

**Treasury/Public Finance Department's  
Report On**

**Orange County Transportation Authority  
Investment and Debt Programs**



**Presented to the  
Finance and Administration Committee**

**For The Period Ending  
April 30, 2025**

# INVESTMENT PROGRAM

# OCTA Investment Dashboard

4/30/2025

## Safety of Principal

**Securities that fell below OCTA's minimum credit quality requirements during the month of April 2025:**

N/A

**Securities currently held within OCTA's portfolio that fell below OCTA's minimum credit quality requirements during prior reporting periods:**

Two Keybank securities held within OCTA's investment portfolio were downgraded below minimum credit quality requirements for the month of October 2023

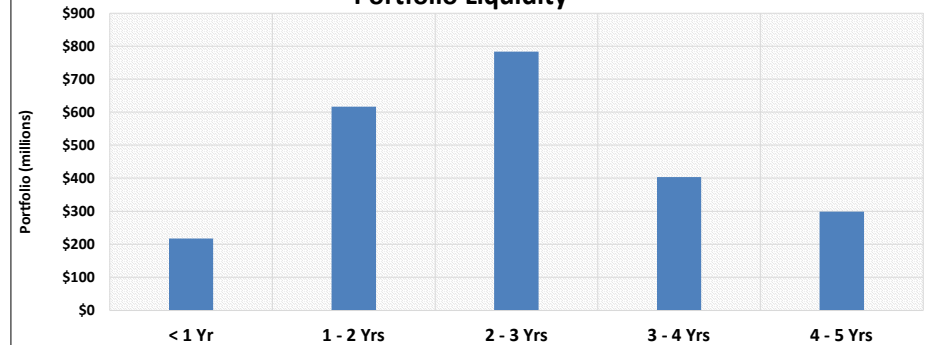
**Securities downgraded or placed on Negative Credit Watch during the month of April 2025,**

**but remain in compliance with OCTA's Investment Policy:**

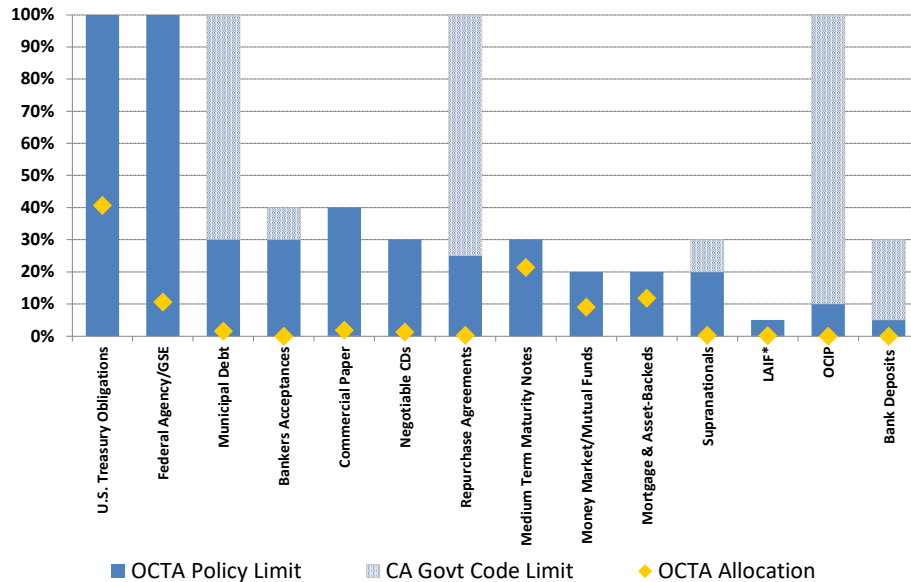
One security held within OCTA's investment portfolio was either downgraded or placed on Negative Credit Watch during the month.

For further details please refer to A-4 of this report.

