



# Northern California Power Agency

**May 2017** 

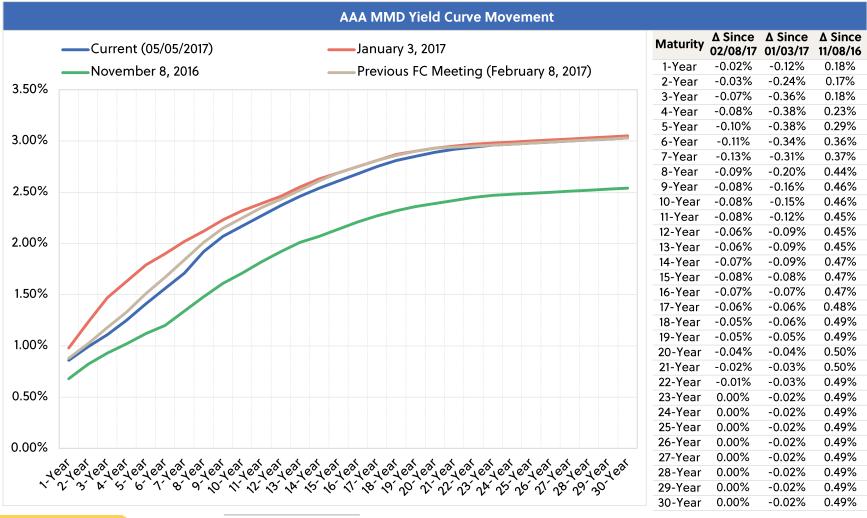
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# Report on Current Financial Market Conditions or Issues



### **Recent AAA MMD Yield Curve Movement**





# **Current Interest Rate Snapshot**

							May	5, 2017							
Year	Maturity	UST	AAA MMD	AA MMD	AA Spread	A MMD	A Spread	Year	Maturity	UST	AAA MMD	AA MMD	AA Spread	A MMD	A Spread
1-Year	2017	1.10%	0.90%	0.92%	0.02%	1.09%	0.19%	16-Year	2032	-	2.68%	2.91%	3.24%	0.23%	0.56%
2-Year	2018	1.32%	1.08%	1.13%	0.05%	1.35%	0.27%	17-Year	2033	-	2.75%	2.98%	3.31%	0.23%	0.56%
3-Year	2019	1.51%	1.26%	1.33%	0.07%	1.58%	0.32%	18-Year	2034	-	2.81%	3.04%	3.36%	0.23%	0.55%
4-Year	2020	-	1.44%	1.53%	0.09%	1.81%	0.37%	19-Year	2035	-	2.85%	3.08%	3.40%	0.23%	0.55%
5-Year	2021	1.88%	1.63%	1.74%	0.11%	2.04%	0.41%	20-Year	2036	2.83%	2.89%	3.12%	3.44%	0.23%	0.55%
6-Year	2022	-	1.79%	1.92%	0.13%	2.23%	0.44%	21-Year	2037	-	2.92%	3.15%	3.47%	0.23%	0.55%
7-Year	2023	-	1.96%	2.12%	0.16%	2.47%	0.51%	22-Year	2038	-	2.94%	3.17%	3.49%	0.23%	0.55%
8-Year	2024	-	2.10%	2.28%	0.18%	2.64%	0.54%	23-Year	2039	-	2.96%	3.19%	3.51%	0.23%	0.55%
9-Year	2025	-	2.23%	2.43%	0.20%	2.81%	0.58%	24-Year	2040	-	2.97%	3.20%	3.52%	0.23%	0.55%
10-Year	2026	2.35%	2.32%	2.53%	0.21%	2.92%	0.60%	25-Year	2041	-	2.98%	3.21%	3.53%	0.23%	0.55%
11-Year	2027	-	2.41%	2.63%	0.22%	3.03%	0.62%	26-Year	2042	-	2.99%	3.22%	3.54%	0.23%	0.55%
12-Year	2028	-	2.49%	2.73%	0.24%	3.13%	0.64%	27-Year	2043	-	3.00%	3.23%	3.55%	0.23%	0.55%
13-Year	2029	-	2.59%	2.84%	0.25%	3.24%	0.65%	28-Year	2044	-	3.01%	3.24%	3.56%	0.23%	0.55%
14-Year	2030	-	2.68%	2.94%	0.26%	3.33%	0.65%	29-Year	2045	-	3.02%	3.25%	3.57%	0.23%	0.55%
15-Year	2031	2.67%	2.74%	3.00%	0.26%	3.39%	0.65%	30-Year	2046	2.99%	3.03%	3.26%	3.58%	0.23%	0.55%



### **AAA MMD Position (Since Inception)**





### **AAA MMD Position (Past Ten Years)**





### **U.S. Treasury and AAA MMD Rate Movement**

• Intermediate and long-term yields increased during the latter third of April reversing most of the decrease in interest rates during the first three weeks of the month

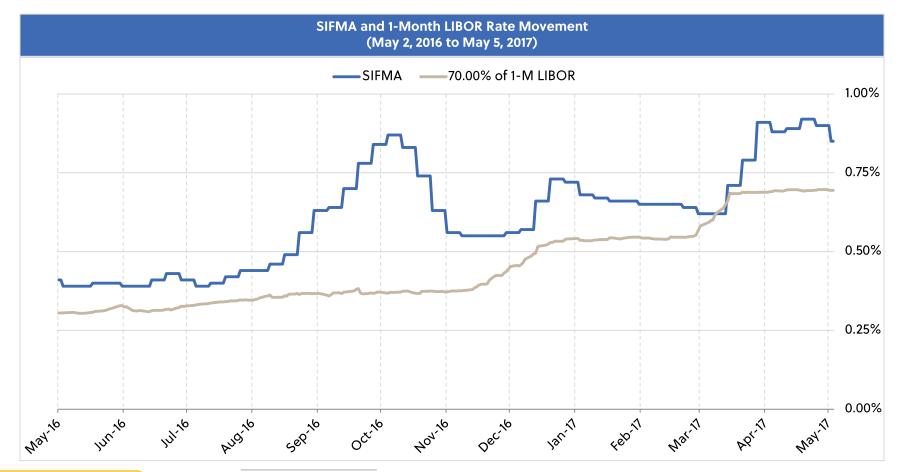






### **SIFMA and 1-Month LIBOR Rate Movement**

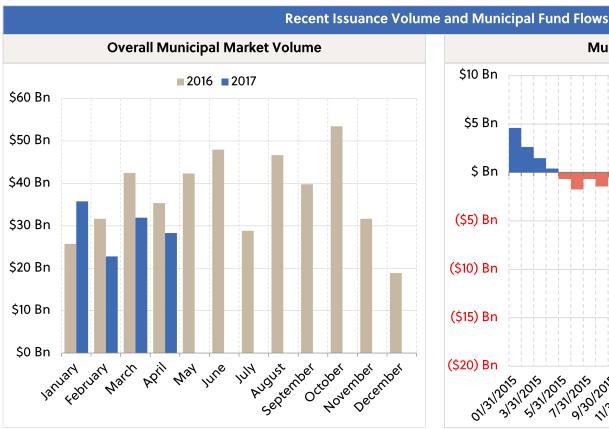
• SIFMA and LIBOR have remained relatively flat in April, after having adjusted higher with the Fed's decisions to raise rates in December 2016 and March 2017

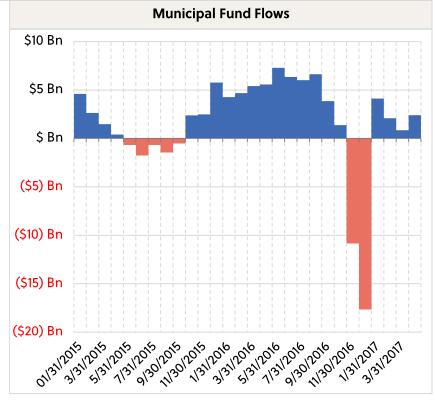




# **Municipal Market Supply and Demand**

 After record issuance in 2016 and a heavy January, volume in February, March, and April was lower by ~24% compared to 2016; volume for the first four months of the year is ~12% lower compared to last year. Municipal bonds funds have continued to report net cash inflows







### **Interest Rate Forecasts**

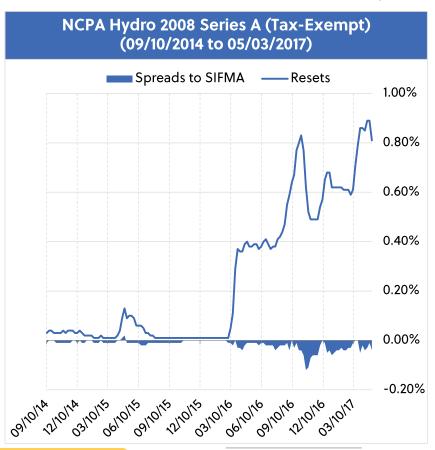
- Market participants continue to call for an increase in interest rates as shown in the data compiled by Bloomberg below
  - The probability of a Fed rate hike by June 2017 is currently 100%

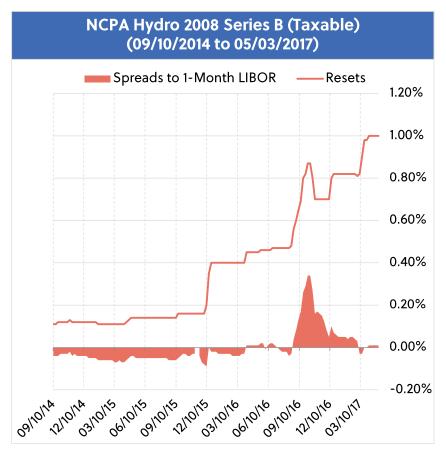
The Street's Interest Rate Forecast (As of May 5, 2017)									
Average Forecasts	Current	Q2 17	Q3 17	Q4 17	Q1 18	Q2 18	Q3 18		
30-Year UST	2.99%	3.16%	3.27%	3.37%	3.44%	3.54%	3.67%		
10-Year UST	2.35%	2.62%	2.73%	2.84%	2.90%	2.98%	3.10%		
2-Year UST	1.32%	1.50%	1.62%	1.79%	1.94%	2.12%	2.29%		
3M LIBOR	1.18%	1.36%	1.52%	1.67%	1.82%	2.05%	2.21%		
Fed Funds Target Rate (Upper)	1.00%	1.20%	1.40%	1.50%	1.65%	1.90%	2.05%		
Fed Funds Target Rate (Lower)	0.75%	0.96%	1.13%	1.25%	1.42%	1.63%	1.79%		



### Resets on NCPA's Hydroelectric Project 2008 Series A & B Bonds

• As a result of the increase in short-term rates, NCPA's Hydroelectric 2008 Series A and B Bonds have also been resetting higher; however, they continue to trade well versus benchmarks and have been hedged with interest rate swaps







# **Refunding Updates**

• There are certain refunding candidates in NCPA's debt portfolio—primarily in the LEC 2010 Series A—that generate some savings, despite the long escrow periods to call dates and the relatively short amortization of the debt

	LEC Issue One   2010 Series A   Refunding Screen   (\$ in 000s)												
		Candidate			New Yield –	Individual PV	Savings	Negative	Escrow				
Component	Maturity	Par	Coupon	Call Date	New Held	\$	%	Arbitrage	Efficiency				
Term	6/1/2021	\$6,520	5.00%	6/1/2020	1.46%	\$156	2.40%	-	100.00%				
Term	6/1/2022	\$6,845	5.00%	6/1/2020	1.65%	\$326	4.77%	\$36	90.00%				
Term	6/1/2023	\$7,185	5.00%	6/1/2020	1.82%	\$489	6.81%	\$73	87.00%				
Term	6/1/2024	\$7,545	5.00%	6/1/2020	2.00%	\$631	8.37%	\$116	84.50%				
Term	6/1/2025	\$7,925	5.00%	6/1/2020	2.22%	\$728	9.19%	\$172	80.90%				
		\$36,020				\$2,332	6.47%	\$398	85.42%				

