# LNL Money Purchase Plan Annual Participant Fee Disclosure

The purpose of this document is to provide you with important information regarding the LNL Money Purchase Plan (the "Plan") and the Plan's designated investment alternatives, including fee and expense information, to help you compare investment options in accordance with Department of Labor Regulation section 2550.404a-5 ("participant fee disclosure").

This participant fee disclosure is provided by the Lincoln National Corporation Benefits Committee (the "Committee"), the Plan's Administrator and named fiduciary. Any correspondence with the Committee should be directed to:

Lincoln National Corporation Benefits Committee c/o HR Total Rewards 150 N. Radnor Chester Rd. Suite D2 Radnor, PA 19087 484-583-1400

Information presented throughout this entire document is specific only to the Plan's designated investment alternatives. Please contact the Lincoln Customer Contact Center at 800-234-3500 for more information.

If you would like additional information regarding your Plan's designated investment alternatives, you may (1) log on to <a href="www.LincolnFinancial.com">www.LincolnFinancial.com</a> and click on "Research investments" under the "My balances" section of the "Retirement" page; (2) contact the Lincoln Customer Contact Center at 800-234-3500; or (3) send a request to P.O. Box 7888, Fort Wayne, IN 46801-7888. A free paper copy of the information may be obtained by contacting the Lincoln Customer Contact Center at 800-234-3500.

If you have not yet created your username and password to log on to <a href="www.LincolnFinancial.com">www.LincolnFinancial.com</a> and would like to do so, you may call the Lincoln Customer Contact Center at 800-234-3500. Alternatively, you may log on to LincolnFinancial.com and select **REGISTER**. Next, choose **Individual** and click on **Employer Retirement Plan** under **Retirement Account**. Then, enter your birth date, Social Security number and phone number, which will be used for verification (call or text) and will also register as your multi-factor authentication contact during login.

Every effort has been made to ensure that this participant fee disclosure is as thorough and accurate as possible to reflect the legal documents, laws, and regulations that govern the operation of the Plan. In the event of any conflict, the terms of the Plan document, investment arrangements, applicable laws, and regulations will govern.

## **Document Summary**

There are several sections that comprise the participant fee disclosure:

- **General plan information section** provides general information regarding Plan features and designated investment alternatives, such as an explanation of how to give investment instructions and a description of any self-directed brokerage account options, if applicable.
- Plan fees and expenses provide an explanation of any fees and expenses that may be charged to or deducted from your retirement account based on the actions taken by you.
- **Comparative charts** provide a current list of the investment options with performance and fee information or designated investment alternatives in comparative chart format.

# **General Plan Information**

To direct your investments among the Plan's designated investment alternatives:

- · Log on to www.LincolnFinancial.com; or
- Call the Lincoln Customer Contact Center at 800-234-3500. Customer Service Representatives are available Monday through Friday, from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. ET.

You may change your investment elections at any time; transfers are effective the same business day provided instructions are received before 4:00 p.m. ET.

The number of transfers you may make among designated investment alternatives within the product in a given time period may be restricted. An investment option may apply a redemption fee or restrict certain transfers. Transactions associated with market timing – such as frequent, large, or short-term transfers among investment options – can affect the underlying funds and their investments. Lincoln therefore reviews the number of transfers that a participant makes within given periods of time to determine if any transfer attempts were made to capitalize upon short-term movements in the equity markets. If so, the participant's transfer activity will be subject to further scrutiny. Potential market timing or frequent trading may result in future trading restrictions, up to and including temporary (or permanent) revocation of website and telephone exchange privileges.

The designated investment alternatives available in the Plan are those listed in the comparative charts, which follow. In addition to the designated investment alternatives, you may invest in a Personal Choice Retirement Account that allows you to invest in options other than those offered under the Plan. Investments made through a Personal Choice Retirement Account are subject to commission fees and service fees, including quarterly account fees and transfer fees. For more information, please contact Charles Schwab at 888-393-7272. A fee schedule is posted on their participant website at <a href="https://www.schwab.com">www.schwab.com</a> or you may contact the Lincoln Customer Contact Center at 800-234-3500. In addition, participants may see any trade fees/commissions detailed in confirmations received either electronically or through the mail from Charles Schwab. To establish a Personal Choice Retirement Account, please call the Lincoln Customer Contact Center at 800-234-3500.

