

## €1 billion Green Bond Benchmark due 15 September 2027

### \*\*\* PRESS POINTS \*\*\*

Issuer: Kommuninvest i Sverige AB Rating (Moody's / S&P): Aaa (stable) / AAA (stable)

**Issue amount:** €1 billion

Settlement Date: 30 May 2024 (T+5)

**Coupon:** 3.000%, Fixed, Annual (short first to 15 September 2024)

Maturity: 15 September 2027

Reoffer Price: 99.805%
Reoffer Yield: 3.066%
Re-offer Spread vs. MS: 0bp

**Re-offer To Benchmark:** OBL 1.30% 15/10/2027 + 38.1bps

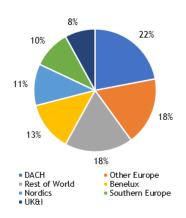
**Lead Managers:** Barclays, BNP Paribas, J.P. Morgan, SEB

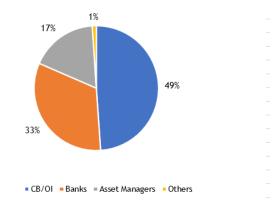
### **Transaction Highlights:**

- On 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2024, Kommuninvest, the Swedish local government debt office rated Aaa/AAA, successfully issued a new EUR Green 3-year Benchmark. The bond priced at mid-swaps flat, representing a spread of +38.1bps over the OBL 1.30% maturing October 2027.
- Barclays, BNP Paribas, J.P. Morgan and SEB acted as Joint Lead Managers on the transaction.
- The orderbook peaked in excess of €2.6 billion (including JLM interest), with over 65 investors participating. Dedicated green investors were well represented in the orderbook, providing further investor diversification to Kommuninvest.
- Furthermore, the 3bps tightening from initial guidance allowed the transaction to land with a degree of Greenium and almost flat to the outstanding KOMINS 2.750% Feb-27s despite the 7-month extension. The final pricing, combined with the high-quality orderbook, reaffirms the robust investor demand for Kommuninvest's Green EUR benchmark format.
- The transaction attracted a wide-range of high-quality investors. In terms of investor type, the transaction garnered significant interest from Central Banks and Official Institutions (49%), followed by Banks (33%), Asset Managers (17%) and Others (1%).
- The granular final orderbook was well-diversified with investors from the DACH region taking the largest allocation (22%). This was followed by Other Europe (18%), Rest of World (18%), Benelux (13%), Nordics (11%), Southern Europe (10%) and UK and Ireland (8%).
- Kommuninvest has now issued ~SEK 63 billion of its SEK 130-150 billion 2024 long-term funding programme.



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#### By Geography

| DACH            | 22%        |
|-----------------|------------|
| Other Europe    | 18%        |
| Rest of World   | 18%        |
| Benelux         | 13%        |
| Nordics         | 11%        |
| Southern Europe | 10%        |
| UK & Ireland    | <b>8</b> % |

#### By Investor Type

| Central Banks/ Official Institutions | <b>49</b> % |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| Banks                                | 33%         |
| Asset Managers                       | <b>17</b> % |
| Others                               | 1%          |

#### **Execution**

- The mandate for a new EUR 1 billion (no-grow) Green September 2027 benchmark was announced at 11:30 CET on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May amid a stable open. The transaction marks Kommuninvest's first Green benchmark of the calendar year and largest EUR Green benchmark on record.
- Following constructive feedback overnight, books formally opened the following morning at 8:55 CET alongside Spread Guidance of MS+3bp area.
- The transaction generated significant investor interest from the outset as orders surpassed €1.75 billion (including €350m Joint Lead Manager interest) by 10.28 CET, allowing Kommuninvest to revise the guidance to MS+2bp area.
- Despite the spread tightening, the high-quality order book continued to grow and reached in excess of €2.6 billion (including €350m Joint Lead Manager interest) which enabled the issuer to set the spread at MS flat.
- At 12.00 CET final books were closed, with final interest exceeding €2.5 billion (including €350m Joint Lead Manager interest). The deal was subsequently priced at 15:21 CET with a yield of 3.066%, and a spread over the OBL 1.30% due October 2027 of +38.1bps.

#### **About Kommuninvest:**

- Kommuninvest of Sweden is a public sector owned and guaranteed credit market company, regulated by the Swedish Financial Supervisory Authority.
- Kommuninvest lends only to municipalities and regions that are members of Kommuninvest Cooperative Society, and to their majority-owned companies. All members are jointly committed to unlimited cover of all Kommuninvest liabilities. 295 out of Sweden's 310 municipalities and regions are members of Kommuninvest Cooperative Society.