



# Allspring Pennsylvania Tax-Free Fund

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**ANDREW OWEN**

President  
Allspring Funds

## Dear Shareholder:

We are pleased to offer you this semi-annual report for the Allspring Pennsylvania Tax-Free Fund for the six-month period that ended December 31, 2023. Globally, stocks and bonds experienced high levels of volatility during the period but gained overall. The market was focused on the impact of ongoing aggressive central bank rate hikes on persistently high inflation. As inflation finally gradually declined, anticipation rose over an end to the central bank monetary tightening cycle. For the six-month period, domestic U.S. and global stocks and bonds had positive overall results, with U.S. stocks leading the way. After suffering deep and broad losses through 2022, bonds now benefit from a base of higher yields that can help generate higher income.

For the period, U.S. stocks, based on the S&P 500 Index,<sup>1</sup> returned 8.04%. International stocks, as measured by the MSCI ACWI ex USA Index (Net),<sup>2</sup> gained 5.61% while the MSCI EM Index (Net) (USD)<sup>3</sup> returned 4.71%. Among bond indexes, the Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index<sup>4</sup> returned 3.37%, the Bloomberg Global Aggregate ex-USD Index (unhedged)<sup>5</sup> gained 4.85%, the Bloomberg Municipal Bond Index<sup>6</sup> returned 3.63%, and the ICE BofA U.S. High Yield Index<sup>7</sup> returned 7.67%.

### Still focused on high inflation and elevated central bank rates, markets were volatile.

The six-month period began on a positive note in July for stocks as well as bonds. Riskier sectors and regions tended to do well, as investors grew more optimistic regarding economic prospects. With strong second quarter gross domestic product (GDP) growth—initially estimated at 2.4%—and U.S. annual inflation easing steadily to 3.2% in July, hopes for a soft economic landing grew. The Federal Reserve (Fed), the European Central Bank (ECB), and the Bank of England (BoE) all raised their respective key interest rates by 0.25% in July. In the Fed's case, speculation grew that it could be very close to the end of its tightening cycle. Meanwhile, China's economy showed signs of stagnation, renewing concerns of global fallout.

Stocks retreated in August while monthly bond returns were flat overall. Increased global market volatility reflected unease over the Chinese property market being stressed along with weak Chinese economic data. However, speculation grew over a possible end to the Fed's campaign of interest rate increases or at least a pause in September. U.S. economic data generally remained solid, with resilient job market data and inflation ticking up slightly in August, as the annual Consumer Price Index (CPI)<sup>8</sup> rose 3.7%. However, the three-month trend for Core CPI<sup>9</sup>, stood at an annualized 2.4%.

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<sup>1</sup> The S&P 500 Index consists of 500 stocks chosen for market size, liquidity, and industry group representation. It is a market-value-weighted index with each stock's weight in the index proportionate to its market value. You cannot invest directly in an index.

<sup>2</sup> The Morgan Stanley Capital International (MSCI) All Country World Index (ACWI) ex USA Index (Net) is a free-float-adjusted market-capitalization-weighted index that is designed to measure the equity market performance of developed and emerging markets, excluding the U.S. Source: MSCI. MSCI makes no express or implied warranties or representations and shall have no liability whatsoever with respect to any MSCI data contained herein. The MSCI data may not be further redistributed or used as a basis for other indexes or any securities or financial products. This report is not approved, reviewed, or produced by MSCI. You cannot invest directly in an index.

<sup>3</sup> The MSCI Emerging Markets (EM) Index (Net) (USD) is a free-float-adjusted market-capitalization-weighted index that is designed to measure the equity market performance of emerging markets. You cannot invest directly in an index.

<sup>4</sup> The Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index is a broad-based benchmark that measures the investment-grade, U.S.-dollar-denominated, fixed-rate taxable bond market, including Treasuries, government-related and corporate securities, mortgage-backed securities (agency fixed-rate and hybrid adjustable-rate mortgage pass-throughs), asset-backed securities, and commercial mortgage-backed securities. You cannot invest directly in an index.

<sup>5</sup> The Bloomberg Global Aggregate ex-USD Index (unhedged) is an unmanaged index that provides a broad-based measure of the global investment-grade fixed income markets excluding the U.S.-dollar-denominated debt market. You cannot invest directly in an index.

<sup>6</sup> The Bloomberg Municipal Bond Index is an unmanaged index composed of long-term tax-exempt bonds with a minimum credit rating of Baa. You cannot invest directly in an index.

<sup>7</sup> The ICE BofA U.S. High Yield Index is a market-capitalization-weighted index of domestic and Yankee high yield bonds. The index tracks the performance of high yield securities traded in the U.S. bond market. You cannot invest directly in an index. Copyright 2024. ICE Data Indices, LLC. All rights reserved.

<sup>8</sup> The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a measure of the average change over time in the prices paid by urban consumers for a market basket of consumer goods and services. You cannot invest directly in an index.

<sup>9</sup> The Core CPI is a measure of the average change over time in the prices paid by urban consumers for a market basket of consumer goods and services excluding energy and food prices. You cannot invest directly in an index.

Stocks and bonds both had negative overall returns in September as investors reluctantly recited the new chorus of “higher for longer,” led by the Fed’s determination not to lower interest rates until it knows it has vanquished its pesky opponent—higher-than-targeted inflation. As of September, the two primary gauges of U.S. inflation—the annual Core Personal Consumption Expenditures Price Index<sup>1</sup> and the CPI—both stood at roughly 4%, twice as high as the Fed’s oft-stated 2% target. The month ended with the prospect of yet another U.S. government shutdown, averted at least temporarily but looming in the coming months.

October was a tough month for financial markets overall. Key global indexes were pushed down by rising geopolitical tensions—particularly the Israel-Hamas conflict, and concerns over the Fed’s “higher for longer” monetary policy. The U.S. 10-year Treasury yield rose above 5% for the first time since 2007. Commodity prices did well as oil prices rallied in response to the prospect of oil supply disruptions from the Middle East. U.S. annualized third quarter GDP was estimated at a healthier-than-anticipated 4.9%. China’s GDP indicated surprisingly strong industrial production and retail sales, offset by ongoing weakness in its real estate sector.

In November, the market mood turned positive as cooling inflation inspired confidence that central banks could hold off on further rate hikes. Overall annual inflation in the U.S. fell to 3.1% in November while 12-month inflation in the U.K. and eurozone eased to 4.6% and 2.4%, respectively—far below their peak levels of mid-2022. Third quarter annualized U.S. GDP growth was raised to an estimated 5.2% while U.S. job totals rose by just below 200,000 in November, indicating a slight cooling of the labor market. All of this fresh evidence added to confidence for a U.S. soft economic landing, leading to a more buoyant mood heading into winter as the Federal Open Market Committee held rates steady at its December meeting.

The broad year-end rally among stocks and bonds that began in November continued through December as investors became more confident that monetary policy would ease in 2024. Supporting the bubbly market mood were a series of reports confirming lower inflationary trends in the U.S. and Europe. During the period, it appeared more likely that the U.S. economy could achieve a soft landing, cooling enough to lower inflation without the pain of a recession. However, by year-end, an expectations gap developed. Capital markets priced in a total of 1.50 percentage points in federal funds rate cuts in 2024, twice as much as the three cuts of 0.25% hinted at by Fed officials.

<sup>1</sup> The Core Personal Consumption Expenditures Price Index (PCE) is a measure of prices that people living in the United States, or those buying on their behalf, pay for goods and services. It is sometimes called the core PCE price index, because two categories that can have price swings – food and energy – are left out to make underlying inflation easier to see. You cannot invest directly in an index.

For further information about your fund, contact your investment professional, visit our website at [allspringglobal.com](http://allspringglobal.com), or call us directly at **1-800-222-8222**.

## Don't let short-term uncertainty derail long-term investment goals.

Periods of investment uncertainty can present challenges, but experience has taught us that maintaining long-term investment goals can be an effective way to plan for the future. To help you create a sound strategy based on your personal goals and risk tolerance, Allspring Funds offers more than 100 mutual funds spanning a wide range of asset classes and investment styles. Although diversification cannot guarantee an investment profit or prevent losses, we believe it can be an effective way to manage investment risk and potentially smooth out overall portfolio performance. We encourage investors to know their investments and to understand that appropriate levels of risk-taking may unlock opportunities.

Thank you for choosing to invest with Allspring Funds. We appreciate your confidence in us and remain committed to helping you meet your financial needs.

Sincerely,



Andrew Owen  
President  
Allspring Funds

## Notice to Shareholders

Beginning in July 2024, the Fund will be required by the Securities and Exchange Commission to send shareholders a paper copy of a new tailored shareholder report in place of the full shareholder report that you are now receiving. The tailored shareholder report will contain concise information about the Fund, including certain expense and performance information and fund statistics. If you wish to receive this new tailored shareholder report electronically, please follow the instructions on the back cover of this report.

