



# Personal Lines Segment: USLI Personal Lines Update and Instant Quoting

Co-Hosted by: Braishfield and USLI

We are SUPER PUMPED that you are here!!

# **Agenda**

- ▶ Who is Braishfield
- ► Why USLI
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- ► Coverages and Products
- ► Leveraging Instant Phone Quote
- Web Quoting
- ► How to Bind
- Questions and Answers



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### Who is Braishfield

- ► Established in 1984
- ▶ Write Commercial and Personal Lines for numerous carriers
- Offer Admitted and Non-Admitted carriers
- ► A Member of Bridge Specialty Group
- ► Licensed for Property & Casualty, as well as Surplus Lines in all states.



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# Why USLI

- ▶ Braishfield is excited to be offering our Partner Agents direct access and expedited service to USLI for all your quoting needs.
- ► They are an industry leader who specializes in underwriting low premium, low hazard specialty insurance products and wants to be your go-to-company for small businesses.





## Who is USLI

- ► USLI is an of A++ rated Berkshire Hathaway company that supports its products with financial strength and stability
- ▶ USLI is committed to making a difference through our welldesigned products delivered to you with unparalleled speed, service and support.
- ► We are passionate about our service reputation and how it reflects on you.
- ► Multi-platform delivery (phone and web)



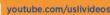
















## **HO 6 Product**

- ► Available in all states except AK, AL, CA, FL, HI, KY, LA, WV
  - Primary liability coverage available where bolded
- Owner-occupied condos: primary and secondary
- ▶ Condos rented to others
  - Annually
  - Seasonally/Weekly/Nightly
    - Home sharing endorsement included



### **HO 6 Product**

- ► Individuals, LLCs, estates, trusts, limited partnerships as named insured
- ► Coverage A limits up to \$500,000
- ► Coverage C limits up to \$200,000
- ► Loss of use/rents up to \$50,000
- ► Loss assessment up to \$50,000
  - No cap toward a master deductible
- ► Liability up to \$1 million including full personal injury
- ► Can add property manager or association as additional insured
- ▶ Water back up of \$5,000 included



Rental Dwelling



# **Rental Dwelling Appetite**

- ▶ Rental dwellings that are rented annually, owned by individuals, trusts, estates or LLCs, and used as investment properties/rental income
- ▶ Up to 10 locations in personal lines
- ▶ Not a market for ...
  - HO 3 coverage
  - AK, AL, CA, FL, HI, KY, LA, TN, WV
    - Primary liability coverage available where bolded



# **Rental Dwelling Appetite**

- ▶ DP 3 coverage available up to 90 years old
- ► Up to \$1 million in property limits per location higher limits available in Commercial Lines
- ► Liability up to \$1 million including full personal injury
- ▶ No aggregate limit for liability
- Automatically extend coverage for other structures and fair rental value



FOR SALE

**Vacant** 

# **Vacant Appetite and Selling Features:**

- ► Can consider a variety of vacant homes and condo units including those under renovations
- ▶ No restriction on length of vacancy
- ► Available on commercial forms in all states except AK, LA and WV
  - Property limits up to \$3 million
- ► Available on Personal Lines forms in AZ, CT, GA, IL, IN, MI, MN, NJ, NY, OH, PA, SC and VA
  - Property limits up to \$1 million



# **Vacant Appetite and Selling Features**

- Replacement costs and special form available depending on age and updates
- ▶ Policy terms of 3, 6, 9 and 12 months available
- ► No minimum earned premium
- ▶ Package and monoline coverage available
- ► Personal property/contents coverage available
- ► Ability to consider properties with a pool



Comprehensive Personal Liability and Excess Comprehensive Personal Liability



# Where USLI Can Fill the Gaps

- ► Rental properties
  - Annual and short-term including home sharing exposures
- Vacation homes
- Vacant land
- ▶ Dwellings or condo units
- ► Stand alone property in a state run program
- ► Homes under construction
- ▶ Mobile homes and RV lots



# Where USLI Can Fill the Gaps

- ▶ Up to \$5 million in additional limits in most states
- ► Follow form coverage over primary liability
- ▶ Ideal for:
  - Higher limits are desired, but you do not control the personal umbrella
  - Certain exposures that cannot be included on a packaged umbrella
  - Rentals, vacant properties, vacant land, homes under construction and many more exposures eligible
  - Primary carrier restricts liability limits to \$500,000 or less



