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Attendees of the Barron's Winner's Circle conference were comprised of the 100 women advisors listed in "Top 100 Women Financial Advisors" (June 10, 2013) as well as 500 financial advisors designated as the top 1% producers of their firms.

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WALTON ATTENDS TOP WOMEN ADVISORS SUMMIT

ANGELA WALTON AMONG "BEST OF BEST" FINANCIAL ADVISORS ATTENDING BARRON'S WINNER'S CIRCLE TOP WOMEN ADVISOR'S SUMMIT

Exclusive conference hosts gathering of nation's pre-eminent financial advisors and industry decision makers



Angela Walton, Vice President-- Investments, attended the eighth annual Barron's Top Women Advisor's Summit, hosted by Barron's magazine to

promote best practices in the industry and to reinforce the critical value of financial advice to the investing public. The invitation-only conference was held at The Breakers, December 4-6, in West Palm Beach. The top 100 women financial advisors in the U.S., as ranked and published in Barron's June 10 2013, attended the conference. This annual ranking is the basis for the Top Women Advisors Summit: Advisors are selected for the list based on the quality of the advisors' practice, volume of assets overseen and revenues. Barron's top 100 women ranking is comprised of advisors from major securities firms and independent operations. Walton, with more than 14 years of experience in the business, was designated by Raymond James as a top producer and therefore invited to this prestigious event.

"I was delight to have the opportunity to network with peers and to share ideas and best practices with the top financial advisors in the country," Walton said. "It was nice to hear other women's perspectives and strategies and just spend time with some very talented women; it was an honor to be included with this group." "I am pleased to be returning to Jackson with fresh ideas and good information that I can use in my practice as well as share with my clients." Attendees participated in workshops, led by the top 100 women financial advisors, that explored current issues from business development ideas and managing high-networth accounts to portfolio management in turbulent times and retirement planning. "America needs wise and proven financial leadership. This conference brings together the best advisors in the country to share information and ideas towards one goal: to better serve their clients, their families, and their communities," said Ed Finn, editor and president of Barron's. "The financial markets and investing are more complex than ever. These leading advisors will leave this conference better equipped to help their clients find investing opportunities, avoid market traps and achieve financial well-being."

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