Assumptions: Interest rates as of May 5, 2017; SLGS escrow; Delivery Date of 8/1/2017; COI of \$7.5 per bond; UD of \$2.5 per bond; No Reserve Fund considerations

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# **Refunding Updates (Cont'd)**

- The Hydroelectric Project, 2008 Series C transaction is callable 7/1/2018 but is estimated to be only 13% advance refundable
  - Given the size, a direct purchase would make an attractive option were NCPA to pursue an advance refunding

		пушоек	ectric Project	.   2006 Series	C   Kerunaing	Screen   (\$ in 0	005)		
		Candidate			New Yield -	Individual PV	Savings	Negative Arbitrage	Escrow Efficiency
Component	Maturity	Par	Coupon	Call Date	New Held	\$	%		
Serial	7/1/2019	\$1,455	5.00%	7/1/2018	1.11%	\$19	1.31%	\$0	97.80%
Serial	7/1/2020	\$1,535	5.00%	7/1/2018	1.26%	\$72	4.71%	\$3	96.50%
Serial	7/1/2021	\$1,615	5.00%	7/1/2018	1.42%	\$124	7.68%	\$5	96.00%
Serial	7/1/2022	\$1,695	5.00%	7/1/2018	1.61%	\$171	10.10%	\$8	95.30%
Serial	7/1/2023	\$1,700	5.00%	7/1/2018	1.78%	\$207	12.19%	\$11	94.90%
Serial	7/1/2024	\$2,020	5.00%	7/1/2018	1.97%	\$277	13.71%	\$17	94.30%
		\$10,020				\$871	8.69%	\$44	95.15%

Assumptions: Interest rates as of May 5, 2017; SLGS escrow; Delivery Date of 8/1/2017; COI of \$22.5 per bond; UD of \$2.5 per bond; No Reserve Fund considerations

- The Hydroelectric Project, 2010 Series A transaction is callable 7/1/2019 but is likely not advance refundable at all
- We will continue to monitor the NCPA debt portfolio as various call dates approach and interest rates fluctuate

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# **Treasury to Suspend Sales of State and Local Government Series Securities**

#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

#### March 8, 2017

WASHINGTON, D.C. – The U.S. Department of the Treasury's Bureau of the Fiscal Service announced today the suspension of sales of State and Local Government Series (SLGS) nonmarketable Treasury securities, effective 12:00 noon Eastern Time (ET), March 15, 2017, until further notice. This suspension is necessary due to the statutory debt ceiling and will assist Treasury's management of the debt subject to limit

The suspension applies to demand deposit and time deposit securities. Subscriptions for SLGS received by the Bureau of the Fiscal Service prior to 12:00 noon, on March 15, 2017, will be issued on the date requested. New subscriptions for SLGS will not be accepted during the suspension.

The <u>TreasuryDirect.gov</u> website has more information about the effect of the debt ceiling on SLGS, including how it impacts holders of outstanding demand deposit securities, available at <a href="http://www.treasurydirect.gov/gov//resources/fag/slgs.slgs.htm#Effect">http://www.treasurydirect.gov/gov//resources/fag/slgs.slgs.htm#Effect</a>

The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) provides guidance for affected government entities in Revenue Procedure 95-47, 1995-47 I.R.B. 12, available at <a href="http://www.irs.gov/Tax-Exempt-Bonds/Revenue-Procedures">http://www.irs.gov/Tax-Exempt-Bonds/Revenue-Procedures</a>.

The SLGS program began in 1972 to assist state and local government entities in complying with IRS arbitrage regulations. The securities are not available to the general public.



# Report on NCPA's Debt Portfolio



# **NCPA Member Ratings**

	NCPA Member Ratir	ngs		
Member -		Ratings		
Wellibei	Moody's	S&P	Fitch	
Alameda Municipal Power	-	A+ / Stable	A+ / Stable	
Bay Area Rapid Transit District (1)	Aa2 / Stable	AA+ / Stable	AA+ / Stable	
City of Biggs	-	-	-	
City of Gridley	-	-	-	
City of Healdsburg (Wastewater)	-	AA / Stable	-	
Lodi Electric Utility	A2 / Stable	A- / Stable	A- / Stable	
City of Lompoc (Water and Wastewater)	A2 / No Outlook	-	-	
City of Palo Alto (Combined Utility) (2)	Aa2 / No Outlook	AAA / Stable	-	
Port of Oakland (3)	A2 / Stable	A+ / Stable	A+ / Stable	
Redding Electric Utility	A2 / No Outlook	-	A+ / Stable	
Roseville Electric	A2 / Positive	AA- / Stable	AA- / Stable	
Silicon Valley Power	-	A+ / Negative	A+ / Positive	
Truckee Donner PUD (Water)	-	AA- / Stable	-	
City of Ukiah (Wastewater)	Baa2 / No Outlook	-	-	
Associate Members				
Plumas-Sierra REC	-	-	-	
Non NCPA LEC/Geothermal Members				
City of Azusa (Electric) (4)	-	A / Stable	-	
California Department of Water Resources	Aa1 / Stable	AA / Stable	AA+ / Stable	
(Power and Water) (4)	Aa1 / Stable	AAA / Stable	-	
Modesto Irrigation District (4)	A2 / Stable	A+ / Stable	A+ / Stable	
PWRPA (4)	-	-	-	
TID (5)	A2 / Stable	AA- / Stable	A+ / Stable	

<sup>(1)</sup> Sales tax revenue backed; (2) Len securing the Aa1 rated 1995 bonds has been closed; (3) Senior most; (4) LEC project participant; (5) Geothermal project participant; Senior most

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# **Geothermal Project Descriptive Overview**

Descrip	tive Overview of Geothermal Project
Description	Geothermal power plant
Location	Geysers, Sonoma & Lake County, near Middletown, CA
Туре	Base load renewable energy
Fuel	Geothermal steam
Generation Capacity	<ul> <li>Plant 1: 2 units at 110 MW nameplate – currently producing 55 MW</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Plant 2: 1 unit at 55 MW nameplate – currently producing 45 MW</li> </ul>
Other Facilities	<ul> <li>67 production wells and ten injection wells</li> <li>102 miles of underground well pipe</li> <li>Eight miles of steam gathering pipe</li> <li>Effluent Pipeline Project – 6,400 gpm</li> <li>Three pump stations, five miles of injection pipe, horizontal injection well</li> </ul>
First Year in Operation	Plant 1: 1983; Plant 2: 1985
Highlights	<ul> <li>Provides baseload, reliable, renewable energy</li> <li>Expected life extended well past life of debt due to Effluent Pipeline Project and recent system replacement and modernization</li> <li>Majority of debt now paid in full – small amount remaining for recent system upgrades</li> <li>AB32 emission requirements do not apply</li> </ul>



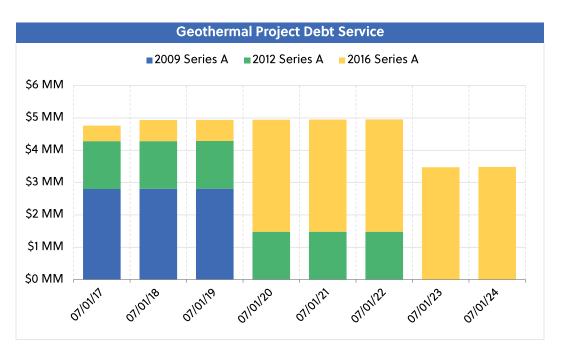






# **Geothermal Project Debt Overview**

Geothermal Proj	ect Participation	Percentages
Member	Entitlement Share (%)	Beneficiary Share (%)
Alameda	16.8825	16.8825
Biggs	0.2270	0.2270
Gridley	0.3950	0.3360
Healdsburg	3.6740	3.6740
Lodi	10.2800	10.2800
Lompoc	3.6810	3.6810
Palo Alto	6.1580	0.0000
Plumas-Sierra	0.8145	0.7010
Roseville	7.8830	7.8830
Santa Clara	44.3905	44.3905
TID	0.0000	6.3305
Ukiah	5.6145	5.6145



	Summary of Outstanding Geothermal Project Debt										
Ratings (M/S/F): A1/A-/A+, Stable Outlooks											
Series Tax Status Coupon Type Issue Size Outstanding Coupon Range Call Date Final Matur											
2009 Series A	Tax-Exempt	Fixed-Rate	\$35,610,000	\$7,640,000	5.000%	-	7/1/2019				
2012 Series A	Tax-Exempt	Fixed-Rate	\$12,910,000	\$8,240,000	2.289%	7/1/2017	7/1/2022				
2016 Series A	Tax-Exempt	Fixed-Rate	\$17,530,000	\$17,530,000	1.670%	-	7/1/2024				

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# **Hydroelectric Project Descriptive Overview**

Descrip	ive Overview of Hydroelectric Project
Description	Series of five Hydroelectric Generating Stations on the North Fork of the Stanislaus River
Location	Murphys, CA
Туре	Base load and peaking capacity
Fuel	Water
<b>Generation Capacity</b>	<ul> <li>Collierville: 253 MW (2 @ 126.5 MW)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Spicer: 6 MW (2 @ 2.75 MW, 1 @ 0.5 MW)</li> </ul>
Other Facilities	<ul> <li>Collierville: 40 miles of Transmission Line, 2,065 Acre Feet of storage at McKays Reservoir</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Spicer: 189,000 Acre Feet of storage at Spicer</li> </ul>
First Year in Operation	1990
License	Through 2032 with option to extend
Highlights	<ul> <li>Offers firm, renewable, emission free source of power to help stabilize other intermittent renewable sources such as solar and wind, and integrate all into a more effective resource mix</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Zero Carbon Energy Credit for entire output</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>AB32 emission requirements do not apply</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>6 MWs of CEC Qualified Renewable Energy</li> </ul>



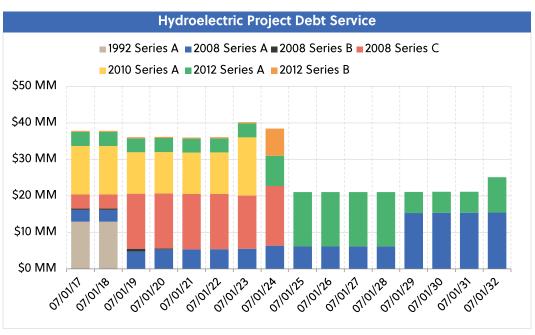






# **Hydroelectric Project Debt Overview**

Hydroelectric Project Pa	rticipation Percentages
Member	Entitlement Share (%)
Alameda	10.000
Biggs	0.100
Gridley	1.060
Healdsburg	1.660
Lodi	10.370
Lompoc	2.300
Palo Alto	22.920
Roseville	12.000
Santa Clara	35.860
Ukiah	2.040
Plumas-Sierra	1.690



