

Western Asset Municipal Defined Opportunity Trust Inc.
as of
December 31, 2009

NEW YORK – (Business Wire) – January 19, 2010 – Western Asset Municipal Defined Opportunity Trust Inc. (NYSE: MTT) announces its portfolio composition as of December 31, 2009.

Investment Objective: To provide high current income exempt from federal income tax and then to liquidate on or about April 30, 2021 and distribute all of the Fund's net assets to shareholders. As a secondary objective, the Fund will seek total return.

Portfolio Composition*:

Asset Allocation

Municipals **100.0%**

Top Ten Municipal Sectors

Health Care	22.9%
Industrial Revenue	16.0%
Power	13.4%
Water & Sewer	11.6%
Education	8.9%
Housing	8.5%
Other	7.8%
Transportation	6.2%
Special Tax Obligation	4.3%
Lease Backed	0.4%

Credit Quality Allocation (Higher of S&P/Moody's/Fitch)

AAA	8.7%
AA	16.6%
A	55.4%
BBB	19.4%

Call Statistics

Not Callable	19.8%
2014	4.9%
2016	2.7%
2017	4.7%
2018	27.4%
2019	40.6%

Average Life (years)	16.20
Effective Duration (years)	9.62
Average Credit Quality (S&P)	A
Average Coupon (%)	6.11

Portfolio Statistics:

Inception Date	March 27, 2009
Inception Price	\$20.00
Total Assets	\$254,400,477

Market Price	\$20.81
NAV	\$21.35

(Daily NAV is available on market quotation systems using the symbol XMTTX.)

Distribution Rate	\$0.0900 per share
Frequency	Monthly (Declared quarterly, paid monthly)

* Portfolio holdings and weightings are historical and are presented here for informational purposes only. They are subject to change at any time.

Western Asset Municipal Defined Opportunity Trust Inc., a non-diversified, closed-end management investment company, is advised by Legg Mason Partners Fund Advisor, LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Legg Mason, Inc., and is sub-advised by Western Asset Management Company, an affiliate of the advisor.

An investment in the Fund involves risk, including loss of principal. Investment return and the value of shares will fluctuate.

For more information, please call Fund Investor Services at 888-777-0102 or consult the Fund's web site at www.leggmason.com/cef.

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