the IRS and to each non-U.S. Shareholder the amount of dividends paid to such holder and the tax withheld with respect to such dividends, regardless of whether withholding was required. Copies of the information returns reporting such dividends and withholding may also be made available to the tax authorities in the country in which the non-U.S. Shareholder resides under the provisions of an applicable income tax treaty. A non-U.S. Shareholder may be subject to backup withholding unless applicable certification requirements are met.

Payment of the proceeds of a sale of the Fund's Shares within the United States is subject to both backup withholding and information reporting unless the beneficial owner certifies under penalties of perjury that it is a non-U.S. Shareholder (and the payor does not have actual knowledge or reason to know that the beneficial owner is a U.S. person) or the holder otherwise establishes an exemption. Payment of the proceeds of a sale of the Fund's Shares conducted through certain U.S. related financial intermediaries is subject to information reporting (but not backup withholding) unless the financial intermediary has documentary evidence in its records that the beneficial owner is a non-U.S. Shareholder and specified conditions are met or an exemption is otherwise established.

Backup withholding is not an additional tax. Any amounts withheld under the backup withholding rules may be allowed as a refund or a credit against such holder's U.S. federal income tax liability provided the required information is timely furnished to the IRS.

## ERISA CONSIDERATIONS

Employee benefit plans and other plans subject to Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended ("ERISA"), or the Code, including corporate savings and 401(k) plans, IRAs and Keogh Plans (each, an "ERISA Plan") may purchase Shares. ERISA imposes certain general and specific responsibilities on persons who are fiduciaries with respect to an ERISA Plan, including prudence, diversification, prohibited transactions and other standards. Because the Fund is registered as an investment company under the 1940 Act, the underlying assets of the Fund will not be considered to be "plan assets" of any ERISA Plan investing in the Fund for purposes of the fiduciary responsibility and prohibited transaction rules under Title I of ERISA or Section 4975 of the Code. Thus, neither the Fund or the Adviser will be a fiduciary within the meaning of ERISA or Section 4975 of the Code with respect to the assets of any ERISA Plan that becomes a Shareholder, solely as a result of the ERISA Plan's investment in the Fund.

The provisions of ERISA are subject to extensive and continuing administrative and judicial interpretation and review. The discussion of ERISA contained herein is, of necessity, general and may be affected by future publication of regulations and rulings. Potential investors should consult their legal advisers regarding the consequences under ERISA of an investment in the Fund through an ERISA Plan.

# DESCRIPTION OF CAPITAL STRUCTURE AND SHARES

The following descriptions of the Fund's Shares, certain provisions of Delaware law and certain provisions of the LLC Agreement are summaries and are qualified by reference to Delaware law and the LLC Agreement, a copy of which is filed as an exhibit to the Registration Statement of which this Prospectus is a part. Reference should be made to the LLC Agreement on file with the SEC for the full text of these provisions.

#### Shares

The Fund is a Delaware limited liability company organized on August 27, 2021 under the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act ("Delaware LLC Act"), issuing limited liability company interests. The limited liability company interests in the Fund will be denominated in common shares of limited liability company interests ("Shares" or "Common Shares") and, if created in the future, preferred shares of limited liability company interests ("Preferred Shares"). The LLC Agreement provides that the Fund may issue an unlimited number of Shares.

All of the Shares offered by this Registration Statement will be duly authorized and validly issued. Upon payment in full of the consideration payable with respect to the Shares, as determined by the Board, the holders of such Shares will not be liable to the Fund to make any additional capital contributions with respect to such Shares (except for the return of distributions under certain circumstances as required by Sections 18-215, 18-607 and 18-804 of the Delaware LLC Act). Holders of Shares have no conversion, exchange, sinking fund or appraisal rights, no pre-emptive rights to subscribe for any securities of the Fund and no preferential rights to distributions. However, holders of Shares will be eligible to participate in the Fund's Share repurchase program, as described in "Periodic Repurchase Offers."

The Fund intends to make distributions necessary to maintain its qualification as a REIT. The Fund expects to declare and make distributions on a quarterly basis, or more or less frequently as determined by the Board, in arrears. See "Distribution Policy." Unless a Shareholder elects to participate in the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan, any dividends and other distributions paid to the Shareholder by the Fund will not be reinvested in additional Shares of the Fund under the plan. See "Dividend Reinvestment Plan."

The Fund's fiscal year end is December 31. In addition, the Fund has elected and has qualified to be taxed as a REIT for U.S. federal income tax purposes beginning with the Fund's taxable year ended December 31, 2022.

The following table shows the amount of Shares of the Fund that were authorized and outstanding as of December 31, 2022:

Title of Class	<b>Amount Authorized</b>	Amount Held by Fund	Amount Outstanding
Common Shares	Unlimited	None	53,505,592

#### **Share Classes**

The Fund is currently offering one class of Shares on a continuous basis. The Fund may offer additional classes of Shares in the future. The Fund may apply for exemptive relief from the SEC that would permit the Fund to issue multiple classes of Shares; there is no assurance, however, that the relief would be granted. Until such exemptive relief is granted and the Fund registers a new Share class, the Fund will only offer one class of Shares.

#### **Preferred Shares**

Section 215(e) of the Delaware LLC Act specifically authorizes the creation of ownership interests of different classes of limited liability company interests, having such relative rights, powers and duties as the limited liability company agreement may provide, and may make provision for the future creation in the manner provided in the limited liability company agreement of additional classes of membership interests. In accordance with this provision, the LLC Agreement provides that the Board may, subject to the Fund's investment policies and restrictions and the requirements of the 1940 Act, authorize and cause the Fund to issue securities of the Fund other than Common Shares (including Preferred Shares, debt securities or other senior securities), by action of the Board without approval of Shareholders.

