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## **Benjamin F. Edwards Places First Nationally in the *USA TODAY* Top Workplaces 2026 Survey of Mid-Size Firms**

**ST. LOUIS, April 13, 2026** — Benjamin F. Edwards has been named the #1 mid-size company in the nation in the USA TODAY Top Workplaces 2026 awards, ranking first among 408 mid-size organizations with 500–999 employees.

The award marks Edwards' fifth consecutive national workplace recognition -- the second time it has ranked #1 nationally in its category. A total of 1,661 organizations were recognized nationally across four business-size categories.

"These rankings -- published in USA TODAY -- span all industries, not just financial services, making this award even more special. It's a testament to the incredible culture we've built together as a team, said Tad Edwards, Chairman, CEO, and President of Benjamin F. Edwards.

"What's even more remarkable is that our national ranking as a Top Workplace is based entirely on employee feedback from an objective, confidential third-party survey conducted by research firm Energage. Many of our employees participated in the survey, and I'm grateful for the candid feedback."

Tad added, "We are fully aligned around our mission and long-term vision -- setting the stage for a truly exciting road ahead. And we're still only in the early chapters of our growth and expansion.

"Most importantly, thank you to everyone on our team whose passion, inspiration, and commitment to one another made this national recognition possible. This achievement belongs to all of you."

#### **About Benjamin F. Edwards**

With a legacy spanning nearly 140 years across six generations of the Edwards family, Benjamin F. Edwards today is an entrepreneurial wealth management enterprise that welcomes client-first, full-service financial advisors to join the firm. Advisors at Benjamin F. Edwards provide holistic wealth management, helping clients build the future they want on a foundation of trust, integrity and mutual respect — principles that have guided the firm for generations. The growing

national firm operates in 34 states with more than \$52 billion in assets under management. Headquartered in St. Louis, the firm maintains a home-office model that emphasizes direct access and personalized support for advisors. The firm remains committed to freedom, wealth creation, having fun and long-term independence for future generations.

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