Personal
Umbrella and
Excess
Umbrella



### **USLI Personal Umbrella: Stand Alone Solution**

- ▶ Broad range of entities considered including Trust & LLC
- ▶ No schedule of exposures is required
- ► Drop-down, first dollar coverages
  - Non-owned boats under 26 feet and under 300 horsepower
  - Non-owned recreational vehicles
  - Non-owned autos outside the U.S.
- ► Personal injury buyback option
  - Can be purchased if personal injury is excluded on the primary homeowners or renters policy



### Personal Umbrella/Excess Umbrella

- ► Limits available in most states when auto or watercraft is included
  - Preferred applicants: Up to \$2 million
  - High risk applicants: Up to \$1 million
  - High profile: Up to \$2 million
  - Farm and ranch owners: Up to \$2 million
  - Excess uninsured motorists/underinsured motorist coverage: Up to \$1 million





## **Home Based Businesses:**

......44% don't have or don't know what's covered for their business

## Homeowners policy provides little coverage

- Business personal property
- Liability
- Loss of business income

## Commercial business owners package

- Designed for main street mercantile businesses
- Liability rates contemplate higher foot traffic
- As a result, may be expensive



# **Home Based Business Coverage Options**

- Business personal property (on- and offpremises)
  - On-premises: \$5,000 included, can increase to \$100,000
  - Off-premises: \$10,000 included, can increase to \$15,000
- ► Liability limits up to \$1 million
- ► Loss of business income
- ► Host liquor liability
- ► Errors and omissions (E&O) \$25,000 of E&O coverage for most classes



### 140 Classes Offered!

Top Classes Include:

Bakers, Photographers, Personal Fitness Trainers, Teachers/Tutors, Crafts, Professional organizers, Car detailers, Disc jockeys (DJs), Beauticians, Sale of personal care products

Recently Added Classes Include:

Photo Booths, Language Instructors, Pet Accessories, Pet Sitters/Groomers, Wedding Officiants



# **Special Event Exposure**

## ► Broad eligibility:

- Concert
- Conference/convention
- Festival
- Fundraiser
- Golf outing
- Hole-in-one contest

- Musical/theater event
- Parade
- · Party/social event
- Sporting event
- Trade show
- Wedding

#### And many more!

- Events featuring fireworks or mechanical rides
- ► One day, multi-day & annual policies available
- ► Up to \$50,000 prize value for Hole-in-one coverage
- ► Event hosts, vendors, performers/entertainers, caterers, etc.

No application needed!







## What Is Instant Phone Quote?

- ► The quickest way to get a quote available!
- ► When you dial 888-845-1729 you will be connected to one our 90+ underwriters who are ready to assist you
- ▶ We will then ask the key rating information to generate a premium
- ► The underwriter will email that quote directly to you along with a pre-filled application ready for the applicant to verify and sign
- ► If we cannot quote a risk over the phone, we will refer you back to **Braishfield.**



#### CALL FOR AN INSTANT QUOTE

888-845-1729

#### With just a few questions, we can provide you an Instant Quote for:

#### Commercial Lines Products

- · 1-4 Family Dwelling
- Artisan/Trade Contractors
- · Beauty Salons and Barber Shops
- Builders Risk
- Commercial Excess/Umbrella
- · Concessionaires/Vendors/Food Trucks
- · Contractor's Equipment
- Convenience/Deli/Grocery/Liquor Stores
- · Fitness Centers
- Janitorial Services
- Land Leased to Others
- Laundromats
- Lawn Care
- Liquor Liability
- Main Street Mercantile
- · The Office
- · Residential Condominium Unit Owners
- Restaurants
- · Specialty Educators, Trainers and Instructors (dance, music and tutoring)
- · Truckers General Liability
- · Vacant Building/Land

#### Professional/Nonprofit Products

- · Arts and Cultural Organizations
- Business/Trade Associations (Chambers, Professional Associations, Business Membership Associations)
- · Charitable Organizations (Fundraising Organizations, Supportive Organizations or Foundations)
- Community Associations
- · Employment Practices Liability
- Houses of Worship
- · Medical Providers Employment Practices
- · Miscellaneous Errors and Omissions
- Nonprofit Excess/Umbrella
- · Nonprofit Directors and Officers
- · Property Managers Professional Liability
- · Real Estate Errors and Omissions
- · Social Services (Food Banks/Soup Kitchens, Counseling Organizations and Youth Programs)
- · Sports Organizations
- · Technology Professionals