The Board is authorized to fix the number of Preferred Shares, the relative powers, preferences and rights, and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions of such securities as the Board sees fit. As of the date of this Prospectus, no Preferred Shares are outstanding and the Fund has no current plans to issue any Preferred Shares.

Preferred Shares could be issued with rights and preferences that would adversely affect Shareholders. Preferred Shares could also be used as an antitakeover device. Every issuance of Preferred Shares will be required to comply with the requirements of the 1940 Act. The 1940 Act requires, among other things, that (i) immediately after issuance of Preferred Shares and before any distribution is made with respect to the Shares and before any purchase of Shares is made, the aggregate involuntary liquidation preference of such Preferred Shares together with the aggregate involuntary liquidation preference or aggregate value of all other senior securities must not exceed an amount equal to 50% of the Fund's total assets after deducting the amount of such distribution or purchase price, as the case may be; and (ii) the holders of Preferred Shares, if any are issued, must be entitled as a class to elect two Directors at all times and to elect a majority of the Directors if distributions on such Preferred Shares are in arrears by two years or more. Certain matters under the 1940 Act require the separate vote of the holders of any issued and outstanding Preferred Shares.

# **Voting Rights**

The Fund's Shareholders will have voting rights only with respect to matters on which a vote of Shareholders is required by the 1940 Act, the LLC Agreement or a resolution of the Board. Each whole Share will be entitled to one vote as to any matter on which it is entitled to vote and each fractional Share will be entitled to a proportionate fractional vote. However, to the extent required by the 1940 Act or otherwise determined by the Board, classes of the Fund will vote separately from each other. The LLC Agreement provides that Shareholder action can be taken only at a meeting of Shareholders or by unanimous written consent in lieu of a meeting. Subject to the 1940 Act, the LLC Agreement or a resolution of the Board specifying a greater or lesser vote requirement, the vote of the holders of a majority of the Fund's outstanding voting securities (as defined in the 1940 Act) shall be the act of the Shareholders with respect to any matter submitted to a vote of the Shareholders. There will be no cumulative voting in the election of Directors. Under the LLC Agreement, the Fund is not required to hold annual meetings of Shareholders. The Fund only expects to hold Shareholder meetings to the extent required by the 1940 Act or pursuant to special meetings called by the Board or a majority of Shareholders.

## **Liquidation Rights**

In the event of a liquidation, termination or winding up of the Fund, whether voluntary or involuntary, the Fund will first pay or provide for payment of the Fund's debts and other liabilities, including the liquidation preferences of any class of Preferred Shares. Thereafter, holders of the Fund's Common Shares will share in the funds of the Fund remaining for distribution *pro rata* in accordance with their respective interests in the Fund.

#### Agreement to be Bound by the LLC Agreement; Power of Attorney; Waiver of Jury Trial

By purchasing a Share, you will be admitted as a member of the Fund and will be bound by the provisions of, and deemed to be a party to, the LLC Agreement. Shareholders should be aware that the LLC Agreement requires that a shareholder's right to a jury trial be waived to the fullest extent permitted by law in any litigation relating to the shareholder's investment in the Fund. The waiver of a jury trial may limit a shareholder's ability to litigate a claim in a manner that is more favorable to the shareholder. Other investment companies may not impose a similar limitation. A court may choose not to enforce this provision of the LLC Agreement.

Pursuant to the LLC Agreement, each Shareholder and each person who acquires a Share from a Shareholder grants to the Directors and officers of the Fund a power of attorney to, among other things, execute and file documents required for the Fund's qualification, continuance or dissolution. The power of attorney also grants the Directors and officers of the Fund the authority to make certain amendments to, and to execute and deliver such other documents as may be necessary or appropriate to carry out the provisions or purposes of, the LLC Agreement.

### Limitation of Liability and Indemnification; Indemnification and Advance of Expenses

Pursuant to the LLC Agreement, Directors and officers of the Fund will not be subject in such capacity to any personal liability to the Fund or Shareholders, unless the liability arises from bad faith, willful misfeasance, gross negligence or reckless disregard for the Director's or officer's duty.

Except as otherwise provided in the LLC Agreement, the Fund will indemnify and hold harmless any current or former Director or officer of the Fund against any liabilities and expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees relating to the defense of any claim, action, suit or proceeding with which such person is involved or threatened), while and with respect to acting in the capacity of a Director or officer of the Fund, except with respect to matters in which such person did not act in good faith in the reasonable belief that his or her action was in the best interest of the Fund. In accordance with the 1940 Act, the Fund will not indemnify any Director or officer for any liability to which such person would be subject by reason of his or her willful misfeasance, bad faith, gross negligence or reckless disregard of the duties of his or her position. The Fund will provide indemnification to Directors and officers prior to a final determination regarding entitlement to indemnification as described in the LLC Agreement.

Pursuant to the LLC Agreement, the Fund will advance the expenses of defending any action for which indemnification is sought if the Fund receives an undertaking by the indemnitee which provides that the indemnitee will reimburse the Fund unless it is subsequently determined that the indemnitee is entitled to such indemnification.

# Amendment of the LLC Agreement

Subject to the provisions of the 1940 Act, pursuant to the LLC Agreement, the Board may amend the LLC Agreement without any vote of Shareholders.