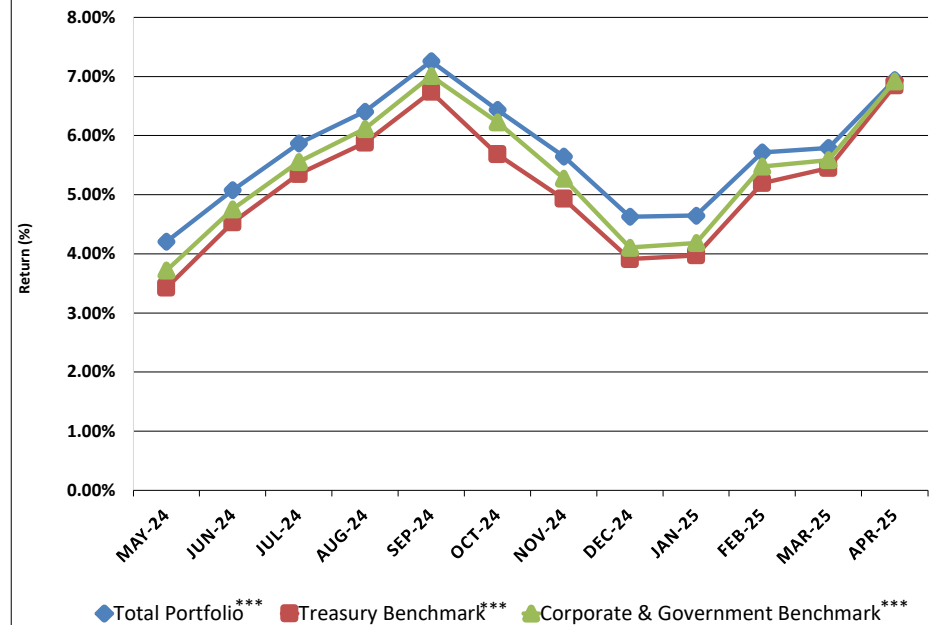
## Portfolio Liquidity<sup>(1)</sup>



## Portfolio Diversification \*\*



## Total Return - 12 Month<sup>(1)</sup>



1. Reflects Managed Portfolio.

\* Per CA Government Code LAIF limit is \$75 million

\*\* Per OCTA's Investment Policy the limit is 30% for variable and floating rate securities. As of April 30, 2025, 8.4% of the portfolio was invested in variable & floating rate securities.

\*\*\* Actual portfolio returns represent the aggregate performance of the managed portfolio.

The Treasury Benchmark is the 1-3 Year Treasury Index through September 2024 and transitions to a market value-weighted blend of the 1-3 Year and 1-5 Year Treasury Indices starting October 2024.

The Corporate & Government Benchmark is the 1-3 Year AAA-A U.S. Corporate & Government Index through September 2024 and shifts to a market value-weighted blend of the 1-3 Year and 1-5 Year AAA-A U.S. Corporate & Government Indices beginning October 2024.

# Investment Compliance

4/30/2025

Portfolio Subject to Investment Policy			
Managed/Liquid Portfolio <sup>1</sup>	Dollar Amount Invested	Percent Of Portfolio	Maximum Percentages
U.S. Treasury Obligations	\$ 1,060,490,952	40.8%	100%
Federal Agency/GSE	279,682,077	10.7%	100%
Municipal Debt	\$ 43,196,157	1.7%	30%
Commercial Paper	51,426,916	2.0%	40%
Negotiable Certificates of Deposit	\$ 35,775,000	1.4%	30%
Repurchase Agreements	8,000,000	0.3%	25%
Medium Term Maturity Notes/Corporates	\$ 558,049,958	21.4%	30%
Money Market/Mutual Funds	237,924,575	9.1%	20%
Mortgage & Asset-Backed	\$ 310,657,847	11.9%	20%
Supranationals	8,423,771	0.3%	20%
Local Agency Investment Fund	\$ 7,279,072	0.3%	\$ 75 Million
Orange County Investment Pool	47,828	0.0%	10%
Bank Deposits	\$ 874,336	0.0%	5%
<b>Total Managed/Liquid Portfolio<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>\$ 2,601,828,488</b>		

1. Excludes portion of Liquid Portfolio subject to Indenture

2. Includes variable & floating rate securities invested in the amount of \$218,366,850 (8.4% of total Managed/Liquid portfolio) and subject to 30% limit per OCTA's Investment Policy.

