

We are pleased to inform you that on September 1, 2021, Weaver C. Barksdale & Associates, Inc. will officially rebrand as Barksdale Investment Management (BIM). This change highlights the transition of the firm to a majority women-owned organization that took place in 2019. The bedrock of the professionals that you know and trust remain in place and lead the growing Barksdale team.

As part of our revitalization, we are introducing a new logo that is a reflection of our Nashville roots and links the past with the present.

The logo features the abstract figure of an owl – the symbol of Athena, the Greek goddess of wisdom and also mathematically adept, a fitting association with investing. A magnificent statue of Athena is the focal point inside Nashville's treasured replica of the ancient Parthenon, the firm's original emblem. She is a bridge from our past to the vibrant future we anticipate as we build on our longstanding history to create one of the largest majority women-owned investment firms.

We had hoped to see many of you as corporate America emerges from the pandemic; while in person visits may be deferred by its evolution, know that we are always available via videoconference, phone, and email. In the meantime, very best wishes for the remainder of the year.

Ann L. Roberts

President and CEO

Barksdale Investment Management

ann I. Roberts



