"Industry News, Helpful Hint, & Upcoming Events" eNewsletter January 3, 2023



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Trust & Estate Industry News

This week's feature article is: "Estate Planning Techniques in a High-Interest-Rate Environment"

Excerpt (from actual article): "Rising Section 7520 rates do not spell doom for good planning, and there is plenty of silver lining to be found even in inflation. As part of our look ahead for 2023, Lathrop GPM's Edward Tully and Jim Thomson offer four key planning concepts that may help make the new year a little brighter for estate planners and their clients.

You can read the article by clicking <u>HERE</u>.

Last week's feature article was: "Start A Challenging Estate Planning Conversation"

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ESI-Appraise Helpful Hint

This week's topic is:

"57th Annual Heckerling Institute on Estate Planning"

We will be exhibiting at the 2023 Heckerling Institute on Estate Planning in Orlando from January 9 to 13. Our booth (#501) is in the same place as past years, right next to the registration area, and across from the walkway to the sessions.

Personally, we appreciate the opportunity to meet our clients, friends, and subscribers. Professionally, the institute provides a forum for us to discuss the valuations we provide and the technology we use to deliver them.

Please stop by our booth for a short conversation to see if we can help you



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- Mon, Jan 9 Fri, Jan 13 we will be exhibiting at the Heckerling Institute on Estate Planning. Come by and visit us.
- Mon, Jan 16: NASDAQ & NYSE closed for Martin Luther King holiday. We are closed as well.



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