Portfolio Subject to Indenture/Grant Funding Agreement					
Portfolio	Dollar Amount Invested	OCTA		Indenture/Funding Agreement Requirements	
		Credit Quality	Term	Min. Credit Quality	Max. Term
<b><u>Liquid Portfolio*</u></b>					
Government Obligations MMKT Fund	177,582,758	"AAAm"	N/A	AAA Category	N/A
Government Obligations MMKT Fund	11,655,604	"AAAm"/"Aammf"	N/A	AAA Category	N/A
Government Obligations MMKT Fund **	82,020,341	"AAAm"/"Aaa-mf"	N/A	N/A	N/A
Government Obligations MMKT Fund **	25,000,000	"AAAm"/"Aaa-mf"	N/A	N/A	N/A
Government Obligations MMKT Fund **	20,880,921	"AAAm"/"Aaa-mf"	N/A	N/A	N/A
Bank Deposits	113,983	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Total Liquid Portfolio</b>	<b>\$ 317,253,607</b>				
<b><u>Reserve Funds Portfolio</u></b>					
Government Obligations MMKT Fund	\$ 5,367,195	"AAAm"/ "Aaa-mf"/"AAAmmf"	N/A	N/A	N/A
Negotiable Certificates of Deposit	5,000,000	"A-1"/"P-1"/"F1+"	91 days	"A-1"/"P-1"/"F1"	270 days
Negotiable Certificates of Deposit	3,000,000	"A-1"/"P-1"/"F1+"	270 days	"A-1"/"P-1"/"F1"	270 days
Government Obligations MMKT Fund ***	959	"AAAm"/ "Aaa-mf"/"AAAmmf"	N/A	N/A	N/A
Bank Deposits	195,789				
<b>Total Reserve Funds Portfolio</b>	<b>\$ 13,563,942</b>				
<b>Total Portfolio Subject to Indenture</b>	<b>\$ 330,817,550</b>				
<b>Portfolio Total</b>	<b>\$ 2,932,646,038</b>				

\* Reflects portion of Liquid Portfolio subject to Indenture (OCTA Sales Tax Revenue) or Grant Funding Agreement

\*\* Senate Bill (SB) 125 Grant Funding

\*\*\* 91 EL Debt Service Fund

**Managed Portfolio**  
**Sector Allocation and Performance Overview**  
**4/30/2025**

Book/Market Value	CHANDLER	METLIFE	PFM	Payden & Rygel	Total Portfolio
<b>Total Portfolio:</b>					
Book Value	\$ 575,410,104	\$ 576,797,592	\$ 579,745,834	\$ 586,153,369	\$ 2,318,106,899
Market Value with Accrued Interest	\$ 589,384,757	\$ 590,023,657	\$ 591,414,546	\$ 594,575,111	\$ 2,365,398,071
<b>1-3 Year Portfolio:</b>					
Book Value	\$ 379,124,450	\$ 384,373,798	\$ 409,102,999	\$ 389,550,130	\$ 1,562,151,377
Market Value with Accrued Interest	\$ 388,337,466	\$ 393,693,990	\$ 417,689,177	\$ 396,351,380	\$ 1,596,072,013
<b>1-5 Year Portfolio:</b>					
Book Value	\$ 196,285,655	\$ 192,423,794	\$ 170,642,836	\$ 196,603,239	\$ 755,955,523
Market Value with Accrued Interest	\$ 201,047,291	\$ 196,329,667	\$ 173,725,369	\$ 198,223,731	\$ 769,326,059