# **Plan Fees and Expenses**

There are no fees and expenses for general plan administrative services that are charged to or deducted from all individual participant accounts and that are not reflected in the total annual operating expenses of any designated investment alternative under the Plan.

Additionally, explanations of any fees and expenses that may be charged to or deducted from the individual account of a specific participant based on the actions taken by that person are described below. The dollar amount of fees and expenses described below that are actually charged to a participant's account during the preceding quarter will be reflected on the participant's quarterly statement.

# **Individual Participant Fees**

There are no individual participant fees that are applicable during 2023.

# LNL Money Purchase Plan Designated Investment Alternatives Comparative Chart

Investment options, performance history, and fees and expenses as of September 30, 2023

# **Comparative chart summary**

This section is comprised of three charts:

#### Chart 1

- Variable return investments chart
  - comprised of performance information for Plan investment options with no fixed rate of return
  - illustrates the past performance of the investments with the benchmark field

#### Chart 2

- · Fixed return investments chart
  - displays the Plan's investment options with a fixed rate of return

## Chart 3

- Fees and expenses chart
  - displays the fees and expenses you will pay if you invest in a particular option

## Chart 1 - Variable return investments

Chart 1 focuses on the performance of investment options that do not have a fixed or stated rate of return. The chart illustrates how these options have performed over time and allows you to compare them with an appropriate benchmark for the same time periods.

Past performance does not guarantee how the investment option will perform in the future. Your investment in these options could lose money. Additional investment-related information (including more current performance information and information regarding an option's principal risks) is available by logging on to <a href="https://www.LincolnFinancial.com">www.LincolnFinancial.com</a> and clicking on "Research investments" under the "My investments" section of the "Retirement" page.

Chart 1 - Variable return investments								
Investment options	Average annual total returns % as of September 30, 2023							
Morningstar Category Index (Benchmark) Mutual Fund or Collective Investment Trust Name	Ticker/ CUSIP	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year	Inception Date		
Retirement Income		6.81	-0.15	2.31	3.18			
Custom Index*		7.13	1.59	3.37	3.65			
State Street Target Retirement Income Fund – Class M	85744W630	7.15	1.59	3.41	3.67	6/30/2009		
Target Date 2020		9.05	1.35	3.23	4.74			
Custom Index*		8.03	2.32	3.92	5.02			
State Street Target Retirement 2020 Fund – Class M	85744W721	8.07	2.33	3.96	5.06	6/30/2009		
Target Date 2025		9.84	1.76	3.50	5.09			
Custom Index*		10.46	2.63	4.56	5.87			
State Street Target Retirement 2025 Fund – Class M	85744W713	10.55	2.64	4.61	5.91	9/30/2009		
Target Date 2030		11.52	2.73	4.10	5.74			
Custom Index*		12.81	2.73	4.88	6.28			
State Street Target Retirement 2030 Fund – Class M	85744W697	12.96	2.74	4.92	6.33	6/30/2009		
Target Date 2035		13.68	3.90	4.68	6.33			
Custom Index*		13.81	3.10	5.03	6.57			
State Street Target Retirement 2035 Fund – Class M	85744W689	14.00	3.11	5.08	6.61	9/30/2009		
Target Date 2040		15.44	4.83	5.16	6.78			
Custom Index*		14.82	3.66	5.24	6.84			
State Street Target Retirement 2040 Fund – Class M	85744W671	15.06	3.67	5.29	6.89	6/30/2009		
Target Date 2045		16.84	5.56	5.52	7.05			
Custom Index*		15.70	4.17	5.41	7.06			
State Street Target Retirement 2045 Fund – Class M	85744W663	15.97	4.20	5.47	7.13	9/30/2009		
Target Date 2050		17.47	5.80	5.61	7.15			
Custom Index*		16.56	4.49	5.59	7.16			
State Street Target Retirement 2050 Fund – Class M	85744W655	16.84	4.52	5.63	7.21	10/31/2009		
Target Date 2055		17.68	5.91	5.67	7.20			
Custom Index*		16.57	4.50	5.59	7.16			
State Street Target Retirement 2055 Fund – Class M	85744W648	16.86	4.52	5.63	7.21	4/30/2011		