#### **Termination and Dissolution**

The Fund will continue as a limited liability company until terminated under the LLC Agreement. The Fund will dissolve upon: (i) the election of the Board to dissolve the fund; (ii) the sale, exchange or other disposition of all or substantially all of the Fund's assets; (iii) the entry of a decree of judicial dissolution of the Fund; or (iv) at any time that the Fund no longer has any Shareholders, unless the Fund's business is continued in accordance with the Delaware LLC Act.

## **Restrictions on Ownership and Transfer**

In order for the Fund to qualify for taxation as a REIT under the Code, Shares of the Fund must be owned by 100 or more persons during at least 335 days of a taxable year of 12 months (other than the first year for which an election to be taxed as a REIT has been made) or during a proportionate part of a shorter taxable year. Also, not more than 50% of the value of the Fund's outstanding Shares may be owned, directly or indirectly, by five or fewer individuals (as defined in the Code to include certain entities) during the last half of a taxable year (other than the first year for which an election to be a REIT has been made). To qualify for taxation as a REIT, the Fund must satisfy other requirements as well.

To assist the Fund in qualifying for taxation as a REIT, the LLC Agreement, subject to certain exceptions, contains restrictions on the number and value of the Fund's Common Shares and the number and value of the Fund's total shares that a person may own. The LLC Agreement provides that generally no person may own, or be deemed to own by virtue of certain attribution provisions of the Code, either more than 9.8% in value or in number of the Fund's Common Shares, whichever is more restrictive, or more than 9.8% in value or in number of the Fund's total shares, whichever is more restrictive. Accordingly, no person may own, or be deemed to own, more than 9.8% in value or in number of the Fund's total shares, whichever is more restrictive. These limits collectively are referred to as the "ownership limit." An individual or entity that becomes subject to the ownership limit or any of the other restrictions on ownership and transfer of the Shares of the Fund described below is referred to as a "prohibited owner" if, had the violative transfer or other event been effective, the individual or entity would have been a beneficial owner or, if appropriate, a record owner of shares.

The applicable constructive ownership rules under the Code are complex and may cause the Fund's Shares owned actually or constructively by a group of individuals and/or entities to be owned constructively by one individual or entity. As a result, the acquisition of less than 9.8% by value or number of the Fund's Common Shares, whichever is more restrictive, or 9.8% by value or number of the Fund's total shares, whichever is more restrictive, (or the acquisition of an interest in an entity that owns, actually or constructively, the Fund's Shares by an individual or entity), could, nevertheless, cause that individual or entity, or another individual or entity, to own constructively in excess of the ownership limit.

The Board may, in its sole discretion, subject to such conditions as it may determine and the receipt of certain representations and undertakings, prospectively or retroactively, waive the ownership limit or establish a different limit on ownership, or excepted holder limit, for a particular Shareholder if the Shareholder's ownership in excess of the ownership limit would not result in the Fund being "closely held" within the meaning of Section 856(h) of the Code (without regard to whether the ownership interest is held during the last half of a taxable year) or otherwise would result in the Fund failing to qualify for taxation as a REIT. As a condition of its waiver or grant of excepted holder limit, the Board may, but is not required to, require an opinion of counsel or IRS ruling satisfactory to the Board in order to determine or ensure the Fund's qualification for taxation as a REIT. In addition, the Fund will reject any investor's subscription in whole or in part if it determines that such subscription would violate such ownership limits.

In connection with granting a waiver of the ownership limit, creating an excepted holder limit or at any other time, the Board may from time to time increase or decrease the ownership limit for all other individuals and entities unless, after giving effect to such increase, five or fewer individuals could beneficially or constructively own in the aggregate, more than 49.9% in value of the Shares then outstanding of the Fund or the Fund would otherwise fail to qualify for taxation as a REIT. Prior to the modification of the ownership limit, the Board may require such opinions of counsel, affidavits, undertakings or agreements as it may deem necessary or advisable in order to determine or ensure the Fund's qualification for taxation as a REIT. A reduced ownership limit will not apply to any person or entity whose percentage ownership of the Fund's Shares or the Fund's total shares, as applicable, is in excess of such decreased ownership limit until such time as such individual's or entity's percentage ownership of the Fund's Shares equals or falls below the decreased ownership limit, but any further acquisition of the Fund's Common Shares or the Fund's total shares, as applicable, in excess of such percentage ownership of the Fund's Common Shares or the Fund's total shares will be in violation of the ownership limit.

The LLC Agreement further prohibits: (i) any person from beneficially or constructively owning, applying certain attribution rules of the Code, Shares of the Fund that would result in the Fund being "closely held" under Section 856(h) of the Code (without regard to whether the ownership interest is held during the last half of a taxable year) or otherwise cause the Fund to fail to qualify for taxation as a REIT; and (ii) any person from transferring the Fund's Shares if such transfer would result in the Fund's Shares being owned by fewer than 100 persons (determined without reference to any rules of attribution).

Any person who acquires or attempts or intends to acquire beneficial or constructive ownership of the Fund's Shares that will or may violate the ownership limit or any of the other foregoing restrictions on ownership and transfer of the Fund's Shares, or who would have owned the Fund's Shares transferred to a trust as described below, must immediately give the Fund written notice of the event, or in the case of an attempted or proposed transaction, must give at least 15 days' prior written notice to the Fund and provide the Fund with such other information as the Fund may request in order to determine the effect of such transfer on the Fund's qualification for taxation as a REIT. The foregoing restrictions on ownership and transfer of the Fund's Shares will not apply if the Board determines that it is no longer in the Fund's best interests to attempt to qualify, or to continue to qualify, for taxation as a REIT or that compliance with the restrictions and limitations on ownership and transfer of the Fund's Shares as described above is no longer required in order for the Fund to qualify for taxation as a REIT.