	Summary of Outstanding Hydroelectric Project Debt										
Ratings (M/S/F): A1/A+/A+, Stable Outlooks											
Series Tax Status Coupon Type Issue Size Outstanding Coupon Range Call Date I											
1992 Series A	Tax-Exempt	Fixed-Rate	\$195,610,000	\$23,595,000	6.300%	Non-Callable	7/1/2018				
2008 Series A	Tax-Exempt	Variable-Rate	\$85,160,000	\$85,160,000	Var. (3.819%) (S)	Current	7/1/2032				
2008 Series B	Taxable	Variable-Rate	\$3,165,000	\$1,540,000	Variable (V)	Current	7/1/2020				
2008 Series C	Tax-Exempt	Fixed-Rate	\$128,005,000	\$77,130,000	5.000%	7/1/2018	7/1/2024				
2010 Series A	Tax-Exempt	Fixed-Rate	\$101,260,000	\$72,615,000	5.000%	7/1/2019	7/1/2023				
2012 Series A	Tax-Exempt	Fixed-Rate	\$76,665,000	\$76,665,000	5.000%	7/1/2022	7/1/2032				
2012 Series B	Taxable	Fixed-Rate	\$7,120,000	\$7,120,000	4.320%	Make-Whole	7/1/2024				

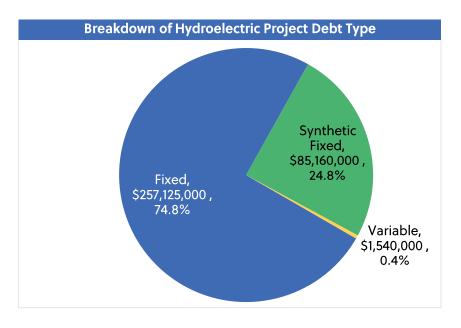
(S) Swapped; Please see next page for details, (V) 4% variable rate assumed for debt service chart



# **Hydroelectric Project Debt Overview (Cont'd)**

	Hydroelectric Project Swap Summary										
Series	NCPA Pays	NCPA Receives	Trade Date	Effective Date	Maturity Date	MTM Value (As of 05/04/17)	Initial Notional	Current Notional	Bank Counterparty		
2008 Series A	3.8190%	54% of USD- LIBOR + 0.54%	11/24/04	11/24/04	7/1/32	(\$18,283,998)	\$85,160,000	\$85,160,000	Citibank, N.A., New York (A1/A+/A+)		
2008 Series B	USD-LIBOR	5.2910%	11/24/04	11/24/04	7/1/32	\$242,387	\$1,574,000	\$1,142,014	Citibank, N.A., New York (A1/A+/A+)		

Hydroelectric Project Liquidity Summary						
Series	LOC Provider	LOC Expiry	Last Reset			
2008 Series A	Bank of Montreal (Aa3/A+/AA-)	September 09, 2019	0.81%			
2008 Series B	Bank of Montreal (Aa3/A+/AA-)	September 09, 2019	1.00%			

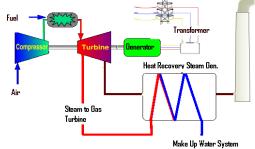




# **Capital Facilities Project Descriptive Overview**

Descriptiv	ve Overview of Capital Facilities Project
Description	Summer peaking energy and capacity, 1 – LM5000 Aeroderivative, steam-injected gas turbine with HRSG
Location	Next to Interstate 5 near Lodi, CA
Туре	Peaking
Fuel	Natural Gas
Plant Net Capability	49.9 MW
Average Heat Rate	9,000
<b>Project Completed</b>	1996
Expected Life	2026
Highlights	<ul> <li>STIG cycle plant which has the advantage of lower capital costs than a combined cycle plant, but very high efficiency</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Makes use of a collaborative partnership with Lodi for wastewater reclamation</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Qualifies as "Local" Capacity for CAISO Resource Adequacy Program; proximity to participants facilitates low transmission costs and increased reliability</li> </ul>



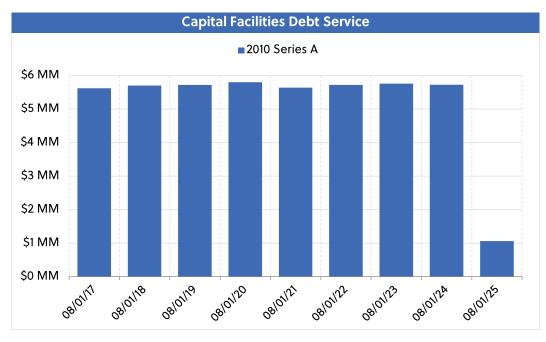






# **Capital Facilities Debt Overview**

Capital Facilities Participation Percentages				
Member	Entitlement Share (%)			
Alameda	19.00			
Lodi	39.50			
Lompoc	5.00			
Roseville	36.50			



	Summary of Outstanding Capital Facilities Debt						
	Ratings (M/S/F): A2/A-/ , Stable Outlooks						
Series	Tax Status	Coupon Type	Issue Size	Outstanding Par	Coupon Range	Call Date	Final Maturity
2010 Series A	Tax-Exempt	Fixed-Rate	\$55,120,000	\$37,400,000	3.600% - 5.250%	2/1/2020	8/1/2025

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# **Lodi Energy Center Project Descriptive Overview**

Descriptive	Overview of Lodi Energy Center Project
Description	Combined Cycle
Location	Next to Interstate 5 near Lodi, CA
Туре	Base load and peaking capacity
Fuel	Natural Gas
<b>Generation Capacity</b>	304 MW rating
Average Heat Rate	6,824
Other Facilities	2.7 miles of Gas Transmission Line
First Year in Operation	2012
Highlights	<ul> <li>Offers state of the art "fast start" technology</li> <li>Facilitates integration of California renewables</li> <li>Most efficient heat rate in northern California</li> <li>Low emissions; net carbon reducing (20 – 70%)</li> <li>Ideal location; partnership with City of Lodi; proximity to participants facilitates low transmission costs and increased reliability</li> </ul>



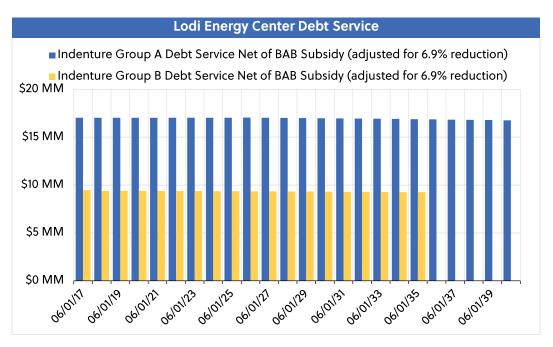






# **Lodi Energy Center Debt Overview**

LEC Participation Percentages							
Member	Entitlement Share (%)	Ind. Group A Cost Share (%)					
CDWR	33.5000	-					
Azusa	2.7857	4.9936					
Biggs	0.2679	0.4802					
Gridley	1.9643	3.5212					
Healdsburg	1.6428	2.9448					
Lodi	9.5000	17.0295					
Lompoc	2.0357	3.6491					
Santa Clara	25.7500	46.1588					
Ukiah	1.7857	3.2010					
MID	10.7143	-					
Plumas-Sierra	0.7857	1.4084					
PWRPA	2.6679	4.7824					
SFBART	6.6000	11.8310					



	Summary of Outstanding Lodi Energy Center Debt						
Series	Tax Status	Coupon Type	Issue Size	Outstanding Par	Coupon Range	Next Call	Final Maturity
Indenture Group A   Ratings (M/S/F): A2/A-/A, Stable Outlooks							
2010 Series A	Tax-Exempt	Fixed-Rate	\$78,330,000	\$59,140,000	5.000%	6/1/2020	6/1/2025
2010 Series B	Taxable BABs	Fixed-Rate	\$176,625,000	\$176,625,000	7.311% <sup>(T)</sup>	Make-Whole	6/1/2040
Indenture Group B—CADWR   Ratings (M/SF): Aa2/AAA/, Stable Outlooks							
2010 Series A	Tax-Exempt	Fixed-Rate	\$30,540,000	\$14,270,000	5.000%	Non-Callable	6/1/2019
2010 Series B	Taxable BABs	Fixed-Rate	\$110,225,000	\$110,225,000	4.630%-5.679% (T)	Make-Whole	6/1/2035

(T) Taxable Build America Bonds; Interest rate gross of BAB subsidy



# **Appendix: Unsolicited Proposals**

# Northern California Power Agency

Refunding Opportunity Update & New Money Analysis

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# Refunding Update

Section 1





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### **Debt Overview**



### With 14 series of bonds outstanding, the bond portfolio is highly optimized with limited refunding candidates

- The Hydroelectric Project 2008 Refunding Series C Bonds have a call date in 2018
  - The bonds are first eligible to be current refunded in early 2018; they can be advance refunded at any time on a taxable basis
- The Geothermal Project Series 2009 A Bonds are advance refundable at any time and are first callable July 1, 2020
- The Lodi Energy Center 2010 Series A Issue One are callable on June 1, 2020, and are advance refundable at any time

### **Summary of Bonds Outstanding**

		Date of	Final	Coupon			Par
Issue	Program	Issue	Maturity	Type	Call Date	<b>Original Par</b>	Outstanding
2009 Series A	Geothermal Project	03/24/2009	07/01/2024	Fixed	07/01/2020	\$35,610,000	\$23,345,000
2012 Series A	Geothermal Project	09/01/2012	07/01/2022	Fixed	TBD	\$12,910,000	\$8,875,000
1992 Refunding Series A	Hydroelectric Project	06/01/1992	07/01/2023	Fixed	Non-Callable	195,610,000	23,595,000
2008 Refunding Series A	Hydroelectric Project	04/02/2008	07/01/2032	Variable	Current	85,160,000	85,160,000
2008 Refunding Series B	Hydroelectric Project	04/02/2008	07/01/2020	Variable	Current	3,165,000	1,540,000
2008 Refunding Series C	Hydroelectric Project	07/24/2008	07/01/2024	Fixed	07/01/2018	128,005,000	77,130,000
2010 Refunding Series A	Hydroelectric Project	04/05/2010	07/01/2023	Fixed	07/01/2020	101,260,000	72,615,000
2012 Refunding Series A	Hydroelectric Project	04/05/2010	07/01/2032	Fixed	07/01/2022	76,665,000	76,665,000
2012 Refunding Series B	Hydroelectric Project	04/05/2010	07/01/2024	Fixed	Make-Whole	7,120,000	7,120,000
2010 Refunding Series A	Capital Facilities Project	01/29/2010	08/01/2025	Fixed	08/01/2020	55,120,000	37,400,000
2010 Series Alssue One	Lodi Energy Center	06/24/2010	06/01/2025	Fixed	06/01/2020	78,330,000	59,140,000
2010 Series B Issue One (BABs)	Lodi Energy Center	06/24/2010	06/01/2040	Fixed	Make-Whole	176,625,000	176,625,000
2010 Series Alssue Two	Lodi Energy Center	06/24/2010	06/01/2019	Fixed	Non-Callable	30,540,000	14,270,000
2010 Series B Issue Two (BABs)	Lodi Energy Center	06/24/2010	06/01/2035	Fixed	Make-Whole	110,225,000	110,225,000
Total Fixed Rate						\$1,008,020,000	\$687,005,000
Total Variable Rate						88,325,000	86,700,000
Total Outstanding						\$1,096,345,000	\$773,705,000

As of January 31, 2017 (Fiscal Year End: 6/30)

Both series of VRDBs are supported with credit facilities through 2019

These bonds have been swapped to a fixed rate through 2032





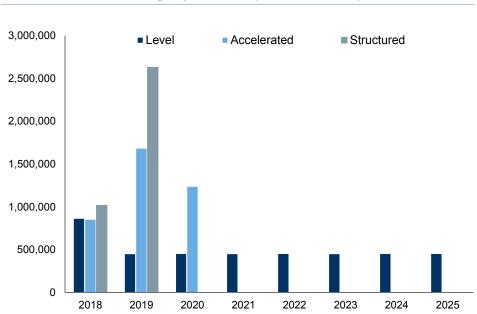
Savings can be structured to provide cash flow benefits of over \$3 million in FY 2018 and FY 2019

