



RMB Capital Co-Founders in Top Quartile of *Barron's* 2013 "Top 100 Independent Financial Advisors"

Richard Burridge (no. 22) and Frederick Paulman (no. 24) make the list for the fifth consecutive year

CHICAGO - September 19, 2013 - The co-founders of RMB Capital (RMB), an independent investment advisory firm with more than \$3.5 billion in assets under management, were ranked among the "Top 100 Independent Financial Advisors" for the fifth consecutive year by *Barron's*, a leading financial publication.

- **Richard "Dick" Burridge, Jr.**, CFP®: Founding Principal, CEO, and Chief Investment Officer of RMB Capital moved to #22, up from #24 in 2012.
- **Frederick "Fred" Paulman**, CFP®, CPA: Founding Principal and President of RMB Capital moved to #24, up from #25 in 2012.

"It is an honor for us to be among this elite group of independent advisors," said Dick Burridge. "*Barron's* is a highly regarded publication that investors and financial industry professionals rely on for high-quality, credible content. We believe the editors approach this evaluation process with the same due diligence that underpins all of their reporting. We take pride in this recognition because we feel it acknowledges the value of RMB's comprehensive, client-centric wealth management approach, which is ultimately something that every one of our employees deserves credit for upholding."

To be nominated for this listing, advisors must complete a 102-question survey about their practice. The resulting pool of nominated advisors is screened by *Barron's* editors to determine the top 100 practitioners. The screening process focuses on a variety of criteria, including total assets under management and the overall quality of the practice.

"*Barron's* goal in publishing its rankings is to shine a spotlight on leading advisors with an eye toward raising standards in the industry," said Ed Finn, editor and president of *Barron's*. "The rankings serve two types of *Barron's* readers. For wealth management professionals, who comprise about one-quarter of our readership, they serve as an industry scorecard. For individual investors, who make up about three-quarters of our readership, our advisor rankings are a tool to help them in the process of finding financial guidance."

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