

Interim Report of Fund Performance For the six months ended June 30, 2013

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This interim management report of fund performance contains financial highlights, but does not contain either interim or annual financial statements of the investment fund. You can get a copy of the interim or annual financial statements at your request, and at no cost, by calling 416-842-0887 or 1-888-789-8957 toll free, or by writing to us at Investor Relations, Ridgewood Capital Asset Management Inc., 55 University Avenue, Suite 1020, Toronto, Ontario, M5J 2H7, or by visiting our website at <a href="https://www.ridgewoodcapital.ca">www.ridgewoodcapital.ca</a> or SEDAR at <a href="https://www.sedar.com">www.sedar.com</a>. Unitholders may also contact us using one of these methods to request a copy of the Fund's proxy voting policies and procedures, proxy voting disclosure record, or quarterly portfolio disclosure.

#### **Results of Operations**

For the six months ended June 30, 2013, the net asset value of the Fund for pricing purposes was \$8.83 per unit compared to \$9.02 per unit at December 31, 2012.

For more detailed information on the investment returns, please see the Annual Total Return bar graph.

For the six months ended June 30, 2013, the fund had a positive return of 0.56% net of fees of 1.38% (annualized) while the DEX Universe Bond Index had a return of -1.68%. The bond market has adjusted to the fact that quantitative easing will be winding down in the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2013. The strategy of the Fund has been to target the highest yield relative to risk opportunity, while maintaining a stable income stream. Preferred shares were added to the fund in addition to a higher allocation to REIT's.

#### **Recent Developments**

The Bank of Canada has not increased interest rates this year and has recently stated that it is likely to remain on hold given the uncertain global economic environment. Steve Poloz, recently appointed head of the Bank of Canada, was previously the CEO of Export Development Canada. He will likely maintain a steady course although given his background, he is well aware of the export challenges Canadian manufacturers are facing. In light of that, he is more likely to have conciliatory views of the current interest rate environment. The U.S. economy on the other hand has been gradually picking up momentum with job growth maintaining a consistent path. The Canadian dollar has weakened in light of the divergent paths of economic growth, which longer term will be a net positive for our economy.

Interest rates will likely be limited on the upside given our weak economic growth in the first half of 2013. The corporate bond market remains attractive given the additional interest rate differential over Government bonds. The strategy will be to remain overweight this sector to achieve higher income and potential capital gains.

#### **Financial Highlights**

The following tables show selected key financial information about the Fund and are intended to help you understand the Fund's financial performance for the past years.

Information for the period ended June 30, 2013 is derived from the Fund's unaudited semi-annual financial statements. For June 30, 2013, the Net Assets included in the Net Assets per Unit table is from the Fund's unaudited financial statements and calculated using bid prices while the Net Asset Value included in the Ratios/Supplemental Data table is for Fund pricing purpose and calculated using closing prices. All other calculations for the purposes of this MRFP are made using Net Asset Value.

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	Period er	nded June 30	Years ended December 31	
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The fund's net assets per unit				
Net assets, beginning of year (period) (1)	\$	8.99 \$	8.80 \$	10.00
Increase (decrease) from operations				
Total revenue		0.25	0.58	0.60
Total expenses		(0.07)	(0.14)	(0.12)
Realized loss for the year (period)		0.12	(0.34)	(0.92)
Unrealized loss for the year (period)		(0.31)	0.68	(0.47)
Total increase (decrease) from operations (2)		(0.01)	0.78	(0.91)
Distributions to unitholders				
From taxable income		(0.25)	(0.62)	(0.43)
From capital gains				
Total distributions <sup>(3)</sup>		(0.25)	(0.62)	(0.43)
Net assets, end of year (period) (1)	\$	8.80 \$	8.99 \$	8.80

**<sup>(</sup>**1)

This information is derived from the Fund's unaudited financial statements as at June 30, 2013 and the audited annual financial statements as at December 31 of the year. The net assets per security presented in the financial statements differs from the net asset value calculated for fund pricing purposes. Net Assets per unit is the difference between the aggregate value of the assets of the Fund and the aggregate value of the liabilities on that date and including the valuation of securities at bid prices divided by the number of units then outstanding.

