

# Wilshire Active Tax Free Income Portfolio

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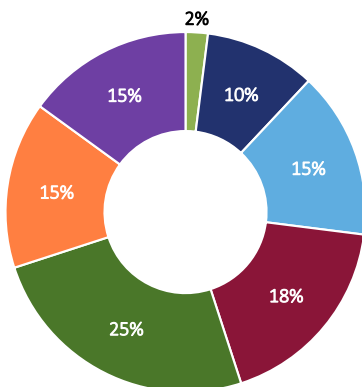
## Portfolio Overview

- Comprehensive fixed income investment solution** – The Wilshire Active Tax Free Income Portfolio (the “Portfolio”) offers allocations to tax-advantaged fixed income mutual funds, offering diversified exposure to 3 to 6 fixed income funds. The Portfolio targets an annualized Distribution Yield of 1.5% above the yield of the BVAL Municipal 10-Year AAA Benchmark.
- Total return as a secondary focus** – The Portfolio’s objective is to seek attractive levels of income, with the secondary goal of total return in excess of its performance benchmark (90% Bloomberg Barclays Municipal Bond Index +10% Bloomberg Barclays Municipal High Yield Index). The Portfolio seeks to maintain a risk profile similar to the Morningstar Multi-Sector Bond Category Average.
- Duration management** – Wilshire adjusts the duration of the Portfolio based on its outlook for interest-rate movements.
- Institutional investment managers** – The Portfolio is constructed using third-party mutual fund managers who are well-regarded by Wilshire’s Manager Research Group.

## Portfolio Characteristics

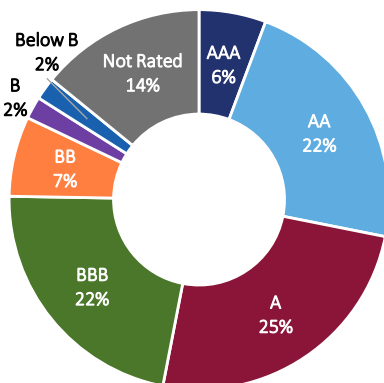
Distribution Yield <sup>1</sup>	2.41%
Yield Target <sup>2</sup>	2.55%
BVAL Municipal AAA Benchmark	1.05%
Underlying Fund Expense <sup>3</sup>	0.54%
Effective Duration <sup>4</sup> (Yrs.)	6.18
Beta <sup>5</sup>	1.29
Correlation to Benchmark <sup>6</sup>	0.97

## Portfolio Allocations



Fund	Allocation
Cash	2%
Western Asset Intermediate-Term Muni	10%
Nuveen Intermediate Duration Municipal Bond I	15%
Lord Abbett National Tax Free F	18%
MFS® Municipal Income I	25%
Lord Abbett High Yield Municipal Bond F	15%
MainStay MacKay High Yield Municipal Bond I	15%

## Credit Quality Distribution



## Top Five State Exposures

STATE	%
New York	10.5
Illinois	10.2
California	9.0
Puerto Rico	5.7
Pennsylvania	5.6

## Portfolio Guidelines

ASSET CLASS	MIN	MAX
Duration (years) vs. Benchmark	(3.0)	3.0
<b>MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE EXPOSURES</b>		<b>MAX</b>
Maximum High Yield		55.0%
Non-US Dollar Exposure		0.0%

All guidelines are on a market exposure basis. Market exposure refers to the dollar amount of funds, or percentage of a portfolio, invested in a particular type of security, market sector or industry, which is expressed as a percentage of total portfolio holdings. It describes the division of assets within a particular investment portfolio. The greater the market exposure, the greater the market risk in that specific investment area.

<sup>1</sup> An indication of the current dividends and interest vs. the current market value of the holdings. The yield represents the current amount of income that is being generated from the portfolio without liquidating the principal or capital gains of the Portfolio. However, the yield will fluctuate daily and current or past performance is not indicative of future results. The yield is calculated before the application of Wilshire’s Strategist fee, or any platform fees, advisory fees or other applicable fees. Wilshire uses Dreyfus AMT-Free Tax Exempt Cash Management Institutional (DEIXX) to represent cash when calculating Distribution Yield. There are certain limitations when calculating model performance or yield as the model results may not completely represent the actual trading of securities in client accounts. Furthermore, due to these limitations, Distribution Yield may not be an exact representation of dividends received in a client’s account.