If any transfer of the Fund's Shares would result in the Fund's Shares being beneficially owned by fewer than 100 persons, such transfer will be null and void and the intended transferee will acquire no rights in such Shares. In addition, if any purported transfer of the Fund's Shares or any other event would otherwise result in any person violating the ownership limit or an excepted holder limit established by the Board or in the Fund being "closely held" under Section 856(h) of the Code (without regard to whether the ownership interest is held during the last half of a taxable year) or otherwise failing to qualify for taxation as a REIT, then that number of Shares (rounded up to the nearest whole Share) that would cause the Fund to violate such restrictions will be automatically transferred to, and held by, a trust for the exclusive benefit of one or more charitable organizations selected by the Fund and the intended transferee will acquire no rights in such Shares. The automatic transfer will be effective as of the close of business on the business day prior to the date of the violative transfer or other event that results in a transfer to the trust. Any dividend or other distribution paid to the prohibited owner, prior to the Fund's discovery that the Shares had been automatically transferred to a trust as described above, must be repaid to the trustee upon demand for distribution to the beneficiary by the trust. If the transfer to the trust as described above is not automatically effective, for any reason, to prevent violation of the applicable ownership limit or the Fund being "closely held" under Section 856(h) of the Code (without regard to whether the ownership interest is held during the last half of a taxable year) or otherwise failing to qualify for taxation as a REIT, then the LLC Agreement provides that the transfer of the Shares will be null and void

Shares of the Fund transferred to the trustee are deemed offered for sale to the Fund, or the Fund's designee, at a price per Share equal to the lesser of (i) the price paid by the prohibited owner for the Shares (or, if the event that resulted in the transfer to the trust did not involve a purchase of such Shares at market price, the last reported NAV value for the Fund's Shares on the day of the event which resulted in the transfer of such Shares to the trust) and (ii) the last reported NAV value of the Fund's Shares on the date the Fund accepts, or the Fund's designee accepts, such offer. The Fund may reduce the amount payable by the amount of any dividend or other distribution that the Fund has paid to the prohibited owner before the Fund discovered that the Shares had been automatically transferred to the trust and that are then owed to the trustee as described above, and the Fund may pay the amount of any such reduction to the trustee for the benefit of the charitable beneficiary. The Fund has the right to accept such offer until the trustee has sold the Shares held in the trust as discussed below. Upon a sale to the Fund, the interest of the charitable beneficiary in the Shares sold terminates, the trustee must distribute the net proceeds of the sale to the prohibited owner and any dividends or other distributions held by the trustee with respect to such Shares will be paid to the charitable beneficiary.

If the Fund does not buy the Shares, the trustee must, as soon as practicable after receiving notice from the Fund of the transfer of Shares to the trust, sell the Shares to a person or entity designated by the trustee who could own the Shares without violating the ownership limit or the other restrictions on ownership and transfer of Shares of the Fund. After the sale of the Shares, the interest of the charitable beneficiary in the Shares transferred to the trust will terminate and the trustee must distribute to the prohibited owner an amount equal to the lesser of (i) the price paid by the prohibited owner for the Shares (or, if the event which resulted in the transfer to the trust did not involve a purchase of such Shares at market price, the last reported NAV value for the Fund's Shares on the day of the event which resulted in the transfer of such Shares to the trust) and (ii) the sales proceeds (net of commissions and other expenses of sale) received by the trust for the Shares. The trustee may reduce the amount payable to the prohibited owner by the amount of any dividend or other distribution that the Fund paid to the prohibited owner before the Fund discovered that the Shares had been automatically transferred to the trust and that are then owed to the trustee as described above. Any net sales proceeds in excess of the amount payable to the prohibited owner will be immediately paid to the beneficiary of the trust, together with any dividends or other distributions thereon. In addition, if, prior to discovery by the Fund that the Fund's Shares have been transferred to a trust, such Shares are sold by a prohibited owner, then such Shares will be deemed to have been sold on behalf of the trust and to the extent that the prohibited owner received an amount for or in respect of such Shares that exceeds the amount that such prohibited owner was entitled to receive, such excess amount will be paid to the trustee upon demand. The prohibited owner has no rights in the Shares held by the trustee.

The trustee will be designated by the Fund and will be unaffiliated with the Fund and with any prohibited owner. Prior to the sale of any Shares by the trust, the trustee will receive, in trust for the beneficiary of the trust, all dividends and other distributions paid by the Fund with respect to the Shares held in trust and may also exercise all voting rights with respect to the Shares held in trust. These rights will be exercised for the exclusive benefit of the beneficiary of the trust. Any dividend or other distribution paid prior to the Fund's discovery that the Fund's Shares have been transferred to the trust will be paid by the recipient to the trustee upon demand.

Subject to Delaware law, effective as of the date that the Shares have been transferred to the trust, the trustee will have the authority, at the trustee's sole discretion: (i) to rescind as void any vote cast by a prohibited owner prior to the Fund's discovery that the Shares have been transferred to the trust; and (ii) to recast the vote in accordance with the desires of the trustee acting for the benefit of the beneficiary of the trust.