Other information that is currently included in the shareholder report, such as the Fund's financial statements, will be available online and upon request, free of charge, in paper or electronic format.

## Performance highlights

**Investment objective** The Fund seeks current income exempt from federal income tax and Pennsylvania individual income tax.

**Manager** Allspring Funds Management, LLC

**Subadviser** Allspring Global Investments, LLC

**Portfolio managers** Bruce R. Johns, Kerry Laurin, Robert J. Miller

### AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS (%) AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2023

	INCEPTION DATE	INCLUDING SALES CHARGE			EXCLUDING SALES CHARGE			EXPENSE RATIOS <sup>1</sup> (%)	
		1 YEAR	5 YEAR	10 YEAR	1 YEAR	5 YEAR	10 YEAR	GROSS	NET <sup>2</sup>
Class A (EKVAX)	12-27-1990	0.53	0.63	2.23	5.30	1.56	2.70	0.97	0.74
Class C (EKVCX)	2-1-1993	3.52	0.80	2.09	4.52	0.80	2.09	1.72	1.49
Institutional Class (EKVYX)	11-24-1997	–	–	–	5.56	1.82	2.96	0.65	0.49
Bloomberg Municipal Bond Index <sup>3</sup>	–	–	–	–	6.40	2.25	3.03	–	–
Bloomberg Pennsylvania Municipal Bond Index <sup>4</sup>	–	–	–	–	6.65	2.43	3.22	–	–

**Figures quoted represent past performance, which is no guarantee of future results, and do not reflect taxes that a shareholder may pay on an investment in a fund. Investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Performance shown without sales charges would be lower if sales charges were reflected. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted, which assumes the reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. Current month-end performance is available on the Fund's website, [allspringglobal.com](http://allspringglobal.com).**

Index returns do not include transaction costs associated with buying and selling securities, any mutual fund fees or expenses, or any taxes. It is not possible to invest directly in an index.

For Class A shares, the maximum front-end sales charge is 4.50%. For Class C shares, the maximum contingent deferred sales charge is 1.00%. Performance including a contingent deferred sales charge assumes the sales charge for the corresponding time period. Institutional Class shares are sold without a front-end sales charge or contingent deferred sales charge.

<sup>1</sup> Reflects the expense ratios as stated in the most recent prospectuses. The expense ratios shown are subject to change and may differ from the annualized expense ratios shown in the Financial Highlights of this report.

<sup>2</sup> The manager has contractually committed through October 31, 2024, to waive fees and/or reimburse expenses to the extent necessary to cap total annual fund operating expenses after fee waivers at 0.74% for Class A, 1.49% for Class C and 0.49% for Institutional Class. Brokerage commissions, stamp duty fees, interest, taxes, acquired fund fees and expenses (if any), and extraordinary expenses are excluded from the expense caps. Prior to or after the commitment expiration date, the caps may be increased or the commitment to maintain the caps may be terminated only with the approval of the Board of Trustees. Without these caps, the Fund's returns would have been lower. The expense ratio paid by an investor is the net expense ratio (the total annual fund operating expenses after fee waivers) as stated in the prospectuses.

<sup>3</sup> The Bloomberg Municipal Bond Index is an unmanaged index composed of long-term tax-exempt bonds with a minimum credit rating of Baa. You cannot invest directly in an index.

<sup>4</sup> The Bloomberg Pennsylvania Municipal Bond Index is a Pennsylvania-specific total return index. The index is composed of Pennsylvania bonds. The bonds are all investment-grade, fixed-rate, long-term maturities (greater than two years) and are selected from issues larger than \$50 million dated since January 1984. Bonds are added to the index and weighted and updated monthly, with a one-month lag. You cannot invest directly in an index.

Bond values fluctuate in response to the financial condition of individual issuers, general market and economic conditions, and changes in interest rates. Changes in market conditions and government policies may lead to periods of heightened volatility in the bond market and reduced liquidity for certain bonds held by the Fund. In general, when interest rates rise, bond values fall and investors may lose principal value. Interest rate changes and their impact on the Fund and its share price can be sudden and unpredictable. The use of derivatives may reduce returns and/or increase volatility. Certain investment strategies tend to increase the total risk of an investment (relative to the broader market). This fund is exposed to Pennsylvania municipal securities risk and high-yield securities risk. Consult the Fund's prospectus for additional information on these and other risks. A portion of the Fund's income may be subject to federal, state, and/or local income taxes or the Alternative Minimum Tax (AMT). Any capital gains distributions may be taxable.



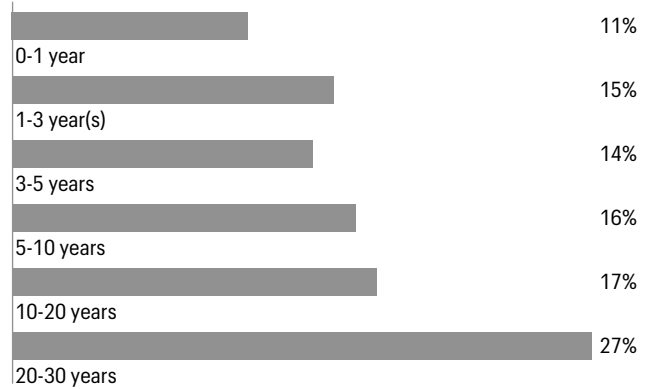
## MANAGER'S DISCUSSION

### CREDIT QUALITY AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2023<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> The credit quality distribution of portfolio holdings reflected in the chart is based on ratings from Standard & Poor's, Moody's Investors Service, and/or Fitch Ratings Ltd. Credit quality ratings apply to the underlying holdings of the Fund and not to the Fund itself. The percentages of the portfolio with the ratings depicted in the chart are calculated based on the market value of fixed income securities held by the Fund. If a security was rated by all three rating agencies, the middle rating was utilized. If rated by two of the three rating agencies, the lower rating was utilized, and if rated by one of the rating agencies, that rating was utilized. Standard & Poor's rates the creditworthiness of bonds, ranging from AAA (highest) to D (lowest). Ratings from A to CCC may be modified by the addition of a plus (+) or minus (-) sign to show relative standing within the rating categories. Standard & Poor's rates the creditworthiness of short-term notes from SP-1 (highest) to SP-3 (lowest). Moody's rates the creditworthiness of bonds, ranging from Aaa (highest) to C (lowest). Ratings Aa to B may be modified by the addition of a number 1 (highest) to 3 (lowest) to show relative standing within the ratings categories. Moody's rates the creditworthiness of short-term U.S. tax-exempt municipal securities from MIG 1/VMIG 1 (highest) to SG (lowest). Fitch rates the creditworthiness of bonds, ranging from AAA (highest) to D (lowest). Credit quality distribution is subject to change and may have changed since the date specified.

### EFFECTIVE MATURITY DISTRIBUTION AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2023<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Figures represent the percentage of the Fund's long-term investments. Allocations are subject to change and may have changed since the date specified.

## Fund expenses

As a shareholder of the Fund, you incur two types of costs: (1) transaction costs, including sales charges (loads) on purchase payments and contingent deferred sales charges (if any) on redemptions and (2) ongoing costs, including management fees, distribution (12b-1) and/or shareholder servicing fees, and other Fund expenses. This example is intended to help you understand your ongoing costs (in dollars) of investing in the Fund and to compare these costs with the ongoing costs of investing in other mutual funds.

The example is based on an investment of \$1,000 invested at the beginning of the six-month period and held for the entire period from July 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023.

### Actual expenses

The "Actual" line of the table below provides information about actual account values and actual expenses. You may use the information in this line, together with the amount you invested, to estimate the expenses that you paid over the period. Simply divide your account value by \$1,000 (for example, an \$8,600 account value divided by \$1,000 = 8.6), then multiply the result by the number in the "Actual" line under the heading entitled "Expenses paid during period" for your applicable class of shares to estimate the expenses you paid on your account during this period.

### Hypothetical example for comparison purposes

The "Hypothetical" line of the table below provides information about hypothetical account values and hypothetical expenses based on the Fund's actual expense ratio and an assumed rate of return of 5% per year before expenses, which is not the Fund's actual return. The hypothetical account values and expenses may not be used to estimate the actual ending account balance or expenses you paid for the period. You may use this information to compare the ongoing costs of investing in the Fund and other funds. To do so, compare this 5% hypothetical example with the 5% hypothetical examples that appear in the shareholder reports of the other funds.

Please note that the expenses shown in the table are meant to highlight your ongoing costs only and do not reflect any transactional costs, such as sales charges (loads) and contingent deferred sales charges. Therefore, the "Hypothetical" line of the table is useful in comparing ongoing costs only, and will not help you determine the relative total costs of owning different funds. In addition, if these transactional costs were included, your costs would have been higher.