<sup>2</sup> There is no guarantee that the Portfolio will achieve the targeted yield over any given period. Distributions may be subject to state income tax, depending on what states issue the underlying securities of this portfolio.

<sup>3</sup> Underlying Fund Expense does not include Wilshire’s Strategist fee. Platform fees, advisory fees, and other fees or charges may apply. Underlying Fund Expense reflects the weighted average underlying fund expense ratios as of 11/30/2021 and is subject to change due to various factors including changes in the underlying fund allocations and changes in underlying fund expense ratios.

<sup>4</sup> Duration measures a bond’s or fixed income portfolio’s price sensitivity to interest rate changes. Effective duration is a duration calculation for bonds that have embedded options. This measure of duration takes into account the fact that expected cash flows will fluctuate as interest rates change.

<sup>5</sup> Beta is a measure of the fund’s sensitivity to the benchmark index.

<sup>6</sup> Correlation to Benchmark measures the relationship between the performance of the portfolio and that of the benchmark index. It is not a measure of the performance of a portfolio. Correlation is presented as a value between -1.0 and +1.0, where 1.0 represents a perfectly positive correlation, -1.0 represents a perfectly negative correlation and 0.0 indicates no correlation.

## Performance

As of 12/31/2021	December	QTD	YTD	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year	Since Inception (6/30/2011)
<b>Active Tax Free Income</b>	<b>0.15</b>	<b>0.96</b>	<b>3.68</b>	<b>3.68</b>	<b>5.44</b>	<b>4.88</b>	<b>4.39</b>	<b>4.70</b>
Benchmark*	0.17	0.76	2.13	2.13	5.04	4.51	4.03	4.39

\*Benchmark: 90% Bloomberg Barclays Municipal Bond Index +10% Bloomberg Barclays Municipal High Yield Index

### Information regarding performance data

The performance results above should be reviewed in the context of the markets applicable to the investment strategies noted. There are certain limitations in model performance as the model results will not completely represent the actual trading of securities in a client account. The results reflect reinvestment of all dividends and interest. All returns for periods greater than one year are annualized. These results reflect the deduction of the maximum 0.20% Strategist fee. Actual client results will be lower based on the imposition of platform fees, advisory fees, transaction fees and custodial fees by third party firms. Due to differences in share classes and platform restrictions preventing the use of some securities, such as exchange-traded funds, Wilshire's preferred allocation may not be available on all platforms. When a specific security or financial instrument is unavailable, Wilshire will use a substitute security that is suitable in the context of the portfolio's stated investment objective. As with all investments, there is no guarantee that the investment strategy will be successful and investors should be aware that investments can lose money, including principal, so that an investor could end up with less money than was invested. Past performance is not indicative of future results, and processes used may not achieve the desired results. It is not possible to invest directly in an index. Index returns do not reflect payment of certain sales charges or fees an investor may pay to purchase the securities underlying the index or investment vehicles intended to track the performance of the index. The imposition of these fees and charges would cause actual performance of the securities/vehicles to be lower than the index performance shown.

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The Portfolio is actively managed and is subject to change. The Portfolio is designed to invest in mutual funds that engage in a variety of investment strategies involving certain risks, and are subject to the particular risks of the mutual funds in proportion to which the Portfolio invests in them. Performance of any selected mutual fund may be lower than the performance of the asset class that the mutual fund was selected to represent.

**Investments in fixed income securities** are subject to several general risks, including interest rate risk and credit risk, which could reduce the performance of the Portfolio. These risks may occur from fluctuations in interest rates, a change to an issuer's individual situation or industry, or events in the financial markets. As interest rates fall, the prices of fixed income securities tend to rise. As rates rise, prices tend to fall.

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