

Peter Norden – Bio

Mr. Norden has over 40 years of experience in the mortgage lending business. He is currently the CEO of HomeBridge Financial Services, Inc., a national originator and servicer of mortgage loans with licenses in all 50 states. The Company closed approximately \$18 billion in originations in 2019 with annual revenue in excess of \$700 million. The Company is also servicing a portfolio in excess of \$12 billion as of 12/31/19.

Prior to joining HomeBridge, Peter had founded Opteum Financial Services, Inc. (“OFS”) in 1999. As the CEO and President of OFS, Peter grew the mortgage origination and servicing business into a national platform licensed to operate across 47 states with originations in excess of \$8 billion per year. In 2005, he sold OFS to Bimini Capital Management, formerly Opteum Inc., but stayed on as Executive Vice President of the public entity. He left Opteum in 2007.

Mr. Norden is currently on the MBA’s Board of Directors and the Fannie Mae Customer Advisory Board as well as the Freddie Mac CEO Advisory Board. He is also a former President of the Mortgage Bankers Association of New Jersey. Mr. Norden is extremely active in industry causes and concerns and has run many committees and initiatives to help the independent mortgage banking community.