	BEGINNING ACCOUNT VALUE 7-1-2023	ENDING ACCOUNT VALUE 12-31-2023	EXPENSES PAID DURING THE PERIOD <sup>1</sup>	ANNUALIZED NET EXPENSE RATIO
<b>Class A</b>				
Actual	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,029.80	\$ 3.76	0.74%
Hypothetical (5% return before expenses)	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,021.30	\$ 3.74	0.74%
<b>Class C</b>				
Actual	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,025.90	\$ 7.55	1.49%
Hypothetical (5% return before expenses)	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,017.55	\$ 7.52	1.49%
<b>Institutional Class</b>				
Actual	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,031.10	\$ 2.49	0.49%
Hypothetical (5% return before expenses)	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,022.55	\$ 2.48	0.49%

<sup>1</sup> Expenses paid is equal to the annualized net expense ratio of each class multiplied by the average account value over the period, multiplied by 183 divided by 366 (to reflect the one-half-year period).

## Portfolio of investments

	INTEREST RATE	MATURITY DATE	PRINCIPAL	VALUE
<b>Municipal obligations: 99.38%</b>				
<b>Alabama: 0.83%</b>				
<b>Utilities revenue: 0.83%</b>				
Southeast Energy Authority A Cooperative District Project No. 5 Series A øø	5.25%	1-1-2054	\$ 750,000	\$ <u>798,146</u>
<b>California: 0.55%</b>				
<b>Utilities revenue: 0.55%</b>				
California Community Choice Financing Authority Series C	5.00	10-1-2031	500,000	<u>527,172</u>
<b>Georgia: 0.50%</b>				
<b>Utilities revenue: 0.50%</b>				
Main Street Natural Gas, Inc. Series C 144Aøø	4.00	8-1-2052	500,000	<u>481,140</u>
<b>Guam: 1.32%</b>				
<b>Airport revenue: 0.82%</b>				
Antonio B Won Pat International Airport Authority Series A AMT	5.25	10-1-2031	200,000	208,553
Port Authority of Guam Series B AMT	5.00	7-1-2032	550,000	<u>585,563</u>
				<u>794,116</u>
<b>Miscellaneous revenue: 0.50%</b>				
Territory of Guam Series F	4.00	1-1-2042	500,000	<u>478,658</u>
				<u>1,272,774</u>
<b>Illinois: 0.83%</b>				
<b>Airport revenue: 0.52%</b>				
Chicago O'Hare International Airport Customer Facility Charge Revenue (BAM Insured)	5.00	1-1-2030	450,000	<u>499,205</u>
<b>Miscellaneous revenue: 0.31%</b>				
City of Chicago Lakeshore East Special Assessment Area 144A	2.27	12-1-2024	308,000	<u>303,144</u>
				<u>802,349</u>
<b>Pennsylvania: 94.79%</b>				
<b>Airport revenue: 3.80%</b>				
Allegheny County Airport Authority Series A AMT	5.00	1-1-2051	1,500,000	1,560,497
City of Philadelphia Airport Revenue Series A AMT	5.00	6-15-2026	580,000	587,487
City of Philadelphia Airport Revenue Series A AMT	5.00	6-15-2030	1,500,000	<u>1,515,437</u>
				<u>3,663,421</u>
<b>Education revenue: 19.38%</b>				
Allegheny County Higher Education Building Authority Robert Morris University	5.00	10-15-2037	750,000	749,931
Chester County IDA Avon Grove Charter School Series A	5.00	12-15-2047	1,160,000	1,153,610
Chester County IDA Collegium Charter School Series A	5.13	10-15-2037	1,000,000	963,222
Chester County IDA Renaissance Academy Charter School	3.75	10-1-2024	130,000	130,134
Cumberland County Municipal Authority Dickinson College	5.00	5-1-2032	940,000	974,667
Delaware County Authority Neumann University	5.00	10-1-2039	250,000	253,298
General Authority of Southcentral Pennsylvania York College of Pennsylvania Series TT2	4.00	5-1-2032	330,000	336,706

	INTEREST RATE	MATURITY DATE	PRINCIPAL	VALUE
<b>Education revenue (continued)</b>				
General Authority of Southcentral Pennsylvania York College of Pennsylvania Series TT2	4.00%	5-1-2033	\$ 315,000	\$ 321,454
General Authority of Southcentral Pennsylvania York College of Pennsylvania Series TT2	4.00	5-1-2034	550,000	562,672
Huntingdon County General Authority Juniata College Series T	5.00	10-1-2051	2,000,000	1,954,200
Latrobe IDA Seton Hill University	4.00	3-1-2051	800,000	630,281
Lehigh County General Purpose Authority Valley Academy Regional Charter School	4.00	6-1-2032	675,000	678,131
Lehigh County IDA Seven Generations Charter School Series A	4.00	5-1-2051	750,000	552,857
Montgomery County Higher Education & Health Authority Arcadia University	5.00	4-1-2030	1,500,000	1,506,953
Montgomery County IDA Public School of Germantown Series A	4.00	10-1-2041	450,000	400,494
Montgomery County IDA Public School of Germantown Series A	4.00	10-1-2046	225,000	189,670
Montgomery County IDA Public School of Germantown Series A	4.00	10-1-2051	825,000	668,398
Northeastern Pennsylvania Hospital & Education Authority Wilkes University Series B	5.25	3-1-2037	1,000,000	1,008,460
Pennsylvania Higher Educational Facilities Authority Ursinus College Series A	5.00	11-1-2026	500,000	515,146
Pennsylvania Higher Educational Facilities Authority Ursinus College Series A	5.00	11-1-2027	300,000	312,563
Philadelphia IDA First Philadelphia Preparatory Charter School Series A	7.00	6-15-2033	940,000	952,788
Philadelphia IDA Green Woods Charter School Series A	5.00	6-15-2032	340,000	341,665
Philadelphia IDA Independence Charter School West	5.00	6-15-2039	250,000	235,851
Philadelphia IDA LaSalle University	5.00	5-1-2036	1,355,000	1,117,824
Philadelphia IDA Performing Arts Charter School 144A	5.00	6-15-2029	220,000	227,252
Philadelphia IDA Performing Arts Charter School 144A	5.00	6-15-2030	145,000	149,482
Philadelphia IDA Tacony Academy Charter School 144A	5.50	6-15-2043	500,000	498,800
Philadelphia IDA West Philadelphia Achievement Charter Elementary School	7.50	5-1-2031	1,285,000	1,286,947
				<u>18,673,456</u>
<b>GO revenue: 15.65%</b>				
Blue Mountain School District Series B (AGM Insured)	4.00	8-1-2036	350,000	366,640
Blue Mountain School District Series B (AGM Insured)	4.00	8-1-2037	350,000	363,405
Blue Mountain School District Series B (AGM Insured)	4.00	8-1-2038	250,000	257,501
City of Oil City Series A (AGM Insured)	4.00	12-1-2039	315,000	321,827
City of Oil City Series A (AGM Insured)	4.00	12-1-2040	250,000	254,874
City of Oil City Series A (AGM Insured)	4.00	12-1-2041	250,000	253,917
City of Oil City Series A (AGM Insured)	4.00	12-1-2042	200,000	202,332
City of Philadelphia Series A	5.00	8-1-2036	1,250,000	1,338,835
City of Pittsburgh	5.00	9-1-2043	200,000	218,388
Coatesville School District Series C CAB (BAM Insured) ☐	0.00	10-1-2033	1,000,000	700,013
Conestoga Valley School District Series A	4.00	2-1-2043	500,000	504,513
Highlands School District (AGM Insured)	5.00	4-15-2035	295,000	336,285
Montour School District Series B (AGM Insured)	5.00	4-1-2032	1,000,000	1,030,703
Moon Area School District Series A	5.00	11-15-2028	150,000	152,532
Moon Area School District Series A	5.00	11-15-2029	1,445,000	1,468,021
Parkland School District Series B	4.00	2-1-2036	650,000	679,501

