Your Winning Retirement Plan Meeting Agenda

Topic: Chapter 3, Part 1 – Investments

Date: Sunday, January 30th

Time: 4pm – 5pm Mountain Time

Meeting Link: https://azgov.webex.com/azgov/j.php?MTID=m63e13cf27c3fdf28e1f9bec2296699f5

Meeting Number: 2466 611 8392 Password: RMknCx3e2Z4

Join by Phone: 877-309-3457 Access Code: 2466 611 8392

Note: Meetings start promptly at the hour, please try to log in a few minutes before the meeting.

<u>Preparations</u>

Gather your latest account statements for all assets that will be utilized in your retirement plan, 401k, IRA, Roth, 357, 401a, Bonds, Money Market Funds, Annuities, etc. This information will be used to determine what your current asset allocation is.

Summary

We covered new terms last week for this chapter, so now we are diving into the content of the chapter. This chapter is used to introduce the reader to many basic investment and planning concepts. It identifies the various types of investments (ie stocks, bonds, etc) the various types of accounts (ie vehicles) created for holding these investments ad finally introduces the concept of Asset Allocation, a process of distributing your investments across various risk level investments to minimalize risk and maximize gains. The importance of placing investments in the appropriate vehicles to minimize tax implications is also discussed. Finally some thoughts on the appropriate approach to creating a plan and implementing it based on the level of involvement you desire are discussed.

Agenda

- Minutes Review from last week
- Chapter 3 Investments
 - o Chapter Summary
 - o Terms and Concepts
 - Owners and Lenders
 - Asset Allocation
 - Vehicles
 - o Allocating within Vehicles
 - Making Smart Investments
 - o Real Estate
 - o But I Want to Relax
 - Chapter Closing Thoughts
- 10 Minutes Open Discussion

Resources

- Chapter 2 Part 2 & Chapter 3 (PDF Download)
- Chapter 3 Spreadsheets (Excel file)
- Meeting Agenda (PDF Download)
- ArtCentrics.com
 - Money Matters page See past discussions, download and view video and associated materials.
 - Your Winning Retirement Plan page Resources for this set of discussions.