However, if the Fund has already taken irreversible company action, then the trustee may not rescind and recast the vote. In addition, if the Board determines in good faith that a proposed transfer or other event would violate the restrictions on ownership and transfer of the Fund's Shares, the Board may take such action as it deems advisable to refuse to give effect to or to prevent such transfer, including, but not limited to, causing the Fund to redeem the Fund's Shares, refusing to give effect to the transfer on the Fund's books or instituting proceedings to enjoin the transfer.

Every owner of 5% or more (or such lower percentage as required by the Code or the Treasury Regulations promulgated thereunder) of the Fund's Shares, within 30 days after the end of each taxable year, must give the Fund written notice, stating the Shareholder's name and address, the number of Shares of each class of the Fund that the Shareholder beneficially owns and a description of the manner in which the Shares are held. Each such owner must provide to the Fund in writing such additional information as the Fund may request in order to determine the effect, if any, of the Shareholder's beneficial ownership on the Fund's qualification for taxation as a REIT and to ensure compliance with the ownership limit. In addition, each Shareholder must provide to the Fund in writing such information as the Fund may request in good faith in order to determine the Fund's qualification for taxation as a REIT and to comply with the requirements of any taxing authority or governmental authority or to determine such compliance.

Any certificates representing the Fund's Shares will bear a legend referring to the restrictions described above. These restrictions on ownership and transfer could delay, defer or prevent a transaction or a change in control that might involve a premium price for the Shares or otherwise be in the best interest of the holders of the Shares.

# ANTI-TAKEOVER PROVISIONS

The LLC Agreement includes provisions that could have the effect of limiting the ability of other entities or persons to acquire control of the Fund, change the composition of the Board, or convert the Fund to open-end status. These provisions may have the effect of discouraging, delaying or preventing attempts to acquire control of the Fund, which attempts could have the effect of increasing the expenses of the Fund and interfering with the normal operation of the Fund. The Directors are elected for indefinite terms and do not stand for reelection. A Director may be removed from office with cause only by action taken by a majority of the remaining Directors (or, in the case of an Independent Director, only by action taken by a majority of the remaining Independent Directors).

The LLC Agreement authorizes the Fund to issue additional Shares or other securities of the Fund for the consideration and on the terms and conditions established by the Board without the approval of the Shareholders. In particular, the Board is authorized to provide for the issuance of an unlimited amount of one or more classes or series of Shares of the Fund, including Preferred Shares, and to fix the number of shares, the relative powers, preferences and rights, and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions applicable to each class or series thereof by resolution authorizing the issuance of such class or series. The Fund's ability to issue additional Shares and other securities could render more difficult or discourage an attempt to obtain control over the Fund by means of a tender offer, merger or otherwise.

The Fund is a limited liability company organized under Delaware law. Some provisions of Delaware law may delay or prevent a transaction that would cause a change in control of the Fund. Section 203 of the Delaware General Corporation Law ("DGCL"), which restricts certain business combinations with interested shareholders in certain situations, does not apply to limited liability companies unless they elect to utilize it. The LLC Agreement does not currently elect to have Section 203 of the DGCL apply to the Fund. In general, this statute prohibits a publicly held Delaware corporation from engaging in a business combination with an interested shareholder for a period of three years after the date of the transaction by which that person became an interested shareholder, unless the business combination is approved in a prescribed manner. For purposes of Section 203, a business combination includes a merger, asset sale or other transaction resulting in a financial benefit to the interested shareholder, and an interested shareholder is a person who, together with affiliates and associates, owns, or within three years prior did own, 15% or more of voting shares. The Board may elect to amend the LLC Agreement at any time to have Section 203 apply to the Fund.

To assist the Fund in qualifying as a REIT, the LLC Agreement, subject to certain exceptions, provides that generally no person may own, or be deemed to own by virtue of the attribution provisions of the Code, either more than 9.8% in value or in number of the Fund's common Shares, whichever is more restrictive, or more than 9.8% in value or in number of the Fund's Shares, whichever is more restrictive. Accordingly, no person may own, or be deemed to own, more than 9.8% in value or in number of the Fund's Shares, whichever is more restrictive. The ownership limits could have the effect of discouraging a takeover or other transaction in which Shareholders might receive a premium for their shares over the then prevailing market price or which holders might believe to be otherwise in their best interests. Furthermore, the Fund will reject any investor's subscription in whole or in part if the Fund determines that such subscription would violate such ownership limits.

The LLC Agreement provides that the Board has the exclusive power to adopt, alter or repeal any provision of the LLC Agreement, unless such amendment would adversely change the rights of the Shares. Thus, the Fund's Shareholders generally may not effect changes to the LLC Agreement.

## PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION

# **About the Fundrise Platform**

The Fund's Shares being offered hereby will be primarily offered and distributed by the Fund and its associated persons through the Fundrise Platform. The Fundrise Platform, which is owned and operated by Fundrise, LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Rise Companies, is a software communication tool used by the Fund and its associated persons, at no cost, in conducting the offer and sale of the Fund's Shares. The Fundrise Platform consists solely of the investment platform available online at <a href="https://www.fundrise.com">www.fundrise.com</a> (along with the Fund's website at <a href="https://www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com">www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com</a>) and through various mobile applications sponsored by Rise Companies, although the Fundrise Platform may expand or change over time. All associated persons of the Fund who participate in the offer and sale of the Fund's Shares will be employees of Rise Companies or its affiliates.