<sup>🐔</sup> Distributions to unitholders are based on the number of units outstanding on the record date for each distribution and were paid in cash.

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Ratios/supplemental Data						
Net Asset Value, end of year (period) (\$millions) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	52.25	\$	35.8	35	\$ 14.03
Number of units outstanding <sup>(1)</sup>		5,917,271		3,976,55	3	1,590,198
Management expense ratio (including HST) <sup>(2)</sup>		1.26%		1.38	3%	1.37%
Management expense ratio including						
expenses absorbed by the Manager		1.39%		1.38	3%	1.37%
Portfolio turnover rate <sup>(3)</sup>		49.10%		70.55	5%	113.01%
Net Asset Value per unit, end of year (period) (4)	\$	8.83	\$	9.0	)2	\$ 8.82

<sup>(1)</sup> This information is provided as at June 30 and December 31 of the year shown.

## Management Fees

Ridgewood Capital Asset Management Inc. (the "Manager") is entitled to an annual management fee payable out of the assets of the Fund. The maximum management fee is equal to 1.25% (excluding HST) of the weighted average net asset value of the Fund less ordinary expenses of the Fund. The management fee is calculated on a monthly basis as of the last valuation date of each month. Services received under the Master Declaration of Trust include managing or arranging for the management of the Fund's investment portfolio and providing or arranging for all required administrative services to the Fund.

<sup>(2)</sup> Total increase (decrease) from operations consists of interest revenue, realized and unrealized gains (losses), less expenses, and is calculated based on the weighted average number of units outstanding during the year (period). The schedule is not intended to total to the ending net assets as calculations are based on the weighted average number of units outstanding during the year (period).

<sup>(2)</sup> Management expense ratio is the ratio of all fees and expenses, including harmonized sales taxes but excluding transaction fees charged to the Fund to the average net assets.

Table Fund's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the Fund's portfolio adviser manages its portfolio investments. A portfolio turnover rate of 100% is equivalent to the Fund buying and selling all of the securities in its portfolio once in the course of the period. The higher a Fund's portfolio turnover rate in a period, the greater the trading costs payable by the Fund in the period, and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains in the period. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and the performance of a Fund.

<sup>(4)</sup> Net Asset Value per unit is the difference between the aggregate value of the assets of the Fund and the aggregate value of the liabilities and including the valuation of securities at closing prices divided by the number of units then outstanding.

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#### **Past Performance**

The past performance of the Fund is set out below and indicates year-by-year returns, overall past performance and annual compound returns.

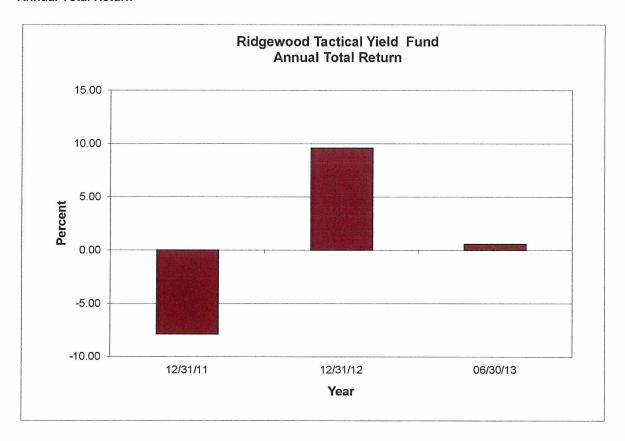
With respect to the charts displayed below, please note the following:

- the returns or performance information shown assumes that all distributions made by the Fund in the periods shown were reinvested in additional units of the Fund;
- the return or performance information does not take into account optional charges or income taxes payable that would have reduced returns or performance; and
- how the Fund has performed in the past does not necessarily indicate how it will perform in the future.

#### Year-By-Year Returns

The bar chart illustrates how the Fund's annual total return in each year since the Fund's inception including the six month period ended June 30, 2013 has varied from period to period. The chart also shows, in percentage terms, how much an investment made on January 1 in each year would have increased or decreased by the end of that fiscal year, or June 30, 2013 for the six months then ended.