Sector Allocation	CHANDLER	METLIFE	PFM	Payden & Rygel	Total Portfolio
<b>Total Portfolio:</b>					
U.S. Treasury Obligations	39.0%	47.3%	45.1%	51.5%	45.7%
Federal Agency/GSE	25.7%	5.2%	14.4%	3.1%	12.1%
Municipal Debt	0.3%	5.4%	0.2%	1.6%	1.9%
Negotiable Certificates of Deposit	0.0%	0.0%	1.9%	0.0%	0.5%
Medium Term Maturity Notes	22.9%	27.1%	21.7%	24.5%	24.1%
Money Market/Mutual Funds	2.9%	0.5%	0.3%	3.0%	1.7%
Mortg & Asset Backed Sec	7.7%	13.0%	16.5%	16.3%	13.4%
Supranationals	1.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
<b>1-3 Year Portfolio:</b>					
U.S. Treasury Obligations	38.0%	47.4%	45.5%	50.2%	45.3%
Federal Agency/GSE	21.2%	5.0%	13.1%	3.4%	10.7%
Municipal Debt	0.0%	5.5%	0.2%	1.7%	1.8%
Negotiable Certificates of Deposit	0.0%	0.0%	1.9%	0.0%	0.5%
Medium Term Maturity Notes	26.7%	27.0%	21.4%	24.7%	24.9%
Money Market/Mutual Funds	3.2%	0.4%	0.2%	3.4%	1.8%
Mortg & Asset Backed Sec	9.6%	12.7%	17.7%	16.6%	14.2%
Supranationals	1.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
<b>1-5 Year Portfolio:</b>					
U.S. Treasury Obligations	41.0%	47.3%	44.1%	53.9%	46.7%
Federal Agency/GSE	34.4%	5.7%	17.6%	2.4%	15.0%
Municipal Debt	0.9%	5.3%	0.2%	1.4%	2.0%
Negotiable Certificates of Deposit	0.0%	0.0%	1.7%	0.0%	0.4%
Medium Term Maturity Notes	15.7%	27.4%	22.3%	24.2%	22.4%
Money Market/Mutual Funds	2.2%	0.7%	0.3%	2.3%	1.4%
Mortg & Asset Backed Sec	4.0%	13.7%	13.8%	15.8%	11.7%
Supranationals	1.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Portfolio Characteristics	CHANDLER	METLIFE	PFM	Payden & Rygel	Total Portfolio	* US Treasury Benchmark	** Corp./Govt. Benchmark
<b>Total Portfolio:</b>							
Weighted Average Life	2.22	2.12	2.08	2.20	2.16	n/a	n/a
Duration	2.05	1.95	1.94	2.04	1.99	1.98	1.99
Monthly Yield (Annualized)	3.97%	4.00%	3.97%	4.00%	3.98%	3.68%	3.91%
<b>1-3 Year Portfolio:</b>							
Weighted Average Life	1.94	1.84	1.85	1.93	1.89	n/a	n/a
Duration	1.81	1.69	1.73	1.80	1.75	1.75	1.75
Monthly Yield (Annualized)	3.99%	4.01%	3.97%	4.01%	4.00%	3.68%	3.90%
<b>1-5 Year Portfolio:</b>							
Weighted Average Life	2.77	2.70	2.66	2.74	2.72	n/a	n/a
Duration	2.52	2.46	2.45	2.52	2.49	2.47	2.49
Monthly Yield (Annualized)	3.92%	3.96%	3.97%	3.99%	3.96%	3.67%	3.93%

Portfolio Performance (Total Rate of Return)	CHANDLER	METLIFE	PFM	Payden & Rygel	Total Portfolio	* US Treasury Benchmark	** Corp./Govt. Benchmark
<b>Total Portfolio:</b>							
Monthly Return ***	0.81%	0.78%	0.79%	0.83%	0.80%	0.85%	0.82%
Three Months Return ***	2.14%	2.05%	2.04%	2.16%	2.10%	2.13%	2.09%
<b>1-3 Year Portfolio:</b>							
Monthly Return ***	0.76%	0.71%	0.73%	0.77%	0.74%	0.79%	0.76%
Three Months Return ***	2.03%	1.87%	1.89%	2.01%	1.95%	1.95%	1.92%
<b>1-5 Year Portfolio:</b>							
Monthly Return ***	0.92%	0.94%	0.93%	0.95%	0.93%	0.99%	0.94%
Three Months Return ***	2.38%	2.44%	2.42%	2.47%	2.43%	2.51%	2.45%

\* Represents the ICE/BAML 1-3 Year U.S. Treasury Index for the 1-3 Year Portfolio and the ICE/BAML 1-5 Year U.S. Treasury Index for the 1-5 Year Portfolio. The benchmarks for duration and monthly yield are weighted for the Total Portfolio.

\*\* Represents the ICE/BAML 1-3 Year AAA-A U.S. Corporate & Government Index for the 1-3 Year Portfolio and the ICE/BAML 1-5 Year AAA-A U.S. Corporate & Government Index for the 1-5 Year Portfolio. The benchmarks for duration and monthly yield are weighted for the Total Portfolio.

\*\*\* Reflects monthly return and three months only, as the 1-5 year portfolio was launched on October 1, 2024. Additional performance metrics will be reported once sufficient data becomes available.