- The 2008 Refunding Series C Bonds are callable on July 1, 2018
  - The refunding results below assume a taxable advance refunding; a small portion of the bonds may be eligible for tax-exempt refunding
- Three savings scenarios are shown below:
  - 1. Level savings: Refunding structured to generate level annual savings,
  - Accelerated savings: Refunding structured to accelerate savings
  - 3. FY 2019 Structure savings: Refunding structured to generate additional cash flow savings in the FY 2019 by refunding a portion of the July 1, 2018 maturity of the Hydroelectric Project 2010 Refunding Series A Bonds
- The Structured Savings scenario provides \$3.6 million of cash flow savings in FY 2018 and FY 2019

#### **Comparison of Refunding Results**

	Level	Accelerated	Structured
Delivery Date	07/03/2017	07/03/2017	07/03/2017
Call Date	07/01/2018	07/01/2018	07/01/2018
Refunded Maturities	2019-2024	2019-2024	2018-2024
Refunded Par Amount	\$77,130,000	\$77,130,000	\$87,260,000
Refunding Par Amount	\$80,645,000	\$80,645,000	\$91,205,000
Average Coupon	2.852%	2.862%	2.826%
True Interest Cost	2.902%	2.912%	2.880%
Escrow Yield	0.946%	0.946%	0.946%
Negative Arbitrage	\$1,467,384	\$1,475,552	\$1,636,696
Gross Savings	\$4,050,743	\$3,792,816	\$3,673,193
Average Annual Cash Flow Savings (\$)	\$579,137	\$542,261	\$525,159
Cash Flow Savings FY 2018 - FY 2019	\$1,320,015	\$2,540,666	\$3,657,741
Net PV Savings (\$)	\$3,670,241	\$3,632,593	\$3,549,276
Net PV Savings (% of refunded par)	4.759%	4.710%	4.067%

### Annual Cash Flow Savings by Scenario (6/30 Fiscal Year)



Note: Information regarding advance refundability is subject to the opinion of bond counsel. For purposes of our analysis, we assumed that the bonds are not advance refunded on a tax-exempt basis. Assumes refunding with fixed rate bonds issued under market conditions as of March 6, 2017





### PV Savings of 5.1% of refunded par achievable under current market conditions

- NCPA's Geothermal Project 2009 Series A Bonds will be callable on July 1, 2020
- The Bonds were issued to fund capital improvements related to NCPA's Geothermal Project Number 3, and are advance refundable
- Our analysis assumes that maturities producing 3% savings, or 50% efficiency and positive savings are refunded (highlighted below)

### **Summary of Refunding Results**

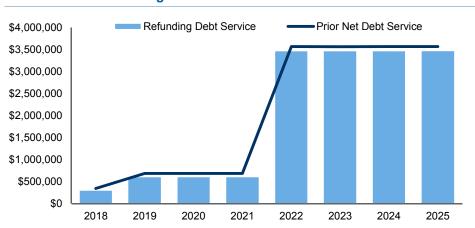
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### **Individual Maturity Refunding Results**

<b>Total (Savings</b>	s > 0)	\$20,925,000	\$628,340	3.00%	\$189,910	76.8%
07/01/2024	5.250%	3,480,000	263,728	7.58%	118,427	69.0%
07/01/2023	5.000%	3,305,000	186,576	5.65%	76,070	71.0%
07/01/2022	5.500%	3,135,000	162,720	5.19%	33,361	83.0%
07/01/2021	5.500%	2,970,000	80,993	2.73%	-4,511	105.9%
07/01/2020	5.250%	2,815,000	-14,032	-0.50%	-27,130	34.1%
07/01/2019	5.000%	2,675,000	-23,749	-0.89%	-8,045	74.7%
07/01/2018	5.000%	2,545,000	-27,896	-1.10%	1,736	106.6%

<sup>\*</sup>Savings Efficiency is equal to Individual Savings divided by the sum of Negative Arbitrage and Individual Savings.

### **Annual Cash Flow Savings**



Note: Information regarding advance refundability is subject to the opinion of bond counsel. Assumes refunding with fixed rate bonds issued under market conditions as of March 6, 2017



### Lodi Energy Center 2010 Series A Issue One – Tax-Exempt Refunding Analysis

### PV Savings of 5.08% of refunded par achievable under current market conditions

- NCPA's Lodi Energy Center 2010 Series A Bonds will be callable on June 1, 2020
- The 2010 Series A Bonds were issued concurrently with the 2010 Series B Bonds to fund a portion of the construction costs associated with the Lodi Energy Center and are advance refundable
- Our analysis assumes that maturities producing 3% savings, or 50% efficiency and positive savings are refunded (highlighted below)

### **Summary of Refunding Results**

Delivery Date	07/03/2017
Call Date	07/01/2020
Refunded Maturities <sup>1</sup>	2021-2025
Refunded Par Amount	\$36,020,000
Refunding Par Amount	\$34,785,000
True Interest Cost	2.211%
Escrow Yield	1.557%
Negative Arbitrage	\$655,809
Gross Savings	\$2,020,510
Average Annual Cash Flow Savings (\$)	\$255,402
Net PV Savings (\$)	\$1,830,071
Net PV Savings (% of refunded par)	5.081%
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<sup>1)</sup> Represent Sinking fund maturities of 2025 term bond

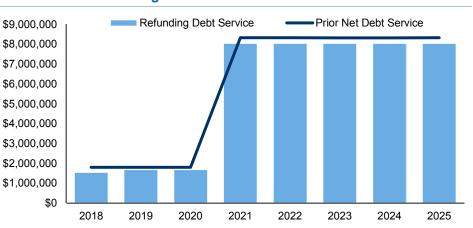
### **Individual Maturity Refunding Results**

	Refunded		Refunded			Negative	Savings
	Maturity	Coupon	Par	Savings	%Savings	Arb	Efficiency
	06/01/2018	5.000%	5,630,000	-61,694	-1.10%	4,663	108.2%
Ī	06/01/2019	5.000%	5,915,000	-56,516	-0.96%	-10,004	85.0%
Ī	06/01/2020	5.000%	6,210,000	-37,056	-0.60%	-45,820	44.7%
	06/01/2021 <sup>1</sup>	5.000%	6,520,000	132,018	2.02%	8,721	93.8%
	06/01/2022 <sup>1</sup>	5.000%	6,845,000	274,948	4.02%	80,214	77.4%
Ī	06/01/2023 <sup>1</sup>	5.000%	7,185,000	387,247	5.39%	161,306	70.6%
Ī	06/01/2024 <sup>1</sup>	5.000%	7,545,000	479,515	6.36%	243,265	66.3%
Ī	06/01/2025 <sup>1</sup>	5.000%	7,925,000	565,429	7.13%	319,186	63.9%
ŀ	otal (Savings > 0)		\$53,775,000	\$1,683,890	3.13%	\$761,532	68.9%

<sup>1)</sup> Represent Sinking fund maturities of 2025 term bond

Savings Efficiency is equal to Individual Savings divided by the sum of Negative Arbitrage and Individual Savings.

### **Annual Cash Flow Savings**



Note: Information regarding advance refundability is subject to the opinion of bond counsel. Assumes refunding with fixed rate bonds issued under market conditions as of March 6, 2017

### **New Money Overview**



### Interest rates continue to be attractive for funding capital projects

- Funding capital expenditures from bond proceeds spreads the costs over the estimated useful life of the assets
- Using bond proceeds to fund capital projects frees cash reserves for other purposes such as pension expenses
- Results:
  - \$30 million Project Fund Deposit
  - 10-Year, level debt service structure
  - DSRF Deposit: \$1.2 million
  - \$3.5 million in annual debt service costs
  - All-in TIC: 2.495%
- Issuing bonds also allows for costs to be allocated levelly across years

### **Summary Statistics**

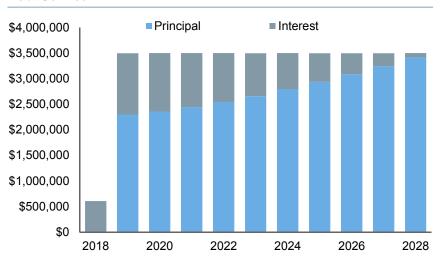
Dated Date	07/03/2017
Last Maturity	07/01/2027
Par Amount	\$27,810,000
Total Proceeds	\$31,516,761
True Interest Cost (TIC)	2.372%
All-In TIC	2.495%
Average Coupon	4.79%
Average Life	5.87
Total Debt Service	\$35,633,898
Average Annual Debt Service	\$3,565,371
DSRF Deposit <sup>1</sup>	\$1,201,400
1) Assumes DSRF funded at Maximum Annual Interest	

Maturity Date	MMD <sup>1</sup>	Coupon	Spread to MMD (bps)	Yield	
07/01/2018	0.87%	2.00%	12	0.99%	
07/01/2019	1.06%	3.00%	14	1.17%	
07/01/2020	1.24%	4.00%	16	1.36%	
07/01/2021	1.42%	4.00%	18	1.56%	
07/01/2022	1.64%	5.00%	20	1.80%	
07/01/2023	1.87%	5.00%	22	2.05%	
07/01/2024	2.07%	5.00%	25	2.27%	
07/01/2025	2.23%	5.00%	28	2.45%	
07/01/2026	2.35%	5.00%	30	2.59%	
07/01/2027	2.44%	5.00%	35	2.73%	
4) Internal letter A A A A MAID are of March C 2017					

<sup>1)</sup> Interpolated AAA MMD, as of March 6, 2017

**Indicative Pricing Levels** 

#### **Debt Service**



# Market Update

Section 2





**RBC Capital Markets** 

#### Overview of Key Market Themes



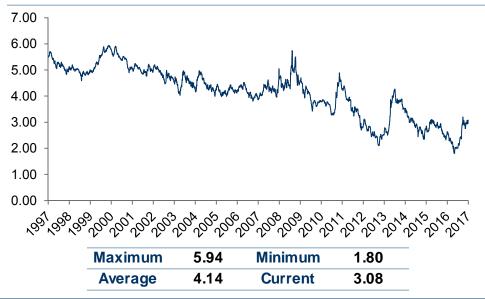
#### **Market Commentary**

- Comments from key Fed officials have driven the market to price in a 98% chance of a rate hike in March
- Odds of a hike at next week's FOMC meeting are up significantly from 50% last Monday and 34% the week prior
- Fed Chair Yellen and Vice Chair Fisher validated comments from other Fed officials that a March hike is likely
- Chair Yellen indicated a March rate hike would be appropriate if economic data evolve as the FOMC expects
- Chair Yellen noted that the Fed's employment target has been met, and inflation is moving closer to the target
- The February payroll report will be released on Friday; consensus calls for non-farm payroll gains of 190,000
- February payrolls are unlikely to impact next week's FOMC decision given the strong trend of NFP gains
- US equity market advanced last week, closing at new historic highs on Wednesday
- Treasury auctions this week: \$24 billion of 3s on Tuesday, \$20 billion of 10s on Wednesday, and \$12 billion of 30-year bonds on Thursday
- Other economic highlights include factory orders, durable goods, ADP, inventories, and import prices
- Municipal supply totaled \$4.4 billion last week and is expected to increase to \$10.2 billion this week
- The State of California leads this week's calendar with a \$2.4 billion GO offering; 30-day visible stands at \$14.8 billion
- Municipal bond funds reported outflows of \$277 million last week
- The prospect of tax reform continues to create uncertainty for corporate-type investors in the municipal market

