

## **INVESTMENT CRITERIA**

LIFE STAGE	Mature Businesses with at least 4 years of Operating History
NET EARNINGS	<b>\$1 to \$5 Million</b> in EBITDA with at least a 3-year history of earnings within this range
REVENUE + PROFITABILITY	Sales of more than \$10 Million with demonstrated or a clear path to double-digit operating margins
OWNERSHIP	Primarily Family-Owned Businesses, but will consider carveouts from a corporation or private company
GROWTH	Track record of positive annual organic growth (2% or more over last 3 years)
LOCATION	North American Headquarters
INDUSTRIES	<b>Mature Industries</b> excluding commodities, natural resources, or overly cyclical businesses (construction, real estate, etc.)
IDEAL CHARACTERISTICS	Stable and Diversified Client Mix Sufficient Layer of Competent, Non-owner Management