## Rating Downgrades & Negative Credit Watch

4/30/2025

<u>Investment Manager / Security</u>	<u>Par Amount</u>	<u>Maturity</u>	<u>S&amp;P</u>	<u>Moody's</u>	<u>Fitch Ratings</u>
<b>Rating Downgrades:</b>					
<b>MetLife</b>					
MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT CORPORATION OF LOS ANGELES	\$ 1,600,000	11/1/2025	A+	NA	NA
<p>On April 25, 2025, S&amp;P downgraded Municipal Improvement Corporation of Los Angeles (the Corporation) by one notch to A+ from AA-. The Corporation is a nonprofit entity and a component unit of the City of Los Angeles (the City). These bonds are appropriation-backed instruments supported by the City. The downgrade reflects concerns about the City's weakening financial position and increased litigation risk related to the historic fires in January. However, the extent of the City's liability relative to that of utility companies remain uncertain. Despite the downgrade, the security remains compliant with the Investment Policy. The investment manager recommends holding the securities, maintaining a positive outlook based on the City's healthy liquidity and strong market access, which provides flexibility to meet potential financing needs.</p>					
- Rating below minimum requirements:					
KEYBANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION	\$ 1,675,000	08/08/2025 - 01/26/2026	BBB+	Baa1	BBB+
<p>During October 2023, Moody's and Fitch downgraded Keybank by one notch. The downgrade reflects the agencies' view that a higher-for-longer rate environment is likely to constrain profitability at Keybank more than for other banks of similar size. In addition, Keybank has a lower-than-average capital ratio on a proforma basis when adjusted for unrealized losses on available-for-sale securities. Due to the downgrade by both agencies, the three Keybank securities held within the portfolio fell below the minimum credit quality requirements of the Investment Policy. The Treasurer reviewed the position and recommended the securities be held for the short-term. The Treasurer presented his recommendation to the Chief Executive Officer who concurred. During June 2024, one of three Keybank securities was matured.</p>					
<b>Negative Credit Watch:</b>					
N/A					

# **DEBT PROGRAM**

(M2 Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, 91 Express Lanes Toll Road Revenue Bonds, 2021 TIFIA Loan)

# Outstanding Debt<sup>1</sup>

## As of 4/30/2025

### Orange County Local Transportation Authority (OCLTA-M2)

#### 2025 M2 Sales Tax Revenue Bonds

Issued:	\$	227,565,000
Outstanding:		227,565,000
Debt Service FY 2025:		-
All in True Interest Cost:		3.04%
Pledged Revenue Source:	M2 Sales Tax Revenues	
Ratings (Fitch/ Moody's/ S&P):		AA+/Aa2/AAA
Final Maturity:		2041

#### 2019 M2 Sales Tax Revenue Bonds

Issued:	\$	376,690,000
Outstanding:		301,885,000
Debt Service FY 2025:		33,065,900
All in True Interest Cost:		3.14%
Pledged Revenue Source:	M2 Sales Tax Revenues	
Ratings (Fitch/ S&P):		AA+/AAA
Final Maturity:		2041

<b>Sub-total M2 Outstanding Debt</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>529,450,000</b>
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### 91 Express Lanes

#### 2023 OCTA 91 Express Lanes Refunding Bonds

Issued:	\$	47,545,000
Outstanding:		41,725,000
Debt Service FY 2025:		8,051,750
All in True Interest Cost:		2.80%
Pledged Revenue Source:	91 Toll Road Revenues	
Ratings (Fitch/ Moody's/ S&P):		AA-/Aa3/AA-
Final Maturity:		2030

<b>Sub-total 91 Express Lanes Outstanding Debt</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>41,725,000</b>
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### 405 Express Lanes

#### 2021 TIFIA Loan

Amount Available	\$	628,930,000
Outstanding:		637,535,814
Capitalized Interest:		23,824,519
Interest Rate:		1.95%
Pledged Revenue Source:	405 Toll Road Revenues	
Ratings (Moody's):		Baa2
Final Maturity:		2058

<b>Sub-total 405 Express Lanes Outstanding Debt</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>637,535,814</b>
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<b>TOTAL OUTSTANDING DEBT:</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,208,710,814</b>
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1. Comprises OCTA's debt obligations (M2 Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, 91 Express Lanes Toll Road Revenue Bonds, and 2021 TIFIA Loan) currently outstanding and irrespective of OCTA's investment program.