#### Interest Rate Forecast

		Act	ual			Fore	cast	
Period	1Q16	2Q16	3Q16	4Q16	1Q17	2Q17	3Q17	4Q17
Interest on Excess Reserves	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.75	1.00	1.25	1.25	1.50
3-month UST	0.21	0.26	0.29	0.51	0.70	1.00	1.05	1.30
2-Year UST	0.73	0.58	0.77	1.20	1.30	1.45	1.60	1.90
5-Year UST	1.21	1.01	1.14	1.93	1.90	2.10	2.25	2.50
10-Year UST	1.78	1.49	1.60	2.45	2.40	2.65	2.80	3.00
30-Year UST	2.61	2.30	2.32	3.06	3.00	3.20	3.35	3.50

#### 20 Year MMD Yields Since 1997

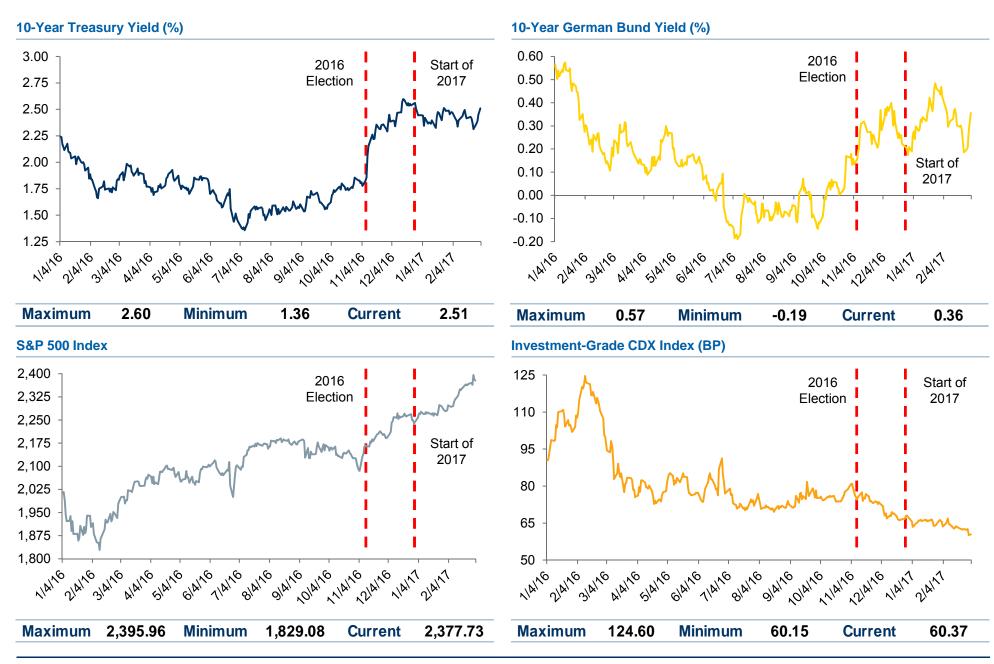


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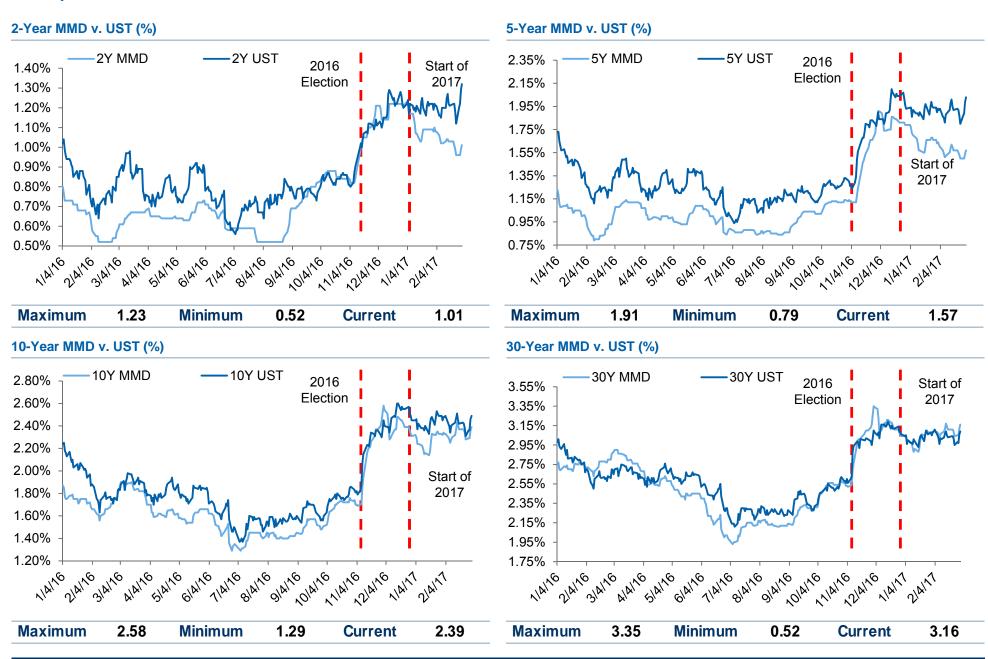


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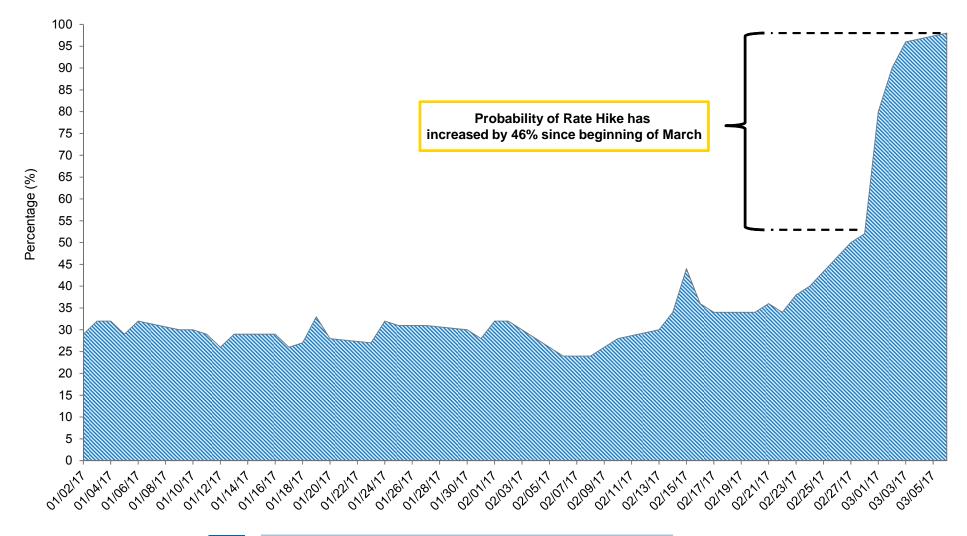


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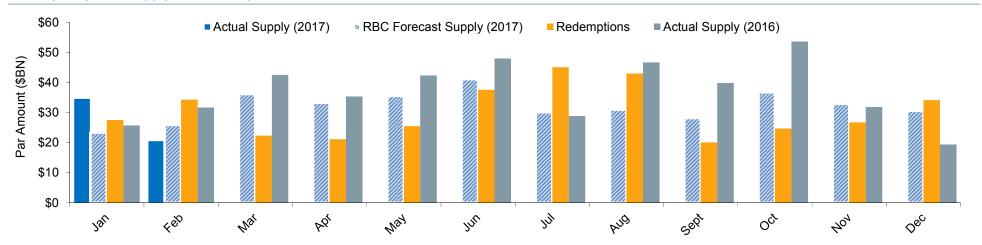
Sensitivity Analysis

	25bp Cut	No Change	25bp Hike
Current	0.00%	2.00%	98.00%
1 Week Ago	0.00%	48.00%	52.00%
1 Month Ago	0.00%	70.00%	30.00%
2 Months Ago	0.00%	65.20%	31.60%
4 Months Ago	16.90%	70.60%	11.90%
6 Months Ago	33.60%	44.30%	18.80%

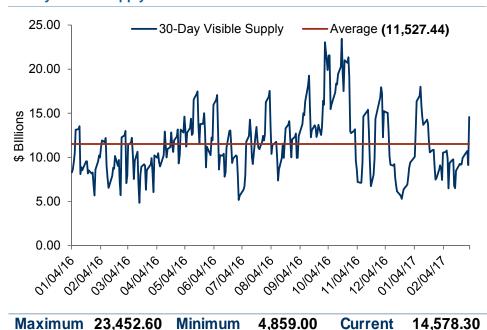




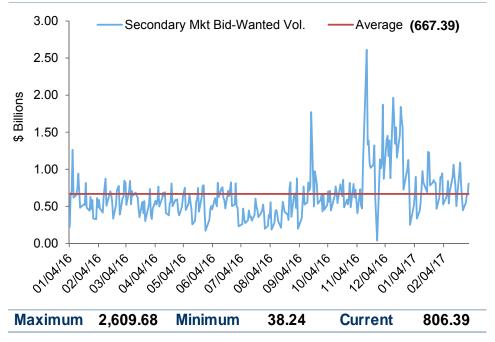
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#### **30-Day Visible Supply**



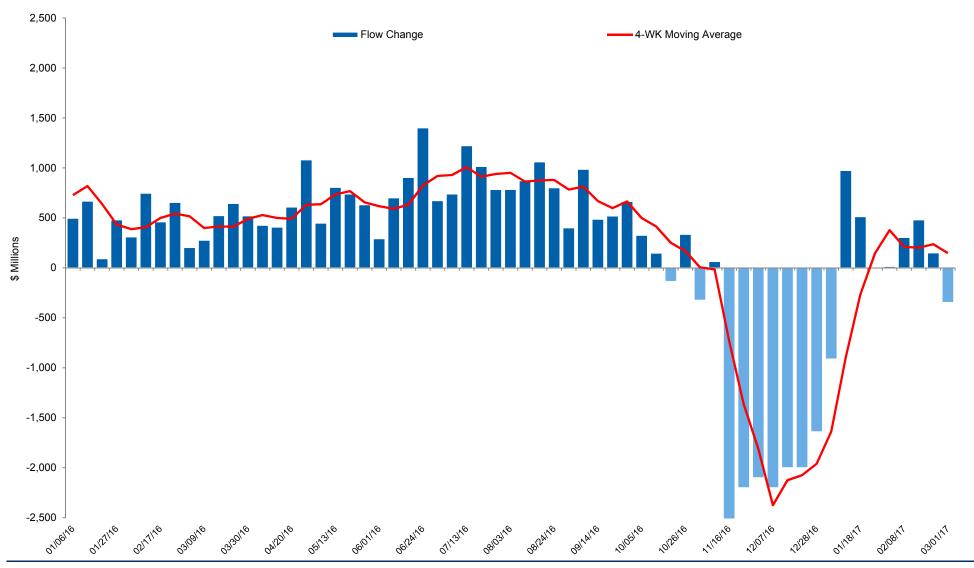
#### **Secondary Market Bid-Wanted Volume**



#### Municipal Bond Fund Flows



- \$346 million of total net outflows last week (previous week saw \$149 million of inflows)
  - Long-Term Funds: \$277 million outflow
  - High-Yield Funds: \$48 million inflow
  - Intermediate Funds: \$42 million outflow
- Four-Week Moving Average: \$147 million inflow



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#### **Current Market Environment**



