

This brochure supplement provides information about Austin Hilliker that supplements the Wellspring Investing brochure. You should have received a copy of that brochure. Please contact Austin Hilliker if you did not receive Wellspring Investing's brochure or if you have any questions about the contents of this supplement.

Additional information about Austin Hilliker is also available on the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov.

Wellspring Investing

Form ADV Part 2B – Individual Disclosure Brochure

for

Austin Hilliker

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Item 2: Educational Background and Business Experience

Name: Austin Hilliker **Born:** 2001

Educational Background and Professional Designations:

Education:

Bachelor of Science in Engineering-Electrical Engineering, Michigan Technological University - 2023

Business Background:

09/2025 - Present	Managing Member and Chief Compliance Officer Wellspring Investing
10/2024 - Present	Asisstant Bradway Enterprises
05/2024 - 10/2024	Electrical Engineer in Training UP Engineers and Architects
09/2023 - 04/2024	Process Engineer Gentex
08/2020 - 09/2023	College Student
09/2014 - 08/2020	Highschool Student

Item 3: Disciplinary Information

There are no legal or disciplinary events such as criminal or civil actions; administrative or self-regulatory organization proceedings; or any other hearing or formal adjudication regarding a professional attainment, designation, or license that are material to a client's or prospective client's evaluation of this advisory business.

Item 4: Other Business Activities

Austin Hilliker is not engaged in any investment-related business or occupation (other than this advisory firm).

Item 5: Additional Compensation

Austin Hilliker does not receive any economic benefit from any person, company, or organization, other than Wellspring Investing in exchange for providing clients advisory services through Wellspring Investing.

Item 6: Supervision

As the Chief Compliance Officer of Wellspring Investing, Austin Hilliker supervises all activities of the firm. Austin Hilliker's contact information is on the cover page of this disclosure document. Austin Hilliker adheres to applicable regulatory requirements, together with all policies and procedures outlined in the firm's code of ethics and compliance manual.

Item 7: Requirements For State Registered Advisers

This disclosure is required by state securities authorities and is provided for your use in evaluating this investment advisor representative's suitability.

- A. Austin Hilliker has NOT been involved in any of the events listed below.
1. An award or otherwise being found liable in an arbitration claim alleging damages in excess of \$2,500, involving any of the following:
 - a) an investment or an investment-related business or activity;
 - b) fraud, false statement(s), or omissions;
 - c) theft, embezzlement, or other wrongful taking of property;
 - d) bribery, forgery, counterfeiting, or extortion; or
 - e) dishonest, unfair, or unethical practices.
 2. An award or otherwise being found liable in a civil, self-regulatory organization, or administrative proceeding involving any of the following:
 - a) an investment or an investment-related business or activity;

- b) fraud, false statement(s), or omissions;
- c) theft, embezzlement, or other wrongful taking of property;
- d) bribery, forgery, counterfeiting, or extortion; or
- e) dishonest, unfair, or unethical practices.

B. Austin Hilliker has NOT been the subject of a bankruptcy.