	INTEREST RATE	MATURITY DATE	PRINCIPAL	VALUE
<b>GO revenue (continued)</b>				
Penn Delco School District	4.00%	6-1-2045	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 1,001,051
Pequea Valley School District	4.00	5-15-2049	750,000	733,903
School District of Philadelphia Series B	5.00	9-1-2043	1,235,000	1,296,912
School District of Philadelphia Series C (AGM Insured)	5.00	6-1-2024	1,225,000	1,232,884
School District of the City of Erie Series A (AGM Insured)	5.00	4-1-2034	515,000	570,363
West Shore School District	5.00	11-15-2048	1,500,000	1,555,790
Wilkes-Barre Area School District (BAM Insured)	5.00	4-15-2027	100,000	105,995
Wilkes-Barre Area School District (BAM Insured)	5.00	4-15-2029	50,000	54,926
Wilkes-Barre Area School District (BAM Insured)	5.00	4-15-2030	70,000	77,465
				<u>15,078,576</u>
<b>Health revenue: 24.86%</b>				
Allegheny County Hospital Development Authority Allegheny Health Network Obligated Group Series A	4.00	4-1-2044	1,810,000	1,762,613
Allegheny County Hospital Development Authority UPMC Obligated Group (SIFMA Municipal Swap +0.70%) ±	4.57	11-15-2047	1,000,000	987,393
Berks County IDA Tower Health Obligated Group	5.00	11-1-2037	430,000	223,997
Bucks County IDA St. Luke's Hospital Obligated Group	4.00	8-15-2050	400,000	369,188
Cumberland County Municipal Authority Diakon Lutheran Social Ministries Obligated Group	5.00	1-1-2028	2,090,000	2,114,597
Dauphin County General Authority UPMC Obligated Group Series A	5.00	6-1-2035	1,000,000	1,037,269
Doylestown Hospital Authority Series A	5.00	7-1-2049	250,000	219,703
East Hempfield Township IDA Willow Valley Communities Obligated Group	5.00	12-1-2028	450,000	461,414
East Hempfield Township IDA Willow Valley Communities Obligated Group	5.00	12-1-2029	375,000	384,438
Geisinger Authority Health System Obligated Group Series A	4.00	4-1-2050	1,000,000	936,295
Geisinger Authority Health System Obligated Group Series A	5.00	6-1-2041	1,000,000	1,003,657
Geisinger Authority Health System Obligated Group Series A-1	5.00	2-15-2045	1,000,000	1,019,933
Geisinger Authority Health System Obligated Group Series C øø	5.00	4-1-2043	645,000	706,427
Hospitals & Higher Education Facilities Authority of Philadelphia Temple University Health System Obligated Group (AGM Insured)	5.00	7-1-2037	1,000,000	1,110,547
Lancaster County Hospital Authority St. Anne's Retirement Community Obligated Group	5.00	3-1-2045	500,000	409,911
Montgomery County Higher Education & Health Authority Thomas Jefferson University Obligated Group Series B	5.00	5-1-2052	1,000,000	1,054,070
Montgomery County IDA ACTS Retirement-Life Communities Inc Obligated Group Series C	5.00	11-15-2045	1,000,000	1,017,964
Montgomery County IDA Waverly Heights Ltd Obligated Group	5.00	12-1-2044	1,000,000	1,027,903
Pennsylvania EDFA Presbyterian Homes Obligated Group Series B-1	5.25	7-1-2049	500,000	510,298
Pennsylvania EDFA UPMC Obligated Group Series A	5.00	10-15-2035	645,000	732,991
Pennsylvania EDFA UPMC Obligated Group Series A	5.00	10-15-2036	800,000	901,863
Pennsylvania EDFA UPMC Obligated Group Series A1	4.00	4-15-2037	700,000	718,867
Pennsylvania Higher Educational Facilities Authority Health System Obligated Group	5.00	8-15-2040	1,500,000	1,533,067
Pennsylvania Higher Educational Facilities Authority Health System Obligated Group	5.00	8-15-2049	1,000,000	1,054,700
Pennsylvania Higher Educational Facilities Authority Health System Obligated Group Series A	5.00	8-15-2047	1,500,000	1,551,202

	INTEREST RATE	MATURITY DATE	PRINCIPAL	VALUE
<b>Health revenue (continued)</b>				
West Cornwall Township Municipal Authority Lebanon Valley Brethren Home Obligated Group Series A	4.00%	11-15-2041	\$ 370,000	\$ 309,206
West Cornwall Township Municipal Authority Lebanon Valley Brethren Home Obligated Group Series A	4.00	11-15-2046	525,000	415,676
Westmoreland County IDA Excelsa Health Obligated Group Series A	4.00	7-1-2037	400,000	382,270
				<u>23,957,459</u>
<b>Housing revenue: 3.98%</b>				
Chester County IDA University Student Housing LLC Series A	5.00	8-1-2030	555,000	555,035
Pennsylvania EDFA Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Department of Transportation AMT	5.75	6-30-2048	750,000	822,537
Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency LIH Wilkes-Barre LP (Department of Housing and Urban Development Insured) ø	1.25	2-1-2025	1,000,000	997,821
State Public School Building Authority Chester Upland School District Series B	5.25	9-15-2030	540,000	585,911
State Public School Building Authority Chester Upland School District Series C (AGM Insured)	5.00	9-15-2026	875,000	876,241
				<u>3,837,545</u>
<b>Miscellaneous revenue: 5.32%</b>				
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Series A COP	5.00	7-1-2038	1,000,000	1,058,429
Delaware County Authority Neumann University	5.00	10-1-2031	1,500,000	1,521,487
Delaware Valley Regional Finance Authority Series D (TD Bank N.A. LOC) ø	3.70	11-1-2055	700,000	700,000
Pennsylvania EDFA Philadelphia Water Department	4.00	1-1-2030	1,000,000	1,009,363
Philadelphia IDA City of Philadelphia Series A	5.00	2-15-2038	785,000	831,234
				<u>5,120,513</u>
<b>Tax revenue: 2.31%</b>				
Allentown Neighborhood Improvement Zone Development Authority	5.00	5-1-2042	500,000	514,223
Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority	5.25	6-1-2042	1,500,000	1,713,964
				<u>2,228,187</u>
<b>Transportation revenue: 7.65%</b>				
Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission	5.00	7-1-2042	580,000	609,723
Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission ø	3.75	12-1-2039	1,000,000	1,000,000
Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission Series 1	5.00	12-1-2043	1,800,000	1,979,094
Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission Series A	5.25	12-1-2053	1,500,000	1,677,605
Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission Series A2	5.00	12-1-2048	2,000,000	2,108,149
				<u>7,374,571</u>
<b>Utilities revenue: 1.07%</b>				
Philadelphia Gas Works Co. Series 15th	5.00	8-1-2047	1,000,000	1,029,620
<b>Water &amp; sewer revenue: 10.77%</b>				
Bucks County Water & Sewer Authority Series A (AGM Insured)	5.25	12-1-2047	2,175,000	2,429,419
Capital Region Water Sewer Revenue	5.00	7-15-2037	1,000,000	1,063,575
City of Philadelphia Water & Wastewater Revenue Series A	5.00	10-1-2038	2,000,000	2,134,902
City of Philadelphia Water & Wastewater Revenue Series C	5.00	6-1-2042	555,000	611,124

	INTEREST RATE	MATURITY DATE	PRINCIPAL	VALUE
<b>Water &amp; sewer revenue (continued)</b>				
Erie City Water Authority (BAM Insured)	4.25%	12-1-2052	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 1,004,128
Lehigh County Authority City Division Fund CAB □	0.00	12-1-2030	2,000,000	1,573,142
Luzerne County IDA Pennsylvania-American Water Co. AMT ∅∅	2.45	12-1-2039	500,000	463,007
Pittsburgh Water & Sewer Authority Series A (AGM Insured)	5.00	9-1-2048	1,000,000	1,097,488
				<u>10,376,785</u>
				<u>91,340,133</u>
<b>South Carolina: 0.56%</b>				
<b>Utilities revenue: 0.56%</b>				
Patriots Energy Group Financing Agency Series A1 ∅∅	5.25	10-1-2054	500,000	<u>538,778</u>
<b>Total municipal obligations (Cost \$98,998,687)</b>				<u>95,760,492</u>
	YIELD		SHARES	
<b>Short-term investments: 0.26%</b>				
<b>Investment companies: 0.26%</b>				
Allspring Municipal Cash Management Money Market Fund Institutional Class ♣∞	4.12		251,133	<u>251,183</u>
<b>Total short-term investments (Cost \$251,183)</b>				<u>251,183</u>
<b>Total investments in securities (Cost \$99,249,870)</b>	99.64%			96,011,675
Other assets and liabilities, net	<u>0.36</u>			<u>346,927</u>
<b>Total net assets</b>	<u>100.00%</u>			<u>\$96,358,602</u>

∅∅ The interest rate is determined and reset by the issuer periodically depending upon the terms of the security. The rate shown is the rate in effect at period end.

144A The security may be resold in transactions exempt from registration, normally to qualified institutional buyers, pursuant to Rule 144A under the Securities Act of 1933.

□ The security is issued in zero coupon form with no periodic interest payments.

± Variable rate investment. The rate shown is the rate in effect at period end.

∅ Variable rate demand notes are subject to a demand feature which reduces the effective maturity. The maturity date shown represents the final maturity date of the security. The interest rate is determined and reset by the issuer daily, weekly, or monthly depending upon the terms of the security. The rate shown is the rate in effect at period end.

♣ The issuer of the security is an affiliated person of the Fund as defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940.

∞ The rate represents the 7-day annualized yield at period end.