#### Commentary<sup>(1)</sup>

#### "Trumping" the Fed

- Per expectations, the Fed raised the Fed Fund rate to 0.75-1.00 on Wednesday
  - While the decision was not a surprise, the commentary that followed was much more dovish than anticipated and notably, there were no upward revisions to the forecast for 2017 or 2018
  - Minneapolis President Kashkari was the lone dissenting opinion, justifying his dissent by commenting on the seeming lack of a plan for the Fed's balance sheet and that labor market slack still persists
- The lack of revision and dovish response led to a large rally in the US Treasury market
- Away from the Fed, President Trump's revealed his fiscal 2018 budget request
  - The budget proposed huge cuts across the board in order to boost spending for defense and security

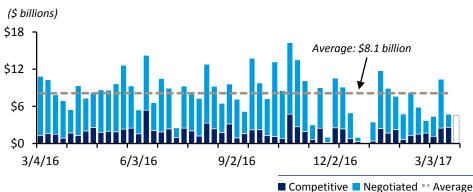
#### Corporate IG and HY primary sales declined this week

- IG fell 20% this week as issuers avoided both the Fed announcement and the East Coast storm
- High Yield experienced large outflows (2<sup>nd</sup> largest retail outflow on record) and investors became much more focused on covenants and pushed for increased risk compensation
  - A BAML investor survey found investors were underweight high yield for the first time since 2008

#### Muni market uncertainty

- Municipal market experienced uncertainty ahead of the Fed and east coast winter storm however in the days post the Fed announcement, municipal tone felt stronger due in party to rally in Treasury market
- Muni bond funds have reported cash outflows for the past three weeks
- Uncertainty surrounding the impending tax reform has impacted demand from certain investors, notably insurance accounts
- New issue supply was manageable as it totaled ~\$6bb this week
  - Major focus was on the competitive side of the market as \$1.8bb Empire State Dev Corp priced on Thursday, \$800mm as tax exempt

#### Weekly Municipal Bond Issuance (Last 12 Months)(3)



#### **Economic Data Reports & Interest Rate Forecasts**(2)

SELECTED ECONOMIC DATA REPORTS						
Date	Economic Event	Date	Economic Event			
3/22/17	Existing Home Sales	3/23/17	New Homes Sales			
3/22/17	EIA Petroleum Status Report	3/24/17	Durable Goods Orders			
3/23/17	Jobless Claims	3/24/17	PMI Composite Flash			

BANK OF AMERICA MERRILL LYNCH FORECAST						
Metric	3/17/17	2017Q1	2017Q2	2017Q3	2017Q4	
Fed Funds	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.25%	1.50%	
3-Month LIBOR	1.15%	1.20%	1.25%	1.45%	1.70%	
2-Year T-Note	1.32%	1.35%	1.50%	1.65%	1.80%	
10-Year T-Note	2.50%	2.65%	3.00%	2.95%	2.85%	
30-Year T-Bond	3.11%	3.25%	3.45%	3.30%	3.25%	

STREET MEDIANS FORECAST						
Metric	3/17/17	2017Q1	2017Q2	2017Q3	2017Q4	
Fed Funds	1.00%	1.00%	1.15%	1.30%	1.50%	
3-Month LIBOR	1.15%	1.16%	1.36%	1.54%	1.71%	
2-Year T-Note	1.32%	1.33%	1.49%	1.64%	1.81%	
10-Year T-Note	2.50%	2.53%	2.66%	2.75%	2.88%	
30-Year T-Bond	3.11%	3.06%	3.26%	3.35%	3.45%	



<sup>(1)</sup> Provided by the long-term underwriting desk of BofAML; does not represent the opinion of BofAML Global Research.

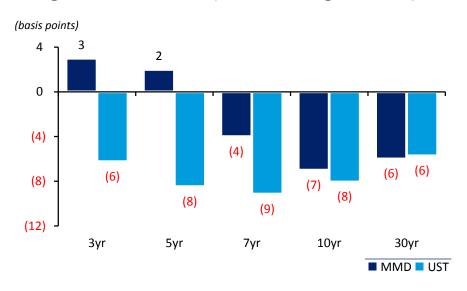
<sup>(2)</sup> Source: Bloomberg and BofA Merrill Lynch US Rates Research forecast as of 3/17/17; Fed Funds reflects Upper Bound of target range.

<sup>(3)</sup> Source: Thomson Reuters and IPREO calendar as of 3/17/17; excludes notes and private placements.

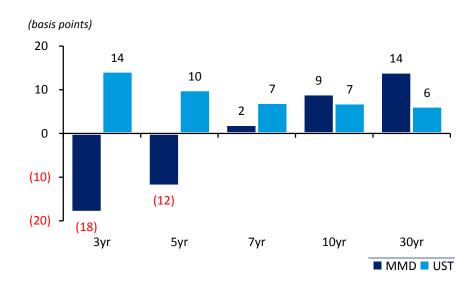
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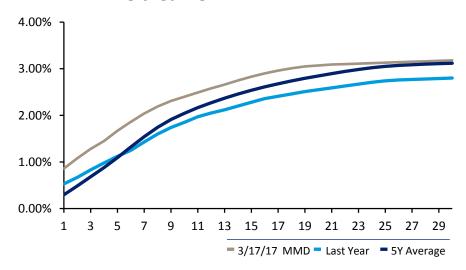
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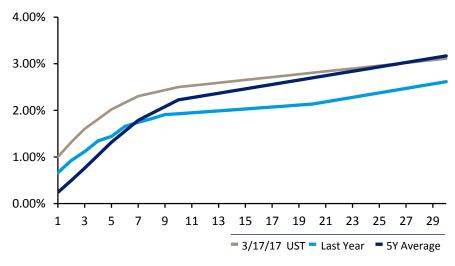
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#### **AAA MMD Yield Curve**



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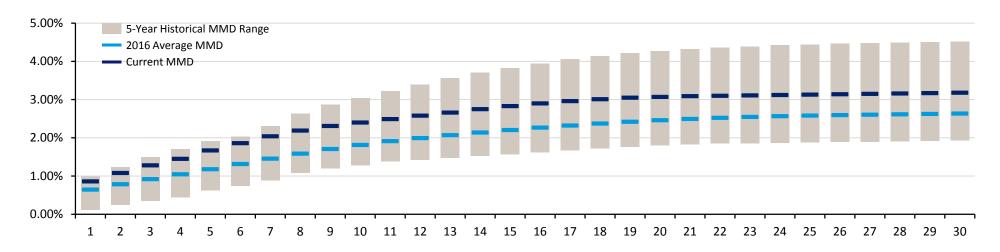




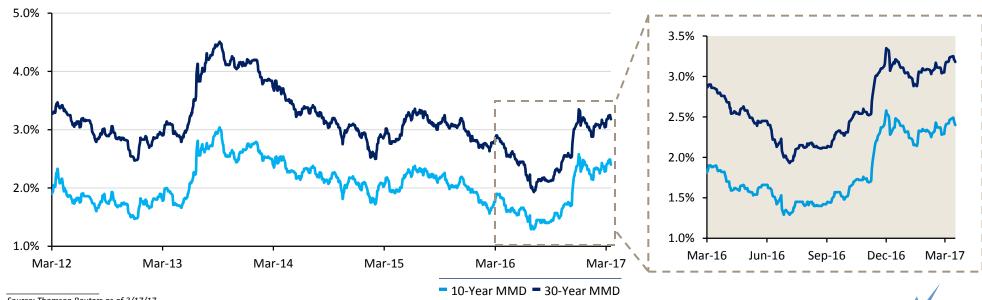
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#### **MMD Yield Curve (Last Five Years)**



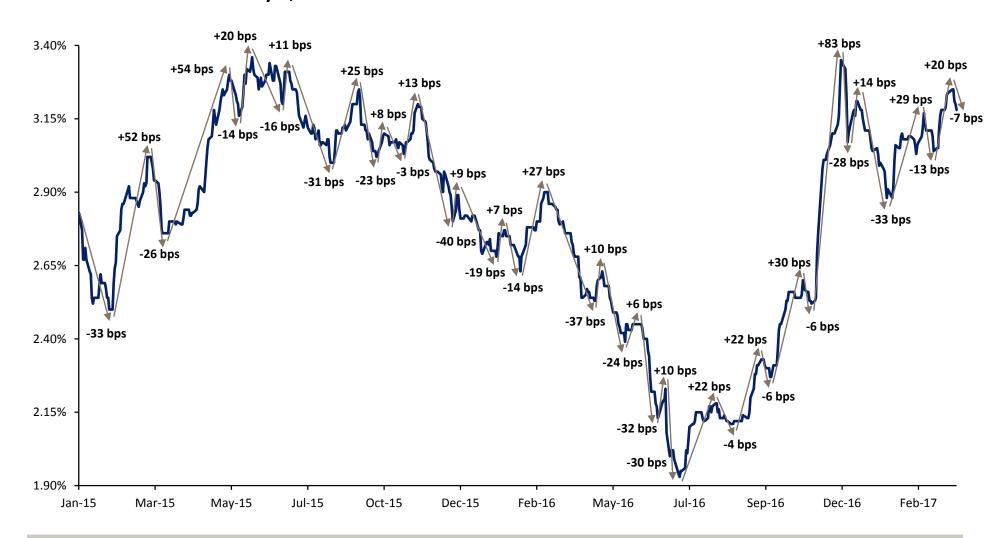
#### 10-Year and 30-Year MMD Rates (Last Five Years)



Volatility: A Defining Characteristic



#### 30-Year MMD Since January 1, 2015



The 30-year MMD tumbled to its all-time low of 1.93% on July 6, 2016; and since has increased to its current level of 3.18%

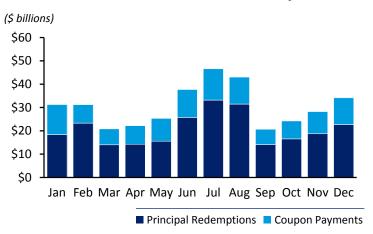


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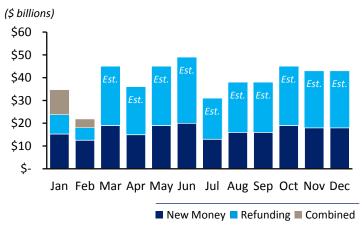


- Municipal bond issuance in 2016 totaled \$445bn, which eclipsed the old record of \$433bn set in 2010<sup>(1)</sup>
- BofAML's Muni Research
  Team's preliminary estimate
  for total long-term bond
  issuance for 2017 is \$470bn<sup>(1)</sup>
- SIFMA's 2017 survey estimates for long-term new issue volume ranged from \$320bn to \$450bn with a median of \$417.5bn<sup>(2)</sup>

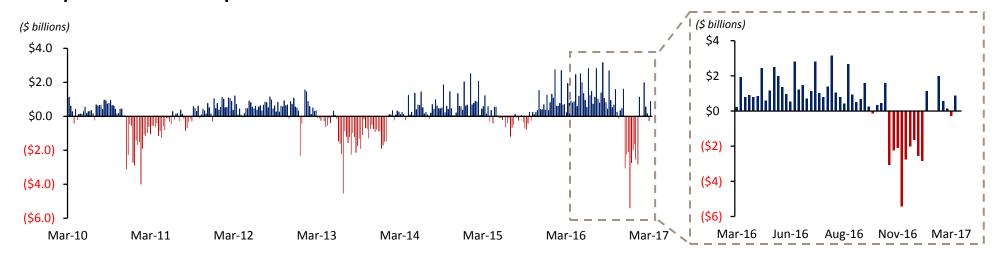
#### Estimated 2017 National Redemptions(1)



#### Estimated 2017 Municipal Issuance(1)



#### Municipal Bond Funds Experienced Inflows Last Week(3)



<sup>(1)</sup> BofAML Global Research as of 2/29/16; 8/26/16; 10/28/16; Thomson Reuters as of 2/28/17 actual YTD issuance excludes notes, includes private placements.