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Investment options			Average annual total returns % as of September 30, 2023					
Morningstar Category Index (Benchmark) Mutual Fund or Collective Investment Trust Name	Ticker/ CUSIP	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year	Inception Date		
Target Date 2060		17.81	6.03	5.71	N/A			
Custom Index*		16.57	4.50	5.59	N/A			
State Street Target Retirement 2060 Fund – Class M	85744W465	16.85	4.52	5.63	N/A	4/1/2015		
Target Date 2065		18.36	6.13	N/A	N/A			
Custom Index*		16.57	4.50	N/A	N/A			
State Street Target Retirement 2065 Fund – Class M	857480354	16.87	4.52	N/A	N/A	12/31/2019		
Intermediate-Core Bond		0.77	-5.02	0.00	1.00			
Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond Index		0.64	-5.21	0.10	1.13			
State Street U.S. Bond Index Fund - Class K	85744W259	0.58	-5.25	0.10	1.11	4/30/2009		
Large Blend		19.13	9.31	8.60	10.42			
S&P 500 Index		21.62	10.16	9.92	11.92			
State Street S&P 500 Index Fund - Class K	85744W705	21.61	10.14	9.90	11.90	5/1/1997		
Small Blend		12.46	11.01	3.70	6.84			
Russell Small Cap Completeness Index		14.13	5.16	4.98	8.16			
State Street Russell Small/Mid Cap Index Fund - Class K	85744W242	14.12	5.15	4.93	8.11	6/30/2002		
Foreign Large Blend		22.92	4.33	2,81	3.60			
MSCI ACWI Ex USA IMI Index		20.19	3.77	2.57	3.48			
State Street Global All Cap Equity Ex-US Index Fund – Class K	85744W531	21.04	3.92	2.78	3.70	3/31/2011		
Intermediate-Core Bond		0.77	-5.02	0.00	1.00			
Bloomberg US Aggregate Index		0.64	-5.21	0.10	1.13			
Macquarie Diversified Income (CIT)**	556070308	2.08	-4.36	0.92	1.73	1/28/2020		
Inflation Protected Bond		1.40	-1.55	1.83	1.33			
Bloomberg US TIPS Index/ Bloomberg Commodity IndexSM/ Dow Jones US Real Estate Investment Trust Index		1.39	5.69	3.45	2.31			
PIMCO Diversified Real Asset CIT	999984PI2	1.32	5.69	3.89	2.45	10/30/2009		
Large Value		14.87	11.84	6.45	8.39			
Russell 1000 Value Index		14.44	11.05	6.23	8.45			
Macquarie Large Cap Value Trust	556070100	6.99	8.53	3.61	7.85	12/20/2017		

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Morningstar Category Index (Benchmark) Mutual Fund or Collective Investment Trust Name	Ticker/ CUSIP	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year	Inception Date		
Large Growth		23.46	4.26	9.04	11.63			
S&P 500 Index		21.62	10.15	9.92	11.91			
American Funds Growth Fund of Amer R6	RGAGX	23.09	5.15	8.61	11.72	12/1/1973		
Small Value		15.00	16.71	4.52	N/A			
Russell 2000 Value Index		7.84	13.32	2.59	N/A			
Delaware Small Cap Value Fund R6	DVZRX	9.89	15.34	3.56	N/A	5/2/2016		
Mid-Cap Growth		13.25	1.64	5.79	8.98			
Russell 2500 Growth Index		10.61	1.01	4.05	8.37			
AB Discovery Growth Fund - Class Z	CHCZX	9.89	-2.61	3.24	8.22	5/30/2014		
Foreign Large Blend		22.92	N/A	N/A	N/A			
MSCI World Ex US Equity Index		20.39	N/A	N/A	N/A			
	004000707	19.31	N/A	N/A	N/A	12/1/2020		
Acadian All-Country World ex-US Equity CIT Fund – Class F	00426P787		17.1					
Foreign Large Growth		18.15	-1.45	2.86	4.39			
MSCI ACWI Ex US Growth Index		15.84	-1.86	2.54	3.92			
MFS International Growth CIT-CI 4	55275K727	18.69	2.81	4.97	6.00	6/24/2011		
Target-Date Retirement		Year-to-Date 2.56	N/A	N/A	N/A			
S&P Target Date To RI TR		3.09	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Income America In Retirement Fund Class 5ForLife-L	97184J326	3.47	N/A	N/A	N/A	12/8/2022		
Target-Date 2025		Year-to-Date 3.83	N/A	N/A	N/A			
S&P Target Date To 2025 TR		4.05	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Income America 2025 Fund Class 5ForLife-L	97184J318	3.34	N/A	N/A	N/A	12/8/2022		
		Year-to-Date						
Target-Date 2030		4.68	N/A	N/A	N/A			
S&P Target Date To 2030 TR	07194 1000	5.26	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Income America 2030 Fund Class 5ForLife-L	97184J292	4.08	N/A	N/A	N/A	12/8/2022		
Target-Date 2035		Year-to-Date 5.72	N/A	N/A	N/A			
S&P Target Date To 2035 TR		6.38	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Income America 2035 Fund Class 5ForLife-L	97184J284	4.55	N/A	N/A	N/A	12/8/2022		
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Investment options		Average annual total returns % as of September 30, 2023					
Target-Date Retirement		Year-to-Date 6.59	N/A	N/A	N/A		
S&P Target Date To 2040 TR		7.45	N/A	N/A	N/A		
Income America 2040 Fund Class 5ForLife-L	97184J276	4.81	N/A	N/A	N/A	12/8/2022	