Abbreviations:

AGM	Assured Guaranty Municipal
AMT	Alternative minimum tax
BAM	Build America Mutual Assurance Company
CAB	Capital appreciation bond
COP	Certificate of participation
EDFA	Economic Development Finance Authority
GO	General obligation
IDA	Industrial Development Authority
LOC	Letter of credit
SIFMA	Securities Industry and Financial Markets Association

**Investments in affiliates**

An affiliated investment is an investment in which the Fund owns at least 5% of the outstanding voting shares of the issuer or as a result of other relationships, such as the Fund and the issuer having the same investment manager. Transactions with issuers that were affiliates of the Fund at the end of the period were as follows:

	VALUE, BEGINNING OF PERIOD	PURCHASES	SALES PROCEEDS	NET REALIZED GAINS (LOSSES)	NET CHANGE IN UNREALIZED GAINS (LOSSES)	VALUE, END OF PERIOD	SHARES, END OF PERIOD	INCOME FROM AFFILIATED SECURITIES
<b>Short-term investments</b>								
Allspring Municipal Cash Management Money Market Fund Institutional Class	\$1,717,837	\$18,041,467	\$(19,508,121)	\$14	\$(14)	\$251,183	251,133	\$35,605



# Financial statements

## Statement of assets and liabilities

Assets	
Investments in unaffiliated securities, at value (cost \$98,998,687)	\$ 95,760,492
Investments in affiliated securities, at value (cost \$251,183)	251,183
Cash	18
Receivable for interest	1,063,666
Receivable for Fund shares sold	11,252
Prepaid expenses and other assets	43,032
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>97,129,643</b>
Liabilities	
Payable for Fund shares redeemed	613,922
Dividends payable	83,128
Management fee payable	16,031
Administration fees payable	8,953
Trustees' fees and expenses payable	1,653
Distribution fee payable	1,347
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	46,007
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>771,041</b>
<b>Total net assets</b>	<b>\$ 96,358,602</b>
Net assets consist of	
Paid-in capital	\$100,280,560
Total distributable loss	(3,921,958)
<b>Total net assets</b>	<b>\$ 96,358,602</b>
Computation of net asset value and offering price per share	
Net assets—Class A	\$ 32,244,190
Shares outstanding—Class A <sup>1</sup>	2,996,454
Net asset value per share—Class A	\$10.76
Maximum offering price per share – Class A <sup>2</sup>	\$11.27
Net assets—Class C	\$ 2,256,593
Shares outstanding—Class C <sup>1</sup>	210,056
Net asset value per share—Class C	\$10.74
Net assets—Institutional Class	\$ 61,857,819
Shares outstanding—Institutional Class <sup>1</sup>	5,748,135
Net asset value per share—Institutional Class	\$10.76

<sup>1</sup> The Fund has an unlimited number of authorized shares.

<sup>2</sup> Maximum offering price is computed as 100/95.50 of net asset value. On investments of \$50,000 or more, the offering price is reduced.

## Statement of operations

### Investment income

Interest	\$1,831,442
Income from affiliated securities	35,605
<b>Total investment income</b>	<b>1,867,047</b>

### Expenses

Management fee	198,784
Administration fees	
Class A	23,911
Class C	1,878
Institutional Class	26,003
Shareholder servicing fees	
Class A	39,817
Class C	3,008
Distribution fee	
Class C	9,023
Custody and accounting fees	3,268
Professional fees	35,456
Registration fees	22,019
Shareholder report expenses	11,698
Trustees' fees and expenses	12,033
Other fees and expenses	3,958
<b>Total expenses</b>	<b>390,856</b>
Less: Fee waivers and/or expense reimbursements	
Fund-level	(83,708)
Class A	(10,906)
Class C	(358)
<b>Net expenses</b>	<b>295,884</b>
<b>Net investment income</b>	<b>1,571,163</b>

### Realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments

Net realized gains (losses) on	
Unaffiliated securities	(55,869)
Affiliated securities	14
<b>Net realized losses on investments</b>	<b>(55,855)</b>
Net change in unrealized gains (losses) on	
Unaffiliated securities	1,268,636
Affiliated securities	(14)
<b>Net change in unrealized gains (losses) on investments</b>	<b>1,268,622</b>
<b>Net realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments</b>	<b>1,212,767</b>
<b>Net increase in net assets resulting from operations</b>	<b>\$2,783,930</b>

## Statement of changes in net assets

	SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 (UNAUDITED)		YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023	
<b>Operations</b>				
Net investment income		\$ 1,571,163		\$ 3,261,773
Net realized losses on investments		(55,855)		(17,812)
Net change in unrealized gains (losses) on investments		1,268,622		(982,246)
<b>Net increase in net assets resulting from operations</b>		<b>2,783,930</b>		<b>2,261,715</b>
<b>Distributions to shareholders from</b>				
Net investment income and net realized gains				
Class A		(485,486)		(1,002,878)
Class C		(28,730)		(67,856)
Institutional Class		(1,069,709)		(2,190,837)
<b>Total distributions to shareholders</b>		<b>(1,583,925)</b>		<b>(3,261,571)</b>
<b>Capital share transactions</b>				
	SHARES		SHARES	
Proceeds from shares sold				
Class A	64,339	664,219	368,922	3,965,261
Class C	8,283	88,036	51,151	539,361
Institutional Class	660,892	6,954,219	2,082,656	21,878,721
		7,706,474		26,383,343
Reinvestment of distributions				
Class A	43,910	457,408	88,128	931,428
Class C	2,714	28,215	6,302	66,481
Institutional Class	60,629	631,489	113,016	1,195,044
		1,117,112		2,192,953
Payment for shares redeemed				
Class A	(229,269)	(2,373,536)	(584,916)	(6,192,666)
Class C	(58,050)	(605,966)	(144,498)	(1,527,601)
Institutional Class	(1,443,424)	(15,098,759)	(2,318,807)	(24,487,418)
		(18,078,261)		(32,207,685)
<b>Net decrease in net assets resulting from capital share transactions</b>		<b>(9,254,675)</b>		<b>(3,631,389)</b>
<b>Total decrease in net assets</b>		<b>(8,054,670)</b>		<b>(4,631,245)</b>
<b>Net assets</b>				
<b>Beginning of period</b>		<b>104,413,272</b>		<b>109,044,517</b>
<b>End of period</b>		<b>\$ 96,358,602</b>		<b>\$ 104,413,272</b>

## Financial highlights

(For a share outstanding throughout each period)

CLASS A	SIX MONTHS ENDED	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30				
	DECEMBER 31, 2023 (UNAUDITED)	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
<b>Net asset value, beginning of period</b>	<b>\$10.61</b>	<b>\$10.71</b>	<b>\$11.97</b>	<b>\$11.75</b>	<b>\$11.78</b>	<b>\$11.48</b>
Net investment income	0.16 <sup>1</sup>	0.31 <sup>1</sup>	0.28	0.31	0.35	0.35
Net realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments	0.15	(0.10)	(1.26)	0.22	(0.04)	0.32
Total from investment operations	0.31	0.21	(0.98)	0.53	0.31	0.67
<b>Distributions to shareholders from</b>						
Net investment income	(0.16)	(0.31)	(0.28)	(0.31)	(0.34)	(0.34)
Tax basis return of capital	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	(0.03)
Total distributions to shareholders	(0.16)	(0.31)	(0.28)	(0.31)	(0.34)	(0.37)
<b>Net asset value, end of period</b>	<b>\$10.76</b>	<b>\$10.61</b>	<b>\$10.71</b>	<b>\$11.97</b>	<b>\$11.75</b>	<b>\$11.78</b>
<b>Total return<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>2.98%</b>	<b>1.97%</b>	<b>(8.32)%</b>	<b>4.52%</b>	<b>2.65%</b>	<b>6.00%</b>
<b>Ratios to average net assets (annualized)</b>						
Gross expenses	0.98%	0.97%	0.94%	0.94%	0.97%	0.96%
Net expenses	0.74%	0.74%	0.74%	0.74%	0.74%	0.74%
Net investment income	3.02%	2.88%	2.41%	2.64%	2.92%	3.07%
<b>Supplemental data</b>						
Portfolio turnover rate	7%	15%	20%	21%	14%	9%
Net assets, end of period (000s omitted)	\$32,244	\$33,065	\$34,755	\$41,945	\$41,550	\$41,255

<sup>1</sup> Calculated based upon average shares outstanding

<sup>2</sup> Total return calculations do not include any sales charges. Returns for periods of less than one year are not annualized.