Through the Fundrise Platform, Rise Companies is building a better alternative investment model, offering a simple, low-cost way to invest in real estate and other alternative assets that's available to anyone, no matter their net worth. Rise Companies believes in leveraging technology to build a better financial system that empowers individuals. With technology, Rise Companies can create a more efficient mechanism than the conventional financial system to invest in real estate and other alternative assets. The Fundrise Platform is a technology infrastructure that vertically integrates the alternative investment management sector, connecting the individual investor directly to the asset, and thereby removing entire industries of middlemen incumbents, cutting costs, and, by applying proprietary technology to the investment execution and real estate operations, unlocking completely new solutions. Enabled by its proprietary technology, the Fundrise Platform aggregates thousands of individuals from across the United States to create the scale of an institutional investor without the high fees and overhead typical of the old-fashioned investment business. Fundrise represents the future of the financial industry, leveraging data and machine learning to collapse the supply chain of finance into a single technology-enabled system.

Individuals can invest through the Fundrise Platform at low costs for what Rise Companies believes is a better, more transparent investor experience, while potentially earning attractive risk-adjusted returns from asset classes that have generally been limited to many investors or charged high commissions and premiums for access. The Fundrise Platform gives investors the ability to: (i) browse investment offerings based on investment preferences including location, asset type, risk and return profile; (ii) transact entirely online, including digital legal documentation, funds transfer, and ownership recordation; (iii) manage and track investments easily through an online portfolio; and (iv) receive automated distributions and/or interest payments, and regular financial reporting.

The offering and distribution of the Fund's Shares (and all associated activities) will be conducted by the Fund and its associated persons in accordance with the exemption from broker registration requirements contained in Rule 3a4-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Accordingly, no person associated with the Fund will be deemed to be a broker solely by reason of his or her participation in the offer and sale of the Fund's Shares. All associated persons of the Fund will be limited to conducting only certain "passive sales" activities in accordance with Rule 3a4-1, which include the following: (i) preparing written communications that have been approved by a principal of the Fund, or delivering such written communications in a way that does not involve oral solicitation of a potential investor (e.g., via email); (ii) responding to inquiries of a potential investor in a communication initiated by the potential investor, with responses being limited to information contained in the Registration Statement or other offering documentation; and (iii) performing ministerial and clerical work involved in effecting any transactions in this offering. No activities will occur on the Fundrise Platform without the explicit direction of the Fund or its associated persons.

The Fund will not pay Fundrise, LLC, the owner of the Fundrise Platform, any sales commissions or other remuneration for hosting this offering on the Fundrise Platform. Additionally, no associated person of the Fund will be compensated for his or her participation in this offering, either through sales commissions or other remunerations based on the offer and sale of the Fund's Shares.

No market currently exists for the Fund's Shares. The Fund's Shares are not listed and the Fund does not currently intend to list its Shares for trading on any securities exchange, and the Fund does not anticipate that any secondary market will develop for its Shares. Neither the Adviser nor the Fund intends to make a market in the Fund's Shares.

#### **How to Purchase Shares**

This Prospectus and supplements hereto will be furnished to prospective investors upon their request via electronic PDF format and will be available for viewing and download 24 hours per day, 7 days per week on the Fund's website at <a href="https://www.sec.gov">www.sec.gov</a>. as well as on the SEC's website at <a href="https://www.sec.gov">www.sec.gov</a>.

Investors seeking to purchase the Fund's Shares should proceed as follows:

- · Read this entire Registration Statement and any supplements accompanying this Registration Statement.
- Electronically complete, execute and deliver a copy of the subscription agreement, which is available on <u>www.fundrise.com</u> (or the Fund's website at <u>www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com</u>).
- Electronically provide ACH instructions to the Fund for the full purchase price of the Fund's Shares being subscribed for; note, however, for subscriptions in excess of \$125,000, the Fund will require that the purchase price of the Fund's Shares be provided via bank wire.

A purchase of Shares will be made at the NAV per share next determined following receipt of a purchase order in good order by the Fund if received at a time when the Fund is open to new investments. A purchase order is in "good order" when the Fund receives all required information, including properly completed and signed documents, and the purchase order is approved by the Fund. Once the Fund accepts a purchase order, you may not cancel or revoke it.

By executing the subscription agreement and paying the total purchase price for the Fund's Shares subscribed for, each investor agrees to accept and fully comply with the terms of the subscription agreement. Subscriptions will be binding upon investors but will be effective only upon the Fund's acceptance of the subscribing investor as a member of the Fund, which will be based on the Fund's determination that the investor satisfies all of the terms and conditions of the subscription agreement. Prospective investors should carefully read the subscription agreement before purchasing Shares of the Fund. The Fund reserves the right to reject any subscription in whole or in part or pause accepting new subscriptions.

The Fund will not draw funds from any subscriber until your subscription is accepted. If the Fund accepts your subscription, the Fund will email you a confirmation

If the offering terminates or if any prospective investor's subscription is rejected, all funds received from such investors will be returned without interest or deduction. To the extent that the funds are not ultimately received by the Fund or are subsequently withdrawn by the subscriber, whether due to an ACH chargeback or otherwise, the subscription agreement will be considered terminated, and the subscriber will not be entitled to any Shares subscribed for or dividends that may have accrued.

The Fund reserves the right to reject any initial or additional investment and to suspend the offering of Shares.

## Transactions Through Your Financial Intermediary

Shareholders may invest in the Fund through a financial intermediary. Your financial intermediary is responsible for ensuring that your order is made in accordance with the subscription procedures described above under "How to Purchase Shares." Purchase through a financial intermediary does not affect these subscription procedures.