<sup>\*</sup>The custom benchmark index is a composite of S&P 500, Russell Small Cap Completeness Index, Bloomberg Roll Select Commodity IndexSM, MSCI ACWI ex USA IMI Index, Bloomberg U.S. Long Government Bond Index, Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index, Bloomberg U.S. Government Inflation-Linked 1-10 Year Bond Index, Bloomberg U.S. Intermediate Government Bond Index, Bloomberg U.S. High Yield Very Liquid Index, Bloomberg U.S. 1-3 Year Government/Credit Bond Index, FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed Index

<sup>\*\*</sup>Reflects performance of Class A (formerly Class 36) and Class 45

# Chart 2 - Fixed return investments

Chart 2 focuses on the performance of investment options that have a fixed or stated rate of return. The chart displays the credited rate of return of each such option, the term or length of time that you will earn this rate of return, and other information relevant to performance.

Chart 2 – Fixed return investments								
Investment option	Rate Type	Annual Return	Term	Other				
	New money rate	3.00	Quarterly	The rate of return as of 9/30/2023 was 3.0%. The rate of return is fixed quarterly (and is based on the 5-year average of the				
Lincoln Stable Value F39s	Portfolio rate	3.00	Quarterly	Barclays Stable Income Market Index plus 0.20% as of one month prior to the				
Guaranteed minimum interest rate	Guaranteed minimum interest rate	3.00	1-99 years	beginning of each quarter) but will never fall below the guaranteed minimum annual rate of 3.0%.				
Current rate of return is available by calling the Lincoln Customer Contact Center at 800-234-3500								

# Chart 3 – Fee and expense information

Chart 3 displays fee and expense information for the investment options listed in the prior two charts (Chart 1 and Chart 2). It indicates the total annual operating expenses of the options in Chart 1. Total annual operating expenses are expenses that reduce the rate of return of the investment option. This chart also shows shareholder-type fees. These fees are in addition to total annual operating expenses.

Chart 3 – Fee and expense information								
Investment option		Total annual operating expenses		Net operating expenses		Shareholder-type		
	Ticker	As a %	Per \$1000	As a %	Per \$1000	fees		
State Street Target Retirement Income Fund - Class M	85744W630	0.07	\$0.70	0.07	\$0.70			
State Street Target Retirement 2020 Fund – Class M	85744W721	0.07	\$0.70	0.07	\$0.70			
State Street Target Retirement 2025 Fund – Class M	85744W713	0.07	\$0.70	0.07	\$0.70			
State Street Target Retirement 2030 Fund – Class M	85744W697	0.07	\$0.70	0.07	\$0.70			
State Street Target Retirement 2035 Fund – Class M	85744W689	0.07	\$0.70	0.07	\$0.70			
State Street Target Retirement 2040 Fund – Class M	85744W671	0.07	\$0.70	0.07	\$0.70			
State Street Target Retirement 2045 Fund – Class M	85744W663	0.07	\$0.70	0.07	\$0.70			
State Street Target Retirement 2050 Fund – Class M	85744W655	0.07	\$0.70	0.07	\$0.70			
State Street Target Retirement 2055 Fund – Class M	85744W648	0.07	\$0.70	0.07	\$0.70			
State Street Target Retirement 2060 Fund – Class M	85744W465	0.07	\$0.70	0.07	\$0.70			
State Street Target Retirement 2065 Fund – Class W	857480354	0.07	\$0.70	0.07	\$0.70			
State Street U.S. Bond Index Fund - Class K	85744W259	0.04	\$0.40	0.04	\$0.40			

