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12 Ameriprise Financial Advisors Named to the Barron's Top 100 Independent Financial Advisors List

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MINNEAPOLIS--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Ameriprise Financial Inc., today announced that 12 financial advisors were named to Barron's list of "Top 100 Independent Financial Advisors" in the country. Barron's magazine recognizes the industry's most outstanding advisors based on several factors, which include levels of ethical standards, professionalism and success in the business. Out of thousands of advisors, the 100 recipients of the award represent a truly elite and exceptional segment of independent wealth management industry.

"We congratulate our top Ameriprise financial advisors for this distinguished recognition," said Bill Williams, Executive Vice President – Ameriprise Franchise Group. "These talented advisors have an unwavering commitment to their clients and excel at providing exceptional service to meet their unique needs."

The complete list and ranks of Ameriprise advisors on the Barron's list are:

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1. Kimberlee Orth from Wilmington, Del. (Ranked #18)
 2. Randall Linde from Renton, Wash. (Ranked #37)
 3. Shawn Parker from Schaumburg, Ill. (Ranked #47)
 4. Jonathan Kuttin from Melville, N.Y. (Ranked #49)
 5. Daniel Wilson from Auburndale, Mass. (Ranked #55)
 6. Charles Simmons from Metairie, La. (Ranked #59)
 7. Erin Scannell from Mercer Island, Wash. (Ranked #71)
 8. Paul Carbetta II from Worthington, Ohio (Ranked #82)
 9. Scott Tiras from Houston, Texas (Ranked #84)
 10. Paul Kropatsch from Thornton, Colo. (Ranked #88)
 11. George Papadoyannis from San Mateo, Calif. (Ranked #93)

12. Darrell Pennington from Houston, Texas (Ranked #100)

The full list of Barron's Top 100 Independent Financial Advisors can be found at **Barron's.com**.

About Ameriprise Financial

At Ameriprise Financial, we have been helping people feel confident about their financial future for more than 120 years. With a network of 10,000 financial advisors and extensive asset management, advisory and insurance capabilities, we have the strength and expertise to serve the full range of consumer financial needs. For more information, or to find an Ameriprise financial advisor, visit **ameriprise.com**.

Source: Barron's®, "Top 100 Independent Financial Advisors" Sept. 15, 2017. Barron's® is a registered trademark of Dow Jones, L.P.; all rights reserved.

These listings are based on data compiled by many of the nation's most productive advisors, which is then submitted to and judged by Barron's®. Key factors and criteria include: assets under management, revenue produced for the firm, regulatory and compliance record, and years of professional experience.

Investment advisory products and services are made available through Ameriprise Financial Services, Inc., a registered investment adviser.

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