

## USD 1.25 billion Benchmark due 16th April 2025

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Issuer: Kommuninvest i Sverige AB

Rating: Aaa / AAA (Moody's / S&P, both stable)

**Issue Amount Payment Date:**USD 1.25 billion
15 November 2023

 Coupon:
 5.250%

 Maturity:
 16 April 2025

 Re-offer Price:
 99.899%

 Re-offer Yield:
 5.328%

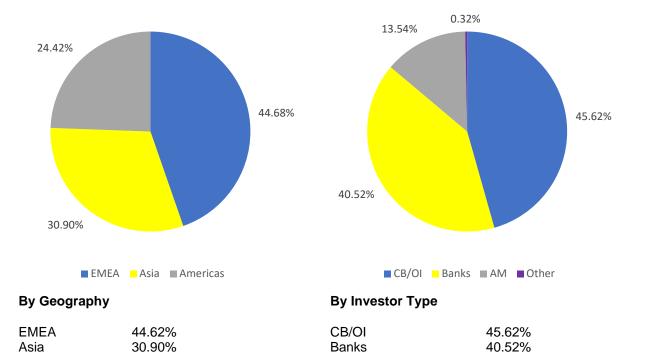
Re-offer vs SOFR MS: +28bps Re-offer vs Benchmark: +40.375bps

**Lead Managers:** Barclays, Nomura, SEB, TD

## **Transaction Highlights**

- On Wednesday, 8th November 2023, Kommuninvest, the Swedish local government debt office rated Aaa / AAA (Moody's / SP, both stable), successfully priced a new short 2-year USD denominated benchmark due April 16, 2025, their fourth USD benchmark trade of the year
- The new line was priced at SOFR mid-swaps +28 basis points with a coupon of 5.250% and a semi-annual reoffer yield of 5.328%
- Barclays, Nomura, SEB, and TD Securities acted as Joint Lead Managers on the transaction
- With this transaction Kommuninvest looked to take advantage of the considerable depth of demand in the front end of the USD market. Having announced the transaction at 12:00 CET on Tuesday IOIs were in excess of USD 1.8 billion at the market open on Wednesday.
- With the strong IOI number, guidance was revised tighter to MS+30bps area. Despite the tightening
  the growth of the book accelerated rapidly and given the limited size aspirations a decision was
  made to revise guidance tighter by a further 2bps at 9am London with order books in excess of
  \$2.9bn.
- The final books closed in excess of USD 3.9 billion spread across 84 orders, representing the issuers largest ever orderbook, highlighting Kommuninvest's broad based investor appeal and ongoing strategic commitment to build out a liquid USD benchmark curve
- The transaction was supported by a geographically and institutionally diverse investor base. Investors from EMEA attracted the largest allocation geographically at 44.68%, closely followed by Asia and the Americas at 30.90% and 24.42% respectively
- By Investor type to book was split, with Central Banks Official Institutions taking 45.62% of the allocation, followed by Banks at 40.52% and Asset Managers at 13.54%. Other types of investors accounted for 0.32% of the total allocations

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#### Execution

Americas

24.42%

 Kommuninvest announced the mandate for the short 2-year USD benchmark on Tuesday 7th November at 12:00 CET, with Initial Price Talks at SOFR MS+32 bps

Other

**Asset Manager** 

13.54%

0.32%

- The transaction was met with a positive reception from the outset, with overnight Indications of Interest (IOIs) in excess of USD 1.8 billion (excluding JLM). This allowed Kommuninvest to open books the following morning at 9:11 CET at a Guidance of SOFR MS +30bp area, 2bp tighter from IPTs
- The strong deal momentum continued, with the book rapidly growing to USD 2.9 billion (excluding JLM) within the next hour, enabling Kommuninvest to comfortably set a size of USD 1.25 billion, whilst simultaneously setting the spread an additional 2bp tighter at SOFR MS +28bps.
- EMEA and Asia books were closed at 10:20 CET, while books for Americas was closed at 8:00 NY.
   The final orderbook stood in excess of USD 3.9 billion, marking the largest ever orderbook received by Kommuninvest in the USD market
- The deal was subsequently priced 15:54 CET with a yield of 5.328%, and a spread of +40.375bps over the 5.000% UST due October 2025

### **About Kommuninvest**

- Kommuninvest i Sverige AB 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. 294 out of Sweden's 310 municipalities and regions are members of Kommuninvest Cooperative Society