Financial intermediaries may charge fees for the services they provide to you in connection with processing your transaction order or maintaining your account with them. Each financial intermediary may also have its own rules about minimum initial investment amounts, minimum account balances, share transactions and limits on the number of share transactions you are permitted to make in a given time period. The Fund has the discretion to modify or waive these requirements. For more information about your financial intermediary's rules and procedures, you should contact your financial intermediary directly.

Financial intermediaries currently may only purchase Fund Shares through the Fundrise Platform. In the future, the Fund may allow financial intermediaries to purchase Fund Shares through other distribution arrangements, subject to applicable laws.

# **Minimum Purchase Requirements**

The minimum initial investment for Shares of the Fund is \$1,000. There is no minimum investment requirement on additional purchases after you have purchased a minimum of \$1,000. In certain instances, the Fund may revise the minimum purchase requirement in the future or elect to waive the minimum purchase requirement, such as for individuals who participate in different plans established by the Adviser. In addition, in order to help protect the Fund from the risk of chargebacks, the Fund intends to require that any subscription in excess of \$125,000 of the Fund's Shares be funded through a bank wire transfer and not an ACH electronic fund transfer.

#### Certificates Will Not be Issued

The Fund will not issue certificates. Instead, the Fund's Shares will be recorded and maintained on the Fund's membership register.

# **Transferability of Shares**

The Fund's Shares are generally freely transferable by the Fund's Shareholders subject to any restrictions imposed by applicable securities laws or regulations, compliance with the transfer provisions of the LLC Agreement related to REIT compliance ownership limits and analogous regulatory compliance and receipt of appropriate documentation. The LLC Agreement generally prohibits any person from transferring the Fund's Shares if such transfer would result in the Fund's Shares being owned by fewer than 100 persons. See "Description of Capital Structure and Shares – Restrictions on Ownership and Transfer." The transfer of any Shares in violation of the LLC Agreement will be deemed invalid, null and void, and of no force or effect. Any person to whom the Fund's Shares are attempted to be transferred in violation of the LLC Agreement will not be entitled to vote on matters coming before the Shareholders, receive distributions from the Fund or have any other rights in or with respect to the Fund's Shares. The Fund will not have the ability to reject a transfer of the Fund's Shares where all applicable transfer requirements, including those imposed under the transfer provisions of LLC Agreement, are satisfied.

#### No Escrow

The proceeds of the offering of the Fund's Shares will not be placed into an escrow account.

#### Advertising, Sales and other Promotional Materials

In addition to this Registration Statement, subject to limitations imposed by applicable laws and regulations, the Fund expects to use additional advertising, sales and other promotional materials in connection with the continuous offering of Shares. These materials may include (1) information relating to this Registration Statement, the past performance of Rise Companies and its affiliates, property brochures, articles and publications concerning real estate, or public advertisements and audio-visual materials and (2) certain quotes from various publications without obtaining the consent of the author or the publication for use of the quoted material in the sales material, in each case only as authorized by the Fund and subject to limitations imposed by applicable laws and regulations. Although these materials will not contain information in conflict with the information provided by this Registration Statement and will be prepared with a view to presenting a balanced discussion of risk and reward with respect to the Fund's Shares, these materials will not give a complete understanding of the continuous offering of Shares, the Fund or the Fund's Shares and are not to be considered part of this Registration Statement. The continuous offering of the Fund's Shares is made only by means of this Registration Statement and prospective investors must read and rely on the information provided in this Registration Statement in connection with their decision to invest in the Fund's Shares.

# Residents of the State of Washington

For investors and potential investors who are residents of the State of Washington, please send all correspondence, including any questions or comments, to <a href="mailto:washingtonstate@fundrise.com">washingtonstate@fundrise.com</a>.

## **Customer Identification Program**

To help the government fight the funding of terrorism and money laundering activities, federal law requires certain financial institutions to obtain, verify and record information that identifies each person that opens a new account, and to determine whether such person's name appears on government lists of known or suspected terrorists and terrorist organizations. As a result, the Fund may seek to obtain the following information for each person that opens a new account:

- a citizen or resident of the United States;
- Name;

- · Date of birth (for individuals);
- · Residential or business street address (although post office boxes are still permitted for mailing); and
- Social Security number, taxpayer identification number, or other identifying information.

You may also be asked for a copy of your driver's license, passport or other identifying document in order to verify your identity. In addition, it may be necessary to verify your identity by cross-referencing your identification information with a consumer report or other electronic database. Additional information may be required to open accounts for corporations and other entities. If you are opening the account in the name of a legal entity (e.g., partnership, limited liability company, business trust, corporation, etc.), you may be asked to supply the identity of the beneficial owners.

Federal law prohibits certain financial institutions from opening a new account on behalf of a natural person unless they receive the minimum identifying information listed above. After an account is opened, the Fund may restrict your ability to purchase additional Shares until your identity is verified. The Fund may close your account or take other appropriate action if it is unable to verify your identity within a reasonable time. The Fund and its agents will not be responsible for any loss in an investor's account resulting from the investor's delay in providing any and all requested identifying information or from closing an account and repurchasing an investor's Shares when an investor's identity is not verified.

In addition, the Fund may be required to "freeze" your account if there appears to be suspicious activity or if account information matches information on a government list of known terrorists or other suspicious persons.