(For a share outstanding throughout each period)

CLASS C	SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 (UNAUDITED)	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30				
		2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
<b>Net asset value, beginning of period</b>	<b>\$10.59</b>	<b>\$10.69</b>	<b>\$11.95</b>	<b>\$11.73</b>	<b>\$11.76</b>	<b>\$11.45</b>
Net investment income	0.12 <sup>1</sup>	0.23 <sup>1</sup>	0.19 <sup>1</sup>	0.22	0.27	0.26 <sup>1</sup>
Net realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments	0.15	(0.10)	(1.26)	0.22	(0.05)	0.34
Total from investment operations	0.27	0.13	(1.07)	0.44	0.22	0.60
<b>Distributions to shareholders from</b>						
Net investment income	(0.12)	(0.23)	(0.19)	(0.22)	(0.25)	(0.26)
Tax basis return of capital	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	(0.03)
Total distributions to shareholders	(0.12)	(0.23)	(0.19)	(0.22)	(0.25)	(0.29)
<b>Net asset value, end of period</b>	<b>\$10.74</b>	<b>\$10.59</b>	<b>\$10.69</b>	<b>\$11.95</b>	<b>\$11.73</b>	<b>\$11.76</b>
<b>Total return<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>2.59%</b>	<b>1.20%</b>	<b>(9.03)%</b>	<b>3.74%</b>	<b>1.89%</b>	<b>5.31%</b>
<b>Ratios to average net assets (annualized)</b>						
Gross expenses	1.69%	1.72%	1.68%	1.68%	1.72%	1.70%
Net expenses	1.49%	1.49%	1.49%	1.49%	1.49%	1.49%
Net investment income	2.27%	2.12%	1.64%	1.89%	2.23%	2.32%
<b>Supplemental data</b>						
Portfolio turnover rate	7%	15%	20%	21%	14%	9%
Net assets, end of period (000s omitted)	\$2,257	\$2,722	\$3,679	\$6,485	\$8,394	\$8,768

<sup>1</sup> Calculated based upon average shares outstanding<sup>2</sup> Total return calculations do not include any sales charges. Returns for periods of less than one year are not annualized.

(For a share outstanding throughout each period)

INSTITUTIONAL CLASS	SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 (UNAUDITED)	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30				
		2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
<b>Net asset value, beginning of period</b>	<b>\$10.61</b>	<b>\$10.71</b>	<b>\$11.97</b>	<b>\$11.75</b>	<b>\$11.78</b>	<b>\$11.48</b>
Net investment income	0.17 <sup>1</sup>	0.33 <sup>1</sup>	0.31	0.34	0.38	0.38
Net realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments	0.15	(0.10)	(1.26)	0.21	(0.04)	0.32
Total from investment operations	0.32	0.23	(0.95)	0.55	0.34	0.70
<b>Distributions to shareholders from</b>						
Net investment income	(0.17)	(0.33)	(0.31)	(0.33)	(0.37)	(0.37)
Tax basis return of capital	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	(0.03)
Total distributions to shareholders	(0.17)	(0.33)	(0.31)	(0.33)	(0.37)	(0.40)
<b>Net asset value, end of period</b>	<b>\$10.76</b>	<b>\$10.61</b>	<b>\$10.71</b>	<b>\$11.97</b>	<b>\$11.75</b>	<b>\$11.78</b>
<b>Total return<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>3.11%</b>	<b>2.23%</b>	<b>(8.10)%</b>	<b>4.78%</b>	<b>2.91%</b>	<b>6.27%</b>
<b>Ratios to average net assets (annualized)</b>						
Gross expenses	0.66%	0.65%	0.61%	0.61%	0.64%	0.62%
Net expenses	0.49%	0.49%	0.49%	0.49%	0.49%	0.49%
Net investment income	3.27%	3.14%	2.66%	2.88%	3.18%	3.31%
<b>Supplemental data</b>						
Portfolio turnover rate	7%	15%	20%	21%	14%	9%
Net assets, end of period (000s omitted)	\$61,858	\$68,626	\$70,610	\$81,964	\$80,592	\$79,128

<sup>1</sup> Calculated based upon average shares outstanding<sup>2</sup> Returns for periods of less than one year are not annualized.

## Notes to financial statements

### 1. ORGANIZATION

Allspring Funds Trust (the "Trust"), a Delaware statutory trust organized on March 10, 1999, is an open-end management investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act"). As an investment company, the Trust follows the accounting and reporting guidance in Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") Accounting Standards Codification Topic 946, *Financial Services – Investment Companies*. These financial statements report on the Allspring Pennsylvania Tax-Free Fund (the "Fund") which is a diversified series of the Trust.

### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The following significant accounting policies, which are consistently followed in the preparation of the financial statements of the Fund, are in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles which require management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of income and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Securities valuation

All investments are valued each business day as of the close of regular trading on the New York Stock Exchange (generally 4 p.m. Eastern Time), although the Fund may deviate from this calculation time under unusual or unexpected circumstances.

Debt securities are valued at the evaluated bid price provided by an independent pricing service (e.g. taking into account various factors, including yields, maturities, or credit ratings) or, if a reliable price is not available, the quoted bid price from an independent broker-dealer.

Investments in registered open-end investment companies (other than those listed on a foreign or domestic exchange or market) are valued at net asset value.

Investments which are not valued using the methods discussed above are valued at their fair value, as determined in good faith by Allspring Funds Management, LLC ("Allspring Funds Management"), which was named the valuation designee by the Board of Trustees. As the valuation designee, Allspring Funds Management is responsible for day-to-day valuation activities for the Allspring Funds. In connection with these responsibilities, Allspring Funds Management has established a Valuation Committee and has delegated to it the authority to take any actions regarding the valuation of portfolio securities that the Valuation Committee deems necessary or appropriate, including determining the fair value of portfolio securities. On a quarterly basis, the Board of Trustees receives reports of valuation actions taken by the Valuation Committee. On at least an annual basis, the Board of Trustees receives an assessment of the adequacy and effectiveness of Allspring Funds Management's process for determining the fair value of the portfolio of investments.

#### When-issued transactions

The Fund may purchase securities on a forward commitment or when-issued basis. The Fund records a when-issued transaction on the trade date and will segregate assets in an amount at least equal in value to the Fund's commitment to purchase when-issued securities. Securities purchased on a when-issued basis are marked-to-market daily and the Fund begins earning interest on the settlement date. Losses may arise due to changes in the market value of the underlying securities or if the counterparty does not perform under the contract.

#### Security transactions and income recognition

Securities transactions are recorded on a trade date basis. Realized gains or losses are recorded on the basis of identified cost.

Interest income is accrued daily and bond discounts are accreted and premiums are amortized daily. To the extent debt obligations are placed on non-accrual status, any related interest income may be reduced by writing off interest receivables when the collection of all or a portion of interest has been determined to be doubtful based on consistently applied procedures and the fair value has decreased. If the issuer subsequently resumes interest payments or when the collectability of interest is reasonably assured, the debt obligation is removed from non-accrual status.

Interest earned on cash balances held at the custodian is recorded as interest income.

#### Distributions to shareholders

Distributions to shareholders from net investment income are declared daily and paid monthly. Distributions from net realized gains, if any, are recorded on the ex-dividend date and paid at least annually. Such distributions are determined in accordance with income tax regulations and may differ from U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Dividend sources are estimated at the time of declaration. The tax character of distributions is determined as of the Fund's fiscal year end. Therefore, a portion of the Fund's distributions made prior to the Fund's fiscal year end may be categorized as a tax return of capital at year end.

#### Federal and other taxes

The Fund intends to continue to qualify as a regulated investment company by distributing substantially all of its investment company taxable and tax-exempt income and any net realized capital gains (after reduction for capital loss carryforwards) sufficient to relieve it from all, or substantially all, federal income taxes. Accordingly, no provision for federal income taxes was required.

The Fund’s income and federal excise tax returns and all financial records supporting those returns for the prior three fiscal years are subject to examination by the federal and Delaware revenue authorities. Management has analyzed the Fund’s tax positions taken on federal, state, and foreign tax returns, as applicable, for all open tax years and does not believe that there are any uncertain tax positions that require recognition of a tax liability.

As of December 31, 2023, the aggregate cost of all investments for federal income tax purposes was \$99,249,870 and the unrealized gains (losses) consisted of:

Gross unrealized gains	\$ 966,689
Gross unrealized losses	(4,204,884)
<b>Net unrealized losses</b>	<b>\$(3,238,195)</b>

As of June 30, 2023, the Fund had capital loss carryforwards which consisted of \$312,644 in short-term capital losses and \$305,074 in long-term capital losses.

### Class allocations

The separate classes of shares offered by the Fund differ principally in applicable sales charges, distribution, shareholder servicing, and administration fees. Class specific expenses are charged directly to that share class. Investment income, common fund-level expenses, and realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments are allocated daily to each class of shares based on the relative proportion of net assets of each class.

## 3. FAIR VALUATION MEASUREMENTS

Fair value measurements of investments are determined within a framework that has established a fair value hierarchy based upon the various data inputs utilized in determining the value of the Fund’s investments. The three-level hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3). The Fund’s investments are classified within the fair value hierarchy based on the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement. The inputs are summarized into three broad levels as follows:

- Level 1—quoted prices in active markets for identical securities
- Level 2—other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar securities, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.)
- Level 3—significant unobservable inputs (including the Fund’s own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments)

The inputs or methodologies used for valuing investments in securities are not necessarily an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities.