Chart 3 –	Fee and ex	pense i	nformati	on		
		Total annual operating expenses		Net operating expenses		Shareholder-type
Investment option	Ticker	As a %	Per \$1000	As a %	Per \$1000	fees
State Street S&P 500 Index Fund – Class K	85744W705	0.013	\$0.13	0.013	\$0.13	
State Street Russell Small/Mid Cap® Index Fund – Class K	85744W242	0.040	\$0.40	0.040	\$0.40	
State Street Global All Cap Equity Ex-US Index Fund – Class K	85744W531	0.07	\$0.70	0.07	\$0.70	
Macquarie Diversified Income Trust (CIT)	556070308	0.30	\$3.00	0.30	\$3.00	
PIMCO Diversified Real Asset Collective Trust	999984PI2	0.41	\$4.10	0.41	\$4.10	
Macquarie Large Cap Value Trust	556070100	0.50	\$5.00	0.50	\$5.00	
American Funds Growth Fund of America R6	RGAGX	0.30	\$3.00	0.30	\$3.00	
Delaware Small Cap Value R6	DVZRX	0.70	\$7.00	0.70	\$7.00	
AB Discovery Growth Fund - Class Z	CHCZX	0.64	\$6.40	0.64	\$6.40	
Acadian All-Country World ex-US Equity CIT Fund – Class F	00426P787	0.55 (max	\$5.50 imum)	0.55 (max	\$5.50 imum)	
MFS International Growth – Class 4	55275K727	0.57	\$5.70	0.57	\$5.70	
Income America In Retirement Fund Class 5ForLife-L	97184J326	0.87	\$8.70	0.87	\$8.70	
Income America 2025 Fund Class 5ForLife-L	97184J318	0.87	\$8.70	0.87	\$8.70	
Income America 2030 Fund Class 5ForLife-L	97184J292	0.87	\$8.70	0.87	\$8.70	
Income America 2035 Fund Class 5ForLife-L	97184J284	0.87	\$8.70	0.87	\$8.70	
Income America2040 Fund Class 5ForLife-L	97184J276	0.86	\$8.60	0.86	\$8.60	
Lincoln Stable Value F39s*		0.00	\$0.00	0.00	\$0.00	Transfers from this investment option to a competing fund may be restricted. Transfers may be made to noncompeting funds if there are no subsequent transfers to competing funds within 90 days.

<sup>\*</sup>No asset charges with respect to investments in the Lincoln Stable Value Fund are deducted from participant accounts; however, 0.10% is the investment management expense that Lincoln pays for the management of the underlying assets.

Total Annual Operating Expense: Expenses that reduce the rate of return of the investment option.

Net Operating Expense: Total Annual Operating Expense net any applicable fund company waivers/reimbursements.

The cumulative effect of fees and expenses can substantially reduce the growth of your retirement savings. For an example of the long-term effects of fees and expenses on your retirement account, visit the Department of Labor website at http://www.dol.gov/ebsa/publications/401k\_employee.html. Fees and expenses are only one of many factors to consider when you decide to invest in an option. You may also want to consider whether an investment in a particular option, along with your other investments, may help you achieve your financial goals.

Please visit www.LincolnFinancial.com and click on the "Glossary" link at the bottom of the page for a glossary of investment terms relevant to the investment options under this Plan. This glossary is

# intended to help you better understand the terms used in this document.

# Important Disclosures. Please read.

This participant fee disclosure provides summary information about the terms and provisions of a company-sponsored tax-qualified plan. If there are any conflicts between this information and the actual terms and provisions of the official plan documents, the plan documents control. Lincoln National Corporation reserves the right to amend or terminate any company-sponsored plans at any time.

This participant fee disclosure constitutes part of a prospectus covering securities that have been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

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