#### **Annual Total Return**



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### **Summary of Investment Portfolio**

The summary of investment portfolio may change due to ongoing portfolio transactions of the Fund. A quarterly update will be available on our website at <a href="https://www.ridgewoodcapital.ca">www.ridgewoodcapital.ca</a>.

#### **Asset Mix**

June 30, 2013

#	% of Net Asset Value		% of Net Asset Value
Corporate Bonds	72.2	Cash & Short-Term Investments	4.7
Equities	19.1		

## **Top 25 Holdings**

		% of Total Net Asset Value
		Asset value
1.	Mattamy 6.875% 20/11/15	5.0%
2.	Goldman Sachs 5.20%, 17/04/19	4.9%
3.	Canadian Treasury Bills 13/11/22	4.7%
4.	Fairfax Financial 5.84% 22/10/14	4.0%
5.	Golf Town 10.5% 18/07/24	3.9%
6.	Citigroup Inc. 5.16%, 22/05/24	3.7%
7.	Merrill Lynch 5.29%, 17/05/30	3.7%
8.	Centric Health 8.625% 18/04/18	3.6%
9.	Allied Nevada Gold 8.75% 19/06/01	3.3%
10.	Dundee Industrial REIT	3.0%
11.	Royal Bank of Scotland 10.50%, 22/03/16	3.0%
12.	Western Energy 7.875% 19/01/30	3.0%
13.	Canadian Energy Services 7.375% 20/04/17	2.9%
14.	Lloyds TSB Bank 10.125%,21/12/16	2.9%
15.	Artis Real Estate Investment	2.7%
16.	Leisureworld Subscription Recp	2.7%
17.	RTL-Westcan 9.50%, 17/04/07	2.6%
18.	Russel Metals 6.00%, 22/04/19	2.5%
19.	Leisureworld Senior Care	2.5%
20.	First Capital Realty Inc.	2.4%
21.	Baytex Energy 6.625% 22/07/19	2.3%
22.	Merrill Lynch Financial Assets C22 D, 17/05/12	2.3%
23.	Dundee International REIT	2.1%
24.	Cara Operations 9.125% 15/12/01	2.0%
25.	Schooner Trust 22/06/12	1.9%
Total		77.6%

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#### **Independent Review Committee**

National Instrument 81-107- Independent Review Committee for Investment Funds ("NI 81-107") requires all publicly offered investment funds to establish an independent review committee ("IRC") to whom the Manager must refer conflict of interest matters for review or approval. NI 81-107 also imposes obligations upon the Manager to establish written policies and procedures for dealing with conflict of interest matters, maintaining records in respect of these matters and providing assistance to the IRC in carrying out its functions. The current members of the IRC are G. Tomlinson Gunn, Allen B. Clarke, and Marshall E. Nicholishen. Mr. Gunn serves as the Chair of the IRC.

We confirm the Fund did not rely on any approvals or recommendation of the IRC concerning related party transactions during the year.

#### **Forward-Looking Statements**

This report may contain forward-looking statements about the Fund. Forward-looking statements include statements that are predictive in nature, that depend upon or refer to future events or conditions, or that include words such as "expects", "anticipates", "intends", "plans", "believes", "estimates" or negative versions thereof and similar expressions. In addition, any statement that may be made concerning future performance, strategies or prospects, and possible future Fund actions, is also forward-looking. Forward-looking statements are based on current expectations and projections about future events and are inherently subject to, among other things, risks, uncertainties and assumptions about the Fund and economic factors.

Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance, and actual events and results could differ materially from those expressed or implied in any forward-looking statements made by the Fund. Any number of important factors could contribute to any divergence between what is anticipated and what actually occurs, including, but not limited to, general economic, political and market factors, interest and foreign exchange rates, global equity and capital markets, business competition, technology change, changes in government regulations, unexpected judicial or regulatory proceedings, and catastrophic events.

The above-mentioned list of important factors is not exhaustive. You should consider these and other factors carefully before making any investment decisions and you should avoid placing undue reliance on forward-looking statements. While the Fund currently anticipates that subsequent events and developments may cause the Fund's views to change, the Fund does not undertake to update any forward-looking statements.

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