The following is a summary of the inputs used in valuing the Fund’s assets and liabilities as of December 31, 2023:

	QUOTED PRICES (LEVEL 1)	OTHER SIGNIFICANT OBSERVABLE INPUTS (LEVEL 2)	SIGNIFICANT UNOBSERVABLE INPUTS (LEVEL 3)	TOTAL
<b>Assets</b>				
<b>Investments in:</b>				
<b>Municipal obligations</b>	\$ 0	\$95,760,492	\$0	\$95,760,492
<b>Short-term investments</b>				
<i>Investment companies</i>	251,183	0	0	251,183
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>\$251,183</b>	<b>\$95,760,492</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$96,011,675</b>

Additional sector, industry or geographic detail, if any, is included in the Portfolio of Investments.

At December 31, 2023, the Portfolio did not have transfers into/out of Level 3.

## 4. TRANSACTIONS WITH AFFILIATES

### Management fee

Allspring Funds Management, a wholly owned subsidiary of Allspring Global Investments Holdings, LLC, a holding company indirectly owned by certain private funds of GTCR LLC and Reverence Capital Partners, L.P., is the manager of the Fund and provides advisory and fund-level administrative services under an investment management agreement. Under the investment management agreement, Allspring Funds Management is responsible for, among other services, implementing the investment objectives and strategies of the Fund, supervising the subadviser and providing fund-level administrative



services in connection with the Fund's operations. As compensation for its services under the investment management agreement, Allspring Funds Management is entitled to receive a management fee at the following annual rate based on the Fund's average daily net assets:

AVERAGE DAILY NET ASSETS	MANAGEMENT FEE
First \$500 million	0.400%
Next \$500 million	0.375
Next \$2 billion	0.350
Next \$2 billion	0.325
Next \$5 billion	0.290
Over \$10 billion	0.280

For the six months ended December 31, 2023, the management fee was equivalent to an annual rate of 0.40% of the Fund's average daily net assets.

Allspring Funds Management has retained the services of a subadviser to provide daily portfolio management to the Fund. The fee for subadvisory services is borne by Allspring Funds Management. Allspring Global Investments, LLC, an affiliate of Allspring Funds Management and a wholly owned subsidiary of Allspring Global Investments Holdings, LLC, is the subadviser to the Fund and is entitled to receive a fee from Allspring Funds Management at an annual rate starting at 0.20% and declining to 0.10% as the average daily net assets of the Fund increase.

## Administration fees

Under a class-level administration agreement, Allspring Funds Management provides class-level administrative services to the Fund, which includes paying fees and expenses for services provided by the transfer agent, sub-transfer agents, omnibus account servicers and record-keepers. As compensation for its services under the class-level administration agreement, Allspring Funds Management receives an annual fee which is calculated based on the average daily net assets of each class as follows:

	CLASS-LEVEL ADMINISTRATION FEE
Class A	0.15%
Class C	0.15
Institutional Class	0.08

## Waivers and/or expense reimbursements

Allspring Funds Management has contractually committed to waive and/or reimburse management and administration fees to the extent necessary to maintain certain net operating expense ratios for the Fund. When each class of the Fund has exceeded its expense cap, Allspring Funds Management will waive fees and/or reimburse expenses from fund-level expenses on a proportionate basis and then from class specific expenses. When only certain classes exceed their expense caps, waivers and/or reimbursements are applied against class specific expenses before fund-level expenses. Allspring Funds Management has contractually committed through October 31, 2024 to waive fees and/or reimburse expenses to the extent necessary to cap the Fund's expenses. Prior to or after the commitment expiration date, the cap may be increased or the commitment to maintain the cap may be terminated only with the approval of the Board of Trustees. As of December 31, 2023, the contractual expense caps are as follows:

	EXPENSE RATIO CAPS
Class A	0.74%
Class C	1.49
Institutional Class	0.49

## Distribution fee

The Trust has adopted a distribution plan for Class C shares pursuant to Rule 12b-1 under the 1940 Act. A distribution fee is charged to Class C shares and paid to Allspring Funds Distributor, LLC ("Allspring Funds Distributor"), the principal underwriter, an affiliate of Allspring Funds Management, at an annual rate up to 0.75% of the average daily net assets of Class C shares.

In addition, Allspring Funds Distributor is entitled to receive the front-end sales charge from the purchase of Class A shares and a contingent deferred sales charge on the redemption of certain Class A shares. Allspring Funds Distributor is also entitled to receive the contingent deferred sales charges from redemptions of Class C shares. For the six months ended December 31, 2023, Allspring Funds Distributor received \$861 from the sale of Class A shares. No contingent deferred sales charges were incurred by Class A and Class C shares for the six months ended December 31, 2023.

## Shareholder servicing fees

The Trust has entered into contracts with one or more shareholder servicing agents, whereby Class A and Class C are charged a fee at an annual rate up to 0.25% of the average daily net assets of each respective class. A portion of these total shareholder servicing fees were paid to affiliates of the Fund.

## Interfund transactions

The Fund may purchase or sell portfolio investment securities to certain affiliates pursuant to Rule 17a-7 under the 1940 Act and under procedures adopted by the Board of Trustees. The procedures have been designed to ensure that these interfund transactions, which do not incur broker commissions, are effected at current market prices. Pursuant to these procedures, the Fund had \$3,000,000, \$2,800,000 and \$0 in interfund purchases, sales and net realized gains (losses), respectively, during the six months ended December 31, 2023.

## 5. INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO TRANSACTIONS

Purchases and sales of investments, excluding U.S. government obligations (if any) and short-term securities, for the six months ended December 31, 2023 were \$6,423,917 and \$15,560,589, respectively.

## 6. BANK BORROWINGS

The Trust (excluding the money market funds), Allspring Master Trust and Allspring Variable Trust are parties to a \$350,000,000 revolving credit agreement whereby the Fund is permitted to use bank borrowings for temporary or emergency purposes, such as to fund shareholder redemption requests. Interest under the credit agreement is charged to the Fund based on borrowing rate equal to the higher of the Federal Funds rate or the overnight bank funding rate in effect on that day plus a spread. In addition, an annual commitment fee based on the unused balance is allocated to each participating fund.

For the six months ended December 31, 2023, there were no borrowings by the Fund under the agreement.

## 7. CONCENTRATION RISK

The Fund invests a substantial portion of its assets in issuers of municipal debt securities located in a single state or territory of the U.S. Therefore, it may be more affected by economic and political developments in that state or region than would be a comparable general tax-exempt fund. As of the end of the period, the Fund's investments were concentrated in the state of Pennsylvania.

## 8. INDEMNIFICATION

Under the Fund's organizational documents, the officers and Trustees have been granted certain indemnification rights against certain liabilities that may arise out of performance of their duties to the Fund. The Fund has entered into a separate agreement with each Trustee that converts indemnification rights currently existing under the Fund's organizational documents into contractual rights that cannot be changed in the future without the consent of the Trustee. Additionally, in the normal course of business, the Fund may enter into contracts with service providers that contain a variety of indemnification clauses. The Fund's maximum exposure under these arrangements is dependent on future claims that may be made against the Fund and, therefore, cannot be estimated.

## Other information

### Proxy voting information

A description of the policies and procedures used to determine how to vote proxies relating to portfolio securities is available without charge, upon request, by calling **1-866-259-3305**, visiting our website at **allspringglobal.com**, or visiting the SEC website at [sec.gov](http://sec.gov). Information regarding how the proxies related to portfolio securities were voted during the most recent 12-month period ended June 30 is available on the website at **allspringglobal.com** or by visiting the SEC website at [sec.gov](http://sec.gov).

### Quarterly portfolio holdings information

The Fund files its complete schedule of portfolio holdings with the SEC for the first and third quarters of each fiscal year as an exhibit to its reports on Form N-PORT. Shareholders may view the filed Form N-PORT by visiting the SEC website at [sec.gov](http://sec.gov).

## Board of trustees and officers

Each of the Trustees and Officers listed in the table below acts in identical capacities for each fund in the Allspring family of funds, which consists of 117 mutual funds comprising the Allspring Funds Trust, Allspring Variable Trust, Allspring Master Trust and four closed-end funds (collectively the “Fund Complex”). This table should be read in conjunction with the Prospectus and the Statement of Additional Information<sup>†</sup>. The mailing address of each Trustee and Officer is 1415 Vantage Park Drive, 3rd Floor, Charlotte, NC 28203. Each Trustee and Officer serves an indefinite term, however, each Trustee serves such term until reaching the mandatory retirement age established by the Trustees.

