

LPL Financial Welcomes Advisor Brian Pflaum

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SAN DIEGO, March 12, 2024 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- <u>LPL Financial LLC</u> announced today that financial advisor Brian M. Pflaum, MBA has joined LPL Financial's broker-dealer, RIA and custodial platforms. He reported serving approximately \$345 million in advisory, brokerage and retirement plan assets* and joins LPL from Lincoln Financial Advisors.

Based in Birmingham, Ala., Pflaum has provided investment strategies, personalized planning and wealth management for high-net-worth individuals, business owners and corporate clients in the 401(k) space since 1998. His goal is to help clients understand complex financial issues by delivering clear strategies and personal service.

After discovering his firm would be acquired, Pflaum decided to survey the marketplace to find the best wealth management partner to support his clients' evolving needs. He turned to LPL for the next chapter of his business and rebranded his practice as TPG Private Wealth.

"With LPL, I have a partner with scale; one that is committed to investing in innovative solutions that will benefit both my practice and clients," Pflaum said. "Now, I have access to an even broader range of products, a best-in-class technology offering and enhanced research capabilities. Moreover, I also look forward to being part of a larger advisor community to share ideas and grow my network."

Scott Posner, LPL Executive Vice President, Business Development, stated, "We warmly welcome Brian to the LPL community and are honored to support his evolving business. We are committed to meeting advisors where they are in the evolution of their practice to provide them with differentiated tools and integrated capabilities that help them deliver meaningful, customized services to their clients. We look forward to a long-lasting relationship with TPG Private Wealth."

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