Investment Policy Revisions

September 11, 2024





Investment Policy Revision Background

Investment Policy last updated in 2012 Main goal was to achieve alignment to current investment strategy and practices

Explored municipality best practices and legislation requirements

Adherence to new corporate policy template was incorporated

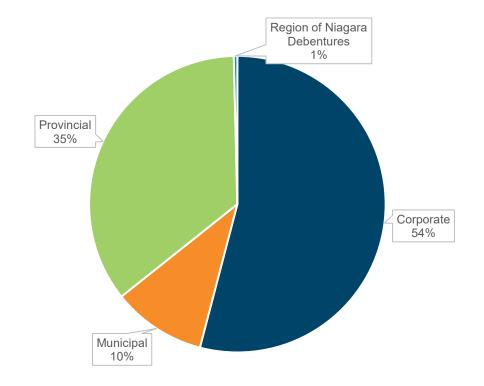




Investment Term Holdings

Per 2024 Q2 Financial Report

Funds	Book Value	Weight
Cash Equivalent<1Yr	\$71,331	7.2%
2 Year	\$72,860	7.3%
3 Year	\$60,232	6.1%
4 Year	\$89,970	9.1%
5+ Year	\$551,776	55.5%
Subtotal (Investments)	\$846,169	85.2%
Cash	\$120,200	12.1%
Sinking Fund (Incl.Cash)	\$26,967	2.7%
Total Portfolio	\$993,336	100.0%







Investment Category Limitations

Investment Category/Type	Category Limit (Max)	Individual Limit (Max)
Federal and federal guaranteed	100%	100%
Provincial and provincial guaranteed	75%	25%
Niagara Region	100%	100%
Municipal and municipal guaranteed	40%	10%
Other government types	15%	5%
Total: Gov't Fixed Income	100%	n/a
Banks (Schedule I, II, & III)	60%	25%
Corporate	25%	10%
Credit Unions	15%	10%
Total: Non-Gov't Fixed Income	75%	n/a
Equity & Growth Investments	20%	10%

Further breakdown of Investment Categories for more flexibility





Investment Maturity Term Composition Limitations

Term Length	Minimum	Maximum
0 – 5 years	10%	100%
5 years – 10 years	n/a	50%
10+ years	n/a	20%

Control mechanism to further manage risk

Added statement to allow Treasurer to approve temporary increases to limitations when deemed necessary





Questions?