### Section 18-305 Rights

By purchasing a Share, you are bound by the provisions contained in the LLC Agreement requiring you to waive your rights to request to review and obtain information relating to and maintained by the Fund, including, but not limited to, names and contact information of the Fund's shareholders, information listed in Section 18-305 of the Delaware LLC Act, and any other information deemed to be confidential by the Fund in its sole discretion (the "Waiver Provisions").

Through the Fund's required public filing disclosures, periodic reports and obligation to provide annual reports and tax information to its shareholders, much of the information listed in Section 18-305 of the Delaware LLC Act will be available to shareholders notwithstanding the Waiver Provisions. While the intent of such Waiver Provisions is to protect your personally identifiable information from being disclosed pursuant to Section 18-305 of the Delaware LLC Act, by agreeing to be subject to the Waiver Provisions, you are severely limiting your right to seek access to the personally identifiable information of other shareholders, such as names, addresses and other information about shareholders and the Fund that the Fund deems to be confidential. As a result, the Waiver Provision could impede your ability to communicate with other shareholders, and such provisions, on their own, or together with the effect of the arbitration provisions contained in the LLC Agreement, may impede your ability to bring or sustain claims against the Fund, including under applicable securities laws. The SAI provides additional information about the arbitration provisions. A court may choose not to enforce the Waiver Provisions.

BY AGREEING TO BE SUBJECT TO THE WAIVER PROVISIONS, INVESTORS WILL NOT BE DEEMED TO WAIVE THE FUND'S COMPLIANCE WITH THE FEDERAL SECURITIES LAWS AND THE RULES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED THEREUNDER.

### **Fund Closings**

The Fund may close at any time to new investments and, during such closings, only the reinvestment of dividends by existing Shareholders will be permitted. The Fund may re-open to new investment and subsequently close again to new investment at any time at the discretion of the Adviser. Any such opening and closing of the Fund will be disclosed to investors via a supplement to this Prospectus.

## REPORTS TO SHAREHOLDERS

Shareholders may opt to receive the Fund's audited annual reports and unaudited semi-annual reports, including a list of investments held, electronically through the Fundrise Platform. For Shareholders who have not opted to receive such reports through the Fundrise Platform, the Fund will send to such Shareholders the Fund's annual and semi-Annual reports. In an effort to decrease costs, the Fund intends to reduce the number of duplicate annual and semi-annual reports by sending only one copy of each to those addresses shared by two or more accounts and to Shareholders reasonably believed to be from the same family or household. Once implemented, a Shareholder must contact the Fund to discontinue householding and request individual copies of these documents by <a href="https://www.fundrise.com">www.fundrise.com</a> (or the Fund's website at <a href="https://www.fundrise.com">www.fundrise.com</a>). Once the Fund receives notice to stop householding, individual copies will be sent beginning thirty days after receiving your request. This policy does not apply to account statements.

## CUSTODIAN, TRANSFER AGENT, AND ADMINISTRATOR

Computershare, Inc. and its wholly-owned subsidiary Computershare Trust Company, N.A. (together with Computershare, Inc., "Computershare"), which has its principal office at 250 Royall Street, Canton, Massachusetts 02021, serves as the Fund's transfer agent.

Millennium Trust Company, LLC ("Millennium"), which has its principal office at Spring Road, Oak Brook, IL 60523, serves as the Fund's custodian for the securities and cash of the Fund's portfolio. Under the Custodian Agreement between the Fund and Millennium, Millennium holds the Fund's assets in safekeeping and keeps all necessary records and documents relating to its duties.

Fundrise Fund Administration, LLC (the "Administrator"), a Delaware limited liability company, that is affiliated with the Adviser, provides certain administrative services to the Fund pursuant to an Administrative Services Agreement between the Fund and the Administrator.

The Fund self-custodies a portion of its portfolio assets in accordance with the requirements of Rule 17f-2 under the 1940 Act. The purpose of Rule 17f-2 is to ensure that assets for which an investment company acts as its own custodian are maintained in a manner subject to independent scrutiny. The rule specifies certain procedures and recordkeeping requirements with respect to such assets and, among other things, requires that the assets be deposited in the safekeeping of a bank or other company whose activities are supervised by federal or state authorities.

## INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

KPMG LLP is the independent registered public accounting firm for the Fund and will perform an annual audit the Fund's financial statements. KPMG LLP is located at 8350 Broad Street, Suite 900, McLean, VA 22102.

#### LEGAL COUNSEL

Goodwin Procter LLP, 1900 N Street, NW Washington, DC 20036, serves as legal counsel to the Fund.

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

This Prospectus and the SAI do not contain all of the information set forth in the Registration Statement that the Fund has filed with the SEC (file nos. 333-259996; 811-23745). The complete Registration Statement, including the exhibits filed therewith, may be obtained from the SEC at www.sec.gov. See the cover page of this Prospectus for information about how to obtain a paper copy of this Prospectus or the SAI without charge.

Statements contained in this Prospectus and the SAI as to the contents of any contract or other document referred to are not necessarily complete, and, in each instance, reference is made to the copy of such contract or other document filed as an exhibit to the Registration Statement, each such statement being qualified in all respects by such reference.

Inquiries concerning the Fund and the Shares should be directed by mail to the Fund at Fundrise Income Real Estate Fund, LLC, Attn: Investor Relations, 11 Dupont Circle NW, 9th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20036, by calling (202) 584-0550, or by visiting the Fund's website at <a href="https://www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com">www.fundriseincomerealestatefund.com</a>.