#### Personal Lines Products

- · Comprehensive Personal Liability
- · Dwelling Package
- · Excess Comprehensive Personal Liability
- Excess Personal Umbrella
- HO4-Renters
- HO6-Condo Unit Owners
- Home Based Business
- Personal Umbrella
- Vacant Dwelling

#### Special Events

- · Festivals and Concerts
- · Fundraisers and Sporting Events
- · Golf Outings and Hole-in-One Contests
- · Trade Shows and Conventions
- · Weddings and Parties

#### NO ACORD FORMS NEEDED TO QUOTE!

Our underwriters are available Monday-Friday: 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. ET and Saturday: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. ET

> Quote Online 24/7 at braishfield.com/quotes/usli

For binding, endorsements and policy issuance questions, please contact us at our main office. 4/25

Main Office 888-335-6616



# What to Expect After the Call



- ► Copies of the quote, along with a pre-filled application and point of sale materials will be immediately emailed directly to you
- ► All bind requests should be sent to **Braishfield** at service@braishfield.com.

Instant Phone Quote helps you convert opportunities into cash!





## **How to Log In Today**





- Go to www.Braishfield.com/quotes/usli
- 2. Click 'Quote Now'
- 3. Click Start a Quote
- 4. Enter your email and password to access your account
  - New user? Enter your email, click "Send Verification Code," then enter the code you receive and click "Verify Code" to continue
- 5. Begin Quoting!





# Online Underwriting Resolution Through Web Chat

- ► When you are quoting online, you can web chat with one of our Instant Quote underwriters to resolve system questions or underwriting submit issues
- ► Our underwriters will work with you to turn the submission into a quote along with pre-filled applications and point of sale materials

Instant Quote can reduce transaction time from days to minutes!



## **Get a Quick Quote!**





- Dial 888-845-1729
- ✓ No Acord form needed to quote
- ✓ Underwriters available
   7 a.m. 8 p.m. Monday through
   Friday
   9 a.m. 1 p.m. on Saturday



Get a quote Online at www.braishfield.com/quotes/usli

- ✓ Quote 24/7
- √ No Acord form needed to quote

# **How to Bind a USLI Policy**

- ► Binding Instructions are located on the Binding Instructions Page, which is attached to each quote
  - In order to request binding, who to send your bind request to at Braishfield
  - What documents to include with your Binder Request
  - Payment Options





#### **USLI Binder Request Instructions**

In order to request binding, Email to: service@braishfield.com or Fax to: 888-335-6615

The following documents must be included with your Binder Request:

- Copy of the Quote, that includes:
  - Requested Effective Date
  - Limits Requested (if applicable)
  - o Optional Coverages Requested (if applicable)
  - Direct Bill Selection and Payment Options (if applicable)
- Completed and Signed Application
- Completed and Signed Terrorism Form (for Commercial Policies ONLY)
- If full payment is collected, a copy of payment check OR if using ACH (E-Check) or Credit Card, a copy of the online payment receipt.
- If using Premium Financing, a copy of the down payment check or online payment receipt AND a copy of the signed Premium Finance Agreement.

If quote is provided on a Non-Admitted basis:

Completed and Signed Diligent Effort Statement/Surplus Lines Affidavit - Forms can be found by going to the Braishfield Web Portal.

NOTE: For Special Event quotes, proof of payment is required to be sent with the Binder Request.

#### **Payment Options**

- Payment must be collected prior to submitting your binder request. Your agency is responsible for any earned premium due to lack of payment to us.
- For Payment Options, visit the payment options page at: https://www.braishfield.com
- If using Premium Financing, a copy of the signed Premium Finance Agreement should be sent with the Bind Request.
- Direct Bill If quoted on an Admitted Basis and Direct Bill is available. <u>NOTE</u>: If Direct Bill option is selected, <u>DO NOT</u> collect payment from the customer, USLI will bill the customer directly.
- Allstate Agents
  - If paying by paper check, the customer's check should be payable to Braishfield.
  - Agency Bill Policies An invoice will be supplied to you with the binder or policy. Hold payment until you
    receive our invoice.
- All Other Agents
  - If paying by paper check, the customer's check should be payable to your agency.
  - Payment should be submitted to Braishfield <u>NET</u> of commission.
  - Agency Bill Policies An invoice indicating commission amount and amount due will be supplied to you with the binder or policy. Hold payment until you receive our invoice



# **Questions?**

# **ANY QUESTIONS??**









### **Contact Braishfield**

- ► Thank you for your time
- ► Visit us at <a href="https://www.Braishfield.com">www.Braishfield.com</a>
- ► Contact me for more information:

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