<sup>2017</sup> SIFMA Municipal Issuance Survey.

<sup>(3)</sup> Lipper U.S. Fund Flows as of 3/15/17; data includes weekly and monthly reporting funds.









#### 2008 Refunding Series C

- In July 2008, NCPA issued its 2008 Refunding Series C bonds to refund its outstanding Variable Rate 2002 Series A & B and 2003 Series A & B bonds
  - The 2002 Series A & B VRDBs current refunded the 1992 Series A bonds, the proceeds of which were originally used to advance refund a portion of the 1986 Series A bonds
  - The 2003 Series A & B VRDBs current refunded the 1993 Series A bonds which originally advance refunded the 1985 and 1986 Series A bonds
  - Per the 2016 Direct Purchase Refunding RFP, NCPA believes that only 13% the 2008 Refunding Series C bonds are eligible to be advance refunded with tax-exempt proceeds; the remaining could be refunded with taxable bonds

#### **2010 Refunding Series A**

- In April 2010, NCPA issued its 2010 Refunding Series A bonds to current refund its outstanding 1998 Refunding Series A bonds
  - The 1998 Series A bonds current refunded the 1985 Series E, F & G bonds
  - Based on these uses of proceeds, we believe that the 2010 Refunding Series A bonds are eligible to be advance refunded with tax-exempt proceeds



Refunding of the 2008 Series C and 2010 Series A Bonds



#### **Refunding Assumptions**

- The 2008 Series C Bonds are callable on July 1, 2018 and the 2010 Series A Bonds are callable on July 1, 2019
- Refunding bonds assume current ratings of A1/A+/A+
- All candidates generating over 5% PV savings on an individual basis are refunded along with shorter "wasting asset" maturities highlighted in green

#### **Summary of Refunding Results**

SUMMARY OF RESULTS			
	Tax-Exempt	Taxable	Total
Par Amount:	\$51,325,000	\$70,475,000	\$121,800,000
Refunded Par:	\$54,145,000	\$67,120,000	\$121,265,000
All-in TIC	1.99%	2.93%	2.51%
Escrow Yield	1.25%	1.01%	1.15%
PV Savings (\$)	\$3,512,543	\$3,228,868	\$6,741,411
PV Savings (%)	6.49%	4.81%	5.56%
Gross Savings (\$)	\$3,879,951	\$3,497,146	\$7,377,097
Efficiency Ratio	74.66%	75.92%	75.25%

#### **Maturity by Maturity Refunding Monitor**

REFUNDI	NG CANDIDAT	ES			ADVANCE RE	FUNDING BO	NDS			
Series	Maturity	Par Amount	Rate	Call Date	New Yield	Savings (\$)	Savings (%)	Negative Arbitrage	Escrow Efficiency	(+/-) bps to Reach 5%
Tax-Exem	pt Advance Re	funding Bonds								
2008C	7/1/24	2,020,000	5.00%	7/1/18	2.30%	256,202	12.7%	29,156	89.8%	127 bps
2008C	7/1/23	1,700,000	5.00%	7/1/18	2.10%	197,346	11.6%	20,768	90.5%	124 bps
2008C	7/1/22	1,690,000	5.00%	7/1/18	1.87%	173,031	10.2%	16,325	91.4%	116 bps
2008C	7/1/21	1,615,000	5.00%	7/1/18	1.62%	136,131	8.4%	11,092	92.5%	92 bps
2008C	7/1/20	1,530,000	5.00%	7/1/18	1.40%	90,742	5.9%	6,735	93.1%	32 bps
2008C	7/1/19	1,455,000	5.00%	7/1/18	1.15%	43,513	3.0%	2,316	94.9%	-101 bps
2010A	7/1/23	15,230,000	5.00%	7/1/19	2.10%	1,258,401	8.3%	268,241	82.4%	61 bps
2010A	7/1/22	10,145,000	5.00%	7/1/19	1.87%	699,229	6.9%	129,014	84.4%	42 bps
2010A	7/1/21	9,610,000	5.00%	7/1/19	1.62%	488,446	5.1%	70,735	87.4%	2 bps
2010A	7/1/20	9,150,000	5.00%	7/1/19	1.40%	236,387	2.6%	23,944	90.8%	-84 bps
TOTAL		54,145,000				3,579,427	6.6%	578,326	86.1%	
Taxable R	efunding Bond	ds								
2008C	7/1/24	13,530,000	5.00%	7/1/18	3.17%	885,703	6.5%	324,629	73.2%	26 bps
2008C	7/1/23	11,395,000	5.00%	7/1/18	2.97%	711,525	6.2%	248,481	74.1%	24 bps
2008C	7/1/22	11,345,000	5.00%	7/1/18	2.85%	582,370	5.1%	232,468	71.5%	3 bps
2008C	7/1/21	10,820,000	5.00%	7/1/18	2.55%	484,411	4.5%	186,006	72.3%	-14 bps
2008C	7/1/20	10,275,000	5.00%	7/1/18	2.27%	321,160	3.1%	144,848	68.9%	-65 bps
2008C	7/1/19	9,755,000	5.00%	7/1/18	1.92%	127,743	1.3%	99,604	56.2%	-186 bps
TOTAL		67,120,000				3,112,911	4.6%	1,236,035	71.6%	

Note: Preliminary, subject to change. Assumes: 1) rates as of 3/22/2017 2) 0.60% of combined Cost of Issuance and Underwriter's Discount 3) uniform savings structure 4) no reserve fund requirement



#### Overview of Additional NCPA Refunding Candidates



#### Lodi Energy Center Revenue Bonds, Issue One, 2010 Series A

■ In June 2010, NCPA issued its new money Lodi Energy Center Revenue Bonds, Issue One 2010 Series A to finance over \$61 million of certain construction costs of the Lodi Energy Center

#### Capital Facilities Revenue Bonds, 2010 Refunding Series A

- In January 2010, NCPA issued the Capital Facilities Revenue Bonds, 2010 Refunding Series A to current refund all of the Agency's outstanding 1999 Refunding Series A bonds
  - The 1999 Series A bonds were used to refund the Agency's outstanding 1992 Series A bonds which were originally used to fund new money projects
    - The refinancing of the 1992 Series A bonds was structured as a crossover refunding
  - The 2010 Refunding Series A bonds may be eligible to be advance refunded with tax-exempt proceeds, subject to tax counsel review



Advance Refunding Monitor



#### **Lodi Energy Center Refunding Assumptions**

- 2010 Series A Bonds are callable on June 1, 2020
- Refunding bonds assume current ratings of A2/A-/A
- \$22.655 million of candidates are currently achieving over 5%
   PV savings on an individual basis

#### **Capital Facilities Refunding Assumptions**

- 2010 Series A Bonds are callable on February 1, 2020
- Refunding bonds assume current ratings of A2/A-
- \$16.410 million of candidates are currently achieving over 5% PV savings on an individual basis

#### **Maturity by Maturity Refunding Monitor**

REFUND	REFUNDING CANDIDATES					EFUNDING B	ONDS			
Series	Maturity	Par Amount	Rate	Call Date	New Yield	Savings (\$)	Savings (%)	Negative Arbitrage	Escrow Efficiency	(+/-) bps to Reach 5%
Lodi Ener	Lodi Energy Center Revenue Bonds, Issue One									
2010A	6/1/25	7,925,000	5.00%	6/1/20	2.57%	538,394	6.8%	254,917	67.9%	27 bps
2010A	6/1/24	7,545,000	5.00%	6/1/20	2.39%	456,899	6.1%	201,731	69.4%	18 bps
2010A	6/1/23	7,185,000	5.00%	6/1/20	2.18%	366,850	5.1%	146,249	71.5%	2 bps
2010A	6/1/22	6,845,000	5.00%	6/1/20	1.95%	259,375	3.8%	91,151	74.0%	-27 bps
2010A	6/1/21	6,520,000	5.00%	6/1/20	1.70%	132,597	2.0%	36,539	78.4%	-82 bps
TOTAL		36,020,000				1,754,115	4.9%	730,586	70.6%	
Capital Fo	acilities Reve	nue Bonds								
2010A	8/1/25	1,010,000	5.25%	2/1/20	2.59%	90,125	8.9%	31,798	73.9%	58 bps
2010A	8/1/24	5,390,000	5.25%	2/1/20	2.41%	433,817	8.0%	143,564	75.1%	50 bps
2010A	8/1/23	5,150,000	5.25%	2/1/20	2.21%	355,091	6.9%	109,268	76.5%	35 bps
2010A	8/1/22	4,860,000	5.25%	2/1/20	1.98%	264,615	5.4%	72,620	78.5%	10 bps
2010A	8/1/21	4,550,000	5.00%	2/1/20	1.73%	145,862	3.2%	36,597	79.9%	-47 bps
2010A	8/1/20	4,490,000	5.00%	2/1/20	1.51%	37,898	0.8%	8,861	81.0%	-141 bps
TOTAL		25,450,000				1,327,409	5.2%	402,708	76.7%	



# Appendix A: Risk Disclosures Pursuant to MSRB Rule G-17





## Risk Disclosures<sup>(1)</sup>: Fixed Rate Bonds



Material Risk Consideration	Description of Risk	Potential Consequences		
Issuer Default Risk	Possibility that the Issuer defaults under the authorizing documents	-Range of available remedies may be brought against Issuer (e.g., forcing Issuer to raise taxes or revenues) -Credit ratings negatively impacted -Access to capital markets impaired -Possibility of receivership or bankruptcy for certain issuers		
Redemption Risk	The ability to redeem the bonds prior to maturity may be limited	-Inability to refinance at lower interest rates		
Refinancing Risk	Possibility that the bonds cannot be refinanced	-Inability to refinance at lower interest rates		
Reinvestment Risk	Possibility that the Issuer may be unable to invest unspent proceeds at or near the interest rate on the bonds	-Negative arbitrage resulting in a higher cost of funds		
Tax Compliance Risk	For tax-exempt bonds, possibility that failure to comply with tax- related covenants results in the bonds becoming taxable obligations	-Increase in debt service costs retroactively to date of issuance -Possible mandatory redemption of bonds affected -Risk of IRS audit -Difficulty in refinancing the bonds -Access to tax-exempt market impacted -Difficulty in issuing future tax-exempt debt		





# **Northern California Power Agency**

Proposal to Provide

#### **Direct Purchase Bank Loan**

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#### **Background and Economics**

KeyBank proposes a Direct Purchase bank loan to refund the outstanding maturities of the Hydroelectric Power Project Number One Revenue Bonds, 2008 Refunding Series C ("Hydro Series 2008C Bonds"), of approximately \$77 million in par outstanding. The proposed structure includes 2016 Series A tax-exempt loan to refund the advance refundable portion and a 2016 Series B taxable loan to refund the non-advance refundable portion of the Hydro Series 2008C Bonds. Simultaneous with the issue of the Series B loan, Key (or assigns) will provide NCPA with a Forward Purchase Option Agreement that would permit but not require NCPA to deliver new tax-exempt loans to refinance the taxable 2016 Series B loan at a predetermined tax-exempt rate.

The Term Sheet below was reviewed with Orrick on September 29, 2016, with a mutual agreement the conceptual mechanics are within IRS guidelines for advance refunding tax-exempt bonds. The key difference between this structure and our proposal in June is the inclusion of separately tradable taxable and tax-exempt portions of the 2016 Series B loan evidenced by a forward purchase option.

