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Methodology: Financial Advisor magazine is a monthly financial services publication that delivers market information, strategies and trends to help advisors better serve their clients. Registered Investment Advisers founded in 2015 or before with minimum AUM of $300 million were ranked based on number of clients in 2018, percentage growth in total percentage assets under management from year end 2017 to 2018, and growth in percentage growth in assets per client during the same time period. Click here for more information regarding the ranking.

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Northwest Arkansas Council: Region Rising Companies Earn Spots on Inc. 5000 List, August 20, 2018 article.

Methodology: Cabana was recognized, along with seven other Northwest Arkansas companies, as being listed in the 2018 Inc. 5000 list. Click here to read the article. Selection was based entirely on the Inc. 5000 2018 ranking (disclosed below) and being a company in Northwest Arkansas. Cabana provided general information to the Northwest Arkansas Council at their request but did not have editorial input and was not afforded an opportunity to review or revise the article prior to it being published.

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Methodology: Complete information about the awards methodology can be obtained here and is generally described as follows by Wealth & Finance Magazine:

- **Entry**: Entry is open to any organisation and can take the form of self-submission, third-party recommendation or publisher-cast nomination. Entries made via our website are anonymous, secure and details are not shared with third party organisations. The preponderance of votes is driven by Wealth & Finance International; we send direct entry links to relevant organisations, both within the industry and to our extensive circulation. We also nominate those who we deem worthy. Where appropriate, media partners and sponsors may also distribute voting forms on our behalf. Prior to undertaking any research, we ask all nominees to formally accept or decline their nomination, allowing us to focus our efforts on those who choose to engage with the process and are comfortable being assessed in further detail. Nominees accepting their nomination form what becomes our shortlist; these candidates progress to an internal review. There is no cost associated with any part of accepting a nomination or receiving an award and entries can withdraw at any time.

- **Evaluation**: As we accept self-nominations, the number of votes do not determine the winners. All organisations are assessed based on the merit of their endeavours, the overall strength of their entry, and have evidence of recent accomplishments to convince our in-house research team that they are worthy. We use a combination of primary and secondary research techniques to acquire both qualitative and quantitative data depending on its relevance to the program; when rewarding specific funds for instance, we will rely on quantitative information over fixed timeframes whereas determining the success of a business as whole, we may appraise them more on the qualitative aspects of their past performance. In addition to our research, we invite nominees to submit substantiating evidence. By providing this evidence nominees gain the opportunity to submit information that may not be found in the public domain or on the nominees’ website; therefore, this can form an important part of the entry process. A formal document is produced by us, the publisher, to collate this information; however, our research team accepts filetypes in most common formats.

- **Judging**: Our professional researchers scrutinise information presented across all mediums and work alongside our senior judge to make the ultimate decision. To advance from nominee to winner; the candidate must be able to demonstrate expertise in a given area, dedication to client fulfilment, noteworthy performance or commitment to innovation.

- **Promotion**: Initially, results are announced in confidence, to the winners, and we set an informal press-embargo. During this time, the award coordinator will liaise with the winners to review the items in our promotional toolkit. The promotional toolkit is made up of various packages and celebratory items (some free of charge, some paid-for) designed by our in-house production and marketing team to achieve to help winners achieve maximum brand exposure. As our winners select their chosen packages, our production team commence on the fulfilment of all items necessary for the formal announcement, when the celebratory magazine is published and the press embargo lifted.

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Methodology: The 2018 Inc. 5000 is ranked according to percentage revenue growth when comparing 2014 and 2018. To qualify, companies must have been founded and generating revenue by March 31, 2014. They had to be U.S.-based, privately held, for profit, and independent—not subsidiaries or divisions of other companies—as of December 31, 2017. (Since then, a number of companies on the list have gone public or been acquired.) The minimum revenue required for 2014 is $100,000; the minimum for 2017 is $2 million.
As always, Inc. reserves the right to decline applicants for subjective reasons. Companies on the Inc. 500 are featured in Inc.’s September issue. They represent the top tier of the Inc. 5000, which can be found at [http://www.inc.com/inc5000](http://www.inc.com/inc5000).

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Methodology: Cabana was independently approached (unsolicited) by Financial Advisor Magazine to be the cover story for their August 2018 issue. Cabana’s provided information about its operations at the request of Financial Advisor Magazine and it principals were interviewed for the story. However, Cabana did not have editorial input and was not afforded an opportunity to review or revise the article prior to it being published.

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Methodology: Financial Advisor magazine is a monthly financial services publication that delivers market information, strategies and trends to help advisors better serve their clients. Registered Investment Advisers were ranked based on percentage growth in year-end 2017 AUM over year-end 2016 AUM with minimum AUM of $250 million, assets per client, and growth in percentage assets per client. [Click here for more information regarding the ranking.](#)

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Methodology: The list is based on the most recent Form ADV filed with the U.S. Securities & Exchange Commission. Firms whose most recent filings were more than 15 months old were excluded. Rounded to nearest 100.

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**Runner Up Best Investment Firm: Citiscapes Magazine Best of NWA Readers Choice, December 2017 issue; December 2016 issue.**

**Methodology:** Awardees of Citiscapes Magazines “Best of NWA” Readers Choice categories are selected based upon the voting of Citiscapes Magazines’ readers on the magazine’s Website at [http://www.bestofnwar.com/](http://www.bestofnwar.com/), which is open to the public. Voting instructions are as follows:

“Incomplete ballots are acceptable; vote in one or as many categories as you wish. You must be 18 or older to cast a ballot. Contact the NWA CitScapes Magazine office at (479) 582-1061 or e-mail for more information. Duplicate Entries Will Not Be Counted. Only one ballot per person is allowed. Simply hit the tab key to advance to the next category. Hitting the enter key will submit your entire ballot.”

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