### Independent Trustees

NAME AND YEAR OF BIRTH	POSITION HELD AND LENGTH OF SERVICE*	PRINCIPAL OCCUPATIONS DURING PAST FIVE YEARS OR LONGER	CURRENT OTHER PUBLIC COMPANY OR INVESTMENT COMPANY DIRECTORSHIPS
WILLIAM R. EBSWORTH (Born 1957)	Trustee, since 2015	Retired. From 1984 to 2013, equities analyst, portfolio manager, research director and chief investment officer at Fidelity Management and Research Company in Boston, Tokyo, and Hong Kong, and retired in 2013 as Chief Investment Officer of Fidelity Strategic Advisers, Inc. where he led a team of investment professionals managing client assets. Prior thereto, Board member of Hong Kong Securities Clearing Co., Hong Kong Options Clearing Corp., the Thailand International Fund, Ltd., Fidelity Investments Life Insurance Company, and Empire Fidelity Investments Life Insurance Company. Serves on the Investment Company Institute’s Board of Governors since 2022 and Executive Committee since 2023 as well as the Vice Chairman of the Governing Council of the Independent Directors Council since 2023. Audit Committee Chair and Investment Committee Chair of the Vincent Memorial Hospital Foundation (non-profit organization). Mr. Ebsworth is a CFA charterholder.	N/A
JANE A. FREEMAN (Born 1953)	Trustee, since 2015; Chair Liaison, since January 2018 <sup>#</sup>	Retired. From 2012 to 2014 and 1999 to 2008, Chief Financial Officer of Scientific Learning Corporation. From 2008 to 2012, Ms. Freeman provided consulting services related to strategic business projects. Prior to 1999, Portfolio Manager at Rockefeller & Co. and Scudder, Stevens & Clark. Board member of the Harding Loevner Funds from 1996 to 2014, serving as both Lead Independent Director and chair of the Audit Committee. Board member of the Russell Exchange Traded Funds Trust from 2011 to 2012 and the chair of the Audit Committee. Ms. Freeman is also an inactive Chartered Financial Analyst.	N/A
ISAIAH HARRIS, JR. (Born 1952)	Trustee, since 2009; Audit Committee Chair, since 2019	Retired. Member of the Advisory Board of CEF of East Central Florida. Chairman of the Board of CIGNA Corporation from 2009 to 2021, and Director from 2005 to 2008. From 2003 to 2011, Director of Deluxe Corporation. Prior thereto, President and CEO of BellSouth Advertising and Publishing Corp. from 2005 to 2007, President and CEO of BellSouth Enterprises from 2004 to 2005 and President of BellSouth Consumer Services from 2000 to 2003. Emeritus member of the Iowa State University Foundation Board of Governors. Emeritus Member of the Advisory board of Iowa State University School of Business. Advisory Board Member, Palm Harbor Academy (private school). Advisory Board Member, Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Mr. Harris is a certified public accountant (inactive status).	N/A
DAVID F. LARCKER (Born 1950)	Trustee, since 2009	Distinguished Visiting Fellow at the Hoover Institution since 2022. James Irvin Miller Professor of Accounting at the Graduate School of Business (Emeritus), Stanford University, Director of the Corporate Governance Research Initiative and Senior Faculty of The Rock Center for Corporate Governance since 2006. From 2005 to 2008, Professor of Accounting at the Graduate School of Business, Stanford University. Prior thereto, Ernst & Young Professor of Accounting at The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania from 1985 to 2005.	N/A
OLIVIA S. MITCHELL (Born 1953)	Trustee, since 2006	International Foundation of Employee Benefit Plans Professor since 1993, Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania. Director of Wharton’s Pension Research Council and Boettner Center on Pensions & Retirement Research, and Research Associate at the National Bureau of Economic Research. Previously taught at Cornell University from 1978 to 1993.	N/A
TIMOTHY J. PENNY (Born 1951)	Trustee, since 1996; Chair, since 2018	President and Chief Executive Officer of Southern Minnesota Initiative Foundation, a non-profit organization, since 2007. Vice Chair of the Economic Club of Minnesota, since 2007. Co-Chair of the Committee for a Responsible Federal Budget, since 1995. Member of the Board of Trustees of NorthStar Education Finance, Inc., a non-profit organization, from 2007-2022. Senior Fellow of the University of Minnesota Humphrey Institute from 1995 to 2017.	N/A

\* Length of service dates reflect the Trustee’s commencement of service with the Trust’s predecessor entities, where applicable.

<sup>#</sup> Ms. Freeman will serve as Chair Liaison through June 2024, at which time Ms. Wheelock will assume the role.

<sup>†</sup> The Statement of Additional Information includes additional information about the Trustees and is available, without charge, upon request, by calling 1-800-222-8222 or by visiting the website at [allspringglobal.com](http://allspringglobal.com).

NAME AND YEAR OF BIRTH	POSITION HELD AND LENGTH OF SERVICE*	PRINCIPAL OCCUPATIONS DURING PAST FIVE YEARS OR LONGER	CURRENT OTHER PUBLIC COMPANY OR INVESTMENT COMPANY DIRECTORSHIPS
JAMES G. POLISSON (Born 1959)	Trustee, since 2018; Nominating and Governance Committee Chair, since 2024	Retired. Chief Marketing Officer, Source (ETF) UK Services, Ltd, from 2015 to 2017. From 2012 to 2015, Principal of The Polisson Group, LLC, a management consulting, corporate advisory and principal investing company. Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director at Russell Investments, Global Exchange Traded Funds from 2010 to 2012. Managing Director of Barclays Global Investors from 1998 to 2010 and Global Chief Marketing Officer for iShares and Barclays Global Investors from 2000 to 2010. Trustee of the San Francisco Mechanics' Institute, a non-profit organization, from 2013 to 2015. Board member of the Russell Exchange Traded Fund Trust from 2011 to 2012. Director of Barclays Global Investors Holdings Deutschland GmbH from 2006 to 2009. Mr. Polisson is an attorney and has a retired status with the Massachusetts and District of Columbia Bar Associations.	N/A
PAMELA WHEELOCK (Born 1959)	Trustee, since January 2020; previously Trustee from January 2018 to July 2019 <sup>#</sup>	Retired. Executive and Senior Financial leadership positions in the public, private and nonprofit sectors. Interim President and CEO, McKnight Foundation, 2020. Interim Commissioner, Minnesota Department of Human Services, 2019. Chief Operating Officer, Twin Cities Habitat for Humanity, 2017-2019. Vice President for University Services, University of Minnesota, 2012-2016. Interim President and CEO, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota, 2011-2012. Executive Vice-President and Chief Financial Officer, Minnesota Wild, 2002-2008. Commissioner, Minnesota Department of Finance, 1999-2002. Chair of the Board of Directors of Destination Medical Center Corporation. Board member of the Minnesota Wild Foundation.	N/A

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Officers<sup>1</sup>

NAME AND YEAR OF BIRTH	POSITION HELD AND LENGTH OF SERVICE	PRINCIPAL OCCUPATIONS DURING PAST FIVE YEARS OR LONGER
ANDREW OWEN (Born 1960)	President, since 2017	President and Chief Executive Officer of Allspring Funds Management, LLC since 2017 and Head of Global Fund Governance of Allspring Global Investments since 2022. Prior thereto, co-president of Galliard Capital Management, LLC, an affiliate of Allspring Funds Management, LLC, from 2019 to 2022 and Head of Affiliated Managers, Allspring Global Investments, from 2014 to 2019 and Executive Vice President responsible for marketing, investments and product development for Allspring Funds Management, LLC, from 2009 to 2014.
JEREMY DEPALMA (Born 1974)	Treasurer, since 2012 (for certain funds in the Fund Complex); since 2021 (for the remaining funds in the Complex)	Senior Vice President of Allspring Funds Management, LLC since 2009. Senior Vice President of Evergreen Investment Management Company, LLC from 2008 to 2010 and head of the Fund Reporting and Control Team within Fund Administration from 2005 to 2010.
CHRISTOPHER BAKER (Born 1976)	Chief Compliance Officer, since 2022	Global Chief Compliance Officer for Allspring Global Investments since 2022. Prior thereto, Chief Compliance Officer for State Street Global Advisors from 2018 to 2021. Senior Compliance Officer for the State Street divisions of Alternative Investment Solutions, Sector Solutions, and Global Marketing from 2015 to 2018. From 2010 to 2015 Vice President, Global Head of Investment and Marketing Compliance for State Street Global Advisors.
MATTHEW PRASSE (Born 1983)	Chief Legal Officer, since 2022; Secretary, since 2021	Senior Counsel of the Allspring Legal Department since 2021. Senior Counsel of the Wells Fargo Legal Department from 2018 to 2021. Previously, Counsel for Barings LLC from 2015 to 2018. Prior to joining Barings, Associate at Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP from 2008 to 2015.

<sup>1</sup> For those Officers with tenures at Allspring Global Investments and/or Allspring Funds Management, LLC that began prior to 2021, such tenures include years of service during which these businesses/entities were known as Wells Fargo Asset Management and Wells Fargo Funds Management, LLC, respectively.





## For more information

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