The estimated economics of the refunding is included below:

#### **Summary of Refunding Results**

	Direct Purchase Bonds (Dated 10/27/2016)				
Sources and Uses	Taxable/Forward Delivery of Tax Exempt Bonds	Tax-Exempt Bonds	Combined		
Source of Funds					
Par Amount	\$73,175,000	\$10,915,000	\$84,090,000		
Total Sources	\$73,175,000	\$10,915,000	\$84,090,000		
Uses of Funds					
Escrow Deposit	\$72,998,704	\$10,886,726	\$83,885,430		
Legal Fees	\$87,020	\$12,980	\$100,000		
Origination Fee	\$87,020	\$12,980	\$100,000		
Rounding Amount	\$2,256	\$2,314	\$4,570		
Total Uses	\$73,175,000	\$10,915,000	\$84,090,000		
Bond Summary and Savings Statistics					
All-In TIC	1.99%	1.73%	1.96%		
Refunded Par Amount	\$67,120,000	\$10,010,000	\$77,130,000		
Negative Arbitrage	\$1,388,598	\$207,090	\$1,595,688		
Gross Savings NPV Savings(\$) NPV Savings(%)	\$5,748,627 \$5,357,251 7.98%	\$1,003,239 \$935,911 9.35%	\$6,751,866 \$6,293,162 8.16%		



#### Term Sheet

Key Government Finance, Inc., ("Lender"), is pleased to present the following summary of terms and conditions for the revenue refunding bond proposal of approximately \$77,130,000 for the Northern California Power Agency, California ("NCPA"). The proposed Direct Purchase Bonds (the "Bonds") shall be subject to satisfaction of terms and conditions presented herein, and all documentation customarily required for credit transactions of this nature. The issuance of this Financing Term Sheet shall not prejudice the Lender's rights of review and approval, including without limitation, of all documents and materials heretofore delivered to the Lender by or on behalf of NCPA. Final credit authorization by the Lender will be required prior to closing the Bonds.

BORROWER: Northern California Power Agency, California ("NCPA" or "Borrower")

LENDER: Key Government Finance, Inc. or assigns ("KGF" or "Lender")

BONDS: Approximately \$77,130,000 Direct Purchase Bonds, consisting of 2016 Series A -

\$10,010,000 tax-exempt (the "Series A Bonds"), and 2016 Series B - \$67,120,000 taxable (the "Series B Bonds"), collectively (the "Bonds"). Borrowing amounts and amortization schedules provided in Attachments A and B are based on current outstanding debt. Lender understands principal borrowing may increase within

reasonable amount due to refunding mechanics and final structure of the Bonds.

PURPOSE: Proceeds of the Bonds used to refund all outstanding NCPA Hydroelectric Power Project

Number One Revenue Bonds, 2008 Refunding Series C (the "2008 Bonds"), and to pay

issuance costs associated with the Bonds.

MATURITY: The Bonds will have a final maturity of July 1, 2024 (the "Maturity Date").

SECURITY: The Bonds will be secured under the existing NCPA Indenture and supplemental

indentures consistent with 2008 Bonds, the Bonds will be treated as a parity obligation in accordance with the terms for parity debt obligations under the Indenture, and allowable terms for the substitution or refinancing of long-term debt as defined in the Indenture.

CLOSING DATE: Assumed November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2016

TAX STATUS: Series A Bonds – Tax-Exempt

Series B Bonds – Taxable

INTEREST RATES: Series A – 1.68% Tax-Exempt

Series B – 2.59% Taxable

Interest rates provided herein based on current market conditions as of the date of the Financing Term Sheet and subject to an index based on Lender's cost of funds between the date of the Financing Term Sheet and the final closing date of the Bonds.

Adjustments in the Bond amortization or mandatory annual redemption schedule as illustrated in Attachments A and B that result in the increase to the average life of the amortization will require a revised interest rate quote.



RATE LOCK:

Lender may provide up to 90-day rate lock at the request of NCPA. Cost of the rate lock will be added to the Interest Rate subject to prior approval and acceptance by NCPA. Rate lock estimates as of the date of the Financing Term Sheet are: 30 day - 0.03%, 60 day - 0.14% and 90 day - 0.18% respectively.

FORWARD DELIVERY OF TAX-EXEMPT BONDS:

Simultaneous with the issuance of the Series B Bonds, Key Government Finance, Inc., or its assigns (the "Tax-Exempt Purchaser"); will provide NCPA with a Forward Purchase Option Agreement ("FPOA"). The FPOA will permit but not require NCPA deliver new Tax-Exempt bonds during the period of 04/01/18 - 08/01/18 to refinance outstanding taxable 2016 Series B Bonds. The FPOA will require NCPA to; (a) provide Tax-Exempt Purchaser with unqualified tax opinion of Bond Counsel along with tax certificate and 8038-G; (b) principal payments as illustrated in Attachment A: and (c) other terms as may be required by Tax-Exempt Purchaser.

FPOA Interest Rate: 1.68% (tax-exempt)

FPOA Fee: \$10,000 (based on current forward delivery market)

The FPOA interest rate and fee provided above based on current market conditions as of the date of the Financing Term Sheet and will be subject to change based on market conditions between the date of the Financing Term Sheet and the execution date of the

Forward Purchase Option Agreement.

INTEREST PAYMENTS: Semi-annual interest payments on January 1 and July 1, commencing January 1, 2017.

DAY COUNT BASIS: Interest payments calculated on a 30 / 360-day basis.

**PRINCIPAL** 

AMORTIZATION: Series A Bonds – Serial Bond annual principal redemption based on the amortization

provided in Attachment A.

Series B Bonds – Term Bond maturing on July 01, 2024.

REDEMPTION

PROVISIONS: Optional Redemption – The Bonds will be subject to optional redemption in whole at any

time with a prepayment premium of 2% during the first 6 years following closing with no penalty thereafter. Prepayment premium calculated based on outstanding principal

balance at the time of redemption. Series B Bonds are subject to optional redemption in whole (from 04/01/18 - 08/01/18), without premium at the option of NCPA solely from

the proceeds of the FPOA.

Mandatory Annual Redemption – Series B Bonds subject to mandatory annual

redemption without penalty as outlined in Attachment B.

ORIGINATION FEE: Origination fee of 0.13% of par amount of Bonds due Lender at closing.

COVENANTS/REPORTING: Lender anticipates standard terms and covenants consistent with NCPA's current

Indenture and supplemental indentures, including but not limited to the following:



- (1) *Default Interest Rate* At election of Lender, interest rates will increase by 300 basis points while Event of Default is continuing. "Event of Default" shall mean the declaration by Lender of an event of default due to determination by Lender:
- (i) failure to pay principal or interest on the Bonds when due; (ii) failure by Borrower to comply with any of its obligations, or to perform any of its duties, which failure continues and is not cured for a period of more than 60 days after Lender has made written demand to Borrower to cure such failure; or, (iii) material misrepresentation to Lender by Borrower in the purchase of the Bonds, as reasonably concluded by Lender after investigation and discussion with Borrower.
- (2) *Waiver of Jury Trial* NCPA and Lender agree to irrevocably waive all right to trial by jury in any action, proceeding or counterclaim (whether based on contract, tort or otherwise) arising out of or relating to the Financing Agreement or the actions of NCPA or Lender in negotiation, administration, performance or enforcement.
- (3) *Financial Reporting* (a) receipt of full-year audited financial statement and covenant compliance certificate within 180 days of the fiscal year-end; b) receipt of NCPA budget for each fiscal year promptly after adoption; and (c) receipt of other information as Lender may from time to time reasonably request.

**DOCUMENTATION:** 

All documents relating to the Bonds shall be prepared by NCPA bond counsel, in form and substance acceptable to the Lender and its legal counsel, including, but not limited to, authorizing resolutions, the financing agreement, tax certificates, indenture of trust, bond counsel opinion to include both validity and tax opinion and additional documents customary for transactions of this nature. Lender anticipates using Davis Wright Tremaine as Lender counsel, who will work closely with NCPA bond counsel to review all legal documents in a form acceptable to Lender.

**EXPENSES:** 

NCPA shall pay all costs and expenses related to the Bonds, not limited to, but anticipated to be, California State debt advisory commission, financial advisor/placement agent, trustee, bond counsel and Lender counsel in connection with this financing.

**GOVERNING LAW:** 

State of California

OTHER:

Lender will make a loan by purchasing the Bonds under the following additional conditions: (i) Bonds are not registered under the Securities Act of 1933 and not registered or otherwise qualified for sale under the "Blue Sky" laws and regulations of any state; (ii) CUSIP numbers are not obtained for the Bonds; (iii) final Official Statement is not prepared in connection with the Direct Purchase of the Bonds; (iv) Bonds do not close through DTC or any repository and are not in book entry form; and (v) Bonds are not listed on any securities exchange.

The Financing Term Sheet is for discussion purposes only and does not represent a commitment from Lender. It is for internal use only and cannot be disclosed to outside third parties without Lender's consent. The Financing Term Sheet is an outline of certain material terms of the Financing Agreement and does not purport to summarize all the conditions,



covenants, representations, warranties and other provisions that may otherwise be contained in a definitive documentation for the Financing Agreement contemplated hereby.

The Financing Term Sheet is based upon the accuracy of all information presented by NCPA to Lender and is contingent upon the absence of any material adverse change in the condition of NCPA, financial or otherwise, from the condition represented to Lender as of the date of the Financing Term Sheet. The Financing Term Sheet is subject to Lender's formal approval and the execution of documentation acceptable to NCPA and Lender. It is not a commitment by Lender to engage in the transaction. In conjunction with the Financing Term Sheet: (a) Key Government Finance ("Lender") is not acting as an advisor to NCPA and does not owe a fiduciary duty pursuant to Section 15B of the Exchange Act to NCPA, with respect to the information and material contained in this communication; (b) Lender is acting for its own interests; and (c) NCPA should discuss any information and material contained in this communication with any and all internal or external advisors and experts that you deem appropriate before acting on this information or material.

Thank you for allowing us the opportunity to present this term sheet. If you have any questions, please call me at 503-701-8476.

Sincerely,

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#### **ATTACHMENT A - Principal Amortization Schedules**

Series A Bonds Principal Amortization Schedule

Date	Principal	Balance
7/1/2019	1,455,000.00	8,555,000.00
7/1/2020	1,530,000.00	7,025,000.00
7/1/2021	1,615,000.00	5,410,000.00
7/1/2022	1,690,000.00	3,720,000.00
7/1/2023	1,700,000.00	2,020,000.00
7/1/2024	2,020,000.00	0.00
Total	10,010,000.00	

#### Series B Bonds Principal Amortization Schedule

Date	Principal	Balance
7/1/2024	67,120,000	0
Total	67,120,000	

Tax-Exempt Forward Purchase Option Agreement Principal Amortization Schedule

Date	Principal	Balance
7/1/2019	9,755,000.00	57,365,000.00
7/1/2020	10,275,000.00	47,090,000.00
7/1/2021	10,820,000.00	36,270,000.00
7/1/2022	11,345,000.00	24,925,000.00
7/1/2023	11,395,000.00	13,530,000.00
7/1/2024	13,530,000.00	0
Total	67,120,000.00	



#### ATTACHMENT B - Redemption Schedules

Series B Bonds - Mandatory Annual Redemption Schedule

Date	Principal
7/1/2019	9,755,000.00
7/1/2020	10,275,000.00
7/1/2021	10,820,000.00
7/1/2022	11,345,000.00
7/1/2023	11,395,000.00
7/1/2024	13,530,000.00

